

2014 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

AMENDMENT 1 TO THE SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

1. Delete SI 5.1 and 5.2 “Schedule of Races” and replace with the following:

5.1 Dates of racing and scheduled first signal:

Date	ALPHA COURSE Alpha Distance 1-5 First Signal	BRAVO COURSE B1 & B2 First Signal	CHARLIE COURSE Bluenose Class First Signal	DELTA COURSE Classics & PHRF-NS Non- Spinnaker First Signal	ONE DESIGN COURSE Farr 30, J/24, IOD, I14 First Signal
August 13	1200hrs	1200hrs	1330hrs	1230hrs	1200hrs
August 14	1200hrs	1200hrs	1330hrs	1230hrs	1200hrs
August 15	1200hrs	1200hrs	1330hrs	1230hrs	1200hrs
August 16	1200hrs	1200hrs	1330hrs	1230hrs	1200hrs

5.2 Number of races:

Class	# Races Scheduled	Races Per Day
Alpha - Distance Classes	4	1
Bravo - B1 & B2	12	up to 4
Charlie - Bluenose	10	up to 3
Delta - Classics & PHRF-NS Non-Spinnaker	4	1
One Design Course (all classes)	12	up to 4

2. Delete the second sentence in SI 7 “Racing Area” and replace with the following:
The Alpha Course Race Officer will post a notice on the Official Notice Board no later than 0900hrs and announce the location of the starting area for the day on VHF Channel 72 every 15 minutes beginning at 0900hrs each day to notify competitors of the starting area for that day.

3. Delete the last sentence of 11.2 “The Start” and replace with the following:

Should the pin boat be unavailable, a tetrahedron mark will replace the pin boat.

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4. Add the following to SI 11 “The Start”:

11.5 No later than the warning signal for each race for the IOD class, the Race Committee will signal the sail combination to be used for that race. The signals shall have the following meanings:

<u>Signal</u>	<u>Sail Combination To Be Used</u>
No Signal	Main, Jib and Spinnaker
Red Flag w/ White Stripe	Main and Jib only

5. Delete 13.1 and 13.2 “The Finish” and replace with the following:

13.1 For the Bravo and One Design Courses, the finishing line will be between a staff displaying an orange flag on the starboard hand side of the race committee signal vessel and a finishing mark laid off of her starboard bow.

13.2 For the Alpha and Delta Courses, the finishing line will be between a staff displaying an orange flag on the port hand side of the race committee vessel and a finishing mark or boat off of her port side.

6. Delete 15 “Time Limits For All Classes And Courses” and replace with the following:

15 TIME LIMITS FOR ALL CLASSES AND COURSES

(a) Alpha - Distance Classes: The time limit will be five (5) hours for the first boat to finish in each fleet. If any boats finish within that time limit, subsequent boats will have a total time limit of seven (7) hours. Boats failing to finish within that total time limit will be scored Did Not Finish without a hearing. This changes rule A4, A5 and rule 35.

(b) Bravo - ‘Round-The-Buoys’ Courses (B1 & B2): The time limit will be four (4) hours for the first boat to finish in each fleet. If any boats finish within that time limit, subsequent boats will have a total time limit of five (5) hours. Boats failing to finish within that total time limit will be scored Did Not Finish without a hearing. This changes rule A4, A5 and rule 35.

(c) Bravo - Windward-Leeward Courses (B1 & B2): If no boat passes the first mark within one hour of the start, the race will be abandoned. Boats failing to finish within 30 minutes after the first boat sails the course and finishes will be scored Did Not Finish without a hearing. This changes rule A4, A5 and rule 35.

(d) Charlie - Windward-Leeward Courses: If no boat passes the first mark within 35 minutes of the start, the race will be abandoned. If no boat finishes

the original course or shortened course within 70 minutes of the start, the race will be abandoned. Boats failing to finish within 20 minutes after the first boat sails the course and finishes will be scored Did Not Finish without a hearing.

This changes rule A4, A5 and rule 35.

(e) Delta - 'Round-The-Buoys' Courses (Classics & PHRF-NS Non-Spinnaker): The time limit will be three (3) hours for the first boat to finish in each class. If any boats finish within that time limit, subsequent boats will have a total time limit of five (5) hours. Boats failing to finish within that total time limit will be scored Did Not Finish without a hearing. This changes rule A4, A5 and rule 35.

(f) One Design Courses (all classes): If no boat passes the first mark within one hour of the start, the race will be abandoned. Boats in the One Design classes failing to finish within 20 minutes after the first boat sails the course and finishes will be scored Did Not Finish without a hearing.

7. Delete the "Possible Course Types By Class" table from Attachment B - Course Types & Diagrams and replace it with the following:

Alpha - Distance: 'Round-the-Buoys' Racing only
Bravo - B1 & B2: Windward-Leeward & 'Round-the-Buoys'
Charlie - Bluenose: Windward-Leeward Courses & 1x'Round-the-Buoys' Race
Delta - Classics & PHRF-NS Non-Spinnaker: 'Round-the-Buoys' Racing only
One Design - All Classes: Windward-Leeward Courses only *special 'Round-the-Buoys' courses may be laid for the I14 class at the discretion of the OA