

Halfway Up-The-Creek Race 2016

Supplement 2 to Club Sailing Instructions

1.0 Rules

These Instructions are a supplement to, and should be applied in conjunction with, the Club Racing Sailing Instructions for 2016.

2.0 Schedule of Racing

The Halfway Up the Creek Race will be held on Saturday 3 September 2016. Please note that this race may take three hours plus to complete the course competitors should provision drinks accordingly.

3.0 Fleet Designation

The Halfway Up The Creek is raced as a General Handicap race. The Fleet flag will be Naval Numeral 0

4.0 Course

The following marks must be rounded to starboard and may be rounded in any order Fishbourne

Quay (Bosham)

Additionally, Deep End racing mark must be left to Starboard when sailing east to west and when sailing west to east Deep End must also be left to Port. (In other words on the deep channel side, in either direction)

Note: Fishbourne dries out and is only navigable two hours either side of HW (1336hrs)

5.0 Starting Procedure

Competitors may start at any time after 12:00hrs but before 13:00hrs while the stating 'gate' is open. The Naval Numeral '0' flag will be flown while the gate is open. To ensure their start time is recorded competitors should inform the OOD of their intention to start shortly before proceeding to the line. Boats will be timed from their first crossing of the start line from east to west – there are no restarts. The OOD will make one sound signal when a boat starts. The Start line for the up the creek is the club line extended as far as CYC Perch. Competitors are advised to record their start time.

6.0 Finishing

The Finish line is the club line extended to CYC Perch passed from West to East. Competitors are advised to make a note of their finishing times.

7.0 Time Limit

The Time Limit for this race is 16:00hrs (four hours after the start gate closes)

8.0 Prizes

The winner on corrected time will receive the Halfway Up the Creek Trophy other prizes may be awarded at the discretion of the Committee.

9.0 Special Notes.

9.1 CYC will endeavor to provide nominal safety cover, but this is NOT guaranteed.

9.2 Competitors ARE REQUIRED to contact CYC (telephone 01243 512918 or the new CYC RO mobile number 0756 4683903 - This will be only ON during this event) if they are unable to, or do not intend to return to the Club.