

Strangford Lough Yacht Club



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Regatta Saturday 12th August 2023

SUPPLEMENTARY SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

For General Sailing instructions please see: www.strangfordloughregattas.co.uk

RACE PROGRAMME AND CLASS CODE FLAGS

<u>Race No</u>	<u>Start Time</u>	<u>Class</u>	<u>Code Flag</u>	<u>Course Letter</u>
1	1240	Cruiser IRC 0.950 & over	Numeral 1	A
2	1245	Cruiser IRC 0.949 & under	Numeral 2	B
3	1250	Cruiser NHC1	Numeral 3	B
4	1255	Impala	Numeral 7	B
5	1300	Flying Fifteen / RS Elites	A	C
6	1305	Cruiser NHC2	Numeral 4	C
7	1310	Cruiser NHC1 Restricted Sail	Numeral 5	C
8	1315	River	R	D
9	1320	Glen	G	D
10	1325	Sonata	E	D
11	1330	Cruiser NHC2 Restricted Sail	Numeral 6	E
12	1335	Waverley	T	E
13	1340	Dinghy H/Cap PYS 1134 & under	J	E
14	1330	Dinghy H/Cap PYS 1135 & over	V	Pre-Set Course
15	1333	Laser Radial / ILCA 6	Q	
16	1336	Topper	T	

High Water 1120

Low Water 1722

SUPPLEMENTARY SAILING INSTRUCTIONS – RACES 1 – 12

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STARTING AND FINISHING LINE

The starting and finishing line is between the main mast of the Trasnagh battery and an orange coloured Outer Limit Mark O.

COURSE DETAILS

Courses will be displayed on frames at the battery. The Course Letter will be black on a yellow background. The course to be sailed will either be red letters on white background (marks to be left to port) or white letters on black background (marks to be left to starboard).

All yachts shall be required to sail through the starting and finishing line from the direction of the last mark on completing each round before sailing the new course, if any, for subsequent rounds.

All course marks refer to local SLYC racing marks – see Addendum A. Racing Marks 1 to 5 and Q, R & T are large yellow buoys. Marks A to M are sky blue buoys.

SHORTENING COURSE

The race committee may shorten the course by attaching a second buoy marked S to any mark of the course. Yachts should return to the finishing line from that mark. This changes RRS 32.

TIME LIMIT

The time limit is 1630.

HEARING REQUESTS

Hearing requests may be delivered to the race office in the clubhouse.

INSTRUCTIONS TO SAFETY AND RESCUE CREW

Rescue boats are requested to liaise with the Safety Officer prior to the commencement of racing at or before 1215 by radio.

Rescue boats are requested to assist with ferrying to and from moorings before and after racing.

******* End of Supplementary Sailing Instructions – Races 1 – 12 *******

PRIZEGIVING AND REFRESHMENTS

All competitors and their families are invited to join us for the regatta tea in the clubhouse after racing followed by prizegiving. A prize will be awarded to the first boat in each race.

There will be live music throughout the afternoon, and later a barbeque with meat and salads on sale.

Further information will be posted on the club website www.slyc.co.uk

SUPPLEMENTARY SAILING INSTRUCTIONS - RACES 13 – 15

For General Sailing instructions please see: www.strangfordloughregattas.co.uk

STARTING LINE

The starting line will be between the Committee Boat flying a blue flag situated to the west of Trasnagh and an Outer Limit Mark O.

THE START

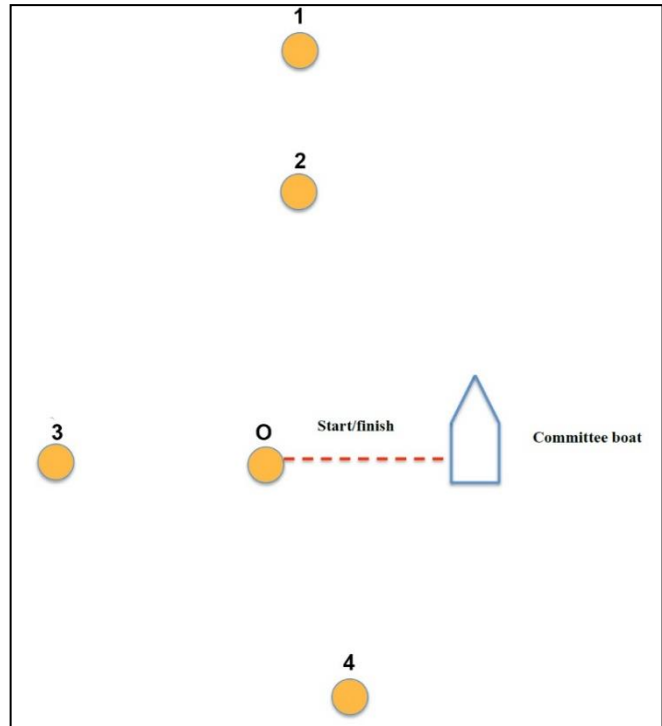
Races will be started as follows: Warning Signal (Class Flag raised) 2 minutes to the first start (Race 13), Preparatory Signal (Flag P raised) 1 minute to the start, Starting Signal (Class Flag and Flag P removed). The warning signal for subsequent classes will be 1 minute after the start of the preceding class. This changes RRS 26.

