

2017 Racing Information



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Information Which Applies To All CBYC Racing

- All boats must be paid-up racing members of CBYC and possess a current PHRF-LO handicapping certificate.
- Boats will be scored with flying sail handicaps unless skippers inform the scorer that they are racing white sail.
- In any series, a boat must be declared either white sail or flying sail for the entire series.
- All races will be conducted in accordance with the ISAF Racing Rules of Sailing (2017-2020).
- Courses (1-8) will be identified through a broadcast on VHF channel 11 at least 5 minutes before the start.
- The start/finish line only needs to be crossed at the beginning and end of a race.
- In the event of a downwind start (Fox Races Only) flying sails are not permitted before the start of the race.
- The committee boat will participate in all races.
- The committee boat will broadcast race information (and can be hailed) on VHF channel 11.
- Races will be started and finished using GPS time.
- All competing boats must have functioning VHF radios and GPS systems.
- If the committee boat flies the "Y" pennant (red and yellow diagonal stripes) all competitors must wear life jackets. Notwithstanding this requirement, safety on each boat is the responsibility of the skipper.
- The first boat across the finish line is expected to record finish times until the committee boat finishes.
- Finish times must be forwarded to the scorer. (Mike Visser - Cooks Bay Marina - South side - Slip 24)
- Complete racing instructions are available online at www.cookbayyachtclub.ca

Tuesday Night Racing

- Three series, A, B and C. Six races each.
- Racing begins May 9th and ends September 5th. Thursdays will be reserved for makeup races.
- 7 pm start time for the A Series and B Series. 6:30 pm start time for the C Series.
- Races are either a single or double triangle, depending on wind conditions. The decision to shorten course or abandon a race will be broadcast by the committee boat on VHF channel 11.
- A boat's best 5 races in each Tuesday series will count toward their series score.
- A boat's best 15 Tuesday races count toward the Club Championship (White Sail and Flying Sail combined)

Fox Island Cup Series

- Saturday May 27th, Saturday June 10th (sail past) Saturday Aug 12th (night race), Saturday September 2nd with the option of a make-up race. Which will be discussed if need.
- Long distance races around Fox Island and back.
- Skipper's Meetings at 10:30 am (Kon-Tiki Marine) 7 pm for the night race. Start times are one hour later.

Race Course: The start line, using the SW buoy, is oriented W ⇔ E. The race starts northward toward the island, leaving the Roches Point Buoy (SS17 - green) to starboard. Around Fox Island in either direction, passing east of the Fox Island Buoy (SG6 - red). On the return trip, the Roches Point Buoy is left to port, then across the finish line heading south.

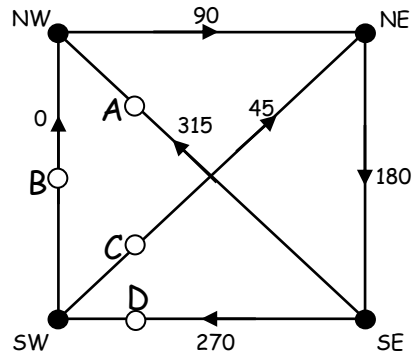
- Boats are requested to take their own provisional times as they pass the Roches Point Buoy (SS17) on the return trip. This time will be used if the course is shortened due to lack of wind.

After the races

- On Tuesdays, come join us at Cooks Bay Marina (south side) for some post-race laughs/tears/lies and refreshment.
- After the Fox races, we will fire up the giant club BBQ at Kon-Tiki, so bring something to grill and relax.

Distances, Headings, GPS Coordinates and Courses for CBYC Races

GPS Coordinates:			
NW Mark:	44° 14.58' N	NE Mark:	44° 14.58' N
	79° 31.33' W		79° 30.28' W
SW Mark:	44° 13.83' N	SE Mark:	44° 13.83' N
	79° 31.33' W		79° 30.28' W
Start Area A:	44° 14.33' N	Start Area B:	44° 14.21' N
	79° 30.98' W		79° 31.33' W
Start Area C:	44° 14.08' N	Start Area D:	44° 13.83' N
	79° 30.98' W		79° 30.98' W



All headings are TRUE.
 ADDING 10° converts them to MAGNETIC.
 Each side of the square is 0.75 nm.

