



Fawcett's Friday Night Beer Can Series



Fridays: 10 May – 23 August 2019

ORGANIZING AUTHORITY
Eastport Yacht Club

SAILING INSTRUCTIONS Amendment No. 1

SI 2 is replaced with the following update, in which an extraneous “made” is deleted from the second sentence.

2 NOTICES TO COMPETITORS













Notices to competitors will be posted on the Official Notice Board, located electronically at <http://eastportyc.org/beer-cans>. Courtesy information may be provided on the board near the ground floor rear entryway doors and “Sparky’s Shed” on the Eastport Yacht Club (EYC) grounds.

The Organizing Authority simplified the number of flags to be flown during the start sequence. Additionally, the J/80 class has enough registrations for their own one-design class, and based on the latest registrations, the PHRF rating split between Spinnaker 1 and Spinnaker 2 is revised. The entirety of SI 6, which includes SI 6.1, 6.2, and 6.3 are replaced with the following.

6 CLASS FLAGS

6.1 Each boat shall prominently display its class flag on the backstay, or near the stern at all times while racing. Boats in the V-Boats class are not required to display a class flag.

6.2 The order of starts, the classes within each start, the class splits, and the class flags are as follows:

Order of Start & Warning Flag	Class	PHRF Ratings	Class Flag (to be flown from backstay)
1. 	Spinnaker 1	< 143	“#1” 
	V-Boats		none
	J/80		“J” 
2. 	Spinnaker 2	≥ 144	“#2” 
	J/30		“D” 
	Harbor 20		“white” 
3. 	Non-Spinnaker 1	< 122	“#3” 
4. 	Non-Spinnaker 2	≥ 123	“#4” 
	Cal 25		“T” 

Flying your class flag helps RC identify you each evening, allows them to ensure that you are in the proper start sequence, identifies you to your other competitors, and helps RC finish/score you in the correct class.

6.3 A one-design class may be started with one of the defined PHRF class (spinnaker / non-spinnaker) starts.





Based on the revisions to the table in SI 6.2, the table shown in SI 10.1 must also be updated. SI 10.1 is replaced with the following.

10 THE START

10.1 Races will be started in accordance with RRS 26.

The graphic immediately below presents the visual and audible cues during an RRS 26 start sequence.

Time til Start	5 Minutes	4 Minutes	3 Minutes	2 Minutes	1 Minute	START
Action						
Audible						
Visual						

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