



2017 Tanzer 16 National Championship SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

1 RULES

The regatta will be governed by the 'rules' as defined in the Racing Rules of Sailing.

2 NOTICES TO COMPETITORS

Notices to competitors will be posted on the official notice board located on the club equipment shed.

3 CHANGES IN SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

- 3.1 Changes in the sailing instructions will be announced at the competitors' meeting and posted on the notice board immediately after the competitor's meeting.
- 3.2 Changes applying to Sunday will be posted by 0900 Sunday, except for changes to the schedule which will be posted by 1800 on Saturday.
- 3.2 Oral changes to the sailing instructions may be made on the water by raising race signal L and notification of the change given to each boat that comes within hail.

4 SIGNALS MADE ASHORE

- 4.1 Signals made ashore will be displayed on the club flagpole.
- 4.2 When flag AP is displayed ashore, "1 minute" is replaced with "not less than 30 minutes" in Race Signal AP. This changes Race Signal AP.

5 SCHEDULE

<i>Day</i>	<i>Competitors' Meeting</i>	<i>First Warning Signal</i>
Saturday	1200	1:00, No Races started after 4:00
Sunday	NA	09:55, No Races started after 12:15

6 CLASS FLAGS

Class Flag will be a flag displaying the class logo.

7 RACING AREA

The racing area will be on Lake Waccamaw.

8 THE COURSE

- 8.1 See *Race Courses* at end for the courses.
- 8.2 The course to be sailed and approximate compass bearing to Mark 1 will be displayed from the race committee signal boat.

9 MARKS

Marks 1, 2, and 3, will be 3-foot diameter by 5-foot high inflated, orange, truncated cones. Starting and finishing marks will be 2-foot diameter inflated, orange, spheres or 4-foot diameter inflated, yellow, spheres.

10 THE START

The starting line will be between a signal gallows displaying an orange flag on the Race Committee signal boat at the starboard end and the port-end starting mark.

11 THE FINISH

The finishing line will be between a staff or halyard bearing an orange flag and the finishing mark.

12 PROTESTS AND REQUESTS FOR REDRESS

- 12.1 Protest forms are available at the official notice board. Protest time that begins when the race committee signal boat docks and ends 30 minutes later. Signal boat will sound horn when arriving at the dock. Protests will be delivered to the race committee.
- 12.2 Notices will be posted on the official notice board within 10 minutes of the protest time limit to inform competitors of the time and place of hearings.

13 SCORING

- 13.1 Three races are required to constitute a regatta.
- 13.2 In the event of more than five races being run, there will be one throw-out.

14 SAFETY REGULATIONS

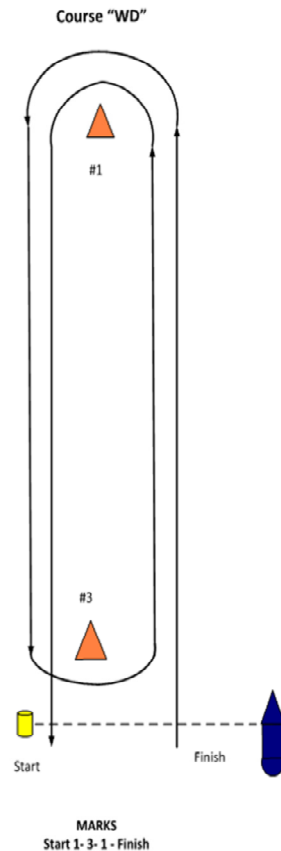
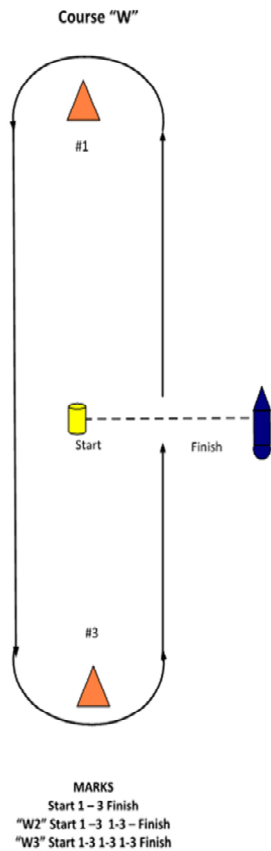
- 14.1 Prior to racing each day, a boat shall sail pass the race committee signal boat and hail her sail number.
- 14.2 A boat that withdraws or retires from a race shall notify race committee as soon as reasonably possible.
- 14.3 Protect committee may assign a discretionary penalty for a break of this SI.

15 PRIZES

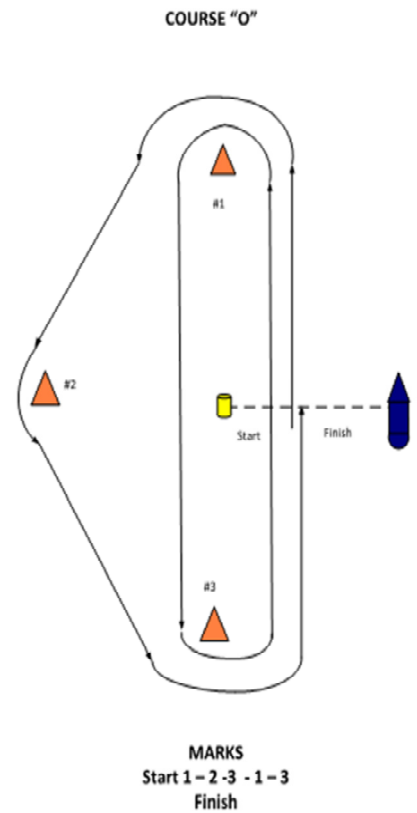
- 15.1 Prizes will be awarded to the top four finishers.

16 DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

Competitors participate in the regatta 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.



WD2 Start-1-3-1-3-1-Finish



Race Courses