

## Valentine Rally Double-Handed J/105 February 14, 2021 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

(Note: per the RRS 2021-24 the SAILING INSTRUCTIONS (SIs) should not repeat what's in the NOR. Please refer to the NOR and SIs for information on this event.)

## 1 NOTICE TO COMPETITORS:

- 1.1 The Online Official Notice Board is located at: <a href="https://www.regattanetwork.com/event/21809">https://www.regattanetwork.com/event/21809</a>
- 1.2 Race Committee will use VHF 69 for all communications on the water including changes to the SIs and courses to be raced
- **2 CHANGES TO SAILING INSTRUCTIONS:** Any change to the sailing instructions prior to the day of racing will be posted on the Online Official Notice Board and sent via text before 8:00 hrs the day of racing.
- 3 SIGNALS MADE ASHORE: All signals will be made from the shore breakwater adjacent to Golden Gate YC.
- 4 FLAGS: Course flags will not be used. VHF 69 will announce courses before the 1<sup>st</sup> warning signal.
- **5 RESTRICTED AREAS**: For safety reasons boats shall not cross the following lines bounded by the points below and the closest points ashore:
  - Anita Rock and Buoy "AR" (if in position NW of Anita Rock).
  - The "H" Beam (located approximately 200 yards W of StFYC).
  - The Bell Buoy off the W end of Alcatraz Island.
  - The buoy S of Point Blunt on Angel Island.
  - The South tower of the Golden Gate Bridge.
  - Buoy R "2CR" FI R 4s marking Castro Rocks and the Richmond shore.
- **STARTING:** The starting line will be between a staff displaying an orange flag on the breakwater in the vicinity of Golden Gate YC and "X" buoy in front of GGYC.

## 7 FINISH

- 7.1 The finish line will be between the flagpole at GGYC and the X Buoy.
- 7.2 Boats shall note their finish time and the name of the boat ahead and behind them. Text or call this information to the PRO.
- 7.3 Boats retiring before finishing shall notify the PRO via text or cell and announce via VHF 69.
- **TIME LIMIT:** The time limit for the race is 16:30 hrs. Boats finishing after the time limit will be scored DNF. This changes RRS 35 and A5.
- **PROTESTS:** Protests shall be texted or emailed to the PRO by midnight the day of the race. Protest hearings will be scheduled via ZOOM asap. A list of protests, hearing dates, times and decisions will be posted on the Online Official Notice Board.
- **10 INTERFERENCE WITH OTHER VESSELS:** Boats shall not impede the passage of a vessel that can safely navigate only within a narrow channel, fairway or large-vessel traffic lane.

## 11 COURSES AND MARKS:

Course	All marks	rounded to	Port unless	noted with	<b>S</b> for Starb	oard
1	S	16 <b>S</b>	18			F
2	S	16 <b>S</b>	18	2		F
3	S	16 <b>S</b>	18	2	16	F
4	S	16 <b>S</b>	2	8		F
5	S	PB				F
6	S	PB	18 <b>S</b>			F
7	S	PB	2 <b>S</b>			F
8	S	PB	8 <b>S</b>			F
9	S	1	16			F
10	S	1	2 <b>S</b>			F
11	S	1	12			F
12	S	12 <b>S</b>	8 <b>S</b>			F
13	S	12 <b>S</b>	8 <b>S</b>	18 <b>S</b>		F
14	S	12	16			F
15	S	8	16			F
16	S	8	12	16		F
17	S	8	17	16		F
18	S	18	2	16		F
19	S	18	8	16		F
20	S	Ν	16	18		F
21	S	NS	8 <b>S</b>	18 <b>S</b>		F
22	S	NS	NG7 <b>S</b>	2 <b>S</b>		F

12 DESCRIPTION of MARKS				
8	YRA Mark "8", R "4" FI 4s Horn 1 nm east of Pt. Blunt			
12	G "1" FI G4s Little Harding Rock			
16	YRA Mark "16", Yellow Column "C" 0.2 nm east of Fort Point "Blackaller"			
17	RG "HR" FL (2+1) R6s Harding Rock			
18	RG "BR" FI (2+1) G6s Bell - Blossom Rock			
PB	Point Bonita RG FI (2+1) R6s Bell			
1	Red Rock Island			
2	Alcatraz Island			
4	YRA Mark "4", Inflatable mark near Pt Knox			
X	Yellow mark approx 100 yards due north of Golden Gate YC			
NG7	G "7" FL G 2.5s approx 0.45 nm SE of Red Rock			
N	Daymark "2" FL R on channel East of Sausalito			

