

Amendment No.13 to the 2019-2020 Sailing Handbook

Winter and Early Bird Series

Changes to the Schedule & Additional Rules required to reduce the spread of Covid-19 including recommended crew numbers and contact tracing requirements for Crew Lists

Organised by the Royal Prince Alfred Yacht Club

Add I1.1

1.1.2. RRS 52 Manual Power is deleted, however autohelm systems are only permitted to be used in the two-handed division.

1.1.2 A minimum of 6 series entrants are required to form a two handed division. (Advise the Sailing Office).

1.1.3 Boats may elects to sail non-spinnaker for the series. (Advise the Sailing Office).

Add I1.2

I1.2 REGULATIONS AND REQUIREMENT TO STOP THE SPREAD OF COVID-19

- I1.2.1 Club activities, including racing can resume as long as the Public Health Order is complied with;
- I1.2.2 It is recommended that crew limits are adhered to; however, no boat shall carry more than **20** persons on board at any time;
- I1.2.3 Practise good hand hygiene before and after sailing;
- I1.2.4 Avoid physical contact;
- I1.2.5 Changerooms, canteens and kitchens will remain closed – arrive dressed and ready to sail, meet at the boat;
- I1.2.6 Stay home if you are unwell;
- I1.2.7 Don't share drinks or towels;
- I1.2.8 Sharing of equipment should be avoided and if necessary, it should be kept to a minimum;
- I1.2.9 Shared equipment, if any, should be regularly wiped down and sanitised, as practicable after use;
- I1.2.10 Keep a distance of 1.5 metres where reasonably practicable; and
- I1.2.11 All competitors shall follow the one person per 4 square metres rule ashore to ensure sufficient physical distancing between people;
- I1.2.12 The RPAYC encourages all competitors to use the COVIDSafe App whilst at the club.

Add A1.3

I1.3 CREW LIMITATIONS

- I1.3.1 The minimum number of crew on a boat shall be 2.
- I1.3.2 Where practical social distancing whilst racing shall be maintained. Skippers should consider the size of boat and working areas when planning crew numbers on board.**

Add I1.4

I1.4 Crew Lists

- I1.4.1 A complete and accurate crew list shall be submitted through the online entry system TopYacht.
- I1.4.2 An SMS will be sent, before each race, to the primary contact for the boat. The SMS will contain a link that will prompt you to update your crew list. Alternatively, crew lists can be updated and maintained through your TopYacht entry.
- I1.4.3 The crew list shall contain the following information for each crew:
Full Name

RPAYC Member No.

AS No.

Telephone No.

Email address

Person to contact in the event of an emergency (Name and Telephone Number)

- 11.4.4 Failure to provide a complete and accurate crew list prior to the start of each race shall result in a score of DSQ without a hearing. Changes RRS63.1 & A5.

Delete I2 and replace with

I2 SCHEDULE OF RACES (deletes Winter Series and Women's Helm Series)

Date	Race	Series
04/07/2020	1	Early Bird Series
11/07/2020	2	Early Bird Series
18/07/2020	3	Early Bird Series
25/07/2020	4	Early Bird Series
01/08/2020	5	Early Bird Series
08/08/2020	6	Early Bird Series
15/08/2020	7	Early Bird Series
22/08/2020	8	Early Bird Series
29/08/2020	9	Early Bird Series

Add I2.1

I2.1 INTENTION TO RACE

- 12.1.1 Notification of your intention to race shall be done by the submission of a crew list for the race.

Delete I7 and replace with:

I7 SCORING

- 17.1 The Early Bird Series shall consist of up to nine (9) races.

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