

Tuesday Twilights – Season 2018/2019

SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

1. RULES

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in "Racing Rules of Sailing 2017-2021".
- 1.2 Australia Sailing Prescriptions and Part 2 of the Special Regulations will apply.
- 1.3 The rules of the competing classes will apply.

2. NOTICES TO COMPETITORS

Notices will be posted on the official notice board located in the Sailors' Room at the YMCA Sailing Club.

3. CHANGES TO SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

Any change to the sailing instructions will be posted not less than 30 minutes before the start of the race in which it will take effect,

4. SIGNALS MADE ASHORE

- 4.1 Signals made ashore will be displayed on the flag mast on the West Side of the YMCA Sailing Club clubhouse.
- 4.2 When flag Red flag is displayed ashore, 'Racing will be abandoned for the day.

5. SCHEDULE OF RACES

Racing will commence at 6pm with at least 3 back to back races being held (weather conditions permitting).

6. RACING AREA

The YMCA training area, which is the mouth of Yarralumla Bay, between Spinnaker Island, Black Mountain Peninsula and Yarralumla Bay. For safety reasons persons hiring Club boats must stay within this area.

7. THE COURSES

The course will be a triangle and a sausage with an upwind start and a downwind finish. Bics only have to complete a triangle. All courses are Port courses (all marks passed on the left hand side of the vessel) unless otherwise advised.

8. STARTS

There will be 1 combined start unless there otherwise advised. If there are a number of fast monohulls or catamarans there will be a separate start for them that will be posted on the notice board inside the club.

9. MARKS

Marks will be YMCA training marks, Mark 3 will also double as the start and finishing bouy.

10. THE START

9.1 Races will be started in one division:

<i>TITLE</i>	<i>VISUAL SIGNAL</i>	<i>SOUND SIGNAL</i>	<i>TIME TO START</i>
Warning	Green and White Flag Raised	1 horn	3 mins
Preparatory	Black flag raised	1 horn	2 mins
One Minute	Black flag removed	1 horn	1 min
Starting	Green and white flag removed	1 horn	Start

11. THE FINISH

The finishing line will be between Race Committee boat and the finishing mark (Mark3).

12. PENALTY SYSTEM

Rule 44.1 is changed so that only one turn, including one tack and one gybe, is required.

13. TIME LIMIT

Boats failing to finish within 10 minutes after the first boat in the division finishes will be asked to return to the start/finish area in preparation for the next race.

14. SAFETY REGULATIONS

14.1 Sign-on is to be completed 30mins before first scheduled warning on each day

14.2 A boat racing that retires from a race shall notify the race committee as soon as possible.

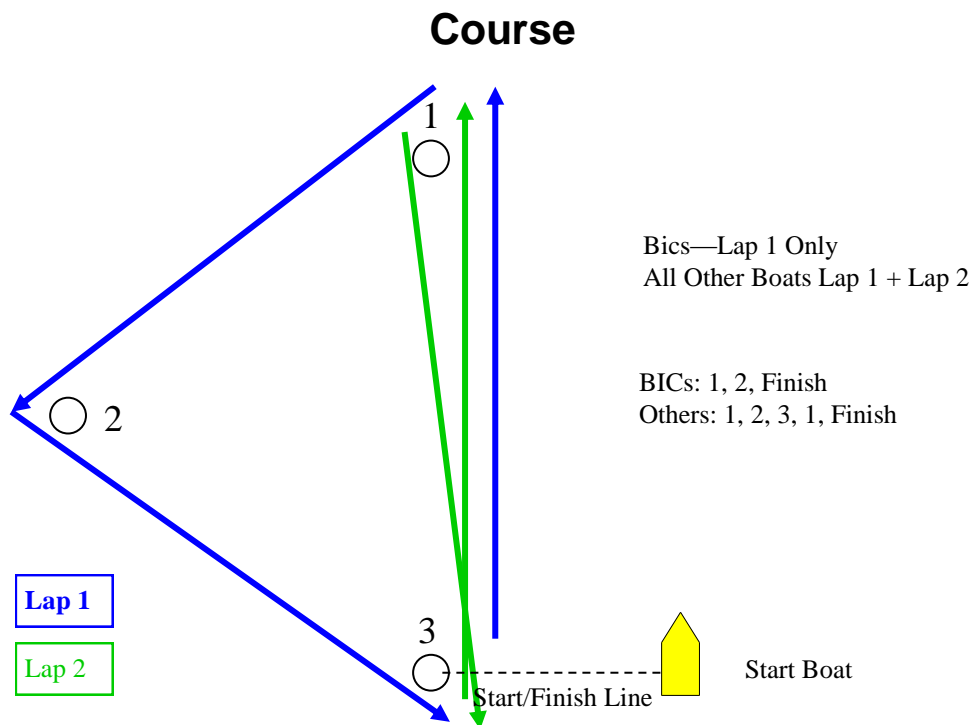
14.3 A boat cruising shall notify the race committee before returning to shore.

15. OFFICIAL BOATS

Official boats shall be identified by YMCASC lettering on the hull.

16. DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See Rule 4, "Decision to Race". The organising authority will not accept any liability for material damage or personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with or prior to, during, or after the championship.



MAKE SURE YOU SIGN ON INSIDE THE CLUBHOUSE PRIOR TO SAILING!!

Fees: \$15