Yarmouth Gaffers Regatta 2025

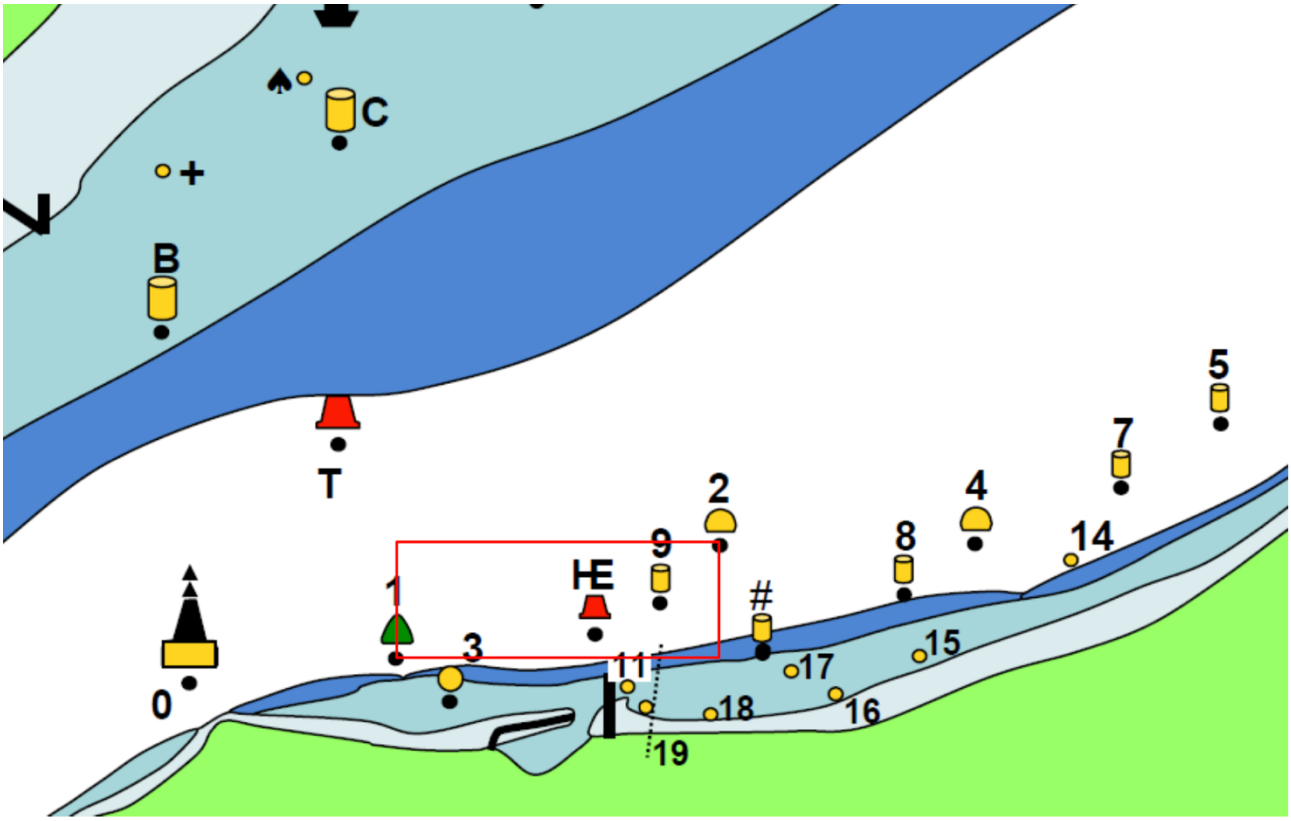
Passage Race

The passage race requires recording of the
Departure time and arrival time*
Time under power
Navigable distance
Time under fair tide
Time under foul tide
Course taken

These should be entered into the form and the form handed into the registration desk or the declarations box on the Golant Gaffer ‘Satellite’ in Yarmouth Harbour.

If making a longer passage involving making stops along the way, the qualifying passage is the last leg that ends at Yarmouth.

*The arrival time is taken when entering the box indicated below



Passage Race Declaration Form

BOAT NAME:_____ **OGA THCF:**_____

Please note below any marks from where you started your passage and marks rounded on passage so that the navigable distance can be checked.

DEPARTURE POINT/START LINE_____
COURSE SAILED:_____

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FINISH LINE:

SKIPPER'S DECLARATION

START TIME:_____- **FINISH TIME:**_____

ACTUAL TIME ON PASSAGE	mins	**PASSAGE RACE NOTES** It is up to individual skippers when they start a passage. Engines or sweeps may be used to plug a foul tide or maintain progress in a calm, but twice the time under power is added to the time on passage as a penalty! Navigable distance is the shortest possible route along the specified course, if you have to sail further because of tacking then that is your hard luck. If you have a foul tide (which we assume runs at 1.5 knots) we add to the navigable distance, or fair one we take the equivalent away. The winner is the boat with the best average speed on passage, after taking into account the handicap. **Hand this declaration into registration as soon as you are ashore or to Sue Pennison on board Satellite (Golant Gaffer)** Have an enjoyable trip!
+ 2 X TIME UNDER POWER	mins	
TOTAL RECONABLE TIME IN MINUTES	mins	
NAVIGABLE DISTANCE	miles	
LESS HOURS OF FAIR TIDE _____HRS x 1.5 MILES	miles	
PLUS HOURSOF FOUL TIDE _____HRS x 1.5 MILES	miles	
TOTAL RECKONABLE MILES	miles	

Signed & Date_____

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AVERAGE SPEED = TOTAL MILES_____/TOTAL TIME_____X 60

=_____KNOTS

CORRECTED SPEED= AV. SPEED_____/OGA THCF=_____**KNOTS**