

Frostbiting Race Committee Guidelines

Division 1 (11:30 – 12:45)

1. Try to arrive by 11 am
2. Retrieve the Frostbite with the race committee tools and fly from the junior flagpole.
3. Get a hand held radio from the shop or one of the staff. (monitor channel 69)
4. Get the RC tools from the second floor of the sr. club house and bring out to the upper deck. (orange box & extension cord –plug in at exterior outlet by spotlight; large white box with letters/numbers/port/starboard and clipboard with score sheet.
5. Go to the frostbite dock and sign in skippers/boats
6. Set the start line and rounding type (starboard/port) on the horizontal board
7. Set the course (Start line and buoys to be rounded) on the vertical board.
8. Count 20 seconds after each start signal and use the white button on the orange box to make a short horn blast.
9. Recommended race duration is 15 minutes, shorten or lengthen courses to meet this time.
10. Do not start a race after 12:45 pm

Division 2 (1:30-3:15)

1. Be on station by 1:20
2. Go to the dock and sign in skippers/boats
3. Set the start line and rounding type (starboard/port) on the horizontal board
4. Set the course (Start line and buoys to be rounded) on the vertical board.
5. Count 20 seconds after each start signal and use the white button on the orange box to make a short horn blast.
6. Recommended race duration is 15 minutes, shorten or lengthen courses to meet this time.
7. Do not start a race after 3:15 pm
8. When done return the orange box, white box and PA system inside the door to the 2nd floor. Plug in the orange box to charge.
9. Put the race results sheet into the Frostbite mailbox
10. Lower the Frostbite flag and leave with the race committee gear.
11. Return the radio to the charging station or put in the shop

Scoring

- Boats that did not start a race (were late to the start) are scored **DNC**
- Boats that finish more than 10 minutes after the first boat are scored **DNF**
- Boats that retire early and do not compete in the day's remaining races are scored **RAF** for the remaining races.
- Race committee may ask competitors if they would accept their current position in the race before crossing the finish line. This can allow more races to be run that day.