



Bellport Bay Yacht Club

Labor Day Invitational Regatta

September 4, 2021



Organizing Authority: GSBYRA

Host Club: Bellport Bay Yacht Club
Foot of Bellport Lane
Bellport, NY, 11713

Sailing Instructions

Posted 8/20/21

1 RULES

1.1 The regatta will be governed by the *rules* as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing, 2021-2024*.

2 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

2.1 The regatta is open to all members in good standing of a GSBYRA Yacht Club, and /or US Sailing Association, and/or invited guest of BBYC.

2.2 Eligible boats may enter by registering at www.regattanetwork/event/22277 by 1000 Saturday. **Unregistered boats will not be scored.**

2.3 Yachts shall meet her class rules and all criteria upon which the 2021 GSBYRA Portsmouth or 2021 GSBYRA PHRF handicap is based.

3 NOTICES TO COMPETITORS AND CHANGES IN SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

3.1 Notices to competitors and changes in sailing instructions will be posted on the Official Notice Board located inside the Club house.

4 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

4.1 Sailing Instructions will be available at the registration desk and online at www.regattanetwork/event/22277.

4.2 Sailing Instructions contain information specific to all competitors at the event and have additional underlined information specific to PHRF and One Design Classes, respectively 6, and 7.

5 SCHEDULE

5.1 Saturday, Sept 4, 2021

0800 to 1000 Check In & Registration

0930 Skippers Meeting

5.2 Warning Signals

1030 PHRF Non Spinnaker Course

1030 One Design Course

5.3 A series of back-to-back-races are scheduled. A series of short blasts will call attention to the upcoming start.

6 PHRF NON SPINNAKER COURSE ONLY

6.1 The PHRF handicapping system will be used based upon handicaps determined by GSBYRA and SBCC.

6.2 **PHRF COURSES** will be signaled by listing the order of Marks to be rounded.

6.3 **COURSE MARKS FOR PHRF** will be a combination of BBYC orange and white barrels and government buoys, A through F, as shown on the attached chart of Bellport Bay.

Marks A, B, H are orange and white barrels.

Government Marks are:

C is Red #6

D is Red # 4

E is Red # 2

F is Green #1

6.4 **PHRF races will be started using RRS 26.**

1030 Warning Beer Flag Displayed 5 minutes to Start

Preparatory Prep Flag Displayed 4 minutes to Start

Prep Flag Removed 1 minute to Start

Start Beer Flag Removed

6.5 **PHRF START AND FINISH** will be between an orange cylinder on the dock and Mark A.

6.6 If there are 3 boats of the same class they will have a separate start and be scored as a fleet.

7 ONE DESIGN COURSE ONLY

- 7.1 Three One Design boats in the same class constitute a separate class for scoring. When fewer than 3 boats are entered as a class, those boats shall be scored as Monohull Handicap using Portsmouth Numbers as their handicap.
- 7.2 **ONE DESIGN** competitors shall wear a personal flotation device except while briefly changing or adjusting clothing or personal equipment. Wet suits and dry suits are not personal flotation devices.
- 7.3 **ONE DESIGN COURSES** will be signaled verbally before the start.
- 7.4 **ONE DESIGN START AND FINISH** will be between an orange ball and an orange flag on the port side of the race committee boat.
- 7.5 **COURSE MARKS FOR ONE DESIGN** will be Yellow Tetrahedrons or Orange Cylinders.
- 7.6 **ONE DESIGN START will be according to Appendix U, Audible-Signal Racing System.**

8 WITHDRAWALS

- 8.1 Boats withdrawing shall make every effort to report to their race committee as soon as possible.

