



# **SUPPLEMENTARY SAILING INSTRUCTIONS**

## **TASAR CLASS 33<sup>rd</sup> Western Australian State Championship**

**Organising Authority**

**Geographe Bay Yacht Club (Inc.)**

**26<sup>th</sup> - 28<sup>th</sup> January 2018**

The 33rd Western Australian Tasar State Championship is being conducted by Geographe Bay Yacht Club on the 27<sup>th</sup> – 28th January 2018 on the waters of Geographe Bay Yacht Club on behalf of the Tasar Association of Western Australia.

## Rules

1. ORGANISING AUTHORITY (OA): The Organising Authority will be Geographe Bay Yacht Club (Inc) (GBYC) 1 King St, Busselton WA.
  - 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS)*.
  - 1.2 The sailing instructions (SI's) for racing at GBYC will be their standard sailing instructions for the current season, except for the courses to be sailed which will be provided at the regatta meeting and these Supplementary SI's.
  - 1.3 Rule 44.1 is changed so that the Two-Turns Penalty is replaced by the One-Turn Penalty.

## 2. Changes to Sailing Instructions

Any change to the sailing instructions will be posted no later than 1 hour prior to the first scheduled start time on the day of racing, except that any change to the schedule of races will be posted by 1800 on the day before it will take effect.

## 3. Schedule of Events

Registration, Measurement and Inspection: GBYC 26<sup>th</sup> January 2018 – From 0900.  
GBYC gates will be open from 0800 on 26<sup>th</sup> January 2018 and can be opened prior to the event for storage. Please contact Anton Mann on 0419 281 899 for access, prior to the event, to GBYC grounds.

GBYC – 26th January GBYC Cock of the Bay & Tasar Junior Helm Race 1400 hours (not part of the state Championships)

## 4. Racing Schedule - 27th – 28th January 2018

Day & Date	Race	Time of the first Warning Signal
Saturday 27 <sup>th</sup> January 2018	Regatta Meeting/Briefing at GBYC	0900
	Race session 1 Subsequent races to follow	1000
Sunday 28 <sup>th</sup> January 2018	Race session 2 Subsequent races to follow	1400
	First race of the day subsequent races to follow if required	1000

Two races are planned for each race session subject to scheduling and weather conditions.

No warning signal will be made after 1600 on 27th January 2018.

No warning signal will be made after 1600 on 28<sup>th</sup> January 2018.

## **5. Measurement**

- 5.1 Boats may be inspected for safety equipment and measurement compliance at any time during the regatta at the discretion of the Race Committee.
- 5.2 It is the responsibility of each entrant to provide any supplementary weights necessary to ensure compliance with Tasar Class Rule 29. These must be presented at Registration. The Race Committee may reject at its discretion any form of supplementary weight it considers unsuitable.
- 5.3 For measurement breaches or protests the protest panel may impose discretionary penalties which may be less than disqualification.

## **6 The Courses**

The courses to be sailed shall consist of windward returns as described in Course Appendix A

## **7 Scoring**

- 7.1 The low-point scoring system, of RRS Appendix A.4.1 will apply.
- 7.2 Three races are required to be completed to constitute a series.
- 7.3 When fewer than five races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores.
- 7.4 When five to eight races are completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score.
- 7.5 Handicaps and handicap scores will be determined by TAWA.

## **8 Radio Communications**

Except in an emergency, a boat shall neither make radio transmissions while racing nor receive radio communications not available to all boats. This restriction also applies to mobile telephones.

## **9 Prizes**

Prizes will be given as follows:

Overall Championship Result	First, second and third
Overall Handicap Result	First, second and third
Overall State Champion	Perpetual Trophy
Overall State Handicap Champion	Perpetual Trophy
Club Team Trophy (top 3 at each Club)	Perpetual Trophy

Overall Championship prize winners are not eligible for Overall Handicap prizes.

Other prizes may be awarded at the discretion of the organising committee.

## **10 Disclaimer of Liability**

Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. Attention is drawn to Rule 4, Decision to race. The organising authority will not accept any liability for material damage or personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with or prior to, during, or after the regatta.

### **WARNING:**

Sailing and activities associated with it involve risks of personal injury, loss and damage and even death. The risks include but are not limited to, the risk of injury from collision, capsizing, falling overboard, being trapped under the sail or boat after capsize and impact with equipment. Any of these events can also result in death. The risks involved in this activity are heightened by:

- Adverse weather conditions
- Inadequate training
- Fatigue
- Inexperience
- Failure to maintain the boat
- Failure to supply and use the recommended safety equipment
- Failure to observe the RRS and the Sailing Instructions.

This warning is given as a risk warning pursuant to Section 5I of the Civil Liability Act 2002 (as amended). Having given this risk warning, Geographe Bay Yacht Club will not be held liable for any personal injury or death, however it may occur.

## **11 Insurance**

Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum cover of not less than AUD \$5,000,000 (recommended AUD \$10,000,000).

