



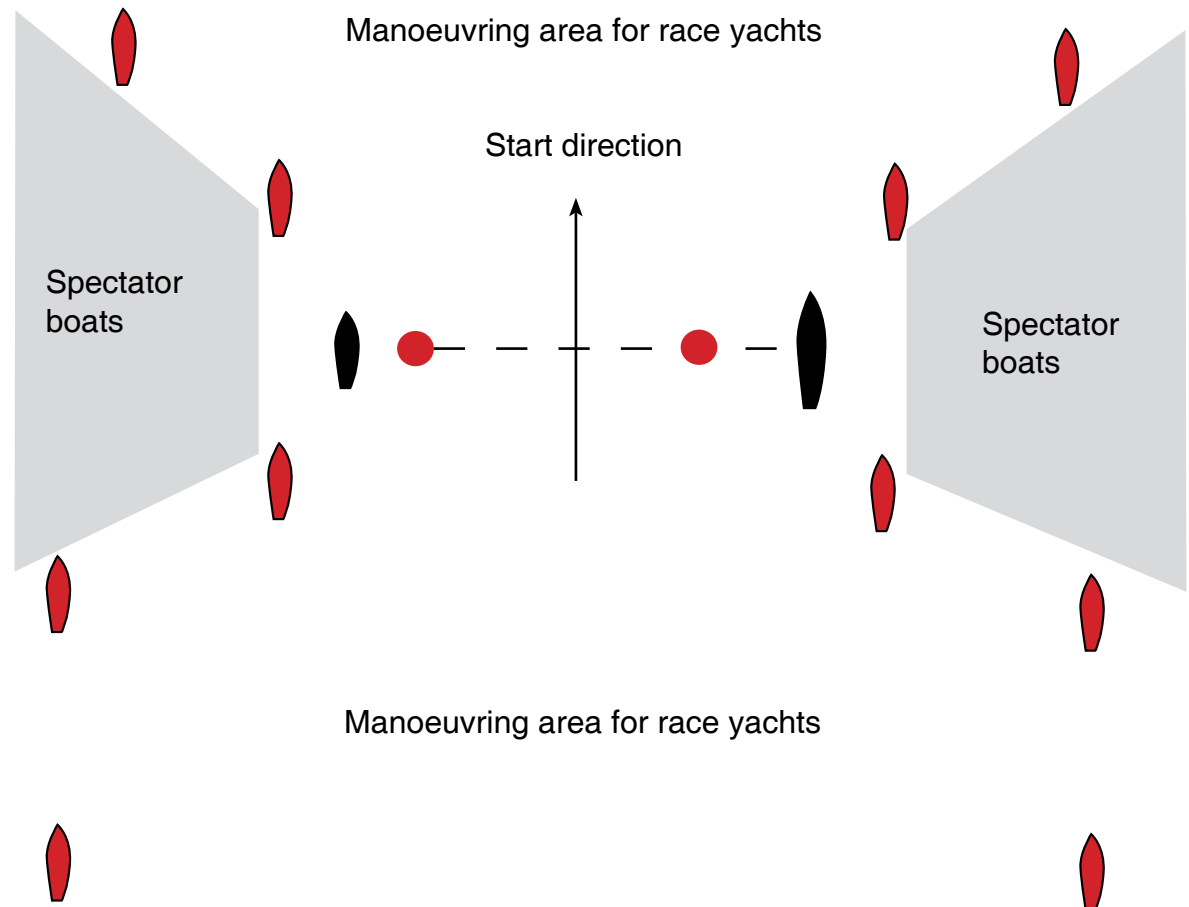
IMPORTANT SAFETY INFORMATION

GUIDANCE FOR SPECTATOR BOATS & RIBS

1. You can closely follow the fleet but please join to watch any J class yacht from behind or to one side - but not forward of the beam.
2. Please watch for signals from the yacht's Navigator who may ask you to clear away for an impending manoeuvre.
3. Each yacht is followed by a dedicated SAFETY RIB flying a blue JCA Flag. Please follow any safety instructions they may give you.
4. Please be aware of other J Class yachts - which may be behind you, or closing fast at an angle.
5. Please be aware of, and respect all other spectator boats around you.
6. We recommend that lifejackets are worn by all spectators, especially as each stern wave from the yachts can be very large.

START:

These yachts need space to manoeuvre at full speed. Please keep to safe areas behind the marshalling boats. J Class Yachts will have two dedicated RIBs, one guarding each side. Please keep well clear and respect their instructions.



These yachts weigh 200 tons and will be travelling at up to 14 knots at the start. They cannot get out of the way of rogue boats crossing in front of them. Please help us run a safe race for all to enjoy by respecting the start area.