



2017 SNIPE CAROLYN NUTE MEMORIAL REGATTA

OCTOBER 27-29, 2017
MISSION BAY YACHT CLUB
San Diego, CA



SAILING INSTRUCTIONS V4

1 RULES

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in the *Racing Rules of Sailing* (RRS) and the SCIRA Rules of Conduct for Conducting National and International Championship Regattas. In case of conflict between the Notice of Race and the Sailing Instructions, the Sailing Instructions shall prevail.
- 1.2 Racing Rules 26, 35, 61.1(b), 62.2, 63.1, A4 and A5 have been changed.

2 NOTICES TO COMPETITORS

- 2.1 Notices to competitors will be posted on the official notice board located on outside south wall of the MBYC Club House.

3 CHANGES IN SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

- 3.1 Any change in the sailing instructions will be posted at least 2 hours prior to the next start. Any changes to the schedule will be posted by 1800 on the day before the change takes effect.

4 SIGNALS MADE ASHORE

- 4.1 Signals made ashore will be displayed from the flagpole on the porch of the club house and announced over the MBYC PA system.
- 4.2 When flag AP is displayed ashore, '1 minute' is replaced with 'not less than 15 minutes' in the Race Signals AP.

5 SCHEDULE

5.1 Date	Time	Activity
Friday, October 27	3:30 – 4 :30	Registration near the Snipe Fleet dry Storage area.
	4:30	Competitors Meeting near the Snipe Fleet dry storage area.
	5:00	First warning signal for Race 1
Saturday, October 28	10:00 to 11:00	Late Registration in the main Club House
	12:00	First warning signal for subsequent races.
Sunday, October 29	12:00	First warning signal for subsequent races. Trophy Presentation will be at MBYC, following the last race.

6 CLASS FLAGS

- 6.1 The Class flag will be a red flag with a Snipe insignia

7 RACING AREA

- 7.1 The racing area will be on the Sail Bay part of Mission Bay.

8 THE COURSES

- 8.1 See Appendix A for the course descriptions.
- 8.2 **Note:** If the weather mark is moved during a race, the offset mark will no longer be a mark of the course.

9 MARKS

- 9.1 All marks will be large orange balls except the offset mark which will be a pin displaying code flag O.
- 9.2 New marks will be yellow balls.

10 THE START

- 10.1 The races will be started in accordance with RRS 26 modified such that the warning signal will be given 3 minutes before the starting signal and the preparatory signal will be given 2 minutes before the starting signal.
- 10.2 The starting line will be between a staff displaying an orange flag on the committee boat at the starboard end

- and a staff displaying an orange flag at the port end of the line.
- 10.3 A boat not starting within 5 minutes after her starting signal will be scored DNS. This changes RRS 63.1, A4 and A5.

11 THE FINISH

- 11.1 The finishing line for courses #1, 2, and 5 will be between a staff displaying an orange flag on a race committee boat at the starboard end and a staff displaying code flag F at the port end located to weather of the weather mark.
- 11.2 The finishing line for courses #3 and 4 will be between a staff displaying an orange flag on the Signal Boat at the starboard end and a staff displaying code flag at the port end located close to the starting line.

12 TIME LIMIT

- 12.1 The time limit for each race is 1.5 hours
- 12.2 Boats failing to finish within 15 minutes after the first boat sails the course and finishes will be scored Did Not Finish without a hearing. This changes RRS 35, A4 and A5.

13 PROTESTS AND REQUESTS FOR REDRESS

- 13.1 A boat intending to protest about an incident that occurs in the racing area shall notify the Race Committee Finish Boat immediately after finishing that race of her intention, including the sail number(s) [or otherwise identify] of the boat(s) being protested. This changes RRS 61.
- 13.2 The protest time limit is 60 minutes after the race committee signal boat docks. Docking time will be posted on the official notice board.
- 13.3 Protest forms will be available at the club office and turned in there within one hour of the posted docking time of the race committee signal boat.
- 13.4 Within the protest time, the Race Committee will post the sail numbers of all boats that are penalized under RRS 29, 30, and SI 12.2. A boat so notified may only file a request for a redress hearing within 60 minutes. This changes RRS 62.2.
- 13.5 Notices of protests by the race committee or protest committee will be posted to inform boats under RRS 61.1(b).
- 13.6 Breaches of instruction in this section will not be grounds for a protest by a boat. This changes RRS 60.1(a). Penalties for these breaches may be less than disqualification if the protest committee so decides.

14 WITHDRAWING FROM A RACE

- 14.1 A boat that exits the course will do her best to notify the Race Committee at the first opportunity.

