

Supplementary Sailing Instruction - A

A1 Club Aggregate Series

- A1.1 Format** As outlined within the Notice of Race (NOR) and HBYC Racing Calendar.
- A1.2 Class Flags** Combined Fleet - Flag R
- A1.3 Crew Declaration link** – as per host Club
- A1.4 Race Radio Channel** – as per host Club
- A1.5 Starting Area**
The start line is course dependent.
- A1.6 Prizes** - Club Aggregate Trophy
The first placed HBYC boat in each Division (PHS, AMS, ORC AP endorsed) of the Club Aggregate Series shall be given a Club Aggregate Trophy in each Division.

A2 Club Course Series

- A2.1 Format** As outlined within the Notice of Race (NOR) and HBYC Racing Calendar.
- A2.2 Class Flags** Combined Fleet - Flag R
- A2.3 Crew Declaration link** – as per host Club.
- A2.4 Race Radio Channel** – as per host Club
- A2.4 Starting Area**
The start line is course dependent.
- A1.5 Prizes** - Club Course Series Trophy
The first placed HBYC boat in AMS, ORC AP endorsed shall be given the Club Course Series Trophy.

A3 Shirley Freeman Trophy (Div 1) Lady Skipper's Trophy (HBYC Div 1) Alice Varady Memorial Trophy (Div 2 Non-Spinnaker)

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| A3.1 Class Flags | | |
| Shirley Freeman Trophy, Club Course | Division 1 | Flag R |
| Lady Skipper's Trophy | Division 1 | Flag R |
| Alice Varady Memorial Trophy | Division 2 | Flag T |



- A3.2 Crew Declaration Link** <http://tymob.net.au/1826>
- A3.3 Race Radio Channel**
The Race Committee will make Race Management announcements on VHF Channel 69
- A3.3 Starting Area**
The start line will be to the west of the main shipping channel.
- A3.4 Eligibility**
As per Notice of Race

Crews for the Shirley Freeman Trophy, Lady Skipper's Trophy and Alice Varady Memorial Trophy may consist of males and/or females, provided a female is on the helm for the duration of the race.
- A3.4 Prizes**
Shirley Freeman Trophy
The first placed boat in PHS Division 1 (PHS) shall be given the Shirley Freeman Trophy.

Lady Skippers Trophy

The first placed HBYC boat in Division 1 (PHS) shall be given the Lady Skippers Trophy.

Alice Varady Memorial Trophy

The first placed HBYC boat in Division 2 (PHS) shall be given the Alice Varady Memorial Trophy.

Additional prizes may be given at the discretion of Hobsons Bay Yacht Club.

A4 The Courses

A4.1 The Course

Course shall be selected from the current edition of the Standard Sailing Instruction - Attachment 1 – Courses and Marks.

The Shirley Freeman, Lady Skipper and Alice Varady Trophy races shall be selected from Courses 70 to 73.

Competitors should be aware of the shipping movements that can occur at any time and are reminded to keep clear of shipping within Hobsons Bay and the Williamstown and Port Melbourne Channels.

All boats are referred to Appendix A (Commercial Shipping) of the Standard Sailing Instructions.

A4.2 The Start

Races will be started by using RRS 26 with the warning signal made five minutes before the starting signal.

The starting line may be between a staff displaying an orange flag on the Race Committee Vessel at the starboard end and the course side of the 'port-end' starting mark, an orange cylindrical buoy or fixed mark.

A boat that does not start within 10 minutes after her starting signal will be scored Did Not Start (DNS) without a hearing. This changes RRS 63.1, A4 and A5.

In addition to the mandatory TopYacht Crew Declaration, all boats shall 'sign on' by sailing on a starboard tack past the stern of its Race Committee Vessel prior to the first warning signal, hail her sail number and receive an acknowledgement from the Race Committee Vessel.

A4.3 The Finish

The finishing line will be between the staff displaying a blue flag on the Race Committee Vessel at the starboard end and the course side of the 'port end' finishing mark an orange buoy or nearby fixed mark.

A4.4 Time Limit (HBYC hosted events)

The time limit for the first boat to sail the Course and Finish shall be 17:00. If no boat finishes within the time limit the race shall be abandoned. Boats still racing after 18:00 shall be scored Did Not Finish (DNF) without a hearing. This changes RRS 35, A4 and A5