

YA SPECIAL REGULATIONS COMPLIANCE FORM ETCHELLS - v2

Sail No: _____ Boat Name: _____ Owner or Representative _____

This compliance form is valid until **August 31st 2012** Note: The checklist provided below is provided to assist the owner to check her equipment for compliance with YA Special Regulations and should be read in conjunction with the YA Book. It does not replace the safety requirement of Government Regulations. Skippers must familiarise themselves with the current YA Special Regulations before completing this declaration.

Rule	Item	Own	Aud
2.03	Equipment functions properly, regularly checked & maintained, readily accessible, and adequate for the intended use. Heavy items including anchor & chain permanently installed or securely fastened		
3.01	Sound construction, water tight hull, well maintained suitable for the event		
3.01.3	Boats not complying with 3.04.1 (Stability) or 3.08 (Cockpits) shall have sufficient buoyancy to support the boat, crew & stores above water		
3.02.01	Bulkheads front and back must be watertight		
3.20	2 buckets @ 8 litres. Lanyard for each.		
3.21	Compass correctly installed and adjusted		
3.28	Identification on hull, Sail No. Club name		
4.01	Correct Sail numbers on sails		
4.06	Waterproof & floating torch		
4.07	Medical kit & manual in waterproof container; contents listed & visible: 20 Soluble Aspirin, 10 disposable gloves, 2 crepe bandages, 20 bandaids, adhesive tape 50mm x 2.5m, 15 ml antiseptic skin sol, 10 Alcohol swabs, 100gm Solugel wound dressing, 250ml sunscreen 30+ SPF, stainless steel scissors, 10 assorted safety pins, CPR Mask or 6 Face Shields		
4.10	YA Rule Book + Squadron Year Book (recommended)		

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4.15	Sharp knife		
4.16	Boats name on miscellaneous buoyant equipment.		
4.17	Retroflective tape fitted to lifebuoys, lifeslings, PFDs		
4.26	Equipment or method of crew assisted back on board		
5.01	PFDs Type 1 (AS1512, or equivalent) Nos: 3 or 4 Branded with authority mark of approval, checked annually Each PFD - whistle attached & retroflective tape and crew name		
Class Rule	Two paddles of length not less than 1200mm		
Class Rule	One hand operated bilge pump + 2 buckets of not less than 9.5L capacity <i>or</i> Two hand operated bilge pumps + one buckets of not less than 9.5L capacity.		
Class Rule	One anchor weighing a min. of 3.5kg with sufficient chain to give a total weight of anchor and chain of not less that 5.5kg and not more than 9.0kg.		
Class Rule	37 m of 10mm dia. or larger anchor line and a separate towing line of min. 25m and 12 mm diameter. Running rigging shall not be deemed anchoring or towing line.		
Cat 6 Races	Person in charge has completed a Sea Safety Course for RSAYS Cat 6 Races. ie: Special and Twilight Races		
Cat 6 Races	Handheld VHF radio. ie: Special and Twilight Races		

The safety of the yacht & her crew is the sole and inescapable responsibility of the owner, or owner's representative, who must do his/her best to ensure the yacht is fully found, thoroughly seaworthy and manned by an experienced crew who have undergone appropriate training and are physically fit to face bad weather. He/she must be satisfied as to the soundness of the hull, spars, rigging, sails and all gear. He must ensure that all safety equipment is properly maintained and stowed and that the crew know where it is kept and how it is to be used.

I,..... declare that this yacht complies with all of the safety requirements in accordance with YA Special Regulations, (Appendix D.2) and the requirements for Etchells races as detailed in the NOR & Sailing Instructions.

Signed: _____ Date: _____