

**BBSC SAILING INSTRUCTIONS PART 7: LADY SKIPPERS’/CREW RACE
2021-2022 _v1**

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To be read with the Notice of race / Common Instructions

1. These Lady Skippers' / Crew Race **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 Instructions Part 1: Common Instructions.

COVID19 Tracing Form / Crew List and obligations / pre-race 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 as the category most suitable for Lady Skippers' / Crew Race; and
 - (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".

Trophies

4. There will be two trophies:
 - (a) a Lady Skippers' Trophy; and
 - (b) a Crew Trophy.
5. To be eligible for the Lady Skippers' Trophy, a boat shall be helmed by a female.
6. Provided that the helmsman is not a person who regularly helms the boat, a boat may be eligible for the Crew Trophy irrespective of the gender of the person who helms the boat.

7. A boat helmed by a female is eligible to win both the Lady Skippers' Trophy and the Crew Trophy.
8. A boat entering the Lady Skippers' / Crew Race shall nominate whether it is competing for the Lady Skippers' Trophy, the Crew Trophy or both the trophies.

Date

9. The race date, the **limit boat's** starting time and the finish time for the Lady Skippers' / Crew Race appear in the **Program**.
10. If the Lady Skippers' / Crew Race is abandoned or postponed it may be resailed on a date and at a time to be **posted**.

Start times

11. The **Handicapper** shall allocate a starting time for each boat entered in the Lady Skippers' / Crew Race without regard to whether it is competing for the Lady Skippers' Trophy, the Crew Trophy or both. The starting times shall be **posted** prior to the race or announced at the pre-race briefing.

Marks

12. A course mark in the Lady Skippers' / Crew Race may be one of the following permanent marks or Snapper Island as described in these **instructions**.
13. 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

14. 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.

15. The starting marks are No 6 Caseys Beach mark and the West Cardinal mark.
16. The finishing marks are described in the Lady Skippers' / Crew Race Course and Shortening the Course **instructions**.

Start

17. The starting line will be between the Caseys Beach mark and the West Cardinal mark.

Finish

18. The finishing line is described in these Lady Skippers' / Crew Race Course and Shortening the Course **instructions**.

Course

19. The course for the Lady Skippers' / Crew Race is approximately 10nm:

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.

Shortening the course

20. If the leading boat fails to round the Wimbie Beach mark before the expiration of 2 ½ hours of 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.
21. If 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 changes Racing rule 32.

Time limits

22. The time limit for a Lady Skippers'/Crew Series race is the **Program's** Finish time. A boat that fails to finish the course or a relevant shortened course by the **Program's** Finish time will be scored DNF. This changes Racing rules 35 and A4.1.

The Lady Skippers'/Crew Race reporting of results

23. A boat participating in a Lady Skippers'/Crew Race shall inform the **Handicapper** of the boat's place in the race by e-mail to committee@bbsc.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.