

Cairns Yacht Club
SAILING INSTRUCTIONS
SAGS CYC-YKBC RACE
24th April 2010

1 RULES

The race will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing 2009-2012* and *the local rules*.

2 NOTICES TO COMPETITORS

Notices to competitors will be posted on the official notice board(s) located at CYC and CCYS and on the CYC website calendar on the home page. <http://www.cairnsyachtclub.com.au/>

Nominations can be lodged at the CYC before 1800hrs Friday 23rd April 2010.

3 CHANGES TO SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

Any change to the sailing instructions will be posted before 0900hrs on the day it will take effect, except that any change to the schedule of races will be posted by 2000hrs on the day before it will take effect.

4 SCHEDULE OF RACES

4.1	Dates of racing:	<i>Date</i>	<i>Class</i>
		Sat 24 th April	Divisions 1 & 2 racing Cruising Division
4.2	Number of races:	<i>Class</i>	<i>Races per day</i>
		All Divisions	1 race each
4.3	The scheduled time of the warning signal is 1355 hrs		

5 CLASS FLAGS

Both Class flags will be required to signal the 5 minute warning

6 RACING AREAS: Trinity Bay

7 7.1 THE COURSES

Div 1

Start (Between CYC start and T2), No. 1 Lead Marker (P), No. 9 Lead Marker (P), No. 1 Lead Marker (P), Finish (Yorkeys Knob outer lead markers)

Div 2

Start (Between CYC start and T2), No. 1 Lead Marker (P), No. 9 Lead Marker (P), No. 1 Lead Marker (P), Finish (Yorkey's Knob outer lead markers)

Cruising Div

Start (Between CYC start and T2), No. 9 Lead Marker (P), Finish (Yorkeys Knob outer lead markers)

7.2 Shortened Course: As per Racing Rules of Sailing

- 8 THE START: 8.1 CYC Start line**
8.2 Races will be started by using rule 26 with warning signal 5 minutes before the start.
- 9 THE FINISH:** Yorkey's Knob outer lead markers.
NB: All yachts to **take own finish time** for relay and checking with the official finishing times...
or in case of absence of official finisher.
- 10 TIME LIMITS: No time limits**
- 11 PROTESTS AND REQUESTS FOR REDRESS**
11.1 Protest forms are available at the race office. Protests shall be delivered there within the protest time limit.
11.2 For each class, the protest time limit is 90 minutes after the last boat has finished the race.
11.3 Decisions of the [protest committee / jury] will be final as provided in rule 70.4.
- 12 SAFETY REGULATIONS**
14.1 A yacht withdrawing shall notify the race committee as soon as possible on **channel 72**.
- 13 RADIO COMMUNICATION**
13.1 All Yachts will call the starter on channel 72 VHS prior to ten minutes to start time.
13.2 A boat shall neither make radio transmissions while racing nor receive radio communications not available to all boats. This restriction also applies to mobile telephones.
- 14 DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY**
Competitors participate in the race entirely at their own risk. See rule 4, Decision to Race. The organizing authority will not accept any liability for material damage or personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with or prior to, during, or after the regatta.
- 15 INSURANCE**
Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party insurance with a minimum cover of \$5,000,000 per event or the equivalent