9 SCORING

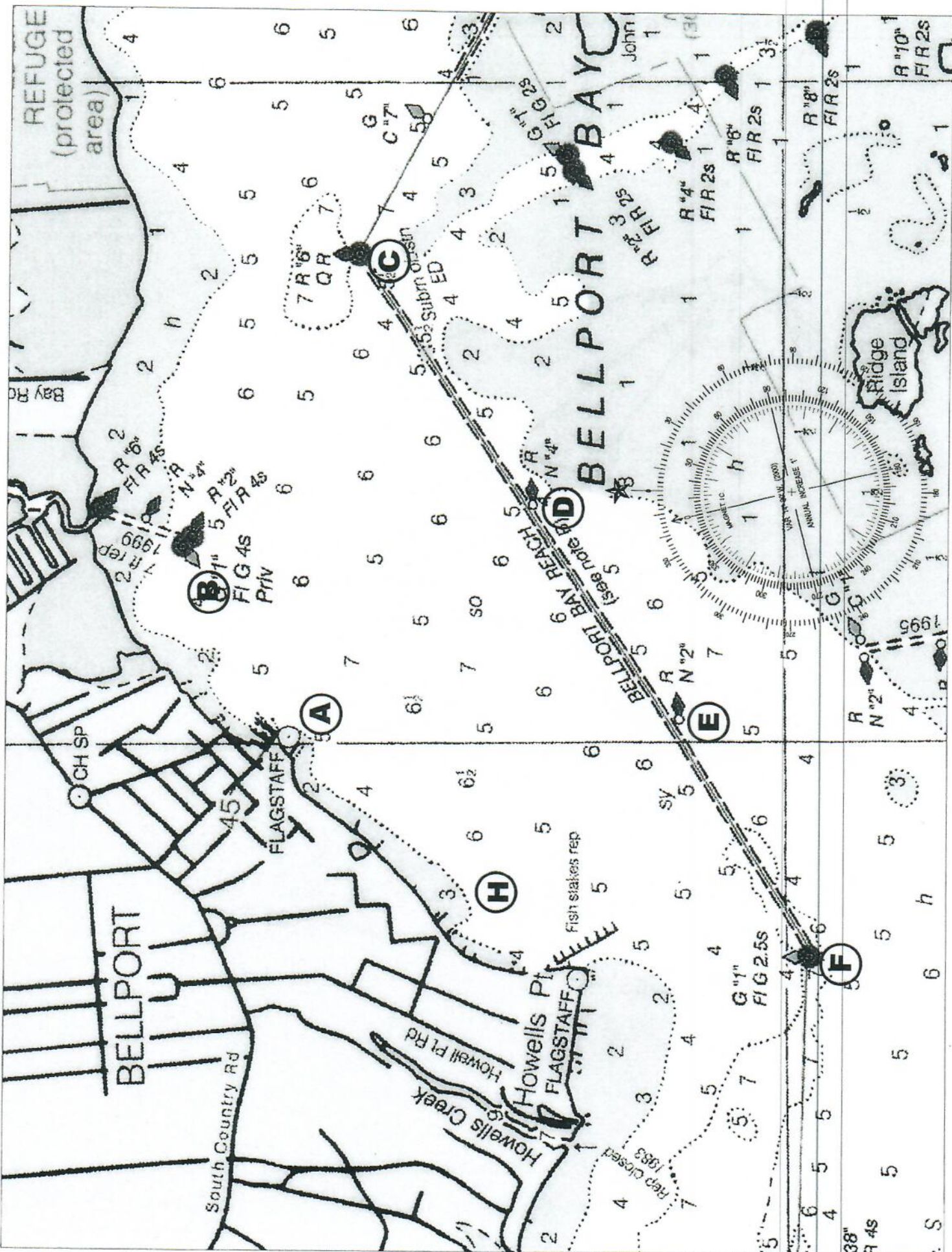
- 9.1 Five races are scheduled.
- 9.2 One race shall be completed to constitute a series.
- 9.3 When fewer than five races have been completed, a boat's series score shall be the total of her race scores.
- 9.4 When five races have been completed, a boat's series score shall be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score.

10 HEARING REQUESTS

- 10.1 The Protest Time Limit is 1 hour after the last PHRF boat finishes the last race of the day, or 1 hour after the respective Race Committee boat docks for the day. The time will be posted on the Official Notice Board.
- 10.2 Hearing request forms are available at the Registration desk.
- 10.3 Hearings will be posted on the Official Notice Board.

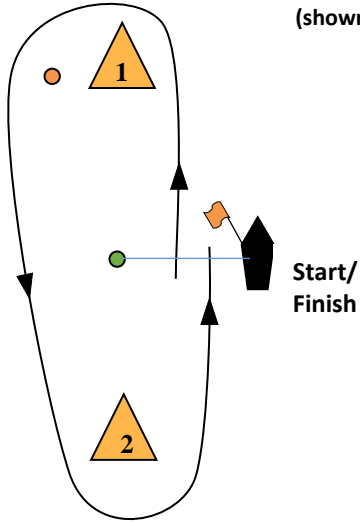
11 PRIZES

- 11.1 Class Prizes will be awarded to those classes having 3 or more yachts.
- 11.2 Prizes will be awarded at the Yacht Club after racing on Saturday, September 4.

