



Royal Perth Yacht Club  
And  
Royal Freshwater Bay Yacht Club



# 2018 GOVERNOR'S CUP

Saturday 17 November 2018

## SAILING INSTRUCTIONS & COURSES

(Revised Version 16 Nov 2018)

The Governor's Cup is a handicap start event

These instructions are to be read as part of the printed sailing instructions for RPYC

**1. START PROCEDURE:** Rule 26 is deleted and replaced with the procedure that follows:

TEN minutes before the start of the race, the Class Flag and Course Flag will be displayed on one hoist accompanied by a sound signal.

SIX minutes before the start the number "65" will be displayed.

ONE minute before the start, number "60" will be displayed and fall after ONE minute.

**2. START SIGNAL:**

Boats shall start at or after the FALL (when the number disappears) of their allocated handicap number.

Each number will be displayed for ONE minute.

The FALL of a yacht's allocated handicap number will be that yacht's signal to start.

A boat starting before the fall of her allocated handicap number will be penalised ONE minute for each full minute or part thereof if she starts early, plus TWO minutes. This penalty will be added to her actual finishing time for the race. Recall signals will not be made.

**3. START LINE:**

**RFBYC Club Starting Line 1:**

Will be between the triangle above the Start Box and the white and black checker mark placed in an easterly direction from the Start Box. An inner start line mark will mark the length but not the position of the line.

**RFBYC Club Starting Line 2:**

Will be between the triangle above the Start Box and the white and black checker mark placed in a Northerly direction from the Start Box. An inner starting mark will mark the length but not the position of the line.

**4. START TIME:**

1330 – Fall of first number.

**5. FINISH LINE:**

**RPYC Finish Line "A" (Club Line)** – Between the centre of the orange mast on the Starting Box and the outer extremity buoy being a red and black striped buoy. The inner extremity of the line will be indicated by another red and black striped buoy that may not be on the line.

**6. NOTICE TO COMPETITORS:** Please be advised that any change of Skipper from the nominated Skipper, will result in a disqualification.

**7. CLASS FLAG:** Naval Numeral 1 (Yachts are not required to wear Class Flag)

**8. COURSE FLAG:** The course shall be designated by the display of the appropriate International Numeral Pennant below the class flag.

**9. SHORTENED COURSE:** The course may be shortened in accordance with Rule 32 & race signals.

**10. RECORDING FINISH:** To assist the finishing team, please record the sail number and name of the boat that finishes immediately in front of you and behind you.

### GOVERNOR'S CUP COURSES

**COURSE 1 (11.9nm) SW**

**Course**

RFBYC Start line No1		
MOSMAN BUOY	14	P
SUICIDE BUOY	13	P
WEST POINT WALTER SPIT	53	S
PARKER DAY BUOY	17A	S
MILLER BUOY	28	P
DOLPHIN WEST BUOY	42A	S
BRICKLANDING A&B BUOYS	33A/33B	S
HALL MARK BUOY	41A	P
SMITH BUOY	35A	P
LUCKY BAY BUOY	35B	P
OUTER DOLPHIN SPIT	17	P

Finish in a north westerly direction

**COURSE 2 (10.5nm) E/W Course**

**RFBYC Start line No2**

RESOLUTION SPIT		P
SQUADRON BUOY	37	P
BARTLETT BUOY	39	S
COMO BUOY	65	S
ARMSTRONG BUOY	32	P
ANDERSON BUOY	62	P
FOAM SPIT	18	S
KNOT SPIT	14	S
POPLAR BUOY	47	P
CRAWLEY BUOY	45	P

Finish in a south easterly direction

**COURSE 3 (11.6nm) NW/SE Course**

**RFBYC Start Line No2**

SQUADRON BUOY	37	P
NORTH POINT WALTER BUOY	26A	P
ANDERSON BUOY	62	P
BARTLETT BUOY	39	S
ANDERSON BUOY	62	P

Finish in a north westerly direction