

## **SOUTH BAY CRUISING CLUB NOTICE OF RACE**

### **I. QUALIFYING TO RACE**

Sailboats eligible to race in accordance with the South Bay Cruising Club (SBCC) bylaws owned or chartered by SBCC members in good standing are encouraged to participate in club races.

### **A. INTENT OF PROGRAM**

All sailboats are assumed to comply with the manufacturers' standard hull and accommodation plans. It is the responsibility of the owner of any vessel that has been materially modified or is of a unique design to inform the Handicap Committee of the irregularity prior to racing. Such vessel will then be reviewed by the Handicap Committee and rated accordingly.

### **B. EQUIPMENT**

All equipment required for the participating vessel is to comply with Federal, State and Local requirements. It is strongly recommended that all sailboats participating in a SBCC sanctioned race on the Great South Bay comply with US Sailing from ISAF Category 4 & 5 equipment requirements.

<http://www.ussailing.org/safety/ISAF/cat5.htm>

### **C. INSPECTION POLICY AND PROCEDURES**

With the permission of the owners or their representatives, the SBCC measurer or designated assistants may conduct random inspections to confirm compliance with equipment and handicap declarations of any SBCC sailboat racing in SBCC sponsored races. These inspections may also be requested to resolve protest issues.

### **D. HANDICAPS**

The SBCC fleet includes many different types of sailboats. In order to make race participation attractive to as many members as possible, SBCC handicap racing is offered. Under this system every boat in the fleet is given a SBCC rating. Updated information on the SBCC Handicap process is available on the SBCC web site.

Handicap forms may be obtained from the SBCC web site ([www.sbccsail.org](http://www.sbccsail.org)) or by contacting the Handicap Committee. Boats that do not have a handicap form on file will be assigned a base handicap. In this case the committee may give a handicap that is less favorable than that which could be obtained by filing a handicap form. The form must be updated when a change is made to the boat.

### **E. HANDICAP APPEAL**

A skipper who believes the boat's handicap might deserve correction may request a handicap review by submitting a written request to the Handicap Committee stating the reasons he or she believes a review is in order. The Handicap Committee will respond in writing within 10 days and the new handicap, if any, will take effect as of the date of the written decision. Skippers who are not satisfied with their decision have recourse by appealing directly to US Sailing. The appeal to US Sailing can only be done once in each calendar year. Contact the Handicap Committee or US Sailing for the procedure and current cost.

### **F. SBCC HANDICAP CLASSES**

Spinnaker, Non-Spinnaker and Corinthian classes are scored under the SBCC handicap system. The Non-Spinnaker and Corinthian classes sail inventory is restricted to use of only those sails that can be correctly flown on all points of sail. In these classes, only one headsail may be flown in the fore-triangle at any one time. Boats handicapped as having permanent double head rigs will be permitted to fly their staysail when racing in these classes.

Members may change classes as often as they desire, as long as it is done before the warning signal and they inform the Race Committee.

### **G. RACING NUMBERS**

Racing numbers, either US Sailing or SBCC, are required on mainsails, spinnakers, and overlapping headsails with an LP of greater than 130% of J. Numbers shall be integer values with no leading zeros and have high contrast to the sail. This modifies RRS, 77.

## H. MEMBERSHIP RESTRICTION

No boat shall race in an SBCC-sponsored event (except invitationals) unless skippered by an SBCC member or associate. However, a member's boat may be skippered by an associate without a member on board only twice in one season, and only once in any series.

## II. RACING RULES

### A. RULES

The races and series will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing* (RRS) except as otherwise specified in these instructions. Government navigation buoys not stated as being marks of the course may be disregarded at the discretion of the skipper.

### B. CHANGES TO SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

Any change to the sailing instructions will be posted before 0900 on the day it will take effect, except that any change to the schedule of races will be posted by 2000 on the day before it will take effect. Changes will be made by posting on the SBCC official notice board which is the SBCC website located at <http://www.sbccsail.org>.

