

BBSC SAILING INSTRUCTIONS PART 7: WINTER SERIES

2020-2021 v1

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PART 7: THE WINTER SERIES 2020-2021 v1**To be read with the notice of race / common instructions**

1. These Winter Series Sailing Instructions shall be read subject to and in conjunction with the **Club's** Keel, Trailable and Multihull:
 - (a) Notice of Race; and
 - (b) BBSC Sailing Instruction Part 1: Common Instructions.
2. Unless the contrary intention appears a term, word, phrase or abbreviation in this **instruction**, has the meaning given to it in the Notice of Race subject to such meaning being contrary to a meaning or definition in the **Rules** or **regulations** which meaning or definition shall take precedence.

COVID19 Tracing Form /Crew List and obligations / pre-race briefings

3. Attention is drawn to clauses in the Notice of Race under the headings:
 - (a) Covid 19 Tracing Form / Crew List and obligations; and
 - (b) Pre-race / pre-series briefings.

A boat which does not comply with the requirements of those **clauses** may be scored DNS.

Regulation 2.01 category

4. The Committee has:
 - (a) selected Category 7 as the category in **regulation** 2.01.8 as the category most suitable for a race in this Series;
 - (b) added to the requirements of Category 7, the requirements specified in the Notice of Race under the headings "Regulation 2.01 categories, racing areas, dates and pre-race briefings" / "Other Series and Races".

Schedule of races

5. A schedule of race dates, the start time for the **limit boat** and the finish time for a race in the Winter Series appear in the **Program**.
6. If a race in the Winter Series is abandoned or postponed, it may be resailed on a date and time to be **posted**.

PART 7: THE WINTER SERIES 2020-2021 v1**Handicap races**

7. Each race in the Winter Series is **handicap race**. A PHS starting time (offset) for each boat entered in the series shall be **posted** prior to the first race in the series.

Marks

8. A course mark in the Winter Series may be one of the following permanent marks or Snapper Island as described in these **instructions**.

9. Each permanent mark is yellow and referred to by a number as follows:

No 1: Square Head

No 2: Chain Bay

No 3: Yellow Rock

No 4: Tollgate

No 5: Wimbie Beach

No 6: Caseys Beach

No 7: Marine Park Middle Mark

10. The starting marks are the No 6 Caseys Beach mark and the West Cardinal mark.
11. The finishing marks are described in the Winter Series Courses / Shortening the Course **instructions**.

Start

12. The starting line is between the No 6 Caseys Beach mark and the West Cardinal mark.

Starting time

13. The “Start” time shown in the **Program** is the **limit boat’s** start time..

Subsequent starting times

14. A boat’s starting time for the second race or subsequent race will not be posted and it is a boat’s responsibility to determine her start time for the second and a subsequent race having regard to the following **instruction**. A boat that finishes 1st, 2nd or 3rd in a Winter Series race shall be penalised 12, 9 or 6 minutes, respectively, and her start time for each subsequent race shall be adjusted accordingly. Each penalty so incurred shall be cumulative.

PART 7: THE WINTER SERIES 2020-2021 v1**Finish**

15. The finishing lines for a race in the Winter Series are described in Winter Series Courses A, B, C and D and the **instructions** for shortening those courses.

Time limit

16. The time limit for a Winter Series' race is the **Program's** Finish time.
17. A boat that fails to finish a Winter Series course or a shortened course within the **Program's** Finish time will be scored DNF. This changes Racing rules 35 and A4.1.

Reporting of results

18. A boat participating in a Winter Series' race shall inform the **Handicapper** of the boat's place in the race by e-mail to committee@bbosc.org.au or by text message to a number to be announced at the pre-race briefing. A boat that fails to observe this **instruction** within 24 hours of finishing the race may be scored DNF. This changes Racing rule 35 and A4.1.

Winter Series Course A (approximately 10nm)

19. Course A for a race in the Winter Series is as follows:

Start: Between the Caseys Beach mark and the West Cardinal mark, leaving the Caseys Beach mark to port.

- No 2. Chain Bay (starboard).
- No 5. Wimbie Beach (starboard).
- Snapper Island (port).
- No 1. Square Head (port).
- Snapper Island (starboard).

Finish: Between the Caseys Beach mark and the West Cardinal mark.

Winter Series Course B (approximately 10nm)

20. Course B for a race in the Winter Series is as follows:

Start: Between the Caseys Beach mark and the West Cardinal mark, leaving the Caseys Beach mark to port.

- Snapper Island (port).
- No 1. Square Head (starboard).
- Snapper Island (starboard).

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- No 5. Wimbie Beach (port).
- No 2. Chain Bay (port).

Finish: Between the Caseys Beach mark and the West Cardinal mark leaving the Caseys Beach mark to starboard.

Shortening Winter Series Courses A and B

21. If in a Winter Series Race over Course A or Course B the leading boat fails to round the No 5 Wimbie Beach mark before the expiration of 2 ½ hours after the **Program's** Start time, the course shall be shortened to finish between the No 6 Caseys Beach mark and the West Cardinal mark. This **instruction** changes Racing rule 32.
22. If in a Winter Series Race over Course A or Course B the course is shortened in accordance with the previous **instruction** and no boat finishes the course as shortened by the **Program's** Finish time, the course shall be shortened to finish at the No 5 Wimbie Beach mark. This **instruction** changes Racing rule 32.

Winter Series Course C (approximately 10nm)

23. Course C for a race in the Winter Series is as follows:

Start: Between the Caseys Beach mark and the West Cardinal mark, leaving the Caseys Beach mark to port.

- Snapper Island (port).
- No 1. Square Head (starboard).
- No 3. Yellow Rock (starboard).
- No 4. Toll Gate (starboard).
- No 1 Square Head (port).
- Snapper Island (starboard).

Finish: Between the Caseys Beach mark and the West Cardinal mark leaving the Caseys Beach mark to starboard.

Winter Series Course D (approximately 10nm)

24. Course D for a race in the Winter Series is as follows:

Start: Between the Caseys Beach mark and the West Cardinal mark, leaving the Caseys Beach mark to port.

- Snapper Island (port)
- No 1. Square Head (starboard)
- No 4. Toll Gate (port).

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- No 3. Yellow Rock (port).
- No 1 Square Head (port)
- Snapper Island (starboard).

Finish: Between the Caseys Beach mark and the West Cardinal mark leaving the Caseys Beach mark to starboard.

Shortening Winter Series Courses C and D

25. If in a Winter Series Race over Course C or Course D the leading boat fails to round the No 3 Yellow Rock mark before the expiration of 2 ½ hours after the **Program's** Start time, the course shall be shortened to finish between the No 6 Caseys Beach mark and the West Cardinal mark. This **instruction** changes Racing rule 32.
26. If in a Winter Series Race over Course C or Course D the course is shortened in accordance with the previous **instruction** and no boat finishes the course as shortened by the **Program's** Finish time, the course shall be shortened to finish at the No 3 Yellow Rock mark. This instruction changes Racing rule 32.