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2018 CLUB RACING AMENDMENT 1

The following is a large amendment with multiple corrections. It was noted that the original sailing instructions published were an early and obsolete revision. The correct copy of the sailing instructions has now been published. Rather than include a revision table at the beginning of the Sailing Instructions this document takes the place of the table.

Added before SI 1

The notation '[DP]' in a rule in the SI means that the penalty for a breach of that rule may, at the discretion of the protest committee, be less than disqualification.

SI 2.2 – Changed to read:

- 2.2. Any change to the sailing instructions will be posted no later than 1700 on the day it will take effect. Code flag 'L' shall be displayed on the OYS flagpole to notify sailors of the change. Skippers are advised to check the Notice Board prior to leaving the dock.

SI 3.3 – Removed

SI 4 – Table updated

SI 4.2 – Added:

- 4.2. The scheduled first warning signal for weeknight racing is as follows:
- 4.2.1. Races held before and including Thursday, August 9 the warning signal will be at 18:50
- 4.2.2. Races held after Thursday, August 9 the warning signal will be 18:20

SI 6.3 – Changed to read:

- 6.3. Course marks will be yellow tetrahedrons or yellow cylindrical buoys.

SI 6.4 – Removed

SI 6.5 – Renumbered to 6.4

SI 7.3 – Added:

- 7.3. Boats whose warning signal has not been made shall avoid the starting area during the starting sequence for other races. [DP]

SI 7.3 – Renumbered to 7.4 and changed to read:

- 7.4. If the race committee intends to start all boats in a single start, flag "F" (Foxtrot) will be used as the class flag for that start. A single fleet start for all boats will be signaled by the Committee Boat flying flag "F" with at least 5 minutes before the warning signal. Flag "F" will be removed with a long sound 1 minute before the warning signal.

SI 7.4 – Renumbered to 7.5

SI 7.6 – Added:

7.6. Prior to the first warning signal boats shall pass astern of the Race Committee Boat on starboard tack and announce their intention to race.

SI 10.2 – Removed

SI 10.3 – Removed

SI 11 – Changed to read:

11. TIME LIMITS

11.1. If no boat has finished the course by 20 minutes before the posted sunset time then the race may be abandoned. Sunset times for each race will be posted on the notice board not later than 1700 on the day of the race. Failure to abandon the race will not be grounds for redress. This changes RRS 62.1(a).

11.2. Boats failing to finish before the posted sunset time will be scored Did Not Finish without a hearing. This changes RRS 35, A4 and A5.

SI 12 – Changed to read:

12. PROTESTS

12.1. Protest forms are available at the race office. Protests and requests for redress or reopening shall be delivered there within the appropriate time limit.

12.2. The protest time limit is 45 minutes after the Race Committee Boat docks in her slip.

12.3. The time and location of the Protest(s) will be displayed on the official notice board within 24 hours of the protest time limit.

SI 14.6 – Added:

14.6. A boat will be scored AVG if she does not race on the day of her scheduled race committee volunteer requirement.

SI 14.7 – Added:

14.7. A boat failing to provide the appropriate number of volunteers on her scheduled day will be assigned a penalty by the racing director. The standard penalty shall be a DNE score replacing her median race result in the series she has the most completed races in at the end of the year.

SI 14.6 – Renumbered to 14.8 and table updated

SI 17 – Added:

17. ENVIRONMENTAL

17.1. Competitor's shall not dispose of trash or cigarette butts into the water.
[DP]

Attachment 1 updated

Attachment 2 updated