



Cambridge Yacht Club Fun Regatta Fleet Race Sailing Instructions Second Annual Cambridge Fun Regatta, July 22, 2017 Organizing Authority Cambridge Yacht Club

1. Rules.

- 1.1 This regatta will be governed by the rules as defined by The Racing Rules of Sailing.
- 1.2 These Sailing Instructions, including amendments, supersede and will take precedence in the case of conflict with any other rules, Notice of Regatta or Entry form.

2. Entries.

Fleet racing is available to any boat over 17' with a valid PHRF certificate.

3. Notices to Competitors.

Notices to competitors will be posted on the CYC Bulletin Board.

4. Changes in Sailing Instructions

- 4.1 Changes to the sailing instructions will be posted on the regatta notice board by 0930 Saturday morning.
- 4.2 For on-the-water changes to the sailing instructions: the change will be announced by the Race Committee (RC) verbally on Channel 67.

5. Signals made Ashore


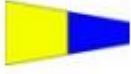
- 5.1 Signals made ashore will be displayed from the flagstaff of CYC.
- 5.2 When flag AP is displayed ashore, "1 minute" is replaced with "not less than 30 minutes" in RRS "Race Signals".

6. Schedule of Races

- 6.1 Schedule of racing is as follows:

Saturday, July 22 nd , 2016	0800 - 0900 Check-in, and breakfast at CYC
	0900 Competitors meeting
	1100 Warning signal for 1 st race
	1500 Warning signal for Non-spinnaker/Hawaiian Cruising Class
Race	
	1730 Dinner Buffet on the lawn, Gazebo Bar open (Hawaiian Party)
	1930 Awards on CYC lawn

- 6.2 Three races are scheduled for each class (except for the Non-spinnaker/Hawaiian /Cruising Class).
- 6.3 No warning signal shall be made after 1600.
- 6.4 Proposed starting sequence for the first race of the day for each class is as follows. Starting sequence of following races may change; competitors are urged to listen to channel 67 at the conclusion of each race.

Warning Signal	Class	Class Flag	
1100	PHRF A/ PHRF B		 #9 & #6
1105	Shields	Announced at skippers' meeting	
1110	PHRF C		#7
1115	Non-spinnaker		#5
1500	Non-spinnaker Hawaiian/Cruising Class		

7. Racing Area

Racing area is in the area in front of CYC as described in Attachment 1 (ESSA Choptank Course Chart).

8. Courses.

8.1 PHRF A, B, C, Nonspin and Shields will do drop mark courses. All marks will be left to port.

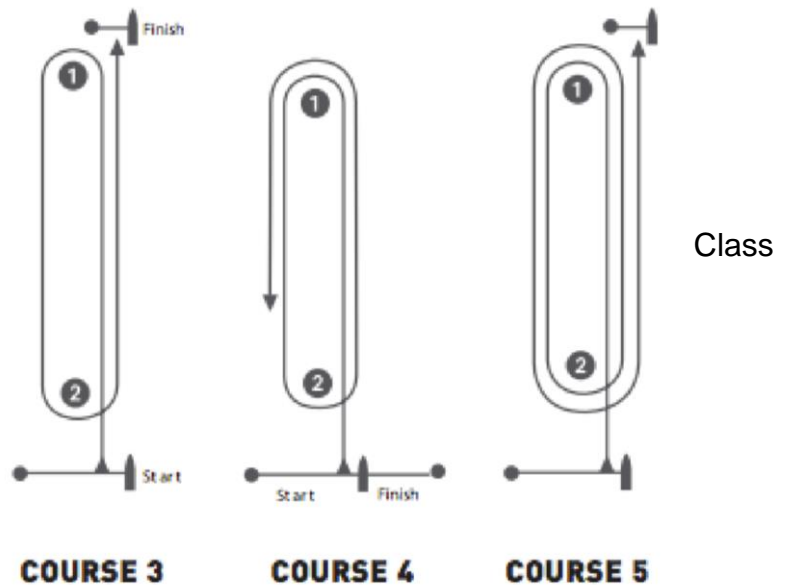
“3” start-1-2-finish

“4” start-1-2-1-finish

“5” start-1-2-1-2-finish

8.2 Non-spinnaker Hawaiian /Cruising

start - 1(port) - G23(port) - G19A(port) - 1(starboard) – finish



8.3 Course Board will be displayed on signal boat prior to warning signal. Course board will have course, bearing to weather mark and approximate length of leg.

