

141st Sailing Season RQYS Yacht Racing **AMENDMENT 2 – 11/12/2025**

Sailing Instructions

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2. SCHEDULE

Add 2.6:

2.6. When starts are pursuit format SI 2.4 "Not Before" shall be replaced with "From".

10. THE START

Add 10.4:

- 1.1. When sailing a pursuit start:
 - 1.1.1. Races will be Started as follows:
 - 1.1.1.1. Boats shall start no earlier than their allocated start time. All times are in Brisbane EST time. Syncing of your clock is recommended at http://www.timeanddate.com/worldclock/fullscreen.html?n=47
 - 1.1.1.2. The Race Officer (starter) will usually raise a start bat 10 seconds prior to the minute and lower the start bat on the minute.
 - 1.1.1.3. A sound signal will be given to any yacht starting early and therefore they are required to restart. This changes RRS 26.
 - 1.1.1.4. A boat re-starting because of OCS shall return and re-enter the course via the rounding of the pin or start boat and keep clear of all starting boats. NO DIPPING.

ADD 24. SCORING

24.1. When sailing pursuit format, results shall be based on elapsed time under the applicable handicap type not position across the line	