

YACHT MINI REGATTA – SI

1. Rules

- 1.1 The racing will be governed by the rules as defined in the Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS) and the General Conditions of Racing as defined by Section 7 of the MYC Handbook, except as altered by the Sailing Instructions which are also considered part of the rules.

2. Schedule of Races

- 2.1 The schedule of race days is shown in Section 5.7 MYC Calendar.
- 2.2 The following classes will be sailed:
- Yachts
- 2.3 There are up to 5 TCF Races scheduled for each race day.
- 2.4 The scheduled time of the warning signal of the first race of each race day is 1055hrs.
- 2.5 When more than one race will be held on the same day, the warning signal for each succeeding race will be made as soon as practicable after the finish of the previous race.

3. Class Flags

- 3.1 The class flags will be as follows:

CLASS	FLAG
Yachts	Numeral Pennant 1

4. The Courses and Marks

- 4.1 The courses are shown in Appendix A11.
- 4.2 Marks A and B are orange spherical buoys.
- 4.3 Gate Marks C and D are yellow spherical buoys.

5. The Start

- 5.1 The start will be on the Committee Boat line as described in Sections 7.10 and 7.12 General Conditions of Racing.

6. The Finish

- 6.1 The finish will be on the Committee Boat line as described in Section 7.14 General Conditions of Racing, and as amended in 6.2 below. This changes Section 7.14.4 of the General Conditions of Racing.
- 6.2 The finish line will be between the flagstaff of the Committee Boat and an orange spherical buoy which may be on either side.

7. Time Limits

- 7.1 The time limit for each race will be 60 minutes.
- 7.2 Boats failing to finish within 20 minutes after the first boat finishes will be scored DNF without a hearing.
- 7.3 No races will be started after 1600 hours.

8. Penalty System

- 8.1 The racing rules will be modified in accordance with RRS Rule 86 as follows: RRS Rule 44.1 and RRS Rule 44.2 are changed so that only **one** turn, including one tack and one gybe, is required. This changes Section 7.18 Penalty System in General Conditions of Racing.
- 8.2 If a Discretionary Penalty is accepted, it shall be a scoring penalty of 50% of the difference between a boat's non-penalized score and the score for DSQ. Half points shall be rounded up and the points of the other boats shall not be adjusted.

9. Scoring

- 9.1 The PHS Handicap system will be used to score a boat's result and adjust her handicap.
- 9.2 A boat's series score will be the total of her race scores with no excluded scores.
- 9.3 The number of races required to constitute a series is 3.

10. Further Information

- 10.1 A BBQ and presentation will be held on the MYC balcony after racing.