

SF Bay J/105 Women Skipper Invitational
May 13, 2023
Organizing Authority (OA): St. Francis YC
SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

1 RULES

- 1.1 RRS Appendix V1 and V2 will apply.
- 1.2 RRS 35, A4 and A5 are changed allowing for Time Limits. Note S112.

2 NOTICES TO COMPETITORS

- 2.1 Official notices will be posted on the Official Notice Board at <http://www.stfyc.com/racing> and may be posted on the unofficial notice board in the hallway at the Regatta Entrance of StFYC.
- 2.2 VHF Channel 69 will be used by the Race Committee.

3 CHANGES TO THE SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

- 3.1 Amendments to the sailing instructions will be posted by 0900 Saturday May 13, except that changes to the schedule of the races will be posted by 1800 Friday May 12.
- 3.2 In accordance with RRS 90.2 (c), oral changes may be made on the water by the Race Committee. Code Flag L will be displayed with a sound signal and the Race Committee will hail competitors via VHF.

4 SIGNALS MADE ASHORE

No signals will be made ashore.

5 INTENDED SCHEDULE

No attention signal will be given after 1600 Saturday May 13

6 CLASS FLAG

Class flag will be black class insignia on a white field.

7 COURSES

- 7.1 The courses and marks are described in Attachment A.
- 7.2 No later than the warning signal, the race committee signal boat will display
 - (a) a numeric course number designating the course, and
 - (b) a flag designating the windward mark rounding direction
 - If a red flag is displayed, all windward marks shall be rounded to port.
 - If a green flag is displayed, all windward marks shall be rounded to starboard.
- 7.3 If the gate is not in place, the remaining mark shall be rounded in the same direction as the previous mark.

8 MARKS

A list and description of marks is in Attachment A.

9 AREAS THAT ARE OBSTRUCTIONS

- Each line bound by the following two points is designated as an obstruction. Boats are prohibited from crossing any of these lines while racing.
- (a) The "H" Beam piling and the closest point ashore (located approximately 200 yards west of the St. Francis YC);
 - (b) Anita Rock Light located approximately 0.30nm west of StFYC ("Anita Rock" Q 20ft 5M) and the closest point ashore;
 - (c) Yellow buoy "ARo" (located approximately 45 yards at 350 degrees from Anita Rock Light) and the closest point ashore;
 - (d) Anita Rock Light and "ARo" as defined above;
 - (e) StFYC inner mark "B" and the closest point ashore.

10 THE START

10.1 Races will be started by using RRS 26.

10.2 The starting line will be between a staff displaying an orange flag on the race committee vessel and the course side of the starting mark. Note Attachment A.

11 THE FINISH

The finishing line will be between a staff displaying an orange flag on the race committee vessel and the course side of the finishing mark. Note Attachment A.

12 TIME LIMITS

12.1 The Time Limit for the first boat to sail the course and finish is 90 min.

12.2 The Time Limit finishing window for boats to finish after the first boat sails the course and finishes is 15 minutes. Boats finishing after the time limit will be scored DNF. This changes RRS 35, A4 and A5.

13 SCORING

13.1 All races will count in scoring the Regatta.

13.2 One race must be completed to constitute the Regatta. There are no throwouts.

14 PROTESTS

14.1 Protest time limit is one (1) hour after the last boat finishes. This time will be posted on the official notice board.

14.2 Protest hearings will be scheduled as soon as possible following expiration of the protest time limit.

15 FURTHER INFORMATION

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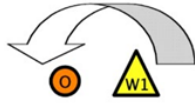
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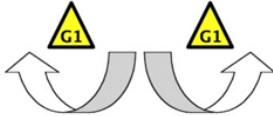


ATTACHMENT A

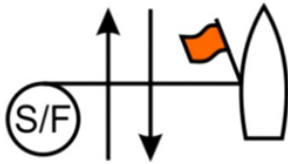
A.1 COURSES: Courses will be displayed by a pennant or numeric course number.




COURSE 1
S - W1 - O - F




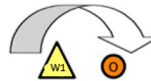
COURSE 2
S - W1 - O - G1 - W1 - O - F



COURSE 3
S - W1 - O - G1 - W1 - O - G1 - W1 - O - F

 displayed on Signal Boat designates W1 and O are to be left to port as diagrammed above

 displayed on Signal Boat designates W1 and O are to be rounded to starboard as shown here ---



A.2 DESCRIPTION OF MARKS: All marks are inflatables of various colors.

| MARK | DESCRIPTION |
|--------------------------|---|
| W1 | Inflatable yellow buoy set to windward |
| O | Inflatable red or orange buoy set as an offset to mark W1 |
| G1 | Two (2) Inflatable yellow buoys set as a leeward gate |
| START/FINISH BOAT | Race Committee Vessel |
| START/FINISH MARK | Reddish pink/orange hippity hop buoy |