## III. RACE PROGRAM

### A. RACE SCHEDULE

SBCC sponsors numerous races and participates in various invitationals as set forth in the race schedule. See schedule for details and special notes.

### B. COURSES

Courses used for SBCC races and some invitationals are set forth at the end of these instructions. They are grouped by starting area as follows:

“Babylon” “Bay Shore” “Nicoll Bay” “Watch Hill” “West Babylon”

For each of these areas a variety of courses are described in Section X, “Race Courses,” each bearing a distinguishing number. The course selected will be signaled from the committee boat by the appropriate numeric pennant. In addition, the RC may indicate a “Special” course. For “Special” see the RC for details.

The Race Committee may designate different courses for each class, except for Commodore's Cup race, West Island race and Foulke Trophy race, as set forth in Section X.

### C. SERIES RACES

**Bay Shore & Babylon Twilight Series** – These are four race series as determined by the race schedule. These series will have one throw-out provided the series is at least two races. In the event that only one race can be sailed, one race constitutes a series.

**Great South Bay Yacht Racing Association (GSBYRA) Race Week** - This is a multi-day event. All boats must register with the host club and pay a registration fee. Check the Masthead for details or inquire with the GSBYRA.

**Fall Series 1 & 2** – A two race series held in the fall.

### D. SPECIAL RACES & EVENTS

**Ed Brooks Memorial New Year's Race** – This race takes place on New Year's Day with the starting area off the Babylon Village dock. Post race awards and festivities are usually held after the race. Race awards begin after 1500 hours.

**Babylon Yacht Club July Invitational Series** - This is a multi-race series with no throw-outs. The courses, starting sequence, and other race instructions will be provided by the Babylon Yacht Club and will be available from the committee boat on station prior to the first race or at the Babylon Yacht Club.

You must register with the Babylon Yacht Club to race the Babylon Yacht Club July Invitational Series.

**Single-Handed Creepstakes** - Only the skipper is allowed aboard during race. Two classes: 27 feet LOA and over; and under 27 feet LOA. This is a Non-Spinnaker race. Autopilots shall not be used. **Y Flag is in effect for the race - PERSONAL FLOTATION DEVICES MUST BE WORN.**

**Turkey Race** - This is the season finale with an after-race gathering at a place to-be-announced by the Regatta Committee.

**Discoverers / Raymond G. Terry Race** – A Non-Spinnaker race run jointly by Bay Shore Yacht Club and South Bay Cruising Club. The race is held on the Saturday morning of Columbus Day weekend with a start in the area of Bay Shore and a finish at Atlantique.

**West Island Race** – This race originates in Bay Shore, circumnavigates West Fire Island, and may be sailed in either direction.

**SBCC/BYC Babylon Cup** – An event run jointly by the SBCC and the BYC. A get-together will be held at the BYC Clubhouse, including trophy awards. Check the Masthead prior to the event.

**West Cup** – An event held in conjunction with the Unqua Corinthian Yacht Club and the SBCC. A post race party at the UCYC will follow the race. Check the Masthead prior to the event

**Foulke Trophy Race** – Also known as the Night race. Approximately 30 miles with a late afternoon start.

#### **IV. RACE SCORING AND TROPHIES**

##### **A. SCORING METHOD**

SBCC races will be scored using the time-on-distance method. A boat's corrected time will be based on its assigned handicap and the distance of the measured course. The boat with the lowest corrected time is the winner.

To determine the winner of the perpetual trophies, (see section IV. F), the race scorer will apply an adjustment between the winner of the spinnaker class and non-spinnaker class. The following adjustments will be applied to spinnaker boats:

Less than 10 Knots	30 sec/mi Reduction in Handicap
10 to 19 Knots	24 sec/mi Reduction in Handicap
20 Knots or Greater	18 sec/mi Reduction in Handicap

Preliminary race results are available to each participating skipper shortly after each race by e-mail. The official results are printed periodically in the Masthead and posted on the SBCC web site.

