

Tiddly Cove Yacht Club

Passage Island Race

Amendment 1

As the race committee boat Slingshot will be racing it is necessary to modify the starting procedures, and for competitors to record their own elapsed time.

A1. STARTING SIGNALS

A1.1 Races will be started according to ISAF rules, except that no flags will be present and **signals will be audible only** by horn and on VHF radio Channel 68.

A1.2 There will be two starts: All fully crewed boats in both divisions will start first, all single-handed boats will start second.

A1.3 **5-min** warning: Division flag 1, or 2 or both (1 horn)

A1.4 **4-min** warning: Code flag P, I, or Black Flag (1 horn)

A1.5 **1-min** warning: Removal of P, I, or Black Flag (1 horn)

A1.6 **Start:** Removal of Division flag (1 horn -or 2 horns if boat(s) OCS)

A1.7 **Communications:** Radio communications with the Race Committee will be conducted on **VHF Channel 68**

A2. START & FINISH

A2.1 The start/finish line shall be between the centre of the Kits Barge Can and a pin bearing an orange flag.

A2.2 Should a barge be obstructing the Kits Barge Can please listen to VHF radio channel 68 for instructions.

A2.3 During the crewed boat pre-start and starting sequence only, the race committee boat Slingshot will attempt to be on station observing the start line and shall be considered an obstruction and is not required to yield right of way under RRS or Col Regs.

A3. TIMING AND SCORING

A3.1 Competitors must use a device capable of accurately recording elapsed time.

A3.2 **All competitors must record their own ELAPSED TIME** and submit it by email or verbal communication to the race committee by midnight on race day however the race committee boat will not accept times by radio while racing. Submit your ELAPSED TIME to slingshot@fitnessav.ca

A3.3 Competitors who fail to supply an accurate ELAPSED TIME to the race committee by the deadline will be scored DSQ.

A4.4 Competitors are reminded of RRS rule 2 Fair Sailing:

A boat and her owner shall compete in compliance with recognized principles of sportsmanship and fair play. A boat may be penalized under this rule only if it is clearly established that these principles have been violated. A disqualification under this rule shall not be excluded from the boat's series score.