



## Sailing Instructions

# Rhumb Race

The Rhumb Race is one of our more unusual events. It is a trophy race, but is also especially organised for your racing enjoyment.

**Start Time:** 1330 hours (DST) or  
*1230 hours in the unusual event that the race is held in Winter.*

**Start:** Anchor off Gunyah Beach to form an approximately north-south line with other competitors. Make sure you do not inhibit the progress of other boats as they leave the area. A nominated crew member is to row a dinghy to the beach and await instructions for the start - this includes a swig of rum to help clear the tubes and the mind. The crew member will then row back to their boat and board. Only after he/she is on board may that boat weigh anchor.

**Course:** Sail, towing the dinghy, and round

- **Dangar Island to starboard.** Head for Green Point and round the
- **buoy to starboard.** Pass between the
- Club House and the buoy to the NE and round
- **Dangar Island to port.** Proceed to the
- Finish Line between the Club House and the buoy to the NE.

**Note:**

- 1) If the leading boat has not passed between the Club House and the buoy to the NE following its first lap of the Island by 1600 hours this will be the finish line for the race.
- 2) All boats should record their elapsed times on each leg as they pass the Club House and transmit them to the Race Official. This can be done in person, by radio, a written note or mobile phone so long as the Race Official confirms receipt.

**Post Race:** Skippers, crew and friends are all welcome on the Clubhouse Barge after the race to socialize and hear the announcement of the results.

