



## Hydro Class Penalties

*All penalties will be issued at the judge's discretion.*

### **Warning (yellow card)**

Examples:

- erratic driving
- driver appears to have no control/steering
- not leaving a gap of 3 meters before going onto the same lane as a boat being overtaken
- shouting on the pontoon (mild shouting only!)

### **1 lap penalty**

- Second warning/offence
- Missing a buoy
- Cutting across the course
- Passing too close to the pontoon (within 3 meters)
- Turning in excess of 45 degrees and hindering a fellow competitor
- Deliberately zigzagging and swapping lanes to avoid being overtaken

### **Red card**

- Third offence (only 2 penalties can be received in 1 race)
- Driver cannot steer properly (already received a warning about steering)
- Hitting a dead boat

### **Red card (whole event)**

- Deliberately taking out another competitor
- Abusive and/or disruptive behaviour (already received a warning)