

Racing Rules of Sailing

Race Signals

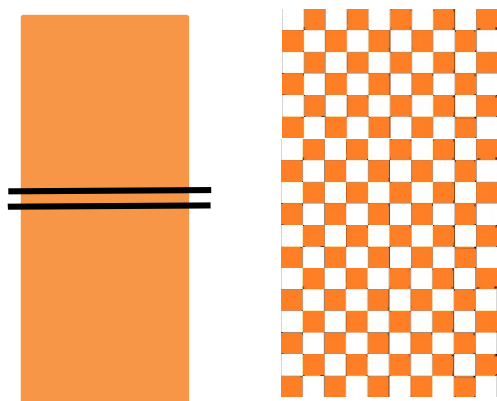
A submission from the International Funboard Class Association

Purpose or Objective

Simplify the identification of the start line.

Proposal

Amend Race Signals as follows:



Orange and white checkered flag (90 x 150 cm) or shape. This race committee boat is in position at the start line.

Current Position

As above.

Reasons

1. Checkered flags are used to start a lot of racing events. The combination of orange/white checkered flags at the start and black/white checkered flags at the finish has been used and tested for many years by Kite racing events and are very recognisable landmarks off the course.
 2. With a tall shape, reflected also if needed in an orange/white checkered start mark it identifies without any doubt the start line.
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