



# Island Hop Regatta 2024

## SUPPLEMENTARY SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

July 6<sup>th</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup>, 2024 Ocean Springs Yacht Club Ocean Springs, Mississippi, USA

1.0 The “Race Office” will be a desk set up in the OSYC Dining Room outside the lounge. The official noticeboard will be adjacent to that desk.

2.0 Signals made ashore will be displayed from a pole at the southwest corner of the upstairs porch of the OSYC Clubhouse.

3.0 The race committee will make courtesy broadcasts on VHF channel **72**.

### 4.0 Schedule

<u>DATE</u>	<u>EVENT</u>	<u>TIME</u>
Friday 5 July 2024	Late Registration / Early Check-in	1700 - 1900
Saturday & Sunday 6 & 7 July	Late Registration / Check-in	0800 – 0900
	Breakfast will be served	0830 – 0930
	Competitors Briefing	0930 – 1000
	First Warning Signal each day	1100
Saturday 6 July	Races to and from West End of Horn Island – Lunch Served On-Island	1100
6 July	Last scheduled Warning from West End of Horn Island	1430 (2:30 PM)
	Dinner at OSYC	TBD After Finish
Sunday 7 July	One Race – Sailing Counter-clockwise Around Deer Island	1100
7 July	No Warning Signal After This Time Awards Presentation with Hot Dogs and Hamburgers Served	1500 (3:00 PM) TBD After Finish

5.0 **Class Flags:** The description of the Class Flags will be provided at the Competitors Briefing.

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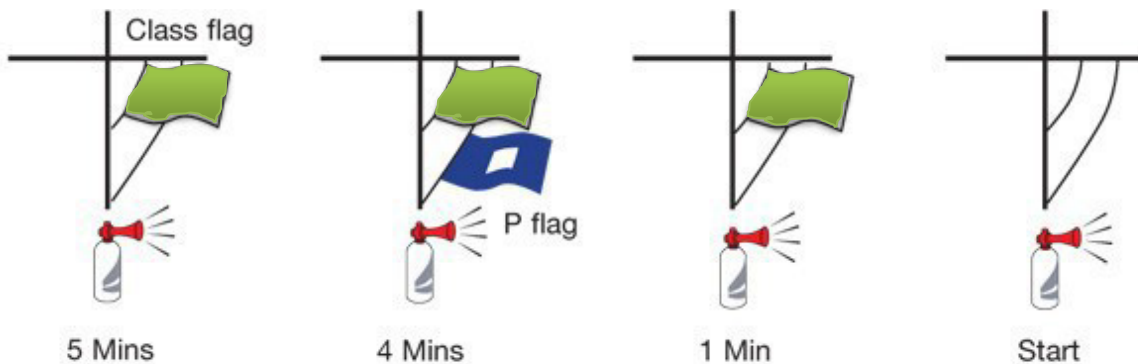
6.0 **Courses:** Courses are described and illustrated below in SI 10.0. Alternate courses will be posted on notification boards if necessary. See Appendix C.

## 7.0 Marks:

<u>Purpose</u>	<u>Mark</u>
Start mark	Orange Cylinder
Finish mark	Orange or Green Tetrahedron
RC Signal Boat at Start	RC/Orange Flag
RC Start/ Finish Boat at Ship Island	RC/Orange Flag
RC Finish Boat Sat & Sun in front of OSYC	RC/Orange Flag

8.0 **Time Limits:** No time limits will apply. See NoR 1.3(b).

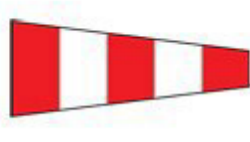
## 9.0 Signals and Sounds



Individual Recall  
'X'



General Recall



Postponement



Preparatory  
'P'



Black Flag



1 Minute rule



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## 10.0 Race Courses

(For clarification, Races #1 and #2 are to and from West End of Horn Island. Race #3 is a counterclockwise race around Deer Island.)

10.1 Starting line and finish line for all races is just south of OSYC. The Line will be perpendicular to the direction to Biloxi East Channel Day Beacon #9 for Races #1 and #2.

