

Dee SC and West Kirby SC Regattas

Cruisers Course Card

6th/7th July 2019



Race 7

These instructions should be read in conjunction with the Sailing Instructions.

1. Class Code Flag and Start Time

Race No	Classes	Code Flag	Sat 6 th July	Sun 7 th July
			HW 14.35 BST 8.80m	HW 15.17 BST 8.70m
			Start Time	Start Time
7	Cruisers	H	13.18	13.48

There will be 1 race.

2. The Course

The course will be agreed on the day. Competitors should make radio contact with the Committee Boat for more information.

3. The Start

4.1 Boats will start between the Committee Boat flying a DSC or WKSC burgee and the Start Mark.

4.2 Race 7 will start 3 minutes after Race 6 changing RRS Rule 26.

4.3 Code Flag H will be flown 3 minutes before the start of Race 7. The preparatory flag will remain flying during the start sequence from Race 1 until the start of Race 7. Sound signals for Race 7 will be made 3 minutes before the start and at the start.

4. Marks

The Start Mark (SM) will be a red pillar buoy.

The Inner Mark (IM) will be a blue pillar buoy which will also be the Finish Mark.

5. Rules:

- Starboard tack has right of way
- Don't bump into anyone (Prevention of Collision at Sea Rules)
- No Spinnakers/Gennakers etc (Just Genoa and Main)
- In the event you come across a fleet close racing, boat against boat, even if you have a right of way give them a little space so as not to adversely affect an outcome.
- If the majority of the owners about to take part in a race so decide, then engines may be used up to the moment of crossing the line at which point no motors can be running. The object is that in nil/very light/ wind conditions we can either take a run at the line in order to get round a distance mark or prevent getting swept across the line by the tide.

6. Race Duration

The race time limit for class 7 will be 3 hours. Boats failing to finish within 20 minutes of the first boat finishing will be scored "did not finish". This changes RRS rule 35.