

## 2017 - 2018 SEASHELLS NIGHT SERIES

These instructions are to be read as part of the printed Sailing Instructions

- LIGHTS:** IMPORTANT NOTICE - The attention of all skippers is drawn to DPI Regulations that all craft must carry the required navigation lights after sunset. Failure to do so will result in the boat being scored "DSQ"
- DIVISIONS:** All boats will race as one Division
- START TIME:** See Red Book as start times vary
- START LINE** Line "A"
- FINISH LINE** Line "A". The finish line shall be between the Committee Vessel and the **OUTER START LINE BUOY**
- CLASS FLAG** Code Flag "A". Boats are not required to wear Class Flags
- IDENTIFICATION:** **Please shine a torch on your sail number when crossing the Finish Line to assist with identification**
- SPECIAL RULES:** Races are sailed under Category 7 (modified) of the YA Special Regulations, as per 2017/18 RPYC Red Book  
Skippers are to note that the Rules for the Prevention of Collision at Sea Regulations prevail after sunset and boats shall not sail above a proper course to the next mark
- MOBILE PHONE NUMBERS:** Skippers shall advise the number of a mobile phone that will be on board the boat when nominating. Any change shall be advised to the Radio Watch on VHF Ch 77 not less than TEN minutes prior to the advertised start time.
- TIME LIMIT:** The time limit for each race will be 3 hours from the scheduled start time. Boats failing to finish in this time will be scored "DNF". Any boat finishing more than 60mins after the first boat will be scored "DNF".
- SAILS:** Complete racing wardrobe may be used

<b>Race Dates:</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>17th October</b>
	<b>2</b>	<b>7th November</b>
	<b>3</b>	<b>5th December</b>
	<b>4</b>	<b>30th January</b>
	<b>5</b>	<b>27th February</b>
	<b>6</b>	<b>27th March</b>
	<b>7</b>	<b>24th April</b>

**COURSES:**

<b>COURSE 1 (7.1nm)</b>		
Start in a South Easterly Direction		
COMO BUOY	65	S
Leaving Foam Spit on the deepwater side		
MARTIN BUOY	69	P
ANDERSON BUOY	62	P
DEEPWATER SPIT	37	S
HALL MARK BUOY	41A	P
ARMSTRONG BUOY	32	P
OUTER DOLPHIN SPIT	17	P
Finish in a North Westerly Direction		

<b>COURSE 2 (7.6nm)</b>		
Start in a South Easterly Direction		
COMO BUOY	65	S
Leaving Foam Spit on the deepwater side		
MARTIN BUOY	69	P
ANDERSON BUOY	62	P
BARTLETT BUOY	39	S
ANDERSON BUOY	62	P
FOAM SPIT	18	S
Finish in a North Westerly Direction		

**COURSE 3 (8.2nm)**

Start in a South Easterly Direction

FOAM BUOY	55	S
SANDERS BUOY	99	S
HALL MARK BUOY	41A	P
ARMSTRONG BUOY	32	P
COMO BUOY	65	S
ROBINS BUOY	59	S
OUTER DOLPHIN SPIT	17	P
Finish in a North Westerly Direction		

**COURSE 4 (6.95nm)**

Start in a South Easterly Direction

FOAM BUOY	55	S
SANDERS BUOY	99	S
COMO BUOY	65	S
ROBINS BUOY	59	S
OUTER DOLPHIN SPIT	17	P
Finish in a North Westerly Direction		