



**65th Anniversary**  
**The 2016 Corinthian Midwinters Series**  
**Jan 16-17, Feb 20-21**  
**Robert K Moore Memorial Race Feb 20**  
**SAILING INSTRUCTIONS**

**1. RULES**

1. The race will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing*.
2. RRS Appendix T1, Penalties at the Time of the Incident, shall apply. The first two sentences of rule 44.1 are changed to: 'A boat may take a One-Turn Penalty when she may have broken a rule of Part 2 or rule 31 while *racing*. However, when she may have broken a rule of Part 2 while in the *zone* around a *mark* other than a starting *mark*, her penalty shall be a Two-Turns Penalty.'
3. All competitors shall wear adequate personal flotation devices while racing, except for brief periods while changing or adjusting clothing. Wetsuits and drysuits are not personal flotation devices. This changes RRS 40.
4. Fleet 1 Articles of Association for J/105 will apply.

**2. NOTICE TO COMPETITORS**

1. Notices will be posted on the official notice board at the CYC Club House next to the office and may be copied at <http://www.regattanetwork.com/event/11521>.
2. The RC may change the Sailing Instructions while on the water and will communicate any change to the competitor boats via voice or radio (VHF 71) and will hoist code flag L for such changes.

**3. CHANGES TO SAILING INSTRUCTIONS:** Written changes to the Sailing instructions will be posted before 9AM on the day they will take effect, except that any change to the schedule of races will be posted by 8PM on the day before they will take effect.

**4. SIGNALS MADE ASHORE**

1. Signals will be displayed from the flagpole located SE corner of the Club deck.
2. When flag AP is displayed ashore, one minute is replaced with "not less than 60 minutes" for the race signal AP (postponement).

**5. SCHEDULE OF RACES**

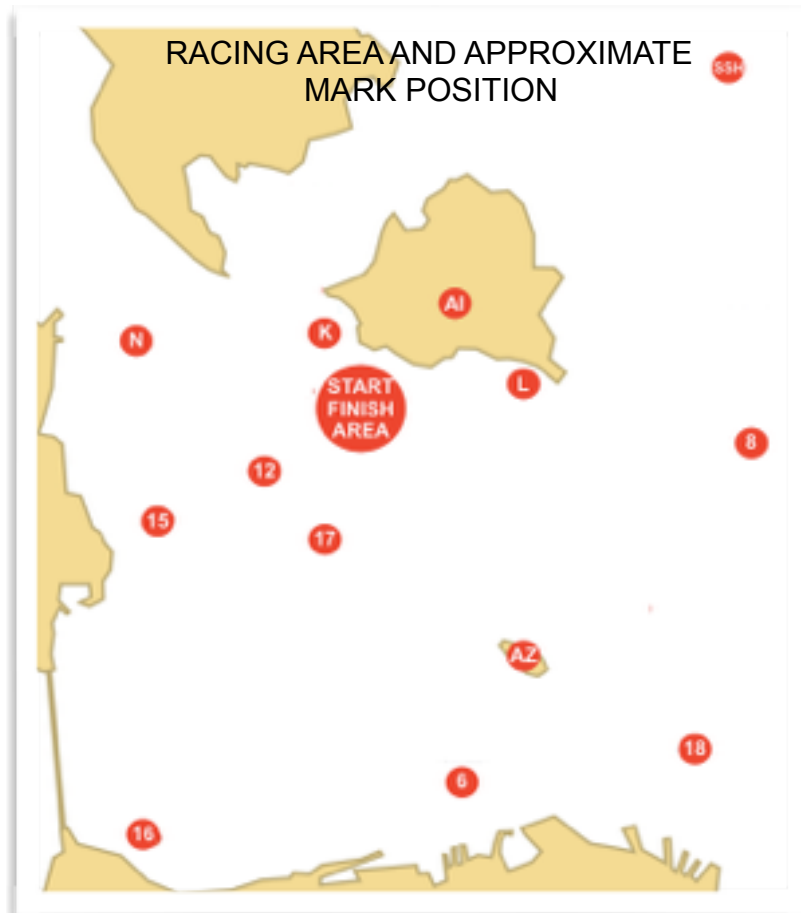
1. First Warning Signal is 11:55AM on all race days.
2. Four races are scheduled for all divisions in the series, with one race each day: Jan 16-17, Feb 20-21.
3. Aotea Teams must be declared before racing. The Robert K Moore Memorial Race Feb 20 is part of the Midwinter Series.

**6. CLASS FLAGS AND DIVISIONS (FOLLOWING IS THE ANTICIPATED STARTING ORDER)**

- A: MULTIHULL
- B: PHRF 1 (18 and under)
- C: PHRF 2 (19-69)
- D: SPORT BOAT
- E: EXP 27
- F: PHRF 3 (70 TO 111)
- G: NON-SPIN 1 (138 and under)
- H: PHRF 4 (112 to 141) & SFB-30 CLASS
- J: PHRF 5 (142 and over)
- K: NON-SPIN 2 (139 and over)
- M: CAL 20

**7. CHECK-IN:** Boats racing shall check in by sailing close to the stern of the RC signal boat on starboard tack with their sail number visible before racing.

