



PCYC Mirage Cup Regatta
SAILING INSTRUCTIONS
Saturday, August 9, 2025
Pointe-Claire Yacht Club, Lac St. Louis, Quebec



**** SKIPPER MEETING – Clubhouse Patio 09h30 ****

1. RULES

1.1 The event is governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing*. (RRS)

2. CHANGES TO SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

2.1 Any change to the sailing instructions will be posted on the Official Notice Board located at [2025 Official Notice Board | PCYC](#) before 9:00am on the day it will take effect, except that any change to the schedule of races will be posted by 8:00pm on the day before it will take effect.

3. COMMUNICATIONS WITH COMPETITORS

3.1 Notices to competitors will be posted at [2025 Official Notice Board | PCYC](#)

4. CODE OF CONDUCT

4.1 [DP] Competitors and support persons shall comply with reasonable requests from race officials.

5. SIGNALS MADE ASHORE

5.1 Signals made ashore will be displayed on the flag mast of the Race Committee boat docked at PCYC.
5.2 When flag AP is displayed ashore, '1 minute' is replaced with 'not less than 30 minutes' in Race Signals AP.

6. CLASS FLAGS

6.1 Division 1 class flag is **purple**. Division 2 class flag is **green**.

7. COURSES

7.1 The course is identified in Addendum A.
7.2 The Race Committee boat will display Numerical Pennant 1 if the short course is to be sailed.

8. MARKS

8.1 The windward and leeward marks are orange inflatable tetrahedrons. The gybe mark is a yellow inflatable tetrahedron.
8.2 The starting/finishing mark is a red ball.

9. THE START

9.1 Races will be started using RRS 26.
9.2 The Race Committee has the option to start both divisions together.
9.3 The starting line will be between a staff displaying an orange flag on the signal vessel and the course side of the starting mark.
9.4 A boat that does not start within 4 minutes after her starting signal will be scored DNS (Did Not Start) without a hearing. This changes RRS A5.1 and A5.2.

10. THE FINISH

10.1 The finishing line will be between a staff displaying a blue flag on the signal vessel and the course side of the finishing mark.

11. TIME LIMITS

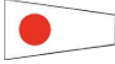
11.1 The Finishing Window, which is the time limit for boats to finish after the first boat of the division sails the course and finishes, will be **30 minutes**.
11.2 Boats failing to finish within the Finishing Window shall be scored DNF (Did Not Finish) without a hearing. This changes RRS 35, A4 and A5.

12. HEARING REQUESTS

12.1 To file a protest, a Hearing Request form must be submitted to the address indicated on the form by 8:00pm on the day of the event.
12.2 Hearing request forms are on the [Mirage Cup event page](#).
12.3 RRS 61.2(b)(2) and 63.7(b) do not apply.

ADDENDUM - A

COURSES

Pennant	Course
--	Start - 1 - 2 - 3 - 1 - Finish
1 	Start - 1 - Finish