15 SCORING

- 15.1 Eight races are scheduled. Three races are required to be completed to constitute a series.
- 15.2 When fewer than 6 races are completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores.

16 PRIZES

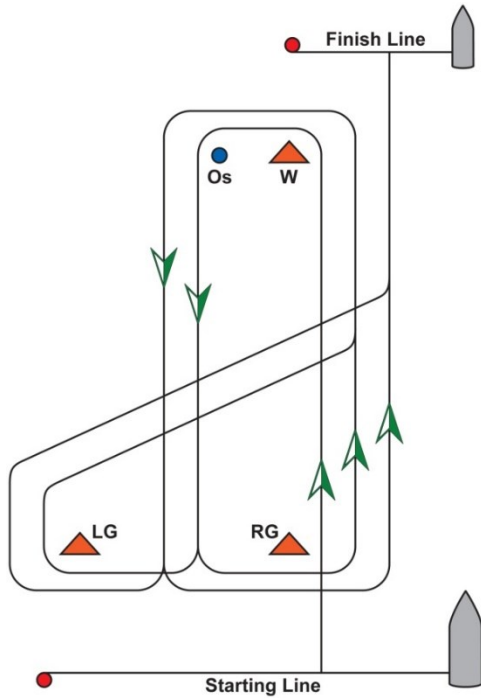
- 16.1 Prizes will be awarded for the top 5 teams.

Doug Hart, Regatta Chairman

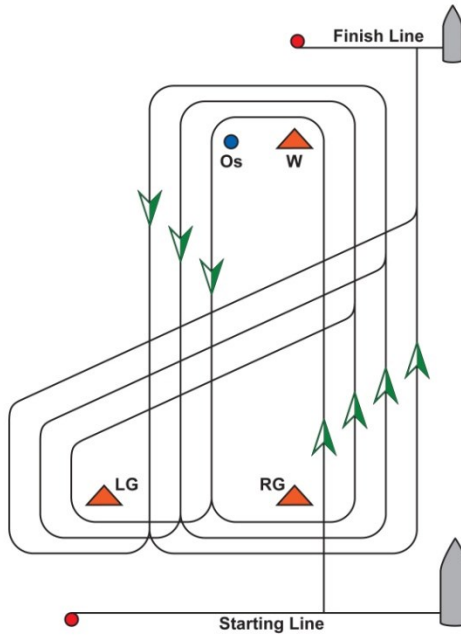
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2017 SNIPE CAROLYN NUTE MEMORIAL REGATTA ATTACHMENT #1 COURSES

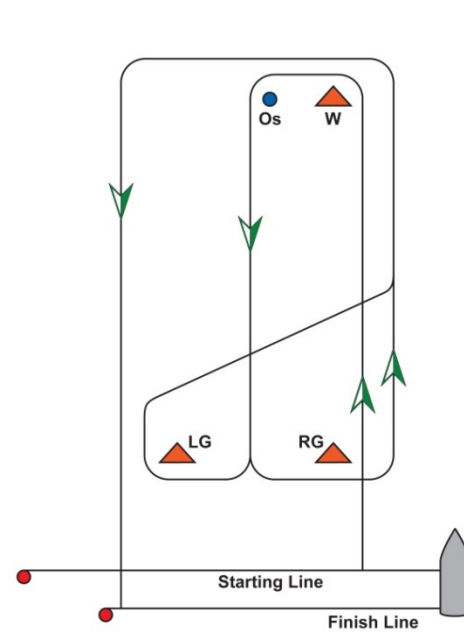
Course #1
S-W-Os-G-W-Os-G-F



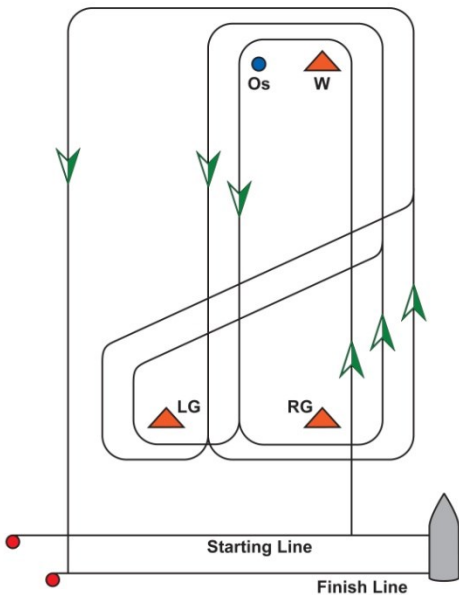
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Course #3
S-W-Os-G-W-Os-f



Course #4
S-W-Os-G-W-Os-G-W-Os-f



Course #5
S-W-Os-R-G-W-G-F

