

SETTING COURSES

START LINE : use EAST line when wind is between N & NE or S & SW

The Aim is for about 2-miles in light and 4-5 miles in moderate winds for race of about an hour

For a F3-4 wind add a mile approx to light wind (if possible include a beat and make it a "Round")

The race takes longer beating uptide than beating downtide which also can lose ½ force of wind.

Likewise beating downtide will add ½ force of wind

An extra "round" past clubhouse may be added with a view to shortenening course if uncertain

Use may be made of a temporary halfway mark on any leg to decrease distance.

Fleet should pass line in same direction at start and finish to cancel tidal effect on buoys

RECOMMENDED COURSES

These are set with the stated average wind and tide conditions in mind but may be varied as desired for different circumstances.

NB: Suffix 'p' or 's' indicates mark is to be left to port or starboard

Wind Direction	Tide	beat	Miles		Miles	
			Light Winds (F2-3)	approx	Moderate Winds (F4-5)	approx
N	Flood	w	Fp Cp Fp Ks	2.7	Cs Kp Ss Cs Kp Cs Fp	5.3
	Ebb	a	Ks Fp Ks Fp	1.8	Cs Kp Ss Cs Kp Cs Fp	5.3
NE	Flood	w	Ps Ks	2.8	Pp Cp Hp Kp	5.4
	Ebb	a	Hs Ks	2.0	Hp Cp Hp Kp	4.6
E	Flood	w	Rp Ks Rp Ks	2.0	Rp Ss Cp Ss Cp Ks Rp Ks	5.4
	Ebb	a	Rp Ks Fp Ks	1.8	Rp Ss Cp Ss Cp Fp Ks	5.1
SE	Flood	w	Sp Cs Fs	2.7	Ds Ss Cp Fs	6.0
	Ebb	a	Sp Fs	2.6	Cs Sp Cs Sp Hs	5.2
S	Flood	a	Cp Fs Kp Fs	2.4	Cp Ks Sp Ks Cs Fs	5.0
	Ebb	w	Cp Kp Cp Fs	2.6	Cs Kp Cs Sp Kp Cs Fs	5.2
SW	Flood	a	Kp Hp Kp Fp	2.0	Kp Pp Rp Pp Kp Fs	5.0
	Ebb	w	Kp Pp	2.6	Np Hp Cp Fs	5.0
W	Flood	a	Ks Rp Ks Fp	2.5	Cs Sp Rs Kp Rs	4.4
	Ebb	w	Ks Rp Ks Rp	2	Cs Sp Cs Sp Rs	5.2
NW	Flood	a	Ss Fp	2.5	Cs Sp Kp Cs Sp Kp Cs Rs	5.3
	Ebb	w	Cs Ss Fp	2.6	Dp	5.8