**8. RACING AREAS:** note following map.



COURSE # AND MARKS							NM
1	S	15-P	12-P	15-S		F	8 NM
2	S	15-P	L-P	15-S		F	10 NM
3	S	15-P	8-P	15-P	17-P	F	10.5 NM
4	S	16-P	8-P	15-S		F	11 NM
5	S	16-P	18-P	8-P	15-S	F	12 NM
6	S	16-P	18-P	16-S	AZ-P	F	13 NM
7	S	17-S				F	1 NM
8	S	6-P	N-P	15-P		F	9 NM
9	S	18-P	AI-P	15-P		F	12 NM
10	S	AZ-P	AI-P	15-P		F	10.5 NM
11	S	8-P	N-P	16-P		F	12 NM
12	S	SSH-P	15-P			F	10.5 NM
13	S	SSH-P	16-P			F	13 NM
14	S	SSH-P	16P	18-P	15-S	F	18 NM
15	S	N-P	17-S	15-S		F	6 NM
16	S	N-P	16-S	15-S		F	8 NM
17	S	N-P	16-P	18-P	15-S	F	13 NM

MARK DESCRIPTIONS	
6	Yellow Column "M" 200 yds. north of Ft. Mason Docks
8	R "4" Fl 4s Horn 1 nm east of Pt. Blunt
12	G "1" Fl G 4s Little Harding Rock
15	Temporary inflatable Mark approx .5 nm east of Yellow Bluff (Sausalito vicinity).
16	Yellow Column "C" .2 nm east of Fort Point "Blackaller"
17	RG "HR" Fl (2+1) R 6s, Harding Rock
18	RG "BR" Fl (2+1) G 6s bell, Blossom Rock
AI	Angel Island
AZ	Alcatraz Island
L	Temp inflatable Mark .2 nm west of Pt. Blunt
N	Daymark "2" Fl R on channel east of Sausalito
SSH	Southampton Shoals Platform
S/F	START/FINISH West of Angel Island Knox area

## 9. COURSES AND MARKS

1. All marks listed between "S" and the "F" in the Course and Mark table are rounding marks.
2. Courses will be indicated by numeral placards.
3. **AREAS THAT ARE OBSTRUCTIONS; RESTRICTIONS**  
For safety reasons, each of the lines bounded by the following two points is an obstruction:
  1. Anita Rock Light (Light List 4290) and an unmarked buoy (located 150 yards NW of Anita Rock Light).
  2. Anita Rock Light (Light List 4290) and the closest point ashore.
  3. Unmarked yellow buoy (located 150 yards NW of Anita Rock Light) and the closest point ashore.
  4. The "H" Beam piling (located approximately 200 yards west of StFYC) and the closest point ashore.
  5. The South Tower of the Golden Gate Bridge and the closest point ashore.
  6. The Green and Red Bell buoy off the west end of Alcatraz Island and the closest point ashore.
  7. The Green buoy (#3) south of Point Blunt, Angel Island and the closest point ashore.
4. Boats are prohibited from sailing across any of these lines while racing.

**10. THE START:** The starting line will be between a staff displaying an orange flag on the Signal Boat and an Orange inflatable mark.

**11. THE FINISH:** The finishing line will be between a staff displaying an orange flag on the Signal Boat and a Yellow inflatable mark.

**12. TIME LIMITS:** The time limit for all race days is 4:30PM. Boats failing to finish within the time limit will be scored DNF. This changes RRS 35, A4 and A5.

## 13. PROTESTS AND REQUESTS FOR REDRESS

1. Protests shall be delivered to CYC Club Office or Race Committee on the day of the race.
2. The protest time limit is one hour after the last finish and a list of protests received will be posted on the notice board at that time.
3. January hearings will be held the following Thursday after racing at CYC at the location noted on the CYC Official Notice Board.
4. February hearings will be heard following the conclusion of racing the same day.

## 14. SCORING

1. Four races are scheduled. One race constitutes a series.
2. Except for the Aotea Trophy, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores.
3. Corrected times will be computed using the time-on-time method ( $TCF = (650 / (550 + PHRF))$ ) with series scoring per appendix A9.
4. The Aotea Team Trophy will be awarded to the best performing three-boat team from a single yacht club sailing in different divisions. Performance will be calculated by taking the sum, for each team, of its members' average Aotea score for each race completed.
5. Boats entered in the Robert K Moore Memorial Race, only, will have their scores excluded from the other races in the Midwinter Series.

**15. RADIO COMMUNICATIONS:** The Race Committee may use the VHF 71 radio to communicate information about time to start, recalls and other information.

**16. PRIZES:** Prizes will be given as follows.

1. Daily and series trophies will be awarded. Additional special trophies, and discretionary fun prizes, will be awarded to those boats racing on February 20.
2. For purposes of the series trophies, the number of trophies awarded shall be determined based on the number of entries received by the end of the first weekend of racing.
3. Class trophies will be awarded for first place in each designated class; second place if seven boats in a class are entered; third for nine entries; fourth place for twelve entries, and fifth place for fifteen or more entries.
4. The Midwinter Series trophies; The Aotea Team Trophy and the subjectively awarded Best Performance trophy; Best Performance by a CYC Member will be awarded in the CYC Ballroom after the racing ends on Sunday, 2/21/16

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