



EC12 Class Code of Conduct

Every time we put our boat on the water, we become Ambassadors of our hobby and the EC12 Class. How we conduct ourselves on the water and along the shore is a reflection on the Class itself. Spectators, children, interested new skippers, and most importantly, our fellow skippers see and hear what we do and say and take that away with them. It is the responsibility of all of us to conduct ourselves in a manner that keeps the EC12 Class in good standing and promotes the sport of model sailing.

To that end, ALL EC12 Class regattas will maintain the highest level of courtesy towards those around us at the lakeshore and respect the Racing Rules of Sailing.

2. FAIR SAILING

A boat and her owner shall compete in compliance with recognized principles of sportsmanship and fair play. A boat may be penalized under this rule only if it is clearly established that these principles have been violated. The penalty shall be either disqualification or disqualification that is not excludable.

The following statement should be included in all Notice of Race and/or Sailing Instructions for EC12 regattas:

CORINTHIAN SPIRIT

Remember that we are always in Friendly Competition. In the event of any protested behavior which is deemed to be a breach of good manners or sportsmanship, or which may bring the sport into disrepute, the Race Director or other designated race officials will protest the party(ies) in accordance with RRS 2.

Penalties available to the RD and/or Protest Committee include a one turn penalty without a hearing, exclusion from the race in question, or expulsion from the regatta.

In the event a skipper is removed from the regatta, a report on the incident should be sent to the Class Secretary for review.

Joe Walter
EC12 Class Secretary