

NYC REGATTA 2023 Signalling Flags

1. Class flags: MAIN FLEET: (Delta)

JUNIOR FLEET: (Lima)

2. Start sequence:

The meanings of visual and sound signals are stated below. An arrow pointing up or down (\uparrow or \downarrow) means that a visual signal is displayed or removed. A dot (·) means a short sound, a long dash (—) means a long sound.

Time	Signal	Flag	Sound
5 min	Warning	CLASS FLAG↑	-
4 min	Prep	→	•
1 min	One min		_
Start	Start	CLASS FLAG↓	•

3. Other signals:

Signal	Flag	Sound	Notes
Racing will commence		↑ "	The warning signal will be made 1 minute after removal unless at that time the race is <i>postponed</i>
shortly (NYC only)		\downarrow ·	
Postponement		↑ "	Races not started are <i>postponed.</i> The warning signal will be made 1 minute after removal
		↓ ·	unless at that time the race is postponed again or abandoned.
Individual Recall	-	↑ ·	The flag shall be displayed until all such boats have sailed completely to the pre-start side
		\checkmark	of the starting line but no later than four minutes after the starting signal
General Recall		↑	If unable to identify boats that are on the course side of the starting line or there has been
		1	an error in the starting procedure, the race committee may signal a general recall. The warning signal for a new
			start for the recalled class shall be made one minute after flag removed

Shortened Course		↑	 The finishing line shall be: (a) At a rounding <i>mark</i>, between the <i>mark</i> and a staff displaying flag S; (b) A line the course requires boats to cross (c) At a gate, between the gate <i>marks</i> The shortened course shall be signalled before the first boat crosses the finishing line
Abandon	- 22	↑ …	
Finish		•	Where possible but not necessary