



Sailing Instructions Rum Runner Distance Race

August 22, 2020 – Jericho Sailing Centre Association

1. RULES

1.1 The Rum Runner Distance Race will be governed by the rules as defined in The Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS).

1.2 RRS 40 and the preamble to Part IV are amended so that competitors shall wear personal flotation devices at all times while on the water. Wet suits or dry suits do not qualify as personal flotation devices.

1.3 For multihull classes, RSS 44.1 is changed so that the Two-Turns Penalty is replaced by the One-Turn Penalty.

2 NOTICES TO COMPETITORS

Notices to competitors will be posted on the official notice board located on the south wall in the foyer of the Jericho Sailing Centre.

3 CHANGES TO SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

Any change to the sailing instructions will be posted before 1100 hrs on Saturday August 22, except that any change to the schedule of races will be posted by 1900 hrs on Friday August 23.

4 SIGNALS MADE ASHORE

4.1 Signals made ashore will be displayed at the flag-pole by the ramp closest to the north east corner of the Jericho Sailing Centre building.

4.2 When flag AP is displayed ashore, '1 minute' is replaced with 'not less than 30 minutes' in race signal AP.

5 SCHEDULE

5.1 The Rum Runner Distance race will take place August 22, 2020.

5.2 The scheduled time of the competitors' meeting is: 1130 hrs.

5.2 The scheduled time of the warning signal is: 1230 hrs.

6 CLASS FLAGS

Class flags will be:

Laser – White flag with red class insignia

Laser Radial and Laser 4.7 – Green flag with red class insignia

Tasar – White flag with red class insignia

Martin 16 – White flag with red class insignia

F18 – White flag with pink class insignia

420 – Red and blue flag with blue 420 class insignia

encircled in white

Vanguard – White flag with Vanguard class insignia

Flying Junior – White flag with blue class insignia

Xclass monohull – White flag with Xmo symbol

Xclass multihull – White flag with Xmu symbol

Other class flags may be added as needed.

7 RACING AREA

English Bay directly north, east and west of the Jericho Sailing Centre Association

8 THE COURSE AND MARKS

The course, including marks, will be detailed at the competitor's meeting to be held at 1130 hrs Saturday August 22, 2020.

10 AREAS THAT ARE OBSTRUCTIONS

10.1 A line beginning at the northwest corner of the Royal Vancouver Yacht Club Jericho breakwater, through a series of orange and white can buoys ending with the north end of the most westerly pier at Jericho Sailing Centre, delimits an obstruction. Boats may not pass south of this line.

10.2 Swimming areas demarked by special purpose buoys along the south shore of English Bay are considered an obstruction.

11 THE START

11.1 Races will be started by using RRS 26 with the warning signal made 3 minutes before the starting signal.

11.2 The starting line will be between two yellow tetrahedrons set north of the Jericho Pier.

11.3 Boats whose warning signal has not been made shall avoid the starting area during the starting sequence for other races.

11.4 A boat starting later than 4 minutes after her starting signal will be scored Did Not Start without a hearing. This changes RRS A4 and A5.

12 THE FINISH

12.1 The starting line will be between two yellow tetrahedrons set north of the Jericho Pier.

13 TIME LIMITS AND TARGET TIMES

13.1 The time limit will be 4.5 hours. Boats failing to finish within 1 hour after the first boat in their class finishes or within the time limit, whichever is later, will be

scored Did Not Finish without a hearing. This changes RRS 35, A4 and A5.

14 PROTESTS AND REQUESTS FOR REDRESS

14.1 Protest forms are available at the Jericho Sailing Centre office and online at jsca.bc.ca/events. Protests and requests for redress or reopening shall be delivered there within the appropriate time limit.

14.2 For each class, the protest time limit is 45 minutes after the last competitor has returned ashore.

14.3 Notices will be posted no later than 15 minutes after the protest time limit to inform competitors of hearings in which they are parties or named as witnesses. Hearings will be held in the protest room, beginning at the time posted.

14.4 Notices of protests by the race committee or protest committee will be posted to inform boats under RRS 61.1(b).

14.5 A request for redress based on a protest committee decision shall be delivered no later than 20 minutes after the decision was announced. This changes RRS 62.2.

15 SCORING

15.1 One race is required to be completed to constitute a series.

15.2 Results from the Rum Runner Distance Race will be added to the following day's Sunday Racing results to determine overall results for the weekend. Saturday's Distance Race result must be counted and cannot be thrown out if four or more races are completed on Sunday August 23.

16 SAFETY REGULATIONS

16.1 A boat that retires from a race shall notify the race committee as soon as possible.

17 OFFICIAL BOATS

Official boats are:

Albatross (a 9.1m white catamaran)

Jericho Marks (a 6.1m aluminum work boat)

Jericho Rescue Hurricane (a 5.9m orange RHIB)

Jericho Rescue Titan (a 6.7m orange RHIB)

18. TRASH DISPOSAL

Trash may be placed aboard support or official boats.

19 RADIO COMMUNICATIONS

Except in an emergency, a boat that is racing shall not make voice or data transmissions and shall not receive voice or data communication that is not available to all boats.

20 DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

Competitors participate in The Rum Runner Distance Race entirely at their own risk. See RRS 4, Decision to Race. The organizing 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 Rum Runner Distance Race event.

21 RIGHTS TO USE NAME AND LIKENESS

By participating in the Rum Runner Distance Race, competitors automatically grant to the organizing authority the right, in perpetuity, to make, use, and show, at their discretion, any photography, audio and video recordings, and other reproductions of them made at the venue or on the water from the time of their arrival at the venue, until their final departure, without compensation.