##### **B. SERIES SCORING**

The Twilight Season Championship Series and each of the individual twilight series will be scored using the Low Point Scoring system. Boats are assigned points according to their place at the finish line (1 point for first, 2 for second, etc.). Boats that do not finish the race, retire, or are disqualified score the number of boats in the race +1. The boat with the lowest total score wins.

For a series that is held over a period of time longer than a regatta, a boat that came to the starting area but did not start, did not finish, retired after finishing or was disqualified shall be scored points for the finishing place one more than the number of boats that came to the starting area. 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 entered in the series (RRS A9).

##### **C. SERIES TIE BREAKER**

If there is a series score tie between two or more boats, each boat's race scores shall be listed in order of best to worst, and at the first point(s) where there is a difference the tie shall be broken in favor of the boat(s) with the best score(s). If a tie still remains between two or more boats, they shall be ranked in order of their scores

in the last race. Any remaining ties shall be broken by using the tied boats' scores in the next-to-last race and so on until all ties are broken. These scores shall be used even if some of them are excluded scores (RRS A8).

#### **D. SERIES SCORING FOR COMMITTEE BOATS**

Boats that serve as the committee boat for one race in a series will receive a point for that race based on the average of the points earned in the other races in which it was a starter, as follows.

There must be at least two races available to compute average points. If the committee boat (CB) does not have at least two races in which it was a starter then the CB will not get an adjustment for the race and instead will get points equal to the number of starters in the race +1. However, if the CB has two or more races in which it was a starter, then all the races started (up to a maximum of the number of races used for computing the series score) will be used to compute the average points. Thus, for a four race series in which one throw out is allowed, and if the CB did all the other three races, then the CB will receive an adjustment equal to the average points from the three races sailed. Or, if the series is the best seven out of nine, and the CB did all the other eight races, then the best seven races will be used to determine the average points for the CB adjustment.

The committee boat will only receive the adjustment for one committee assignment in a series. If a boat does more than one assignment, the adjustment will be given to that race which is most beneficial to it.

The points for the CB adjustment will be included in determining the series standing, just as if the CB had actually raced in that race with the average points adjustment.

#### **E. RACE TROPHIES**

Trophies for individual SBCC races (when not part of a series) will be awarded to each class, according to the following schedule:

##### **Number of Starters**

2 to 4  
5 to 14  
15 or more

##### **Trophies for**

1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup>  
1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, and 3<sup>rd</sup>  
1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, and 4<sup>th</sup>

In any SBCC series, the greatest number of starters in any race will govern the number of trophies awarded for that series.

#### **F. PERPETUAL TROPHIES**

Perpetual trophies are awarded for one year only. They are awarded to the SBCC boat with the best-corrected time based on the method specified in section IV. A. Except for the Pearsall Cup.

The Club will award eight perpetual trophies, as follows:

**Broadside Trophy** - Best corrected time in the Ladies race.

**Commodore's Cup** - Best corrected time in the Commodore's Cup race.

**Cruising Club Crock** – Best-corrected time in the Around Long Island Regatta scored with SBCC Handicaps.

**Deale Trophy** - Best corrected time in the West Island race.

**Foulke Trophy** – Best corrected time in the Foulke Trophy race (night race).

**Governor's Cup** - Best total score for the Commodore's Cup, West Island and Foulke Trophy races.

**Smith Trophy** - Best corrected time in the Smith Trophy race. This is a two-handed race.

**Pearsall Cup** – Best corrected time for the West Cup race.

It is the responsibility of the winner of the perpetual trophy to return it by October 1st to the Trophy Chairperson for engraving with the following year's winner. Keeper cups are given to winners of these trophies and their names are engraved on the perpetual trophy.

#### **V. COMMITTEE BOAT ASSIGNMENTS**

##### **A. SERVING AS COMMITTEE**

The SBCC depends upon the cooperation of all members. Being the Committee Boat for a race is an important responsibility. Reliable, timely, and accurate performance is essential. Prior to their race, Race Committees

should contact Scoring to arrange reporting of results.

Race Chairpersons are assigned by the Regatta Committee, and listed in the Race Schedule. These assignments are obligatory.

