Sailing Programme and
Notice of Race
Sep. 12/13 – Yarmouth
Sep. 26/27 – Beaulieu

PYRA

This amendment defines race numbers 9,10,11 and 12, of the revised 2020 Race Programme. Crew composition must comply with Government guidance on social distancing and mixing of persons from more than one household bubble. Boats will race in one class with two divisions - With Spinnaker or without Spinnaker. The races will be run under a Special Notice of Race, included as part of this amendment. Bearing in mind the unusual circumstances, entrants are requested to be especially considerate of other competitors.

2020 Red Book
Amendment 5

The 2020 Revised Programme - at a glance

July	Saturday	4th	'INDEPENDENCE BAY' RACE
July	Saturday	18th	PYRA Bay Race
August	Saturday	1st	Day Race
August	Sunday	2nd	Day Race
August	Saturday	15th	Day Race
August	Sunday	16th	Day Race
August	Saturday	29th	Day Race
August	Sunday	30th	Mystery Day Race
September	Sat/Sun	12/13th	Poole-Yarmouth-Poole
September	Sat/Sun	26/27th	Poole-Beaulieu-Poole
October	Saturday	10th	TBA

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September 12th /13th – Poole –Yarmouth-Poole (Race Nos. 9 + 10) and

September. 26th /27th – Poole-Beaulieu-Poole (Race Nos. 11+12)

1. STATEMENT OF RISK

This Notice of Race should be read in conjunction with the standard NoR published in the Red Book.

All racing will be held in compliance with the guidelines set out by Public Health England and the RYA and may be subject to, last minute, change.

Crew composition must comply with Government guidance on social distancing and mixing of persons from more than one household bubble.

What's Currently Allowed / Event Guidance:
"Up to six people from different households can mix in the open air while maintaining the correct social distance".

"People from a maximum of two household bubbles can mix indoors maintaining social distancing".

"Correct Social Distance is 2 metres where possible otherwise 1 metre PLUS".

2. SELF SUFFICIENCY AND SAFETY

You must carry all equipment to be self-sufficient as required. The means of hand washing and sanitising on board should be adequate for everyone. Life jackets shall be worn at all times, including pre and post-race, from leaving until returning to dock to reduce personal risk. PYRA boats should be especially vigilant and be prepared to assist other competitors in order to avoid the risk of an emergency call out.

3. ENTRIES, CLASSES AND RATINGS.

All boats will race as a single class subdivided into two. One subdivision for those intending to use a spinnaker (WS - 2020 VPRS TCC will be used for results) and the other subdivision for those that have declared by 12:30 on the Wednesday before the race that they will not be using a spinnaker (NS - 2020 VPRS No spinnaker TCC will be used for results).

A class flag shall be flown to show that the boat is racing.

Boats should enter via the PYRA web site in the normal way and monitor the website until the last opportunity before the event in case of changes.

4. PRIZES & PRIZEGIVING

These "special" races will not count for PYRA points and will not be part of a series. There will be no trophies or annual awards but prizes will be awarded at the next formal (permitted) gathering of members.

5. WEATHER.

With due regard to the potential involvement of emergency services, at the Race Officer's discretion, racing may be cancelled if forecast winds are above 20 knots.

6. GENERAL WARNINGS

Bearing in mind the unusual circumstances, entrants are requested to be especially considerate of other competitors and be mindful of the public perception of sporting activity and the practical safety issues arising from the Covid 19 pandemic. Competitors are advised to use personal travel in arriving and departing from their boat wherever possible.

Any person exhibiting symptoms of Covid 19, or who suspects that they may be at high risk of infection, through contact or particular vulnerability are specifically requested not to sail

Schedule of Races

In addition to 2020 Red Book Amendment 1, 2, 3 and 4 add the following to the 2020 Red Book Section 5.1 :-

September - Saturday 12th

Poole-Yarmouth

Race Number 9	Class	ST
SC PYRA	0	10:00
SL Bay		
FL Yarmouth-1		
TL 19:00		

RV - TBA   18:00

Bay Starting Line: A Committee Boat Line in Poole Bay.

