

THE TALL SHIPS RACES 2025

SAILING AND COMMUNICATION INSTRUCTIONS

Race 1

Amendment 1 Corrected

4. START LINE - NOTE: THE START IS ON MONDAY 7 JULY

There will be a virtual Start Gate (please see Rule 8 Note):

Starboard end	49° 41.0' N	000° 03.5' W
Port end	49° 39.0' N	000° 03.5' W

Vessels to go through the Start Gate at any time between 1200 UTC and 1400 UTC.

5. COMMUNICATION AT THE START

There will be no Start Line vessels. No sound signals will be made. Race Control will be on standby on VHF Channel 77.

6. STARTING SIGNALS & TIMES – 7 JULY

Vessels to go through the Start Gate at any time **between 1200 UTC and 1400 UTC** and record their start time to the nearest second. Captains must report their start time ASAP after crossing the line to Race Control.

7. COURSE

Start Area

Starboard end	49° 41.0' N	000° 03.5' W
Port end	49° 39.0' N	000° 03.5' W

Waypoint 1	49° 33.0' N	000° 36.6' W	TO STARBOARD
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Waypoint 2	50° 05.0' N	000° 18.5' W	TO STARBOARD
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Finish Line

Port end	50° 24.1' N	001° 01.0' E
Starboard end	50° 19.4' N	001° 03.7' E

9. SHIPS ROUTING & OTHER EXCLUSION ZONES

All Traffic Separation Schemes, Wind Farms, and Oil/Gas Facilities are excluded from the race course and must be treated as NO-GO ZONES.

A5 buoy must be left to starboard.

12. TIME LIMITS (UTC)

Class A, B, C & D	8th July 22:00 UTC
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