



SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

ADDENDUM B

EVENT FORMAT

Amended 4/12/2018

STAGE 1 DOUBLE ROUND ROBIN SERIES

All skippers will sail a Double Round Robin – each skipper sails against all of the other skippers two times. The pairing lists (SI Addendum D) will be available at the initial skippers briefing.

Skippers shall be ranked from 1st to last based on points from all robins. Ties will be decided as described in RRS C11. In the event that Stage 1 is not completed, RRS C10 shall apply.

If the event format must be changed or shortened and a knockout series is required, the skipper with the higher ranking in the combined completed or partially completed round robins will enter from starboard in the initial match and alternate thereafter.

STAGE 2 SEMI-FINALS

When requested by the RC to do so. The skipper finishing first in Stage 1 shall select his opponent from the other three skippers who qualified for Stage 2. They will be Match 2.

The remaining two skippers shall race each other and will be Match 1

The skipper in each match with the highest score in Stage 1 shall enter the course for the first match from the starboard end of the starting line and alternate for each subsequent match.

The first skipper in each Stage 2 match to score 3 points shall proceed to the Stage 3 Final. The losing skippers shall proceed to the Stage 3 Petite Final

STAGE 3 PETITE FINAL & FINAL

The losing skippers in Stage 2 shall sail against each other in the Petite Final. The skipper with the highest score in Stage 1 shall enter the course for the first match from the starboard end of the starting line and alternate for each subsequent match. They will be Match 1.

The first skipper to score 2 points shall be awarded 3rd place, the other skipper will be awarded 4th place.

The winning skippers in Stage 2 shall sail against the other in the Final. The skipper with the highest score in the **Stage 1** shall enter the course for the first match from the Starboard end of the starting line and alternate for each subsequent match. They will be Match 2.

The first skipper to score three points shall be the winner of Ficker Cup 2018. The other skipper will be awarded 2nd place.