Addendum A - Distance Course Sailing Instructions Courses, Marks and Finish

1. **MARKS**

- 1.1.The starting line is between an orange flag displayed from the signal boat and an orange tetrahedron.
- 1.2. The finish line is between a blue flag displayed from the signal boat and a yellow cylinder.
- 1.3.At the option of the race committee, a mark may be set to windward of the starting line to create a windward first leg. If used, the race committee shall indicate the required rounding side by posting either the letter "P" for port or "S" for starboard, along with the bearing to the mark (example; L 225 S). The optional windward mark will be a mark of the course on the first leg only.
- 1.4. The optional windward mark will be a yellow tetrahedron.
- 1.5. The rounding mark on Course X may be a yellow tetrahedron OR the single rock marker east of "Luau" island and "Stone" Island.
- 1.6.The single rock marker east of "Luau" Island and "Stone" Island has a required side only on Course W or X.
- 1.7.At the option of the race committee, an inflatable mark may be substituted for an island indicated in any of the course descriptions. If used, a change to the Sailing Instructions describing color and shape of the mark and the affected course(s) shall be posted to the notice board before the skipper's meeting.

2. **COURSES**

- 2.1.Distance Courses will be either B, D, L, I, W, or X, or a combination of these (BD, LI, DID, etc.).
- 2.2.Bridge Course (B) -- Sail from the starting line or windward mark toward the bridge leaving "Bear" Island to STARBOARD. Pass any RED and GREEN channel markers on the required side. A channel marker that is missing or has drifted substantially from its normal position does not have a required side. Round the last GREEN channel marker nearest the bridge leaving it to PORT. Sail back to the finishing line, passing the RED and GREEN channel markers on their required side, and leaving "Bear" Island to PORT.
- 2.3. Dam" Course (D) -- Sail from the starting line or windward mark toward the dam leaving "Luau" Island, "Stone" Island and the "Grouped" Rock Markers (northeast of "Luau" Island) to PORT. Round "Goose" Island to PORT. Sail toward "Luau" Island leaving the "Grouped" Rock Markers, "Luau" Island and "Stone" Island to PORT and continue sailing back to the finishing line. The single rock marker east of "Luau" Island and "Stone" Island is not a mark on Course D and does not have a required side.
- 2.4.Low Water Dam Course (L) -- Sail from the starting line or windward mark toward "Stone" Island (between Elm Hill and Hamilton Creek) leaving it, "Luau" Island and the "Grouped" Rock Markers (northeast of "Luau" Island) to STARBOARD. Sail toward the dam rounding "Goose" Island to PORT. Sail back toward "Luau" Island leaving the "Grouped" Rock Markers, "Luau" Island and "Stone" Island to PORT. Continue by sailing back to finishing line.
- 2.5.Island Course (I)-- Sail from the starting line (or optional windward mark) toward "Bear" Island and leave it to STARBOARD. Then sail a southwesterly heading toward "Pig" Island (the island south of "Bear" and "Raccoon" Islands). Round "Pig" Island to PORT. Sail back to the finishing line leaving "Bear" Island to PORT.
- 2.6. Wednesday Night Course (W) -- This course will be used only if the water level is sufficient. Sail from the starting line (or optional windward mark) to the "Single" Rock Marker (white buoy) that is east of "Luau" Island and "Stone" Island. Round the "Single" Rock Marker to PORT. Continue sailing leaving all of the "Grouped" Rock Markers to PORT. Sail back to the finishing line leaving "Luau" Island and "Stone" Island to PORT.
- 2.7. Short Course (X) Course X is a short course that uses an inflatable mark as the rounding mark (see A 1.4 for a description of the mark). If this course is used, the inflatable mark will be placed in the general area north of "Bear" Island and east of "Stone" Island. Sail from the starting line to the inflatable mark. Round the inflatable mark to PORT and sail back to the finishing line.
- 2.8. Combination Courses (BD, LI, DID, etc.) -- When the course to be sailed is a combination of two or more courses, sail them as one course without returning to the starting/finishing line between courses. For example if the course is LI, sail Course L exactly as stated above, but instead of returning to the starting/ finishing line, continue sailing and sail Course I exactly as stated above.
- 2.9. Course Designation The course will be displayed on the race committee boat before the warning signal of each class.

Starting Line, Finishing Line and Optional Windward Mark Examples for Distance Courses

EXAMPLES ONLY--Please read course descriptions.







