

Textile River Regatta

TRR Start Line Area

GENERAL NOTES

- Your coach can't help you here. Have your plan in advance.
- Be alert for megaphone instructions from marshals. Make visual contacts. High density of boats - mind your space and power.

STAGING AREA

- Proceed to the STAGING area and wait for a Marshal to advance you to the QUEUING area.
- The STAGING area is meant to collect boats together for the next two or three races.

QUEING AREA

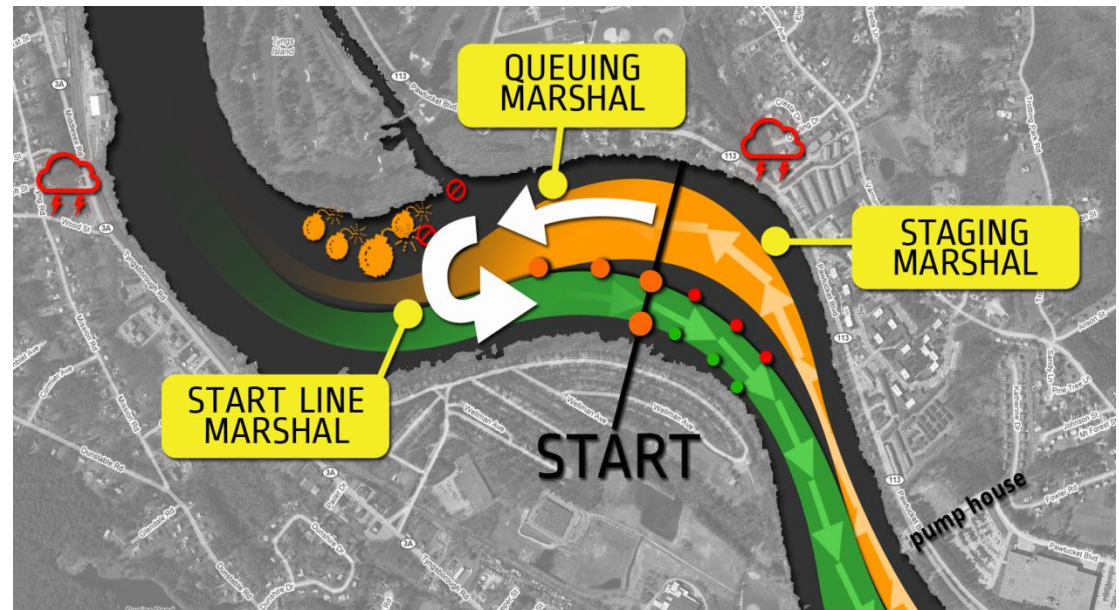
- The QUEING Marshal will sequence boats in bow number order and pass them into the turn to the START LINE Marshal.

START LINE MARSHAL

- The START LINE Marshal will sequence boats in a zipper fashion, odd and even, in strict bow number order to the Start Line.
- Once past the START LINE Marshal, direct your attention to the Start Line for instructions to raise power and start your race.
- Large orange buoys mark the Start Line. Red and Green buoys will mark the course well into the first turn.

WARM-UP AREA UPRIVER FROM THE START

- The area above the Start Line on the portion of the river adjacent to Tyng Island is available as a warm-up area for experienced crews. We do not recommend that novice boats enter this area.
- If you do elect to row beyond the Start line, please proceed in a counter-clockwise pattern. Keep Tyng Island on your starboard when traveling upriver, then make a left turn to proceed down to the Start on the opposite side of the river from the island.
- This section of the river is extremely tight – single file only, with cautious passing.



- Be aware of the start time of your event; return back to the Start Marshal area in plenty of time to join your race in bow number order.