

SCORING

- verb
- scored; scoring
- **1a:** to keep a record or account of by or as if by notches on a tally : RECORD
- **b:** to enter in a record
- **c:** to mark with significant lines or notches (as in keeping account)



Accuracy is the name of the game



LASER FOCUS = Accuracy = Happy Sailors



Just Like Santa...Make Your List, Check it Twice

- Fast is good...accurate is better
 - Scoring is done in real time
- Multiple ways to check your work in scoring programs
- Always a way to fix an error OR ask for assistance aka Linda 😊
 - Look at Results
- Show the PRO...they are ultimately responsible (so make them look good!)



OD or Handicap?

- Consider what boats are competing in the regatta OR on the course you are scoring.
 - If only One Design boats, the timers don't need to take ALL the finish times outside of information the Race Officer requests, so you can enter finishes very quickly in MOST programs just by highlighting/clicking on the correct boat.
 - If OD and handicapped entries are in the same race, you may find it easier to write down all the finish times in case there are overlaps in classes as they cross the line. This is typical of FB/WNR scoring and some weekend regattas too.
- The scribe should have all the information you need to know about start times and other items such as the "alphabet soup" ie, DNS, DNF, etc., but good to keep that information too if possible.
 - The Race Officer will provide distance of race if needed for a ToD event. Currently, all AYC races are ToT. **YS needs something in the distance field..one (1) is our go to option for WNR & FB.**



Scoring Programs

- Yachtscoring is used for all AYC adult regattas including our series and weekend regattas, championships as well as the Annapolis to Newport Race.
- ClubSpot is used for AYC Junior Regattas
- Regatta Network – no longer used by AYC but used by many YC's on the Bay



DUPLICATES...double trouble

- There is usually time before racing starts or just after the first race of the day, to confirm if there are any duplicate sail numbers. You can find them on the scratch sheet.
- With dupes, take a look at boats finishing around that particular sail number. **For example, there is a J/105 #220 Lagniappe and a J/70 #220 Phoenix. In FB this year, Phoenix is in PHRF which is towards the end of the sequence while J/105 are the first start.**



Compare Finish Order to Finish Sheet Master

EVENT: <i>Frontier</i>		DATE: <i>18 Feb 2024</i>		RACE #: <i>4 Level 2</i>	
RECORDER: <i>Castelle Norwood</i>				PAGE #:	
SAIL	REMARKS/TIME	SAIL	REMARKS/TIME	SAIL	REMARKS/TIME
1	<i>202 1512 49</i>	31	<i>526 1534 52</i>	61	
2	<i>322 1514 57</i>	32	<i>478 1537 08</i>	62	
3	<i>252 1515 00</i>	33	<i>1657 1538 07</i>	63	
4	<i>321 1515 18</i>	34	<i>1226 1538 35</i>	64	
5	<i>102 1516 16</i>	35	<i>5854 1538 48</i>	65	
6	<i>67 1517 00</i>	36	<i>1297 1539 29</i>	66	
7	<i>407 1517 03</i>	37	<i>252 1539 51</i>	67	
8	<i>220 1517 28</i>	38	<i>1051 1539 56</i>	68	
9	<i>527¹⁰ 1517 30</i>	39	<i>933 1540 04</i>	69	
10	<i>251 1518 12</i>	40	<i>1649 1540 30</i>	70	
11	<i>52983 1522 31</i>	41	<i>681 1540 48</i>	71	
12	<i>2163 1522 35</i>	42	<i>711 1541 15</i>	72	
13	<i>22 1522 48</i>	43	<i>945 1541 38</i>	73	
14	<i>51 1523 07</i>	44	<i>896 1542 57</i>	74	
15	<i>40561 1523 50</i>	45		75	
16	<i>33123 1524 11</i>	46		76	
17	<i>63264 1524 16</i>	47		77	
18	<i>63252 1524 55</i>	48		78	
19	<i>99 1525 38</i>	49		79	
20	<i>220¹⁰ 1527 13</i>	50		80	
21	<i>15 1528 16</i>	51		81	
22	<i>156 1528 32</i>	52		82	
23	<i>443 1529 14</i>	53		83	
24	<i>357 1529 38</i>	54		84	
25	<i>63 1530 25</i>	55		85	
26	<i>1217 1530 53</i>	56		86	



What is she talking about?

- Yachtscoring Admin Page
- Entering Starting Times
- Entering Finish Times
- Alphabet Soup and Penalties
- Finish Order Report and Results



Scoring is FUN....

- Seriously...it is. You get to push buttons, check boxes, make sailors happy AND you make the RC look good!
- Tools of the trade: highlighters are your friend, glasses (come on...stop squinting) and a computer.
 - AFTER THE FACT.....
- Scoring inquiries....who gets them?
- Happy to offer 1 on 1 or small group instruction.

