

## SAILING INSTRUCTION - ADDENDUM B - PURSUIT START TIMES

*2026 Jordanelbow Regatta — reverse pursuit start. Slowest-rated boat starts first; the first boat to finish wins.*

### How your start time is worked out

A pursuit race gives every boat its own start time. Slow boats start first, fast boats chase them down, and the first boat across the finish line wins — no corrected times, no waiting for results. If every boat sails exactly to its rating the fleet

Each boat has a Jordanelbow Rating: the number of seconds it should need to sail one nautical mile. A higher number means a slower boat.

Your start time is counted backwards from a single finish time shared by the whole fleet. We take your rating, add an allowance for the day's conditions (600 sec/nm), and multiply by the course length (10.4 nm).

**IMPORTANT** — these are planned times. They are worked out in advance from an EXPECTED course length of 10.4 nm and EXPECTED light-air conditions. The course actually set and the breeze on the day may well be different, which would change how long the race really takes. The Race Committee may reissue this schedule before the first gun; once the first gun has sounded, the published times stand and no allowance is made for conditions turning out differently.

*Example: a J/22 rates 177 and an Ultimate 20 rates 144, a difference of 33 seconds per mile. Over the 10.4 nm course the J/22 needs about 6 minutes longer, so it starts that much earlier.*

### Race parameters

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|----------------------------------------|-------------|--|--|--|--|--|
| Expected course length (nm)            | 10.43 nm    |  |  |  |  |  |
| Expected common finish time (MT)       | 2:30 PM     |  |  |  |  |  |
| Expected conditions allowance (sec/nm) | 600         |  |  |  |  |  |
| First gun (slowest boat)               | 11:24:20 AM |  |  |  |  |  |
| Last gun (fastest boat)                | 12:20:40 PM |  |  |  |  |  |
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**Start schedule — check in with the Race Committee 10 minutes before your gun**

| Start Time (MT) | After First Gun<br>(min:sec) | Sail # | Boat Name                      | Skipper               | Class                         | Jordanelbow<br>Rating |
|-----------------|------------------------------|--------|--------------------------------|-----------------------|-------------------------------|-----------------------|
| 11:24:20 AM     | 0:00                         |        | Jolly Rancher                  | Justin Lance          | Open monohull (Montgomery 10) | 468                   |
| 12:09:35 PM     | 45:15                        | 242    |                                | JR Dethorn            | Melges 15                     | 208                   |
| 12:09:35 PM     | 45:15                        | 703    |                                | Annabel Jamail        | Melges 15                     | 208                   |
| 12:14:55 PM     | 50:35                        | 1483   |                                | Harriet Barkow        | J/22                          | 177                   |
| 12:14:55 PM     | 50:35                        | 757    | Astra                          | Quinn DeAngelis       | J/22                          | 177                   |
| 12:14:55 PM     | 50:35                        | 3      | Access J/22                    | Tyler England         | J/22                          | 177                   |
| 12:14:55 PM     | 50:35                        | 2      | Access J/22                    | Dennis Feldman        | J/22                          | 177                   |
| 12:14:55 PM     | 50:35                        | 725    | Mac's                          | Eric McClure          | J/22                          | 177                   |
| 12:14:55 PM     | 50:35                        | 4      | Access J/22                    | Orrin-Porter Morrison | J/22                          | 177                   |
| 12:14:55 PM     | 50:35                        | 5      | Access J/22 - Yet Another DRAM | David Rennie          | J/22                          | 177                   |
| 12:14:55 PM     | 50:35                        | 6      | Access J/22                    | Ralph Sawyer          | J/22                          | 177                   |
| 12:14:55 PM     | 50:35                        | 7      | Access J/22                    | Chris Tallackson      | J/22                          | 177                   |
| 12:15:25 PM     | 51:05                        |        | Catapult                       | Chad Wardle           | Open monohull (Santana 23D)   | 174                   |
| 12:16:30 PM     | 52:10                        |        | Access Merit 25                | Jeffrey Kluge         | Open monohull (Merit 25)      | 168                   |
| 12:20:30 PM     | 56:10                        | 115375 |                                | Richard Haugen        | Open multihull (Hobie 16)     | 145                   |
| 12:20:30 PM     | 56:10                        | 65425  | Cat out of the bag             | DeLynn Munford        | Open multihull (Hobie 16)     | 145                   |
| 12:20:40 PM     | 56:20                        | 24     | Avalanche                      | Claudio Brasca        | Ultimate 20                   | 144                   |
| 12:20:40 PM     | 56:20                        | 316    |                                | Dee Johnson           | Open monohull (Open 5.70)     | 144                   |
| 12:20:40 PM     | 56:20                        | 224    | TiramisU                       | Jeff Johnson          | Ultimate 20                   | 144                   |
| 12:20:40 PM     | 56:20                        | 89     | Aris                           | David Murphy          | Ultimate 20                   | 144                   |
| 12:20:40 PM     | 56:20                        | 36     | Lobo                           | Rob Wolff             | Ultimate 20                   | 144                   |

### About the Jordanelbow Rating

The Jordanelle Rating is a handicap number in seconds per nautical mile, loosely based on published PHRF ratings from Southern California and adapted for Jordanelle. A lower number means a faster boat. It is a fair-racing estimate for this event only — it is not a PHRF certificate, it does not carry over to any other regatta, and no boat is measured.

Where no published rating exists for a boat (notably the beach catamarans, M15 and Monty 10), the number has been estimated by comparison with similar boats.

Ratings and start times are assigned at the sole discretion of the Race Committee. The Race Committee may adjust any rating before the first gun, and its decisions on ratings are final and are not grounds for redress.

### Sailing notes

1. All times are Mountain Time (DST). Start times are rounded to the nearest 5 seconds.
2. A boat missing her start may start at any time thereafter but must sail the full course; no time allowance is given.
3. If the first gun is postponed, every later gun shifts by the same amount. The intervals between boats do not change.