

Bowen Island Yacht Club

Notice of Race – Devil's Tankard 2026

Open to all sailboats with a PHRF of BC handicap rating. Races will be governed by The Racing Rules of Sailing including CYA Prescriptions where applicable.

Race Dates:

Race 1: September 13, 2026, 10:30 PDT @ Bowen Island

Race 2: September 20, 2026, 10:30 PDT @ Bowen Island

Race 3: October 4, 2026, 10:30 PDT @ Bowen Island

Race 4: October 18, 2026, 10:30 PDT @ Bowen Island

Registration: Online registration is at:

[Devils Tankard Registration | Bowen Island Yacht Club \(biyc.bc.ca\)](https://biyc.bc.ca/DevilsTankardRegistration)

Skippers' meeting:

No meeting required. Proceed directly to start line. If first time in race, notify race officer on VHF 73 of your boat's name and PHRF rating.

Start:

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Five minute start sequence scheduled to begin at 10:25, with start at 10:30. Start line will be between the pin & committee boat off Miller's Landing, Deep Bay's northern headland.

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Course:

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Please Note: The Race Officer can set a northerly or southerly course up to the beginning of the start sequence. Please watch for the committee boat's 'N' or 'S' boards and/or monitor VHF 73.

If northerly: Miller's Landing → Cates Bay (Hood Point) Orange Ball → Bird Islet → Miller's Landing. (Start/Finish line).

If southerly: Miller's Landing → Passage Island → Bird Islet → Miller's Landing. (Start/Finish line).

Leave all turning marks to port on both courses.

Finish:

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Finish between Miller's Landing start pin and white shore mark. Race Officer will be onshore overlooking mark.

Results

Results will be posted on the BIYC website biyc.bc.ca/racing as soon as possible after the race.