

Sport Boats Event

Organised by the Royal Malta Yacht Club



NOTICE OF RACE

1 RULES

1.1 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing 2017-2020*.

1.2 No national authority prescriptions will apply.

2 NOTICES TO COMPETITORS

2.1 The Sport Boat Event Regatta shall take place on Friday 8th December and Saturday 9th December 2017.

2.2 Notices to competitors will be posted on the official notice board located at the Royal Malta Yacht Club Notice Board

3 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

3.1 The regatta is open to all boats of the Sport Boat Class, as defined by the RMYC.

3.2 Eligible boats may enter by completing the registration form, available on the RMYC website and sending it, together with the required by to the Royal Malta Yacht Club Office by Thursday 7th December 2017 at 16:00.

3.3 Late entries will be accepted prior to the briefing with competitors at the Royal Malta Yacht Club on Friday 8th December 2017 at 9.00am. No further registration will be accepted after this time.

4 FEES

4.1 Each entry boat shall be the following fee:

30 euro.

4.2 Late entry fee shall be:

40 euro

5 QUALIFYING SERIES AND FINAL

The regatta will consist of a series of races

6 SCHEDULE

6.1 Registration by: Thursday 7th December 2017 at the Royal Malta Yacht Club.

6.2 Dates of Racing:

Friday 8 th December 2017	10:35:00 Start 1 st Race – 2 nd and 3 rd – 4 th races to follow on the same day
Saturday 9 th December	10:35:00 Start 5 th Race – 6 th race to follow on the same day
Saturday 9 th December	16:00:00 Prize Giving at the RMYC

6.3 No race shall commence after 15:00:00 for each day of the regatta

7 MEASUREMENT

Each boat shall comply with the one design class rule of the boat.

8 SAILING INSTRUCTION

Sailing Instructions will be made available at the briefing at the Royal Malta Yacht Club on Friday 8th December 2017.

9 VENUE

The Royal Malta Yacht Club shall convey as the premises for the briefing prior to the race.

10 THE COURSES

10.1 The event shall take place off to the Marsamxett Harbour and the Sliema Sea Front.

10.2 The course will be either a windward/leeward course or a triangle course as indicated in Annex A.

10.3 Information on the final course will be provided during the briefing at the RMYC or on Channel VHF72.

11 PENALTIES

11.1 The Scoring Penalty, RRS 44.1 and 44.2, will apply.

11.2 Decisions of the Protest Committee will be final as provided in RRS 70.5

12 SCORING

12.1 Standard Races will use the Low Point Scoring system.

12.2 Discards;

Races Sailed	Discards Allowed
1 - 4	1
5 - 9	2
10 - 14	3
15 - 20	4

13 BERTHING

During the period of the event, Boats may be moored at the Royal Malta Yacht Club marks, at full responsibility of the owner.

14 COMMUNICATIONS

14.1 During the regatta communications will be transmitted on VHF Channel 72

14.2 Except in an emergency, a boat that is racing shall not make voice or data transmissions and shall not receive voice or data communication that is not available to all boats

15 PRIZES

The Prizes will be given for the 1st and 2nd Places. 3rd Place will be given if more than four boats are competing and taking part to the race.

16 DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

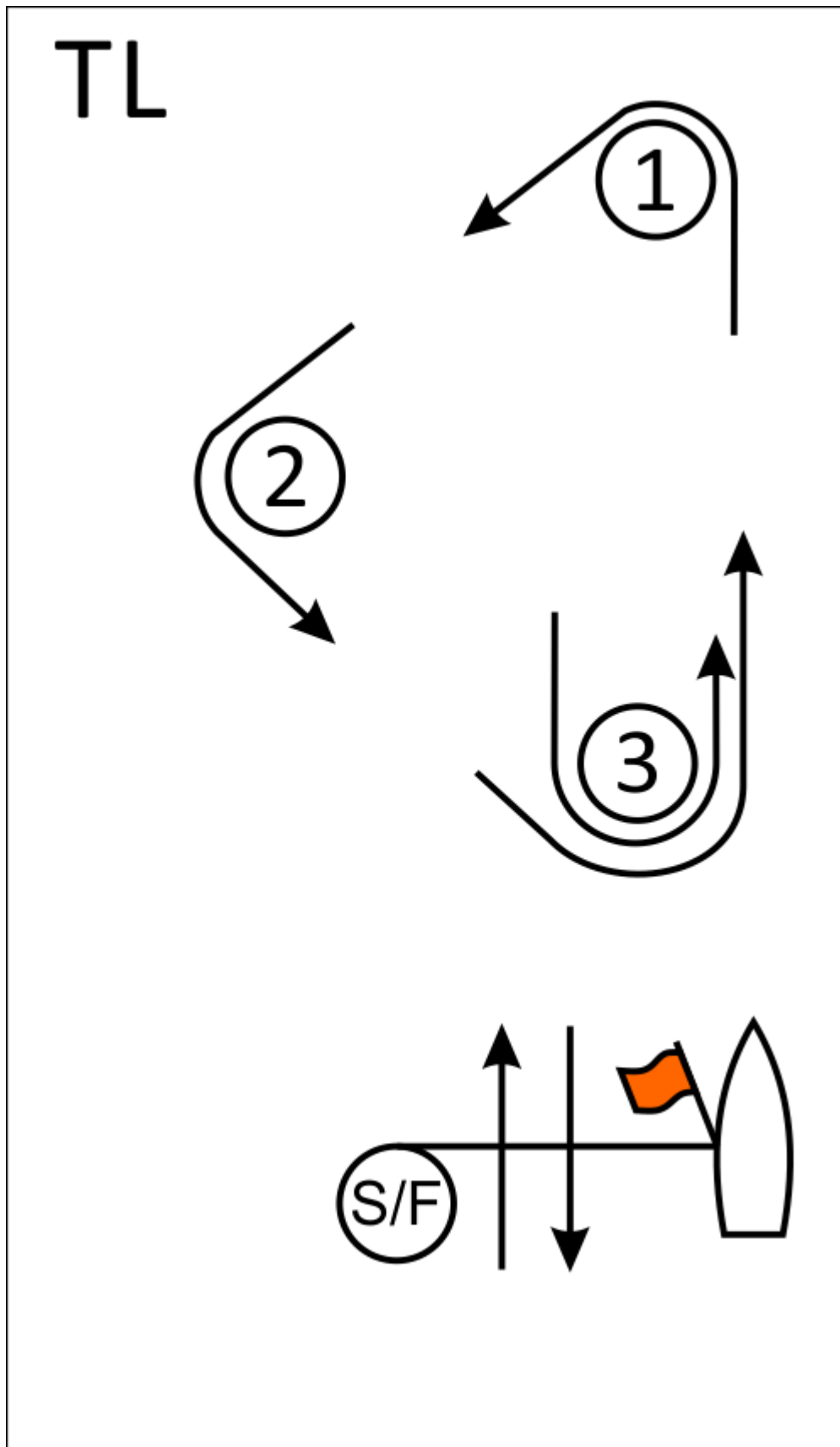
Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. The organizing authority will not accept liability for material damage or personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with or prior to, during or after the regatta.

17 INSURANCE

Each participating boat shall be insured with adequate third-party liability insurance valid for racing.

ANNEX A

Triangle Course: 1-2-3-1-3(Finish)



WW/LW Course:

Wind



WW Mark



Rounding Marks to Port
Finish Downwind.

Pin / LW



C.B



Start - Finish line

1st Warning signal Flags mean

1 Lap



2 Laps



3 Laps

