

BBSC SAILING INSTRUCTIONS PART 5: WINTER SERIES
2021-2022_v1

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PART5: THE WINTER SERIES 2021-2022_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.

COVID19 obligations and pre-race / pre- series briefings

2. Attention is drawn to clauses in the Notice of Race under the headings:
 - (a) Mandatory electronic check-in; 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

3. 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

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

Handicap races

6. Each race in the Winter Series is a **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.

PART5: THE WINTER SERIES 2021-2022_v1**Marks**

7. A course mark in the Winter Series may be one of the following permanent marks or Snapper Island as described in these **instructions**.
8. There are seven permanent yellow marks. The number, name and approximate position of each permanent mark is as follows:

No	Name	Latitude	Longitude
1.	Square Head	35 ⁰ 42.882' South	150 ⁰ 12.535' East
2.	Chain Bay	35 ⁰ 42.807' South	150 ⁰ 14.680' East
3.	Yellow Rock	35 ⁰ 43.261' South	150 ⁰ 15.593' East
4.	Tollgate	35 ⁰ 44.630' South	150 ⁰ 15.370' East
5.	Wimbie	35 ⁰ 45.487' South	150 ⁰ 13.015' East
6.	Caseys Beach	35 ⁰ 43.979' South	150 ⁰ 12.864' East
7.	Marine Park Middle Mark	35 ⁰ 44.282' South	150 ⁰ 14.750' East

9. If after the start of a race, a permanent mark is missing from the end of a leg of the course a boat is sailing, the boat shall complete the course by commencing the next leg as if the mark were in its approximate position. This changes rule 34.
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.

PART5: THE WINTER SERIES 2021-2022_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.