

SUPPLEMENTAL SAILING INSTRUCTIONS
For
OPTIMIST, SUNFISH YOUTH, BLUE JAY & MERCURY CLASS BOATS

The sailing instructions for the BYC Fourth of July Invitation Regatta are applicable, except as modified by these Supplemental Instructions. A skippers' meeting for Optimists, Sunfish Youth, Blue Jay & Mercury's will be held Saturday at 9:00 AM. The Optimist/Sunfish Youth/Mercury/Blue Jay course will be located as close as possible to shore off the BYC clubhouse.

RACE SCHEDULE

As many races as possible will be held, with the first races starting as follows:

Sat	5 th JULY	10 AM & 1 PM
Sun	6 th JULY	11 AM

The second and subsequent races each day will start as soon as possible after the last boat finishes the preceding race (except for a lunch break). For scoring purposes, one throw out will be permitted for each six races sailed (i.e., 1 - 6 races, one throw out; 7 - 12 races, two throw outs). The first three races sailed will count toward the season championships.

STARTING SEQUENCE

Sunfish Youth, Mercury, Blue Jay & Optimists classes will start at 3-minute intervals as follows:

<u>Time</u>	<u>Class</u>
00:00	Warning
00:03	Preparatory
00:06	Optimist
00:09	Sunfish Youth
00:12	Mercury
00:15	Blue Jay

A horn will be used to start each class. A series of short blasts may be made before the starting sequence begins. Signals will be timed from their commencement as follows:

<u>Signal</u>	<u>Sound</u>	<u>Time Before Start</u>
Warning	3 long	3 minutes
Preparatory	2 long	2 minutes
	1 long, 3 short	1 minute, 30 seconds
	1 long	1 minute
	3 short	30 seconds
	2 short	20 seconds
	1 short	10 seconds
	1 short	5 seconds
	1 short	4 seconds
	1 short	3 seconds
	1 short	2 seconds
	1 short	1 second
	1 long	0 — Start (Warning for next class)

START & FINISH

The start and finish will be between an orange flag on the committee boat and an orange inflatable starting mark.

An anti-barging mark may be placed astern of the committee boat. If this mark is used, it does not alter the starting line but boats may not touch it or pass between it and the committee boat at any time. Touching the mark or passing between it and the committee boat can be corrected by doing a 360° turn at the first reasonable opportunity.

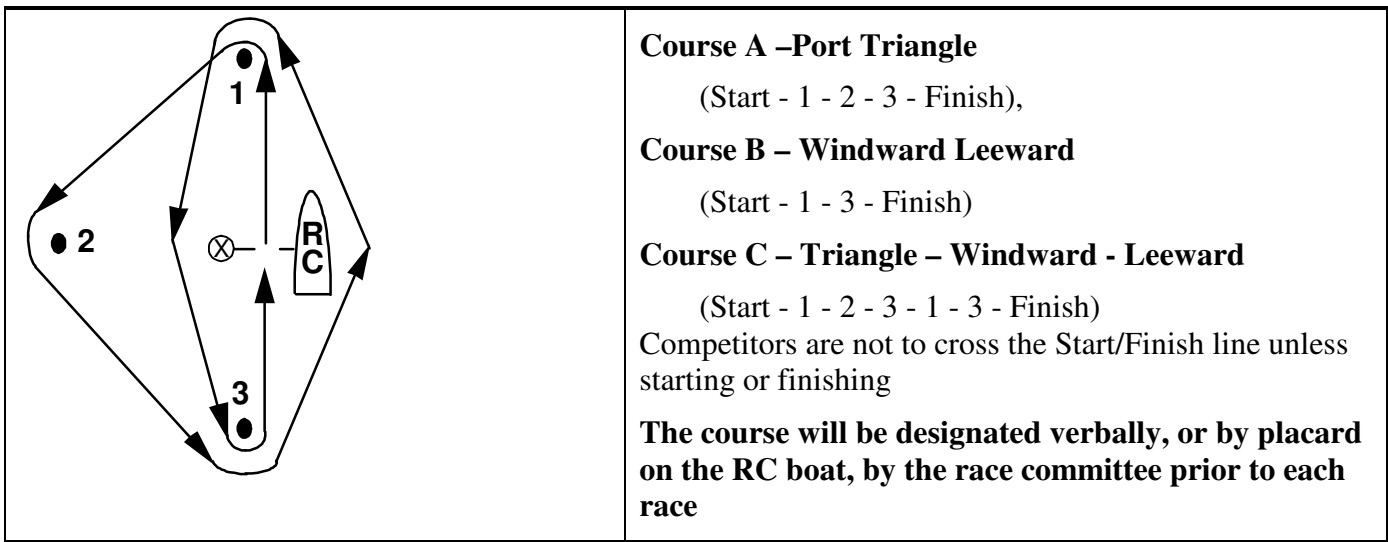
Competitors are not to cross the Start/Finish line unless starting or finishing

MARKS

Marks will be small orange inflated buoys.

COURSE INSTRUCTIONS

Sunfish Youth, Mercury, Blue Jay & Optimists shall sail a triangular course as shown, leaving each mark to port.



RECALLS

Individual recalls will be signaled by one blast of a horn or whistle and the race committee will attempt to hail the sail number(s) of any recalled boats. Failure to hear or heed a recall does not relieve a boat of her obligation to start correctly.

A general recall will be signaled by a series of short blasts of a horn or whistle. The starting sequence will be resumed as soon as possible after the general recall.

RACE COMMITTEE SIGNALS

Changes to these instructions may be made by the race committee orally on the water or by posting a notice on the Regatta Notice Board located on the BYC porch.

POSTPONEMENTS - Postponements will be made orally.