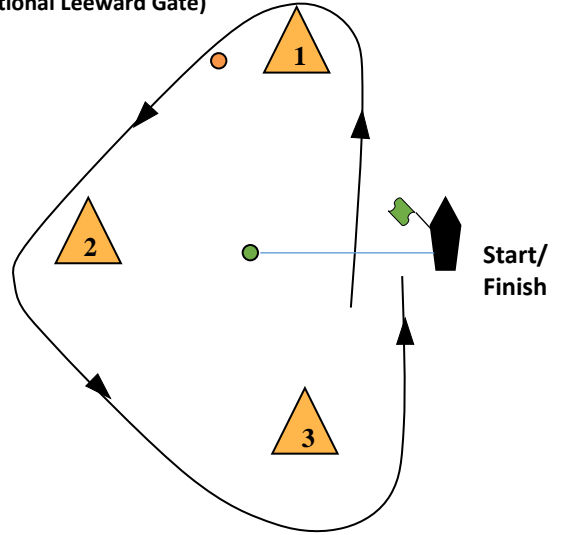


Attachment B Course Diagrams

(shown with optional Windward Offset and optional Leeward Gate)



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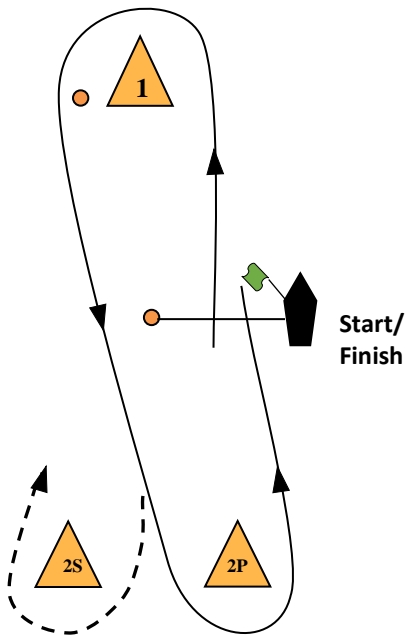


Windward Leeward Once Around
2 marks to be rounded
SF - 1 - 2 - SF

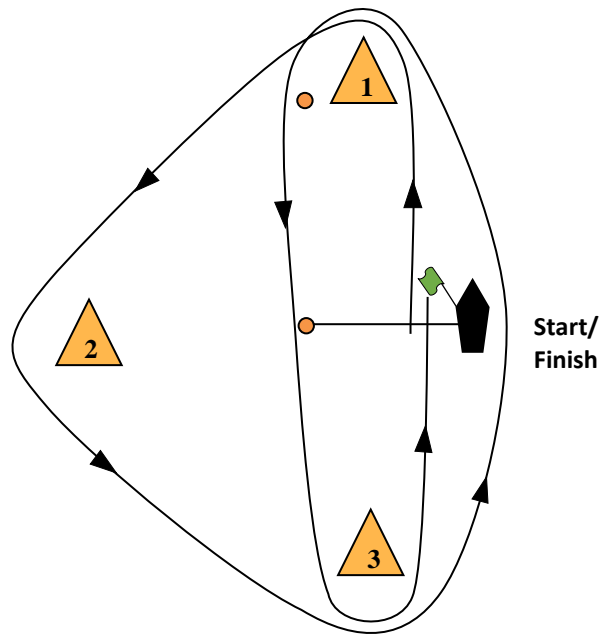
Windward Leeward Twice Around
4 marks to be rounded
SF - 1 - 2 - 1 - 2 - SF

Triangle Once Around
3 marks to be rounded
SF - 1 - 2 - 3 - SF

Triangle Twice Around
6 marks to be rounded
SF - 1 - 2 - 3 - 1 - 2 - 3 - SF



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Windward Leeward with Leeward Gate
Boats may round either leeward gate mark, but must pass through the gate in a direction away from the windward mark.

Triangle Windward Leeward Windward
5 marks to be rounded
SF - 1 - 2 - 3 - 1 - 3 - SF