

Courses. Revised June 2014

Cairns Yacht Club Yacht Division Courses

NB: Please read the Notice of Race and Sailing Instructions for each race as courses may be amended.

Start Lines:

CYC Start Line: A line from the starter on the northern end of Sailfish Quay in Marlin Marina and Pile T2. (swing mooring limit marker bearing 85 degrees magnetic approx from starter position.)

Triangle, Windward / Leeward races – Between A buoy to port of start vessel & start vessel. usually to the West of Channel marker #7.

Gate Start: Nominated yacht sails on nominated tack away from a given mark for two minutes; all other contestants start by crossing her stern on the opposite tack within two minutes. Nominated vessel then joins the race.

Finish Line:

CYC Finish Line: A line from the finisher on the northern end of Sailfish Quay in Marlin Marina and Pile T2. (swing mooring limit marker bearing 85 degrees magnetic approx from starter position.)

Triangle, Windward / Leeward races – Between A buoy to port of finishing vessel & finish vessel.

Course 1 (Long Triangle Race)

Division 1 including Multihull

CYC Start – Buoy laid 200m east of the channel between No 8 and No 4, known as leeward mark (S) – windward mark (P) – wing mark (P) – leeward mark (P) – windward mark (P) – leeward mark (P) – CYC finish.

Division 2

CYC Start – Buoy laid 200m east of the channel between No 8 and No 4, known as leeward mark (S) – windward mark (P) – wing mark (P) – leeward mark (P) – CYC finish.

Course 2

All Divisions (False Cape Race)

CYC Start – Buoy laid in the vicinity of No 10 (S) – False Cape buoy (P) - Buoy laid in the vicinity of No 10 (P) – Number of laps to False Cape to be notified at briefing or via VHF at radio check (ch 72) – CYC finish.

Course 3 (Long Windward / Leeward)

Division 1 including Multihull

CYC Start – Hilton Buoy (P) – No 7 (P) – leeward mark (P) (approx 1 mile from No 7) – windward mark (P) (approx 1 mile from No 7) – leeward mark (P) – windward mark (P) – No 8 (P) – CYC finish.

Division 2

CYC Start– Hilton Buoy (P) – No 7 (P) – leeward mark (P) (approx 1 mile from No 7) – windward mark (P) (approx 1 mile from No 7) – No 8 (P) – CYC finish.

Course 4. (Mission Bay Race)

Division 1 including Multihull

CYC Start – No 8 (S) – Mission bay buoy (P) – No 8 (P) – Mission bay buoy (P) – No 8 (P) – CYC finish.

Division 2

CYC Start – No 8 (S) – Mission bay buoy (P) – No 8 (P) - CYC finish.

Course 5. (Yorkeys Return)

Division 1 including Multihull

CYC Start – No 9 (P) – Yorkeys Knob port channel marker (P) – No 5 (S) – CYC finish.

Division 2

CYC Start – No 11 (P) – Yorkeys Knob port channel marker (P) – No 11 (S) – finish.

Course 6. (SW, S Course)

Division 1 including Multihull

CYC Start – Hilton Buoy (P) – No 9 (P) – No 13 (S) – No 15 (S) – Outer Red (P) – T2 (P) – Outer Red (P) – CYC Finish.

Division 2

CYC Start – Hilton Buoy (P) – No 11 (P) – No 13 (S) – No 15 (S) – Outer Red (P) – T2 (P) – Outer Red (P) – CYC Finish.

Course 7. (Fitzroy Return Race)

Division 1 including Multihull

CYC Start – Hilton Buoy (P) - No 2 (S) – Fitzroy Island Lighthouse and Fitzroy Is. (S) – No 12 (P) – finish.

Division 2

Start – Hilton Buoy (P) - No 12 (S) – Fitzroy Island port channel marker (P) – No 12 (P) – finish.

Course 8. (Holloways Race)

Division 1 including Multihull

Start – No 9 (P) – Farthest Holloways buoy (P) – No 9 (S) - finish.

Division 2

Start – No 9 (P) – Nearest Holloways buoy (P) – No 9 (S) – finish.

Course 9. (Double Is Race)

Division 1 including Multihull

CYC Start – No 1 (P) – Double Island (S) – No 1 (S) – CYC Finish.

Division 2

CYC Start – No 9 (P) – Yorkeys Knob port channel marker (S) – No 5 (S) – CYC Finish.

Course 10 (Bark Hut Race)

Division 1 including Multihull

CYC Start – Admiralty Is Buoy (P) – Bark Hut Buoy (P) – Admiralty Is Buoy (P) – Bark Hut Buoy (P) – Outer Red (P) - Admiralty Is Buoy (P) – CYC Finish

Division 2

CYC Start - Admiralty Is Buoy (P) - Bark hut Buoy (P) - Outer Red Buoy (P) - Admiralty Is Buoy (P) – CYC Finish

Course 11 (Triangle course) – LEAVE ALL MARKS TO PORT.

Div 1 including Multihull

Start –1–2–3–1–3–1–3- Finish

Div 2

Start –1–2–3–1–3- Finish

(The start boat will be in the area between channel marker No 7 and Holloways Beach).

Wind ↓

- 1.
- 2. • • Start / Finish
- 3.

Course 12 (Winward Leeward Course) - LEAVE ALL MARKS TO PORT.

Div 1 including Multihull

Start –1 –2–1–2–1–2- Finish

Div 2

Start –1 –2–1–2- Finish

(The start boat will be in the area between channel marker No 7 and Holloways Beach).

Wind ↓

- 1.
 - • Start / Finish
 - 2.
-