Thompson Trophy Camel

Connecticut College April 13-14, 2024

SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

1 RULES

This regatta will be governed by the current

Racing Rulesof Sailing (including Appendix D (including D2.2 and D2.3(b)), and the prescriptions of US SAILING; the current Procedural Rules and Class Rules for Intercollegiate Sailing Competition; except as any of these are modified by these sailing instructions.

2 NOTICES TO COMPETITORS

Notices will be posted on the official regatta notice board located between Rows D and E.

3 CHANGES IN SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

Any changes in the sailing instructions will be announced orally and posted before the first race in which they are to take effect.

4 SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Saturday

Report Time	1030
Event Meeting	1045
First Warning	1115

Sunday

Report Time	0930
First Warning	1015
No Starting Signal After	1500

5 FORMAT

The format will be determined by the regatta chair depending on time and conditions. The following preferred format is as follows:

- 51 3 Rounds of 8 will be attempted
- 53 If above is not possible in the allotted time, an alternate format will be announced by the regatta chair to provide maximum racing.

6 BOATS & EQUIPMENT

- 61 Flying Juniors and/or z420's will be provided for all competitors, who shall not modify any boat or cause them to be modified in any way. Competitors have the option of rigging the mainsheet purchase either 3:1or 4:1.
- 62 The standing rigging shall not be adjusted.
- 63 The penalty for infringing instruction 6.1 or 6.2 will be disqualification from all races sailed in contravention of those instructions.
- 64 Competitors shall report all damage or loss of equipment, however slight, to the dock/boat committee

6.5 Breakdowns will be decided using PR 20.
Breakdown consideration will not be given for the

immediately after arriving on shore or to the Race

failure of knots (except at the head of the main when it was determined there was not an opportunity to check it), or loss of cotter pins and rings.

7 ROTATION

The rotation of boats will be in accordance with the provided rotation available on Techscore an Alternate rotation will be used

8 <u>MARKS</u>

- All rounding marks will be orange/white balls.
- 82 All start and Finish marks will be orange/white balls.

9 COURSES

- 91 The Digital N course is illustrated APPENDIX1to these Sailing Instructions.
- 92 The starting and finishing lines will be between a staff from which a flag is displayed and a nearby orangeball.

10 STARTING SYSTEM

Races will be started in accordance with PR 18(b)(i).

11 RECALLS

- 11.1 Individual recalls will be signaled in accordance with Procedural Rule 18(b)(ii).
- 112 A general recall will be used in accordance to PR 18(b) (iii), except that the "1 minute rule" (RRS 30.1) will not be used. (Changes PR 18(b)(iii))

12 PROTESTS AND UMPIRING

- 121 All races shall be umpired.
- 122 RRS D2.2(a) is changed to "She shall hail 'Protest' and conspicuously display a raised open hand at the First reasonable opportunity for each."
- 12.3. PR 25 is changed to: RRS Appendix D shall be used for teamracin gregattas ,deleting the redflag requirement in RRS 61.1(a). RRS D1.2(c) and D5.2 are changed by replacing the phrase "a red flag" with "a raised open hand."

13 ALTERNATIVE PENALTIES

Alternate penalties in RRSD2.2(b) and D2.2(f) may be used.

14 RELEASE FROM THE FINISHING AREA

No competitor may leave the area that is within reasonable hailing distance of the finish line until a nearby umpire boat flies a green flag.

15 SCORING

151 RRSD3 and D4 shall be used, as modified by PR 25.

- 152 Breakdowns will be scored in accordance with RRSD.5
 - as changed by PR 20.
- 153 RRS D4.2b is deleted.

16 <u>SAFETY</u>

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- 161 Competitors who require assistance from rescue boats should so signify by waving arms overhead. A competitor who retires from
 - a race shall notify the Race Committee as soon as possible. Starts will not be delayed to accommodate capsized boats
- 17 <u>COACHING</u>
- 17.1 PR 19 shall apply
- 172 The Race Committee Reserves the right to limit the number of extras each team can bring on the water.

Appendix 1

Course: Digital N

