



### APPENDIX D.3 – Around Lummi Race – Saturday May 13, 2017

**Skippers' Meeting:** There will mandatory Skippers' Meeting at 0900 Hrs on Saturday May 13, 2017 at BYC. Any clarifications to the Sailing Instructions will be made by the PHRF Fleet Captain or the PRO for the race and will be posted immediately on the Official Notice Board.

The only changes to the Sailing Instructions that may be made on the water are: the Starting Area and the designation of the Long Course or Short Course.

**Class Breaks:** Classes for this race shall be divided as follows:

Class A	115 or Lower
Class B	Greater than 115

**Start:**

The start will be in accordance with RRS 26 with the exception that there will be a single start for all classes.

The Race Committee will make every effort to have the Warning Signal at 1000 Hrs. An alert may be given one minute prior to the Warning Signal.

The Starting Line will be between the Outfall Buoy to Port and an orange flag aboard the RC Signals Boat. In the event that the Starting Line is relocated, the handicap distances will be adjusted accordingly.

In the event that an RC Signal boat is not available, a "Rabbit Start" will be used. The procedure for this will be covered at the Skippers' Meeting.

**Course:**

**Long Course**

Start

Circumnavigate Lummi Island either in a clockwise or counterclockwise direction at the discretion of each skipper.

Finish

**Shortened Course:**

Take your GPS Time when the **Village Point Mark** bears 90° magnetic (all boats must be between Lummi Island and the eastern boundary of the northbound traffic lane when taking this bearing). All boats must record and report their mid-course times.

If three or more boats in a class finish the long course, the short course will not be scored. If two boats finish the long course they will be scored for 1st and 2nd and the remaining boats scored on the short course times.

If one boat in a class finishes the standard course she shall be scored the winner, and the other boats scored on their short times. The Overall Winner will be scored on the short course only if no boat finishes the long course.

**Finish:**

If there is a RC Boat on station the finish is between the RC Boat and the Finish pin.

If there is no RC Boat on station, finish within one boat length of the Outfall Buoy between the Buoy and shore when your bearing to the buoy is 270° magnetic. If overlapped with another boat in the act of finishing, the outside boat may finish within one boat length shoreward of an inside finishing boat.

**Time limits:**

The time limit for all boats to finish the short or long course shall be 1800 hrs.

**Radio Communication:** Radio Communication shall be on VHF channel 68. The same restrictions listed in these Sailing Instructions shall apply.

**Protests:** Protests shall be per the Sailing Instructions.

**Finishing Times:** Finishing Times shall be turned in for self-recorded times (GPS TIME NOT ELAPSED TIME) on the BYC Website <http://sailfleet.byc.org/time-reporting-form-byc-races> as per the Sailing Instructions within 24 hours of finishing the race. Please make every effort to post your finish time within 24 hours so that we can score the race.

**Scoring:** Scoring will use the PHRF Time-on-Distance handicapping system. The "Overall Winner" shall be the boat with the overall lowest PHRF time.

**Awards:** Awards for 1st, 2nd and 3rd places in each class shall be noted and awards presented at the Annual Awards Banquet in November.

There will be an "Overall Winner" for the race. The "Overall Winner" shall have their boat's name engraved on a perpetual trophy for the Around Lummi Race to be presented at the Awards Banquet.