

# Dalhousie Yacht Club

## Sunday Morning /Tuesday Evening Fun Races 2022 –

**Schedule:** (*tip:cell phone time is very close to GPS time- use the alarm function! RACE COM CH 71.*)

Sunday morning Start time is 1000 hrs GPS time.

Tuesday start 1800 hrs GPS time

Series begins. Tuesday May 17 Sunday May 15 or as soon as race marks are in place

Scoring will commence the first week in June after two weeks of warm up races.

Sunday last race of season Sept 04

Tuesday last race of season Sept 06

Excluded dates are as follows

Sunday Distance Race Series May 29, Jun 26, Jul 31, Aug 28

Sunday or Tuesday where DYC is hosting regattas, LOSHR in mid-September

Registrants will be advised of any date changes.

### The Race Course

The course is generally counterclockwise around the white numbered racing marks (cans) northwest of the Dalhousie Channel entrance.

Keep the marks to the port side of your boat. A general diagram of the marks with rough GPS locations of the marks is in the SI Appendixes A&B on the *DYC race web page*.

The **Start line** is between mark 4 and an offset mark 4A approx 100 metres east of #4. If this offset is not in place start line is between mark 4 and the north side of the outer range light house. There will be no committee boat.

Mark 4 is located about 400 yds west of the end of the west pier.

The **Finish line** is the Start line. Finishes can be completed by rounding mark number 4 on either port or starboard, crossing the finish line in either direction.

### Scoring –

Using regatta style scoring system. - 1 point to the winner; 2 for second etc. - low number wins series. DNF's are scored number of starters plus 1. Non starters are scored number of starters plus 2.

### Time limit –

The lead boat must finish within 90 minutes otherwise the race is void and all starters are scored 1 point. There is no time limit for the balance of racing boats!

### Shortening the Course in Light air conditions

Where the lead boat has not rounded Mark 3 within 30 minutes of the start, the lead boat may round the next mark to port and return directly to the start finish line crossing in a southerly direction.

At any point on the race If the lead boat determines that he will not finish the course in the 90 minute limit, he may shorten the course passing the next mark to port and return to the start finish line passing mark 4 to starboard.

All following boats must follow the leaders to complete the course.

### Registration.

First time boats must inform by email to the address below, the boat name, boat class, skippers name and phone number and PHRF and the valid PHRF ratings for Flying sails and White sails. Advise whether you intend sailing the course in the FS or NFS division.

### Race Rules:

The current CYA rules 2021 of racing apply to incidents such as touching a race mark or another boat.

The Races are held based on the honour system including the start and good sportsmanship is paramount.

Note, When reporting you times you should advise the scorer whether you sailed the race using FS or NFS.

In the event a mark is officially missing, continue to the next mark and the missing mark shall be ignored.

### Reporting:

Your finishing time should be reported to the officer at the nearest opportunity using the email address below.

Report the

-race date,

-your finish time

-whether you used NFS or FS.

-what other boats were racing

**E-mail [ctainc3@gmail.com](mailto:ctainc3@gmail.com) - or text at 905-980 4191**

### Results:

Results will be posted from time to time. The top boat at the end of the season will receive recognition with an award and publication in the latest issue of the Breeze. –