

SAILING INSTRUCTIONS Fowl Run 2026 Saturday, October 10

(1) AUTHORITY

These Sailing Instructions are issued by the Race Committee of the Indian Point Yacht Club.

(2) RACING AREAS

The area of Indian Point and Martins River and Martins Point

(3) COURSES: courses for each class will be announced on Channel 72 prior to the start

(3.1) Racing area will be the Bay outside the entrance to Martins River, Indian Point and Mahone Bay. Marks that may be used will be the No wake buoys at the eastern and western entrances to Indian Point, the Red Mark MS 56 off Martins Point. (make sure to stay clear of Beacon Shoal) and the first channel marker in Martins River

(3.2) Start and finish in Martins River. *Committee Wharf is the Levy Conrad wharf, first wharf on the west side of Martins River.*

(3.3) Start and finish will be between the yellow pencil mark and the orange flag on the wharf

(3.4) Courses for each class will be announced by the committee

(4) CHANGES TO SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

Will be communicated as follows

- a. Posted to www.indianpointyachtclub.ca
- b. Announced over VHF channel 72

(5) CLASS FLAGS

Class A: Red Flag

Class B: Blue Flag

(6) STARTS

Start time for class A is 1300 Saturday Oct 10 with first signal 6 minutes beforehand

Start time for class B is 1310 Saturday Oct 10 with first signal 6 minutes before

Start signals will be made from the Committee Wharf/Boat

Starts will be conducted as per Rule 26:

Races shall be started by using the following signals. Times shall be taken from the visual signals; the absence of a sound signal shall be disregarded.

Signal	Orange Flag with 3 short Sounds	1 Minute before Warning Signal
Warning	Class Flag: 1 sound	5 Minutes
Preparatory	P flag 1 sound	4 Minutes
One-minute	P flag removed: 1 long sound	1 Minute
Starting	Class Flag Removed; 1 sound	0

Postponement of start: Flag AP with 2 sounds

Individual Recall: Rule 29.1 will apply Committee Boat will display flag X with 1 sound. The x flag shall remain

until the boat has sailed to pre start side of line no later than 4 minutes after the starting

General Recall: Rule 29.2 will apply. The committee boat will display the 1st substitute flag with 2 sounds

signals. New start warning signal will be 1 minute after the 1st substitute is lowered (one sound)

(7) TIME LIMIT

7.1 If no boats in Class B or Class A have finished before 1600hrs then that class race is abandoned

7.2 Boats failing to finish within 30 minutes after the first boat sails the course in her class and finishes will be scored Did Not Finish without a hearing. This changes RRS 35, A4 and A5.

(8) USE OF VHF RADIO

All racers are encouraged to monitor VHF CH 72 during racing for the purposes of safety and are asked to report retiring from the race and crossing the finish line after dark or in poor visibility

(9) RESULTS

Results will be posted as soon as possible after the finish of all races at www.indianpointyachtclub.ca