

## Wednesday Pursuit races 2017 - Start times and Grading matrix

Start time 2017	Class	Grade	Example sailors
18:30:00	Optimist	Beg	
18:32:00	Optimist	Int	
18:34:00	Optimist	Adv	Adele Young
18:44:00	Mirror	Beg	Adrian Lucas
18:45:00			
18:46:00	Mirror	Int	
	Topper	Beg	
18:47:00			
18:48:00	Topper	Int	
	Mirror	Adv	
18:49:00			
18:50:00	Topper	Adv	
18:51:00	RS Q'ba	Beg	
	RS Feva	Beg	
18:52:00			
18:53:00	RS Q'ba	Int	
	RS Feva	Int	
	Laser 4.7	Beg	
18:54:00	Wanderer	Beg	
18:55:00	RS Q'ba	Adv	
	RS Feva	Adv	
	Laser 4.7	Int	
18:56:00	Firefly	Beg	
	Lightning	Beg	
	Wanderer	Int	
18:57:00	GP14	Beg	
	Byte C11	Beg	
	Solo	Beg	
	Laser 4.7	Adv	Milo Gill-Taylor
	Laser Radial	Beg	
18:58:00	Wanderer	Adv	
	Lightning	Int	Amanda Jukes
	Enterprise	Beg	Roy & Neil
	RS Vision	Beg	
	Byte C11	Int	
	Firefly	Int	
18:59:00	Byte C11	Int	
	GP14	Int	
	420	Beg	
	Laser Radial	Int	
	Solo	Int	
	Aero 7	Beg	
	Laser Std	Beg	
19:00:00	N12	Beg	
	Lightning	Adv	
	Firefly	Adv	Tom Clay, Ed Morris, Greg Ansell
	Byte C11	Adv	
	Scorpion	Beg	
	Enterprise	Int	
	Laser 2000	Beg	
	Vision	Int	
19:01:00	420	Int	
	GP14	Adv	
	Laser Std	Int	
	Aero 7	Int	
	Aero 9	Beg	
	Solo	Adv	Ian Campbell, Ben Cooper, Tim Wade, Jamie Holmes
	Laser Radial	Adv	

Start time 2017	Class	Grade	Example sailors
19:02:00	RS 200	Beg	
	Phantom/Finn	Beg	
	Enterprise	Adv	
	N12	Int	
	Scorpion	Int	
	RS Vision	Adv	
	Laser 2000	Int	
19:03:00	RS 300	Beg	
	Scorpion	Adv	
	420	Adv	
	Laser Std	Adv	Martin Urmson, Paul Broadway, Ian Hickman
	Aero 7	Adv	
	Aero 9	Int	
	Tasar	Beg	
	RS Vareo	Beg	
19:04:00	Phantom/Finn	Int	
	N12	Adv	Felix Newall Smith
	Scorpion	Adv	
	RS 400	Beg	
	RS 200	Int	
	Laser 2000	Adv	
19:05:00	RS Vareo	Int	Alex Richardson
	Tasar	Int	
	Aero 9	Adv	
	RS 300	Int	Bryn Phillips
19:06:00	RS 400	Int	Paul Naser
	RS 200	Adv	
	Phantom/Finn	Adv	
19:07:00	RS Vareo/RS 300	Adv	
	Tasar	Adv	
19:08:00	RS 400/300	Adv	

Grading  
scheme :

Beg

**Beginner** - New to sailing, or full of knowledge but hasn't been able to practice it in real situations.

Int

**Intermediate** - Has confidence, knowledge, and the skills to match. Occasional racing participant but often a middle fleet finisher rarely a podium finisher.

Adv

**Advanced** - Competitive regular participant at club racing, top of the fleet or consistent podium finisher.

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Anyone moving to a different class is expected to maintain their grading in their new class initially.

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It should be noted that the above grading system does not work well with some classes of boat, in particular the faster trapeze / Spinnaker / Asymetrics which may appear to have been given unreasonably generous start times. This is a reflection on their performance on this water.

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Results will be reviewed regularly to ensure people are in an appropriate slot and any changes notified to them. In the event of any failure to reach an amicable agreement on a start time, please refer to the Rear Commodore Sailing who will conduct a consultation within the Sailing Committee who will pass judgement within 7 days.

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Entrants who achieve finishing positions of either 1st or 2nd of each race are required to move their start times back by 1 minute for the following race that they participate in. Thereafter, a finishing position of 3rd or below permits their start time to revert back to its original slot.