### **B. CHANGES**

A Race Chairperson may switch assignments with another Race Chairperson provided that the Regatta Captain is notified at least 24 hours before the race. Arranging such changes is the **sole responsibility of the assigned skipper** and does not relieve him or her of responsibility.

### **C. PENALTIES**

Any Race Chairperson who willfully fails to do his or her assignment shall not be scored in any SBCC race for a period of one year from the date of his or her scheduled Committee Boat assignment. As an alternative penalty, a Race Chairperson who failed to do his or her race assignment for the first time in the racing season will be scored in SBCC races after payment of a \$100 fine payable to the SBCC.

## **VI. STARTING LINE AND FINISHING LINE PROCEDURES AND RULES**

### **A. CLASS STREAMERS**

Racing yachts are required to fly streamers from their standing backstays. Streamers should measure 4"x18".

#### **Creepstakes**

<b>Class</b>	<b>Color</b>
27 ft. LOA and over	Red
Under 27 ft. LOA	Blue

#### **All Other Races**

<b>Class</b>	<b>Color</b>
Spinnaker	Red
No-Spin	Blue
Corinthian	White

*Failure to display the appropriate streamer may be considered grounds for disqualification.*

### **B. CODE SIGNALS**

The code flags below are special SBCC course flags:

**R** -Sail the designated course in the REVERSE direction. Leave or round all marks on the opposite side.

**T** - Sail the designated course TWICE around.

**U** -Sail the designated course THREE times around.

*For T and U round the pin/X-Mark on the same side as the next mark of the course. For Bay Shore course #2 this instruction does not apply.*

**V** - Finish at the Babylon Y.C. dock. This is not recommended for Twilight Races.

The following Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS) code flags are some of the more common race signals used during SBCC conducted races. While not all signals are listed, racers are expected to know all of the race signals and their definitions.

**L** - Come within hail for instructions. This signal is accompanied by one gun.

**S** -When flown after the start, (accompanied by two guns), finish between the Committee Boat and the mark where the course is shortened. For this purpose the mark is the pin and is no longer a turning mark.

**X** -Individual Recall. This signal is accompanied by one gun.

**Y** -Personal buoyancy devices are required. This signal is accompanied by one gun.

### **C. STARTING**

Races will be started in accordance with Rule 26, as summarized below.

<b>Signal*</b>	<b>Flag and Sound</b>	<b>Minutes before starting signal</b>
Warning	Class flag and 1 sound.	5
Preparatory	P flag and 1 sound.	4
One-minute	Remove P flag and 1 long sound.	1
Starting	Remove class flag, 1 sound.	0

\* Approximately one minute before the warning signal for the first class to start, the RC will make 3 or more, quick sound signals.

The Race Committee may utilize a 'keep-off' (anti-barging) buoy. If one is used, this is not a temporary or accidentally attached object, and is therefore part of the committee boat.

#### **D. STARTING SEQUENCE**

The following class flags shall be used, and the classes will be started in the following order.

<b>Class Flag</b>	<b>Regular Start</b>	<b>No - Spin Start</b>	<b>Creepstakes Start</b>
Red	Spin	N/A	LOA $\geq$ 27'
Blue	Non-Spin	Non-Spin	LOA < 27'
White	Corinthian	Corinthian	LOA < 27'

At the starting signal, the Race Committee may announce "all clear" if no boat is on the course side of the starting line.

#### **E. STARTING LINE ETIQUETTE**

Racing skippers are reminded to stay clear of the starting line until the Preparatory Signal for their class. Classes not starting are to remain clear of all boats in the division before them. Failure to do so may result in a protest that may lead to a disqualification. No boat will be disqualified without first being given a direct and specific written warning.

#### **F. RECALLS**

As per the Racing Rules of Sailing, published by the US Sailing Association (RRS Rule 29), boats on the course side (OCS) will be penalized by having 30 minutes added to their elapsed time. This modifies RRS 28.1.