For example,

4
360°
.9 nm

9. Marks

- 9.1 The rounding marks will be orange cylinders.
- 9.2 Change marks will be orange cylinder with a black band.
- 9.3 Start and finish marks will be yellow cylinders.
- 9.4 The starting line will be between an orange flag on the signal boat and a nearby mark.
- 9.5 The finish line will be between a blue flag on a race committee (RC) boat and a nearby mark.

10. Check In

Each boat shall sail by the RC signal boat, hail her sail number and be acknowledged by the RC.

11. Start

- 11.1 Races will be started using RRS 26.
- 11.2 Recalls – After the starting signal the RC may announce the sail number of the recalled boat(s) on VHF Channel 67. Failure of a boat to hear the recall broadcast, a boat's position in the sequence of broadcast numbers, and failure of the RC to broadcast any numbers shall not be grounds for granting redress (this changes RRS 62.1(a)).

12. Time Limit

- 12.1 Boats racing 30 minutes after the first boat in their class finishes, and not thereafter retiring, being disqualified, or given redress will be scored Time Limit Expired (TLE) and should proceed to the starting area if another race is scheduled.
- 12.2 The score (prior to application of other penalties) of boats scored TLE will be points equal to the number of boats finishing within the time limit plus one point. This changes RRS A4.2, A5, and A11.

13. Protest and Requests for Redress

- 13.1 Protest forms are available at the front desk of CYC.
- 13.2 The protest time limit is 60 minutes after the RC signal boats docks after the last race of the day.
- 13.3 The RC will post a list of penalties being assigned by the RC prior to the end of the protest time limit. The deadline for requesting redress based on these scores will be either 30 minutes after posting of the penalty notice or the protest time limit, whichever is later.

14. Scoring

- 14.1 A minimum of one completed race is required to constitute a regatta.
- 14.2 Each boats score shall be the total of her race scores. This changes RRS A2.