## **12 Rights to use name and likeness**

By participation in the event, competitors automatically grant to the Organising Authority and the sponsors of the event, the right in perpetuity, to make, use and show, from time to time and at the discretion, any motion pictures, still pictures and live, taped or film television and other reproductions of him/her during the period of the competition for said event in which the competitor participated and in all material related to the said event without compensation.

## **13 Social**

13.1 An event is planned on Saturday 27th January 2018 at Busselton

13.2 Presentations are planned for Sunday 28th January 2018 as soon as practical after racing is completed and held at Geographe Bay Yacht Club.

13.3 **CAMPING:** Due to City of Busselton regulations, camping on the yacht club grounds is permitted only for the duration of the regatta.

## 14 Further Information

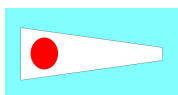
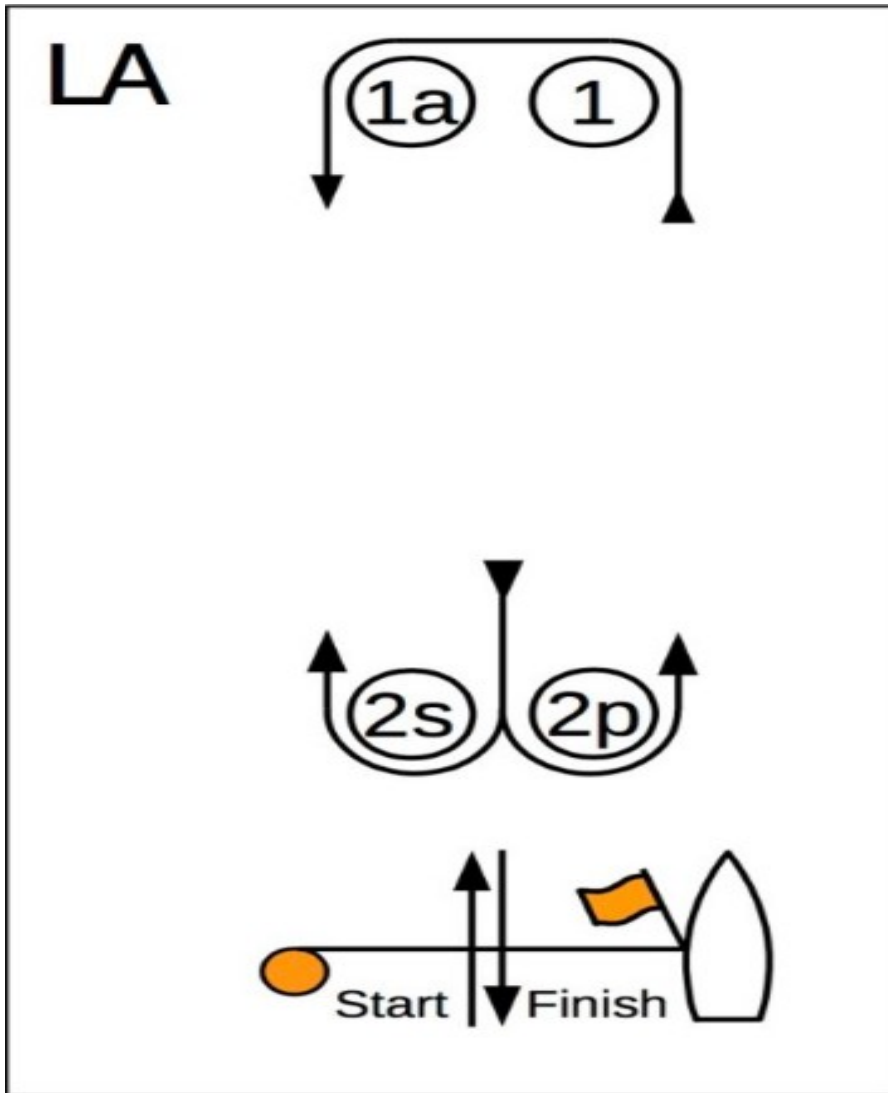
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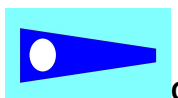
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**APPENDIX A**



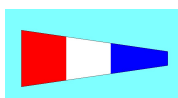
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Start -1-1a-2S/2P-1-1a -Finish



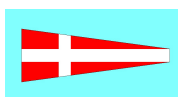
Course 2

Start -1-1a-2S/2P-1-1a-2S/2P-1-1a -Finish



Course 3

Start -1-1a-2S/2P-1-1a (leave to Port) – Southern Seas (leave to Starboard) – Finish at club finish line



Course 4

Start -1-1a-2S/2P-1-1a -2S/2P -1-1a (leave to Port) – Southern Seas (leave to Starboard) –Finish at club finish line

**THE COURSE TO BE SAILED WILL BE INDICATED ON THE START BOAT USING NUMERAL PENNANTS**