

Fleet 61

2011 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS For Wednesday and Sunday Series

RULES

Rule 42.3(b) is deleted and replaced by Class Rule 8.2.

COURSES

The courses shall be windward leeward. The weather mark and number of legs will be displayed by the RC on the course board.

MARKS

- A EBYRA Race Mark East of Throgg's Neck
- B R "2" Big Tom Flasher
- C RG "CL" South of Cuban Ledge
- D RN "4" Nun at Big Tom
- E EBYRA Race Mark North of Weir Creek
- R EBYRA Race Mark East of Throggs Neck Bridge Toll Plaza
- W Inflatable mark 0.5-1.0 mile to weather of the start line

CHECKING IN

Before the warning signal of her first race each day, each boat shall sail past the Race Committee boat and hail her sail number until acknowledged.

START

The start line will be between an orange flag on the Race Committee boat and the starting mark. No warning signal shall be made after the following times. These are times of apparent sunset as calculated by NOAA: (<http://www.srb.noaa.gov/highlights/sunrise/sunrise.html>)

Spring Series:

May 18	8:09 PM
May 25	8:15 PM
June 1	8:21 PM
June 8	8:26 PM
June 15	8:29 PM
June 22	8:31 PM
June 29	8:31 PM
July 6	8:30 PM

Summer Series:

July 13	8:27 PM
July 20	8:23 PM
July 27	8:17 PM
August 3	8:10 PM
August 10	8:01 PM
August 17	7:52 PM
August 24	7:40 PM
August 31	7:30 PM
September 7	7:19 PM

FINISH

The finish line will be between an orange flag on a Race Committee boat and the nearest Mark of the course.

TIME LIMIT

If the first boat does not reach Mark 1 within 1/2 hour, or no boats finish within 2 hours, the race shall be abandoned. The RC may abandon at other times per RRS 32.1.

Boats that fail to finish within 1/2 hour after the first boat finishes will be scored DNF. This modifies rules 35, A3 and A4.1.

SAFETY

A boat that retires from a race prior to finishing shall notify the RC before leaving the course area.

PENALTIES

RRS 44.1 and 44.2 are changed so that, except for infringements of Part 2 that occur within the zone of a rounding mark, only one turn, including one tack and one gybe, is required.

PROTESTS

Protests shall be written and lodged with the Race Committee or a fleet representative within the Protest Time, which will begin at the time of the last finish of that day and end 1.5 hours later.

Protest notices will be posted on the fleet website to inform competitors where and when there is a hearing in which they are interested parties.