Yarmouth-1 Finish Line: (From the west) Leave Sconce North Cardinal Buoy (50 42.53N. 01 31.43W) to Port and finish on a line formed by bringing into transit the Church Tower flag pole and Black Rock SHM(Fl.G.5s) (50, 42.57N. 01, 30.59W).

September - Sunday 13th

Yarmouth-Poole

Race Number 10	Class	ST
SC PYRA	0	11:00
SL Yarmouth		
FL Poole		
TL 20:00		

Yarmouth Starting Line: A Committee Boat Line to the east of the pier.

Poole Finish Line: All yachts shall pass between Bar Buoy No.1 and No.2 and leave No. 4 to starboard. Finish line formed by transit of No. 4 and No.3 buoys. See illustration on page 6.

September - Saturday 26th

Poole-Beaulieu

Race Number 11		Class	ST
SC	PYRA	0	12:00
SL	Bay		
FL	Beaulieu		
TL	19:00		

RV - BBQ   18:30

Bay Starting Line: A Committee Boat Line in Poole Bay

Beaulieu Finish Line: Pass south of SRM 3G (Sevenstar Yacht Transport). Finish line formed by bringing SRM 3G into transit with Lepe Beacon (Fl.R.5s) ODM is East Lepe Buoy.
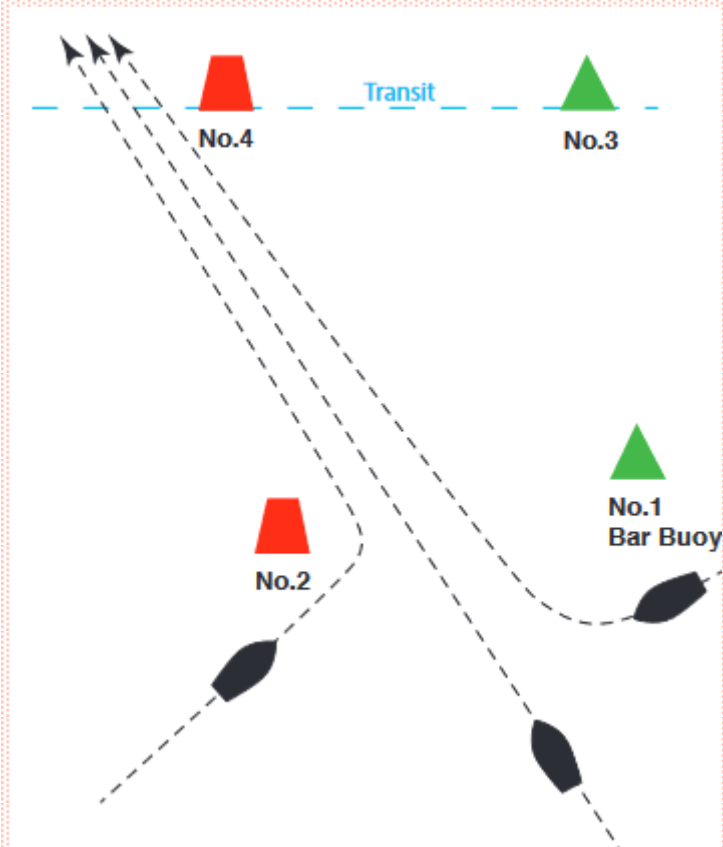
September - Sunday 27th

Beaulieu-Poole

Race Number 12		Class	ST
SC	PYRA	0	09:30
SL	Beaulieu		
FL	Poole		
TL	18:00		

Beaulieu River Starting Line: A Committee Boat Line to the West of the Beaulieu River mouth.

Poole Finish Line: All yachts shall pass between Bar Buoy No.1 and No.2 and leave No. 4 to starboard. Finish line formed by transit of No. 4 and No.3 buoys. See illustration on page 6.

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