10.2 The line will be perpendicular to the direction to Biloxi Channel Light 27 for Race #3.

10.3 Biloxi East Channel Day Beacon #9 and Biloxi Channel Light 27 are NOT marks of the course.

10.4 A boat starting **later than 20 minutes** after her starting signal shall be scored Did Not Start (DNS) without a hearing. This changes RRS A5.1 and A5.2

### 10.5 Race 1. (Appendix A)

After starting, racers will proceed SSE from **the starting line** on a course approximately 140 degrees towards the east end of Deer Island. After clearing Deer Island, **leave Dog Keys Pass Buoy #3 to starboard** and proceed south approximately 0.5 nm to **the finish line**. The Committee Boat will be just off of the Island. Racers will finish between the committee boat and an orange or green tetrahedron (to starboard).

10.6 **Race 2** will follow the reverse course to the OSYC finish line, except no need to leave **Dog Keys Pass Buoy #3 to port**.

### 10.7 Race 3 (Appendix B)

The course will run west from **the starting line** to the East Biloxi Channel between Casino Row and Deer Island. Competitors must **leave Biloxi Channel Light 12 to Port** and head south. Next competitors must **leave Biloxi Channel Light 2 to Port**. Competitors then head east on a course approximately 100 deg. to the Biloxi Bay East Access Channel and **leave Biloxi East Channel Daybeacon #12 to Port**. They then proceed north down the Biloxi Bay East Access Channel to **the finish line** between the race committee boat and an orange or green tetrahedron (to Port) just south of OSYC.

### 10.8 Alternate Race Courses (Appendix C)

If weather conditions are not conducive for the courses for Races 1, 2 or 3 above, alternate **Steeple Chase Government Mark Courses** will be used. These are shown in Appendix C.



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## Appendix A: Horn Island Course 1 (Saturday)





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## Appendix A: Horn Island Course 2 (Saturday)



## Appendix B. Round Deer Island Course (Sunday)



## Appendix C

### Alternate Courses

COURSE NUMBER	DESCRIPTION of COURSE	TIMES AROUND	SIDE to LEAVE ON	DISTANCE
1	Start – “27” – “26” – Finish $1.3 + 1.4 + 1.0 = 3.7$	1	PORT	3.7 nm
2	SAME	2	PORT	7.4 nm
3	Start – “26” – “27” – Finish	1	STARBOARD	3.7 nm
4	SAME	2	STARBOARD	7.4 nm
5	Start – “27” – “22” – Finish $1.3 + 2.1 + 1.9 = 5.3$	1	PORT	5.3 nm
6	SAME	2	PORT	10.6 nm
7	Start – “22” – “27” – Finish	1	STARBOARD	5.3 nm
8	SAME	2	STARBOARD	10.6 nm
9	Start – “27” – “16” - Finish $1.3 + 3.7 + 3.7 = 8.7$	1	PORT	8.7 nm
10	SAME	2	PORT	17.4 nm
11	Start – “16” – “27” – Finish	1	STARBOARD	8.7 nm
12	SAME	2	STARBOARD	17.4 nm
13	Start – “27” – Finish	1	PORT	2.6 nm
14	Start – “26” – Finish	1	PORT	2.0 nm
15	Start – “22” – Finish	1	PORT	3.8 nm
16	Start – “16” – Finish	1	PORT	7.4 nm
17	Start – “27” – “22” – “27” – “26” – Finish $1.3 + 2.1 + 2.1 + 1.4 + 1.0 = 7.9$	1	PORT	7.9 nm
18	Start – “27” – “16” – “27” – “22” – “27” – “26” - Finish $1.3 + 3.7 + 3.7 + 2.1 + 2.1 + 1.4 + 1.0 = 15.3$	1	PORT	15.3 nm

Government Marks:

“27”	Biloxi Channel Light 27 (Off Point Cadet)	30 deg 23.3 min N, 88 deg 51.4 min W
“26”	Biloxi East Channel Light 26	30 deg 23.6 min N, 88 deg 49.8 min W
“22”	Biloxi East Channel Light 22	30 deg 23.0 min N, 88 deg 49.0 min W
“16”	Biloxi East Channel Daybeacon 16	30 deg 21.8 min N, 88 deg 47.5 min W
	Start and Finish Line at the Following Coordinates	30deg 24.3 min N, 88 deg 50.5 min W