#### **G. FINISHING**

The finish line is determined by the "X" mark (or buoy) and a blue flag on the Committee Boat or Committee Platform.

#### **H. VHF COMMUNICATIONS**

VHF radio watch shall be maintained during a race utilizing Channel 72 for communication. Radio communications may be utilized to relay information on unusual situations during races such as postponements, recalls, withdrawals, etc. However, Race Committees may not always use VHF radio so it should not be relied on as the sole means of communication. Racers are requested not to initiate communications with the Race Committee from the time of the warning gun to the time that the last class starts.

#### **I. OTHER INFORMATION**

No boat may make use of an autopilot during any SBCC race.

Contact the Race Committee for that race or check the SBCC web site for any last minute information.  
<http://www.sbccsail.org>

#### **VII. TIME LIMIT**

The time limit for each race is stated in the notes to the Racing Schedule. The time limit for all classes starting after the first class will be extended so as to allow all classes to have the same amount of racing time. If any boat finishes within the time limit for her class, it is a race for her class. Yachts finishing after the Committee Boat has left its station should record their time and report it to the Race Committee as soon as possible.

## VIII. PROTESTS AND REDRESS

The Protest Committee will only entertain protests made in conformity with U.S. Sailing Rules 61, 61.1, 61.2 and 61.3. Requests for redress must conform to Rules 62, 62.1, and 62.2. Rule 61.2 Protest Contents, "A protest shall be in writing," is amended to "a protest shall be in writing using only a U.S. Sailing Protest Form". Requests for redress shall also be submitted in writing on a U.S. Sailing Protest Form, which amends Rules 62.2 to the extent it presently provides "the request shall be in writing." The time limit for protesting or requesting redress is one (1) full business day after the last boat in the race finishes, except where the rules provide otherwise. The protest/request for redress is to be mailed, showing a postmark by the postal service, or e-mailed to the Protest Chairman within the time limit. The Protest Committee will attempt to hold a protest/redress hearing by the second Monday after the time limit has expired. If a party to the hearing of a protest or request for redress does not come to the hearing, the Protest Committee may nevertheless decide the protest or request. A party may appear at a hearing through its representative by telephone conference provided arrangements to do so are made with the Protest Chairman 24 hours prior to the scheduled hearing date.

## IX. SAFETY

It is the exclusive responsibility of each skipper to decide whether or not to start, continue, or drop out of any event. The South Bay Cruising Club does not assume any liability for the decision of any participant. The Board of Governors of the South Bay Cruising Club recommends that all owners and skippers carry liability, as well as hull insurance, to protect all parties from the financial consequences of an accident.

For answers to questions regarding minimum U.S. Coast Guard equipment requirements, contact: **Coast Guard Safety Info Line, weekdays between 8am and 4pm 1-800-368-5647**

## X. RACE COURSES

### COURSE INSTRUCTIONS

1. When passing through the Robert Moses Causeway, the center span must be used.
2. When the designated course is to be sailed twice around, the "X" mark is a mark of the course the second time around. It is to be rounded on the same side as the **next** mark of the course unless otherwise specified.
3. For all Yacht Club Invitational races please see special Sailing Instructions for the event.
4. All marks are to be rounded or left on the side indicated.
5. The wind directions listed to the right of each course serve as an approximation of the suitability of that course under current wind conditions. Every attempt will be made by the Race Committee to select a course with a balanced upwind start.

## BABYLON COURSES

Start and Finish established by the Race Committee (RC); at Willets Creek (40°40.92 / 73°18.12); off West Islip Marina (40° 40.877 / 73°17.464); or (in the case of course 3) at "#9." If finishing at the Babylon Yacht Club dock, the RC shall display code flag "V." If it is used as a mark of the course, leave "9" to starboard the last time it is rounded when finishing at the Babylon Yacht Club dock. Course distance may vary based on pin and "X" mark positions. **It is not recommended that twilight races finish at Babylon Yacht Club. DO NOT RUN A DOWNWIND START.**

