

## **Notice to Competitors**

### 2018-11-07-1

# **INSHORE SPRINT COURSES**

For the remainder of the 2018-2019 sailing season, Sections 4 & 5 of the MHYC Sprint Sailing Instructions (2018-2019 Sailing Handbook page 42) is amended as follows:

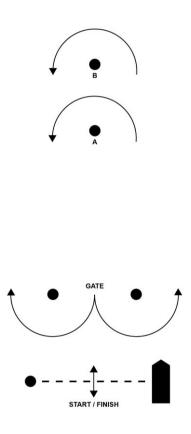
#### 4 THE COURSES

4.1 The course to be sailed will be displayed on a Course Board on the CV, preceded by the letter 'W', to indicate the number of roundings of the Windward Mark.

COURSE SIGNAL	DIVISION	COURSE
W1	Open, Adams 10, Division 1	Start – B – Finish
	Division 2, Melges 20	Start – A – Finish
W2	Open, Adams 10, Division 1	Start – B – Gate – B – Finish
	Division 2, Melges 20	Start – A – Gate – A – Finish
W3	Open, Adams 10, Division 1	Start – B – Gate – B – Gate – B – Finish
	Division 2, Melges 20	Start – A – Gate – A – Gate – A – Finish

- 4.2 All Marks are rounded to PORT except the Gate. If only one Gate Mark is laid, all boats shall round that Mark to Port.
- 4.3 A course change will be signaled as per RRS 33. Code flag C will be displayed along with a new bearing to the next mark of the course. The new mark will be the same colour with the addition of a black band. Subsequent legs may be changed without further signaling to maintain the course shape.

4.4 The course is described as follows:



#### 5 MARKS

5.1 Marks are described as follows:

COURSE MARKS	MARK DESCRIPTIONS
Start & Finish Mark	Yellow Inflatable Mark
Mark B (Windward Mark for Open, Adams 10 & Div. 1)	Orange Inflatable Mark
Mark A (Windward Mark for Div. 2 & Melges 20)	Yellow Inflatable Mark
Gate Marks	Orange Inflatable Mark/s
Change Of Course Mark B	Orange Inflatable Mark with Black Band
Change Of Course Mark A	Yellow Inflatable Mark with Black Band

- 5.2 The bearing to the first Mark from the Start Line may be displayed prior to or with the Warning Signal.
- 5.3 The Gate will be laid approx. 50m to windward of the Start Line and may be laid after the starting signal.

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MHYC Sailing Manager 7 November, 2018 at 1300hrs