



QUEEN MARY
SAILING CLUB

**QM RS 400 GOLD FLEET
REGATTA 2017**

19th March – 19th November 2017

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The following paragraphs are in addition to the Sailing Instructions for the relevant Club Sunday Series and should be read in conjunction with it.

2. NOTICE TO COMPETITORS

Notices to competitors will be posted on the Official Noticeboard located in the corridor on the lower deck of the clubhouse.

3. CHANGES TO SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

Any change to the Sailing Instructions will be posted not less than 30 minutes before the scheduled warning signal of any race affected. Any change to the schedule of the races will be posted by 09:30 on the 19th March for the first race and on the Sunday of the prior scheduled race for following races. Email and Facebook will be used for notify competitors of the existence of a change.

5. SCHEDULE OF RACES

Warning signals times are specified in the sailing instructions for the series in which the race is incorporated. Dates of racing are:

Date	Time
19th March	Frostbite Sunday Series
9th April	Spring Sunday Series
21st May	Spring Sunday Series
11th June	Summer Sunday Series
9th July	Summer Sunday Series
13th August	Summer Sunday Series
3rd September	Autumn Sunday Series
15th October	Autumn Sunday Series
19th November	Winter Sunday Series

17. SCORING

17.1 Rule A9 "Race Scores in a Series Longer than a Regatta" will apply.

17.2. 8 races are required to be completed to constitute a regatta.

17.3. (a) For every three races completed one discard will be available, for example once 3 races have been complete, 1 discard will come into effect, 6 races 2 discards etc
(b) The expected regatta will include 18 races for which 12 will count.

17.4 A maximum of 2 Race officer duties will contribute to the regatta score.

20. PRIZES

Prizes will be awarded to the four highest placed boats, with a cup being presented to the winner at the Christmas Prizegiving on 17th December 2017.