



SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

2020 Sail-On-Sunday Series

and qualifier for Commodore Chris J. Lambrecht Cup

May 24 through September 6

Buckeye Lake Yacht Club

Buckeye Lake, Ohio

1. RULES

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

2. ENTRIES

Eligible competitors may enter by notifying the Race Committee of their intent to race prior to the warning signal on any racing Sunday of the series.

All entrants must sign a "Waiver of Liability" releasing BLYC from all liability prior to participation in the first race in which they compete. This "Waiver of Liability" is available from the Race Committee. Junior entrants under the age of 18 must also have a parent or legal guardian sign this waiver.

3. NOTICES TO COMPETITORS

Notices to competitors will be posted on the official notice board located at the east end of the porch of the LYC Clubhouse.

4. SIGNALS MADE ASHORE

Signals made ashore will be displayed from the flagpole located at the Race Committee Shack on the southeast corner of Watkins Island. If a postponement is signaled ashore, the warning signal will be made not less than 30 minutes after flag AP is lowered. This changes Race Signals, AP.

5. SCHEDULE and CLASS FLAG

A competitors' meeting will be held each racing day at 1200 hours in the vicinity of the BLYC Clubhouse front porch. The warning signal for the first race will be no earlier than 1255 hours on each day of racing. Subsequent races each day will be held as soon as possible after the end of the previous race. The class flagS will be assigned at the competitors meeting or at the beginning of each series and posted on the official notice board.

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Races will be held on the following Sundays of the season:

Spring Series: Sundays May 24, 31, June 7, 14, 28

Summer Series: Sundays July 5, 12, 19, 26, August 2

Fall Series: Sundays August 9, 16, 23, 30, September 6

No warning signal will be made after 16:30 hours

6. Fleets

A minimum of three boats constitute a One Design fleet. A fleet may be given their own start. In the event insufficient competitors register to form a fleet, they will be registered in the PHRF fleet.

BLYC Juniors (under age 21) can compete in a separate “BLYC Juniors Dinghy Series” (season-long)

7. Radio Communications

The race committee will use VHF channel 72 or alternate designated recreational channel to make courtesy broadcasts. Failure to hear or understand a broadcast will not be grounds for redress. Except in an emergency, 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.

8. RACING AREA

The racing area will be the waters of Buckeye Lake as shown in Attachment A.

9. COURSE[S] and MARKS

The courses will be triangles and/or windward-leeward courses. The course which the Race Committee intends to use will be posted on the official notice board no later than 12:30 hours. If the course is to be changed, the course will be designated by posting on a white-board either on the Race Committee Signal Boat or at the RC Shack on the southeast corner of Watkins Island (depending on where starting signals are being made).

Marks will be pink or orange tetrahedrons, or yellow cylinders.

A white ball, orange ball, or small yellow tetrahedron may be used for mark 1a.

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An offset mark (1a) may or may not be used. If the offset mark is missing, round mark 1, leaving it to port. A leeward gate (2P/2S) may or may not be used. If a gate mark is missing, round the remaining mark, leaving it to port.

The attached diagram shows the courses, course designations, the marks in order and the rounding direction of each mark.

10. STARTING AND FINISHING LINES

When races are started from the RC Shack, the starting and finishing lines will be between two orange balls placed off the south side of Watkins Island. If the races are started on the water, the starting and finishing lines will be between an orange flag on the committee boat and an orange ball at the pin end of the line.

A boat that is delaying the start of the next race may be awarded her place by the Race Committee without finishing.

11. TIME LIMIT

The time limit for each race will be 60 minutes for the first boat to finish. Boats finishing more than 30 minutes after the first boat that sails the course finishes will be scored TLE (time limit expired) without a hearing. This changes RRS 35, 63.1, A4, & A5.

12. PROTESTS

Protests shall be delivered to the RC Shack within 30 minutes after the last boat finishes the last race of the day. The protest time limit and a list of protests received will be posted on the notice board. Hearings will be held as soon as possible after racing each day in the BLYC Library.

13. SCORING

Boats in the PHRF fleet will be handicapped using the 2020 BLYC PHRF handicaps available on the BLYC website using Time-on-Time calculation. All PHRF ratings will be based on the North American Portsmouth Yardstick as published by US Sailing.

Juniors sailing in the dinghy fleet will be scored using Portsmouth Yardstick handicapping in a season-long series.

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The Low Point Scoring System in Appendix A of the RRS will be used. Rule A9 will apply with the following change:

The last sentence is changed to read, *“A boat that did not come to the starting area shall be scored points for the finishing place one more than the number of boats that came to the starting area.”*

14. Overall Lambrecht Cup Series Scoring:

15 races are scheduled per series. 5 races constitute a series.

Each boat's series score shall be the total of her qualifying race scores, excluding her worst five (5) race scores.

Please see the NOR for specific information regarding qualification for the series.

ATTACHMENT A – Courses

For all courses, the starting line may be between two orange balls south of the RC Shack. Refer to SI #9.

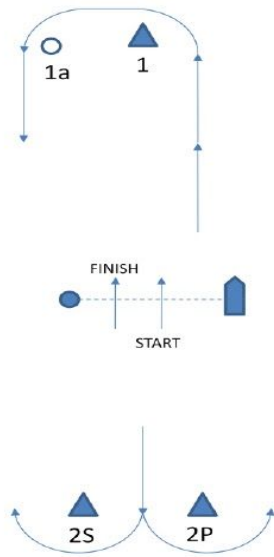
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BLYC Course Designations

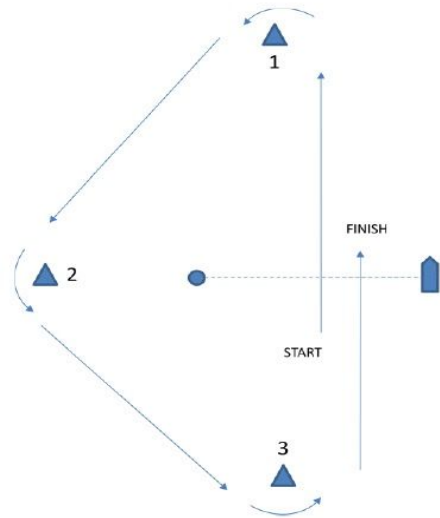
Course 1

Start – 1 – 1a – 2(gate) – Finish



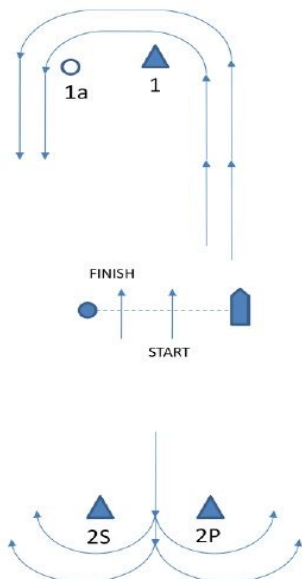
Course 3

Start – 1 – 2 – 3 – Finish



Course 2

Start – 1 – 1a – 2(gate) – 1 – 1a – 2(gate) – Finish



Course 4

Start – 1 – 2 – 3 – 1 – 3 – Finish

