

MANLY 16ft SKIFF SAILING CLUB

CHANGE TO 16ft & 13ft SAILING INSTRUCTIONS 2023-2024

AMENDMENT 1

Clause 12 of the Sailing Instructions 2023/24 is amended by adding:

12.4 Handicap start

12.4.1 Races will be started using the following procedure: (Alters RRS 26).

Time	Code Flag	Signal
Five (5) minutes before the start	Warning	Class Flag displayed - 1 sound
One (1) minute before the start	1 Minute	Class Flag removed - Handicap Board (30) displayed
Start	Start	Handicap Board (30) removed Handicap Board (29) displayed

- 12.4.2 A numeral placard will be displayed for each one (1) minute interval between 30 minutes and scratch (Scr). Each placard, starting at 30, will be displayed and removed at each relevant one (1) minute interval. The lowering of the placard corresponding to the boat's handicap will be its start signal.
- 12.4.3 A minimum of three (3) boats starting is required to constitute a race.
- 12.4.4 A boat starting in a Handicap race later than ten (10) minutes after the lowest handicapped boat will be scored DNS. Alters RRS 35 and RRS A4.

Individual Recalls

12.4.5 Handicap Starts – If in the opinion of the Race Officer a boat is attempting to start at her correct start signal and is on the course side before her handicap board is lowered, flag X will be displayed with one sound signal. The flag shall be displayed until all boats have sailed completely to the pre-start side of the starting line or one of its extensions or after 30 seconds whichever occurs first. A boat will have 4 minutes after the raising of flag X to comply with this rule. It is the responsibility of each boat to ensure they have started correctly. Alters RRS Rule 29.1