15. Safety

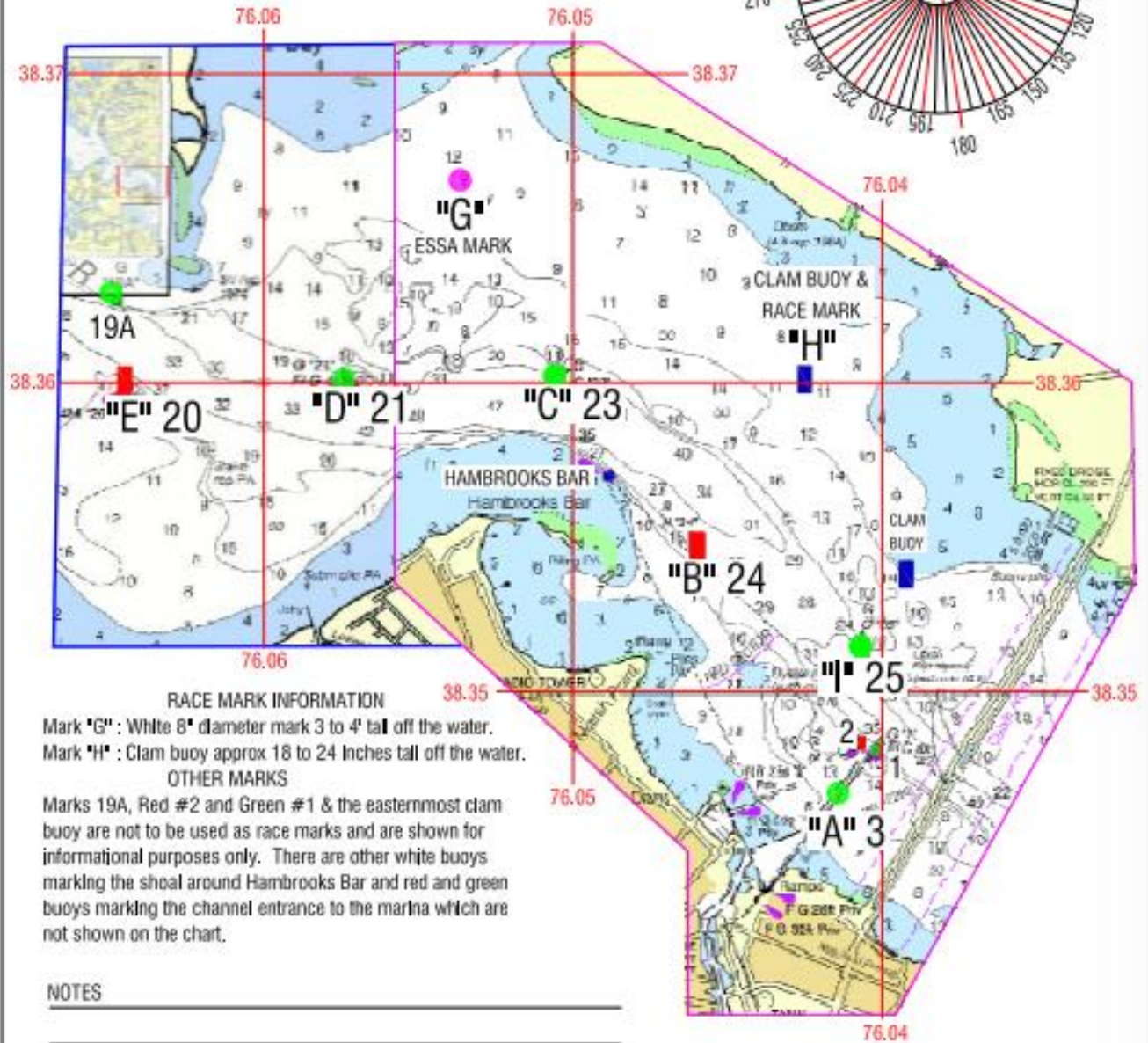
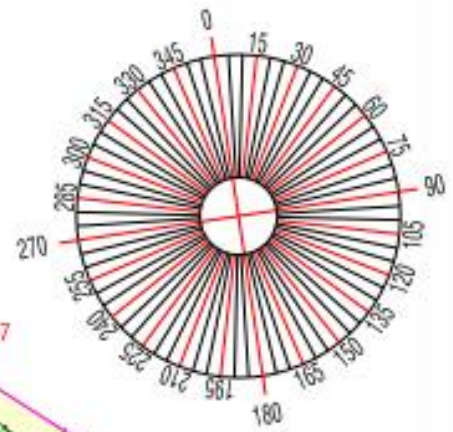
A boat that retires from a race or leaves the racing area prior to the end of racing shall notify the RC as soon as practicable. If it is not practicable to notify the RC on the water, notification shall be on shore as soon as possible. The RC can be notified by contacting any RC boat verbally, or by VHF Channel 67.

16. Prizes

Prizes will be awarded to first finisher in PHRF A and the three finishers in PHRF B, PHRF C, Nonspinnaker, Cruising and Shields.

Attachment 1: Race Area

Committee Boat _____
 Date _____
 Course _____
 Distance _____
 Avg Windspeed _____
 Wind Direction(s) _____



RACE MARK INFORMATION

Mark "G": White 8" diameter mark 3 to 4' tall off the water.
 Mark "H": Clam buoy approx 18 to 24 inches tall off the water.

OTHER MARKS

Marks 19A, Red #2 and Green #1 & the easternmost clam buoy are not to be used as race marks and are shown for informational purposes only. There are other white buoys marking the shoal around Hambrooks Bar and red and green buoys marking the channel entrance to the marina which are not shown on the chart.

NOTES

UPDATED FOR 2014 SEASON