COURSES

Marks will be pink buoys or yellow or black racing marks. All marks will be left to Port.

Races 13 & 14 will sail 6 rounds of the following course: Start, 1, 3, 4, Start/finish, 1, 4, Start/finish.

Race 15 (Toppers) will sail 6 rounds of the following course: Start, 2, 3, 4, Start/finish, 2, 4, Start/finish.



SHORTENED COURSE

The Race Officer may shorten the course at any mark by flying Code Flag S alongside the relevant Race Number Code Flag to denote which race is being shortened.

FINISH

The finishing line will be between the Committee Boat flying a blue flag and the Outer Limit Mark or as otherwise indicated by the Race Officer.

TIME LIMIT

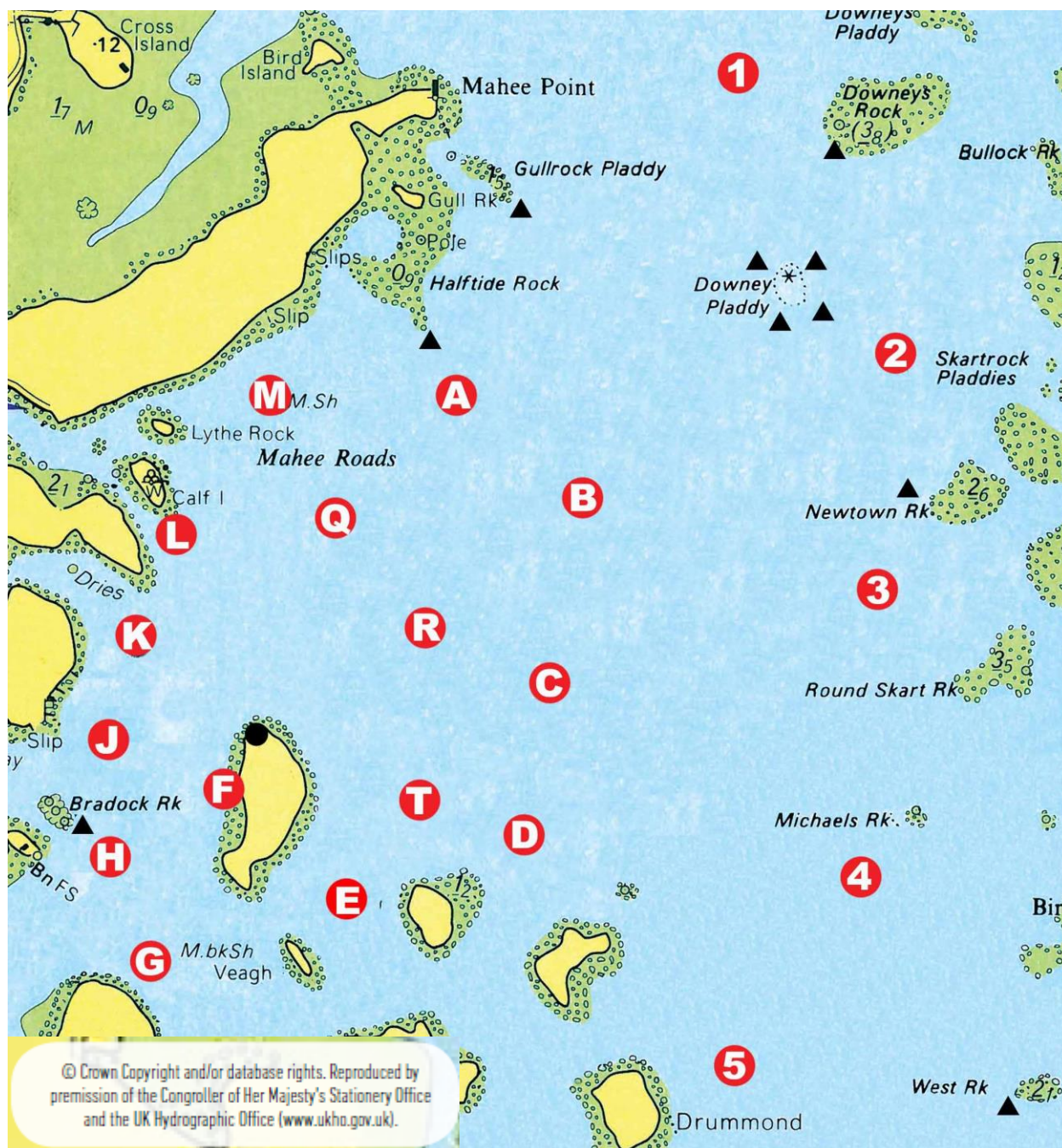
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Addendum A Racing Marks at SLYC

NB: Not to be used for navigation.



Please note:

1. Competitors should exercise caution when navigating near to a hazard warning buoy close to the starting and finishing area, as underwater hazards may be present at low water.

The approximate position of these hazards is 54°29.2N and 005°37.9W.

2. Please be aware that Mark 'F' on the above chartlet is not present this year.