### MARKS

"X"	an Orange or Yellow SBCC Special Buoy
"1"	Flashing Green No. 1 in Great Cove
"3"	Flashing Green No. 3 off Bayberry Point
"6"	Red Nun No. 6 just east of Robert Moses Causeway
"9"	Flashing Green No. 9 off Oak Island Channel
"11 WC"	Flashing Green No. 11 off Bay Shore

#### COURSE 1 SW Wind

1.8nm  
Start  
"9" (starboard)  
Finish

#### COURSE 2 SW Wind

3.8nm  
Start  
"9" (port)  
"6" (port)  
Finish

#### COURSE 3 N Wind

3.8nm  
Start between RC and #9  
"X" (starboard)  
"6" (starboard)  
Finish between RC and #9

#### COURSE 4 SE Wind

4.1nm  
Start  
"6" (port)  
"X" (port)  
"9" (port)  
Finish

#### COURSE 5 SW Wind

5.55nm  
Start  
"9" (port)  
"6" (port)  
"X" (port)  
"9" (port)  
Finish

#### COURSE 6 SW Wind

7.45nm  
Start  
"9" (port)  
"1" (port)  
Finish

#### COURSE 7 NW Wind

7.30nm  
Start  
"X" (port)  
"9" (port)  
"11 WC" (port)  
Finish

#### COURSE 8 SW Wind

9.35nm  
Start  
"9" (port)  
"11 WC" (starboard)  
"3" (port)  
"1" (port)  
"6" (starboard)  
Finish

#### COURSE 9 SW Wind

9.65nm  
Start  
"6" (port)  
"11 WC" (starboard)  
"3" (port)  
"1" (port)  
"X" (port)  
"9" (port)  
Finish

## BAY SHORE COURSES

Start and Finish established by the Race Committee 1/3 nm southeast of the Brightwaters Canal entrance (40°42.73 / 73°14.67). Course distance may vary based on pin and "X" mark positions. DO NOT RUN A DOWNWIND START.

### MARKS

"X"	An Orange or Yellow SBCC Special Buoy
"1"	Flashing Green No. 1 in Great Cove
"3"	Flashing Green No. 3 off Bayberry Point
"4 NC"	Flashing Red No. 4 in North Channel
"6"	Red Nun No. 6 just East of RM Bridge
"7 WC"	Flashing Green No. 7 in West Channel
"8 WC"	Red Nun No. 8 in West Channel
"8 NP"	Flashing Red No. 8 off Nicoll Point
"8 WI"	Flashing Red No. 8 off West Fire Island (Tobay's)
"9 NP"	Green Can No. 9 off Nicoll Point
"9"	Flashing Green No. 9 off Oak Isl. Channel
"10 WC"	Flashing Red No. 10 in West Channel
"11 WC"	Flashing Green No. 11 off Bay Shore
"19"	Flashing Green No. 19 off Point O' Woods
"24"	Flashing QR Red No. 24 in East Channel
"32"	Red Nun No. 32 off Sayville
"EW"	Green Flashing Red & Green EW off Saltaire a.k.a. "Crazy Charlie"

### COURSE 1 NW Wind

2.0nm  
Start between RC and "10 WC"  
"X" (starboard)  
Finish

### COURSE 2 N Wind

2.1nm  
Start between RC and "10 WC"  
"3" (starboard)  
Finish

### COURSE 3 SW Wind

3.4nm  
Start  
"6" (starboard)  
Finish

### COURSE 4 SE Wind

4.40nm  
Start  
"4NC" (starboard)  
Finish

### COURSE 5 SW Wind

5.75nm  
Start  
"6" (port)  
"11 WC" (starboard)  
"3" (port)  
Finish

### COURSE 6 SE Wind

8.65nm  
Start  
"8 NP" (starboard)  
Finish

### COURSE 7 SW Wind

9.25nm  
Start  
"6" (port)  
"X" (port)  
"6" (port)  
"11 WC" (starboard)  
"3" (port)

