



The Darwin Sailing Club Inc.



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Sailing Instructions

See General Sailing Instructions also

12th July 2020

EAST POINT REGATTA

First start: 1100 hrs.

Please Note:

- This regatta will be a series of three short courses, one to East Point, one in the vicinity of East Point, and one home from East Point.
- There is intended to be a break for lunch and refreshments between either Race 1 & 2, or Race 2 & 3, dependant on weather conditions (excepting Div. 6). The break will be decided by the Race Committee on the day.
- Competitors will be able to store their own lunch/drinks on the Mary Woodrow. Lunches will be distributed by RHIB's. 'Rafting up' is encouraged as is practical.

Safety:

Darwin Sailing Club recommends that OTB boats (Div. 5 & 7) carry a waterproof VHF radio capable of receiving and transmitting on VHF Ch. 73 and that this radio be turned on for the duration of the event and until the boat has returned to shore, as well as a laminated chart of the competition course area.

Big Boats (Div. 1, 3, 4) are required to meet the safety requirements of the Special Regulations for Category 7. Competitors are reminded that Northern Territory boating regulations require, in some areas, equipment in excess of the Australian Sailing Special Regulations.

Sign On

OTB entrants must sign on prior to leaving the shore and sign off immediately after returning to shore after the race.

Big Boats must sign on using VHF Ch. 73 20 minutes prior to the first scheduled start time. Please advise the boat name and number of people on board.

All marks of the course are rounding marks.



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Starting order for all races:

First start

Div. 1 & 4:	Numeral Pennant 1&4:	1100
Div. 3 & 7:	Numeral Pennant 3&7:	1105
Div. 5:	Numeral Pennant 5:	1110
Div. 6	No start	

Note: In the case of no starters in any particular division the starting order will be adjusted.

Start times for Race 2 & 3 will be indicated by flags from the start boat.

RACE 1:

Note: The start line will be between a cylindrical orange buoy, known as 'X' buoy, and the Don Rayment, set midway between DSC Tower and D buoy, keeping 'X' buoy to port.

Note: The finish line will be between 'O' buoy and the Mary Woodrow, keeping 'O' buoy to port.

a(p) is a cylindrical orange and white buoy approximately upwind of the start

Div. 1, 3 & 7:	Start, a(p), E(p), 6(s), Finish	(approx. 4.3 nm)
Div. 4:	Start, a(p), E(p), G(s), Finish	(approx. 2.9 nm)
Div. 5:	Start, a(p), Finish	(approx. 2.2 nm)

RACE 2:

Note: Windward-Leeward course in the Yearbook (pg. 60)

Note: The start/ finish line will be as per the diagram in the Yearbook (pg 60).

Div. 1 & 3:	Course L2	Start, 1, 4, 1, Finish
Div. 7:	Course L3	Start, 1, 4, 1, 4, 1 Finish
Div. 4 & 5:	Course L2a	Start, 1a, 4, 1a, Finish



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Description of the buoys:

Start pin	is a cylindrical orange buoy
1	is a cylindrical orange buoy
1a	is a cylindrical orange and white buoy
4	is a cylindrical orange and blue buoy
Finish pin	is a cylindrical black & white buoy

RACE 3:

Note: The start line will be between a cylindrical orange buoy and the Mary Woodrow.

Note: a(p) is a cylindrical orange and white buoy.

Note: The finish line will be between a cylindrical orange buoy and the Don Rayment, set midway between DSC Tower and D buoy.

Div. 1, 3, & 7: Start, a(p), 7(p), E(s), Finish

Div. 4 & 5: Start, a(p), G(p) E(s), Finish.

Description of Harbour Marks and Approximate Locations:

'O' Buoy – Yellow Buoy:	12° 24.30'S	- 130° 48.250'E
'E' Buoy – Yellow Buoy:	12° 25.560'S	- 130° 48.800'E
'G' Buoy – Yellow Buoy:	12° 25.10'S	- 130° 47.73'E
No.6 – Port Lateral Buoy:	12° 25.051'S	- 130° 46.965'E
No.7 – Stbd Lateral Buoy:	12° 26.073'S	- 130° 46.823'E

Additional Information

Presentation will occur at the Darwin Sailing Club at 1800hrs, followed by refreshments and a Saumlaki Curry Night. \$15 pp. Please bring cash.

The Garmin/ Navcom \$1000 prize is open to entrants from all divisions who meet the criteria as published on the noticeboard and in the Cyber Spinnaker 21-05-20. These can also be found at <https://dwnsail.com.au/sailing/race-documents/>