

WEST MERSEA YACHT CLUB

WALLET CUP RACE

9th August 2020

APPENDIX TO 2020 WMYC AND DSC JOINT NOTICE OF RACE & SAILING INSTRUCTIONS (Covid)

1. RACING RULES

The racing will be governed by the rules as defined in the *Racing Rules of Sailing(RRS)*, together with the RYA National Prescriptions, the 2020 West Mersea Yacht Club & Dabchicks Sailing Club Joint Notice of Race and Sailing Instructions (covid) and this Appendix, together with any subsequent amendments issued to those Sailing Instructions or this Appendix.

2. Eligibility

2.1 This race is open to boats crewed by one, two, three or four people, including the helmsman.

2.2 Competitors in this race must denote their intention to race and state the number of people on board their boat by completing the Signing On sheet which will be on <http://www.wmyc.org.uk/wmyc-sailing-official-notice-board/> .

3. Scoring

3.1 Before the TCF (Time Correction Factor) is applied to the elapsed time of boats which have completed the course, the following adjustments will be made to the elapsed time of those boats:

Boats sailing single handed – 10% of the elapsed time will be deducted.

Boats sailing with 3 people on board – 10% of the elapsed time will be added

Boats sailing with 4 people on board – 20% of the elapsed time will be added

(NB Boats sailing double handed will have no adjustment made to their elapsed time)

4. Handicaps, Times & Class flags

4.1 See 2020 West Mersea Yacht Club & Dabchicks Sailing Club Joint Notice of Race, Section 3.5/3.6.

4.2 Class Flags – Numeral Pennant 5 class flag shall be flown from the backstay of yachts competing in all these races.

4.3 The target time for all races in this series is two hours. Failure to meet the target time will not be grounds for redress. This changes Rule 62.1.

4.4 The time limit is three hours. Any boat finishing within this time limit shall make the race valid. Boats failing to finish within 60 minutes after the first boat sails the course and finishes will be deemed to have retired and scored as DNF. This changes RRS 35, A4 and A5.