Finish

**FIXED COURSES**  
**(Bay Shore Start Area)**

**West Island**

Counter-Clockwise  
14.4nm  
Start  
"10 WC" (port)  
"EW" (port)  
"8 WI" (starboard)  
"19" (port)  
"9 NP" (port)  
"4NC" (port)  
"10 WC" (starboard)  
Finish

Clockwise  
14.4nm  
Start  
"10 WC" (port)  
"4NC" (starboard)  
"9 NP" (starboard)  
"19" (starboard)  
"8 WI" (port)  
"EW" (starboard)  
"10 WC" (starboard)  
Finish

**Foulke**  
29.4 nm  
Start  
"9" (port)  
"11 WC" (starboard)  
"3" (starboard)  
"36" (port)  
"4" (port)  
Finish

**Smith Distance Courses**

**COURSE D1 SE Wind**

Start  
"7 WC" (port)  
"1" (starboard)  
"4 NC" (starboard)  
"9 NP" (starboard)  
"19" (starboard)  
"8 NP" (port)  
"4NC" (port)  
Finish

**COURSE D2 SW Wind**

Start  
"6" (port)  
"11 WC" (starboard)  
"3" (starboard)  
"32" (starboard)  
"24" (starboard)  
"4 NC" (port)  
Finish

**Raymond Terry/Discoverers Cup**

**5.0 nm**

Start  
"11 WC" (starboard)  
"EW" (port)  
"8 WI" (starboard)  
Finish between "11" off East Island and NE corner of Atlantique Dock.

## NICOLL BAY COURSES

Start and Finish established by the Race Committee in Nicoll Bay

### MARKS

"X"	An Orange or Yellow SBCC Special Buoy
"4 NC"	Flashing Red No. 4 in North Channel
"4 RC"	Flashing Red No. 4 in Range Channel
"8 NP"	Flashing Red No. 8 off Nicoll Point
"9 NP"	Green Can No. 9 off Nicoll Point
"8 WI"	Flashing Red No. 8 off West Fire Island
"10 WC"	Flashing Red No. 10 in West Channel
"19"	Flashing Green No. 19 off Point O' Woods
"24"	Flashing QR Red No. 24 in East Channel
"30"	Red Nun No. 30 in mid-Nicoll Bay
"34"	Flashing Red No. 34 off Brown Point
"35"	Flashing Green No. 35 off Blue Point
"EN"	Flashing Green, Green/Red EN in mid-Nicoll Bay
"EW"	Green Flashing Red & Green EW off Saltaire

### COURSE 1

4.9 nm  
Start  
"EN" (stbd)  
"8 NP" (stbd)  
Finish

### COURSE 2

5.6 nm  
Start  
"8 NP"(port)  
"30" (port)  
Finish

### COURSE 3

5 .6 nm  
Start  
"EN" (stbd)  
"4 RC" (stbd)  
Finish

### COURSE 4

6.2 nm  
Start  
"4 RC"(port)  
"30" (port)  
Finish

### COURSE 5

7.5 nm  
Start  
"8 NP"(port)  
"EN" (stbd)  
"24" (stbd)  
Finish

### COURSE 6

12.3 nm  
Start  
"8 NP" (port)  
"EN" (stbd)  
"24" (stbd)  
"4 NC" (stbd)  
"9 NP" (port)  
Finish

## WEST BABYLON COURSES

Start and Finish established by the Race Committee (RC) in the vicinity of buoys 4 and 5 in the East West Channel in West Babylon. DO NOT RUN A DOWNWIND START.

### MARKS

- "X" an Orange or Yellow SBCC Special Buoy
- "6" Flashing Red No. 6 in Fox Creek Channel
- "9" Flashing Green No. 9 off Oak Island Channel
- "11" Flashing Green No. 11 in East West Channel
- "3" Flashing Green No. 3 in East West Channel

### COURSE 1

4.2 nm

Start

"6" (port)

"9" (port)

Finish

### COURSE 2

4.6 nm

Start

"11" (port)

"9" (port)

Finish

### COURSE 3

4.0 nm

Start

"6" (port)

"3" (port)

Finish