



The Darwin Sailing Club Inc.



Darwin Sailing Club
2020 Arafura Short Offshore Point Score Series
Sailing Instructions – Rooper Rock Race
Saturday 15th August 2020

Offshore Series Race 4 Rooper Rock

Start time: 1000 hrs.

Division's 1, 3 and 4

Course: Start – a(p) - Rooper Rock (p) – Finish

Marks of the course

Start will be a line between an orange cylindrical 'pin' buoy and the mast of the Committee Start Boat, identified by an orange flag, in the vicinity of D Buoy.

Finish is between E buoy and Emery point light, leaving E buoy to starboard.

Rooper Rock mark is Red designated as 2 (Fl. (2) R 8s) channel mark located at approx:
12° 04.290' S 131° 10.692' E

Little a(p) will be an orange buoy with a white stripe upwind of the start line.

All marks of the course are rounding marks.

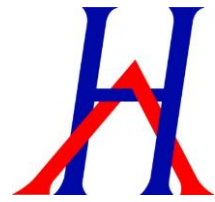
Commercial Shipping

Skippers are reminded of the requirement for competing boats to keep clear of commercial shipping at all times. Boats should not cross commercial shipping channels where such crossing would interfere with the passage of commercial shipping or be so close as to cause concern for commercial shipping.

Check the schedule here <https://portinfo.darwinport.com.au/webx/#>



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Sign On and radio check:

“DSC Start Boat” will conduct a sign-on session, on VHF Channel 73, commencing 20 minutes prior to the scheduled start time for a safety radio check and to confirm crew. Please identify yourself as a Rooper Rock competitor.

Starting order:

There will be one start for all divisions

Starting Sequence:

The starting sequence will be as follows:

First Warning Signal 0955 hrs.

5 minutes before start: Warning signal, ‘Oscar’ flag raised

4 Minutes before start: Sound signal, P flag raised

1 Minute before start: Sound signal, P flag lowered

Start: ‘Oscar’ flag lowered, sound signal

The use of ‘Oscar’ flag has no relevance to Rule 42

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Race Declaration:

All boats must take their own finishing time and transmit them as a declaration of course completion, to Kelly Wilson on text 0451 013 3400 and the Sailing Manager on sm@dwnsail.com.au **within 30 minutes of crossing the finish line.**

Entrants failing to submit their time and course completion declaration by this time will be scored DNF.

Additional Information

Presentation will be held at the Darwin Sailing Club on Sunday August 16th with the NTWKR from 1800 hours. A Presentation dinner will be available \$15 pp with a delicious array of food.