



**Race Sailing
Instructions
Notice to Competitors**



GILL NEXT GEN Couta Boat Race - 19 January 2019

Sailed under the SSCBC Season NOR and SIs as varied by this RSI.

1- OUTSIDE HELP

Add to RRS 41: (g) – any help may be given by the Race Committee

2 - UMPIRING AND PENALTY SYSTEM

2.1 - UMPIRING - This changes rules 35, 60.3, 63.1, A4 and A5 and SIs 19, 20 and 21.

- a) An umpire may penalise a boat for a breach of sportsmanship, a rule of Part 2 or Rules 31, 42, 69 by signalling the boat with a whistle and red flag.
- b) Umpires may signal with a green and white flag where they see an incident and decide that no rule was broken.
- c) Any incident not signalled by the umpires or with damage or injury may be protested or subject to Appendix T Arbitration.
- d) Umpires are less likely to initiate a penalty signal for an incident if there is no valid protest by a boat.

2.2 - PENALTIES

- a) Part-turn penalties S1 19 apply to penalties taken voluntarily.
- b) A penalised boat shall complete a one-turn penalty in accordance with rule 44.
- c) A boat that fails to take a penalty signalled by an umpire will be scored a post race penalty SCP without a hearing, unless a protest finds she did not break a rule or this is recommended in arbitration.

Any Protest or Redress hearings will be held at the conclusion of racing.

3 - SCHEDULE

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| • Registration – Training Centre | 11:00 - 12:00 |
| • Briefing - Coloured wall | 12:30 |
| • First Warning Signal Div. 1 | 14:00 |
| • First Warning Signal Div. 2 | Follows |
| • Presentation follows racing | |

4 - PRIZES

- 1st Line Honours in each division
- 1st Handicap in each division
- Best Junior team handicap performance (BCH-ACH)
- At least 3 crew members must be under 35 or 2 crew members under 25. The helm must be one of these crew to be eligible to win the race (except if the Race Committee deem the conditions too much and the regular skipper/owner may helm, which will depend on wind direction and wind strength).

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