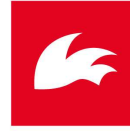




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## **Rope4Boats RS100 / RS700 Inland Championships 2023**

**Chew Valley Lake Sailing Club**

**Sat 11<sup>th</sup>/Sun 12<sup>th</sup> November 2023**

### **SUPPLEMENTARY SAILING INSTRUCTIONS (SIs) (to [RS Class Association General Sailing Instructions 2023](#))**

Note, references in the RS Class Association General Sailing Instructions (RS SIs) to the NoR are covered by clauses in the event NoR, but the numbering will not align. This affects RS SIs 6.1, 8, 15, 18, 24, 29, 30 and 31.

#### **1 RULES**

- 1.1 The event is governed by the rules as defined in The Racing Rules of Sailing 2021-2024 (RRS), the Rules of CVLSC Ltd, the Rules of the Class Association and the Bristol Water byelaws. Competitors will also behave in accordance with the RYA Racing Charter.

#### **2 COMMUNICATIONS WITH COMPETITORS**

- 2.1 The race office is located on the upper floor at the southern end of the clubhouse.
- 2.2 See NoR for location of Official Notice Board.

#### **3 SIGNALS MADE ASHORE**

- 3.1 Signals made ashore will be displayed on the flagstaff adjacent to the race office.
- 3.2 When flag AP is displayed ashore, '1 minute' is replaced with 'not less than 30 minutes' in Race Signals AP. This changes race signals AP.

#### **4 CLASS FLAGS**

- 4.1 The Class Flags to be used will be described at the briefing.

#### **5 RACING AREA**

- 5.1 The racing area will be confirmed at the briefing.
- 5.2 The sailing area is limited by lines of white buoys which are continuing obstructions for RRS 18 and RRS 19. A boat shall not sail outside this sailing area except in an emergency.



- 5.3 A boat shall launch and come ashore only at the slipways and the adjacent shore unless in an emergency.

## **6 COURSES**

- 6.1 The course to be used is shown in Appendix A, including the order in which marks are to be passed and the side on which each mark is to be passed.
- 6.2 The number of laps to be sailed will be indicated by boards on the side of the committee boat.

## **7 MARKS**

- 7.1 Marks 1, 1a, 2 and 3 will be orange inflatable marks.
- 7.2 Note, the numbers on the marks will not correspond to their position on the course.

## **8 OBSTRUCTIONS**

- 8.1 Competitors should leave a minimum distance of 25m from fishing boats and 50m from shore based fishing.

## **9 THE START**

- 9.1 Races will be started using RRS 26 with the warning signal made 5 minutes before the starting signal.
- 9.3 The first start will be for the RS700 fleet with their start signal being the warning signal for the RS100 fleet. In the event of a general recall the start sequence will remain the same.

## **10 THE FINISH**

- 10.2 The course may be shortened in accordance with RRS 32 . For courses that are shortened at mark 3 the shortened course will be indicated by the committee boat flying flag S accompanied by two sound signals as the leading boat approaches mark 3. The leading boat shall round the mark on its required side and then proceed to the normal finish line.

## **11 PENALTY SYSTEM**

- 11.2 Touching a mark other than the start or finish marks will not be penalised. This changes RRS 31.
- 11.3 The Post Race Penalty and the RYA Arbitration Procedures of the RYA Rules Disputes Procedures will be available. Decisions for Arbitration can be referred to the protest committee but cannot be reopened or appealed.

## **12 TARGET TIME**

- 12.1 The target time for the lead boat will be 40 minutes.
- 12.2 Failure to meet the target time will not be grounds for redress. This changes RRS 62.1(a).

## **13 HEARING REQUESTS**

- 13.4 Notices of protests by the race committee will be posted to inform boats under RRS 62.1(b).
- 13.5 The protest room will be located at ground floor level at the southern end of the clubhouse.



**14 SCORING**

14.1 The Low Point scoring system of RRS Appendix A will apply.

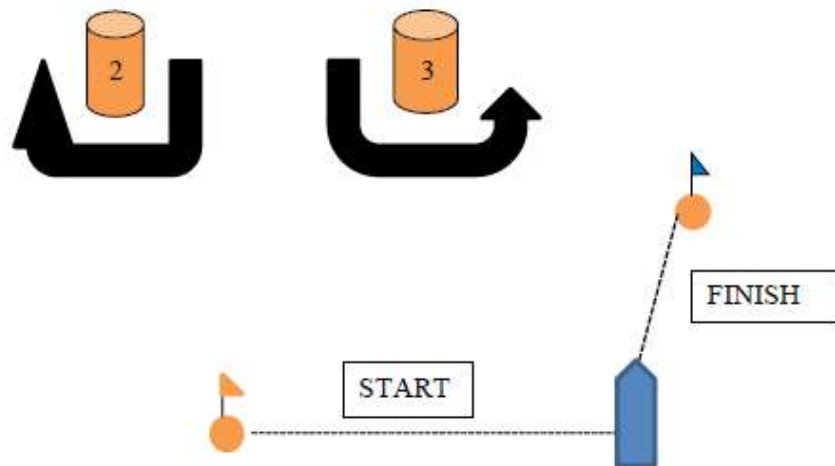
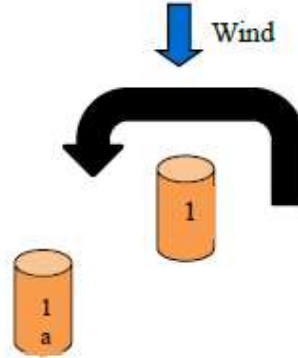
**15 OFFICIAL VESSELS**

15.1 Official vessels will be identified at the briefing.

**16 RUBBISH DISPOSAL**

16.1 Rubbish may be placed aboard support or safety boats. It must not be deposited in Chew Valley Lake.

**ADDENDUM A**



One Lap: 1(p), 1a(p), 3(p), Finish

Two Laps: 1(p), 1a(p), 2(s)/3(p), 1(p), 1a(p), 3(p), Finish

Three Laps: 1(p), 1a(p), 2(s)/3(p), 1(p), 1a(p), 2(s)/3(p), 1(p), 1a(p), 3(p), Finish

Four Laps: 1(p), 1a(p), 2(s)/3(p), 1(p), 1a(p), 2(s)/3(p), 1(p), 1a(p), 2(s)/3(p), 1(p), 1a(p), 3(p), Finish

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