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<u>Class Names</u>	<u>Signs per week</u>	<u>Session Length</u>	<u>Page</u>
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**MASTER/EXCELLENT CLASSES** – *This class is for experienced handlers. Sessions I-IV are designed for a **Combination** class. The first 8 signs are only Novice & Advanced signs for dogs who have experience, but do not have a Novice title. They do the first 8 signs. Then signs #9 & 10 are treated as FINISH and SIT/STAY.*

Session I	All Signs.....	17-18 signs.....	7 weeks.....	5
Session II	All Signs.....	17-18 signs.....	7 weeks.....	13
Session III	All Signs.....	16-18 signs.....	7 weeks.....	21
Session IV	All Signs.....	16-18 signs.....	7 weeks.....	29
Session V	All Signs.....	10-11 signs.....	12 weeks.....	37
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Session VII	All Signs.....	10-11 signs.....	12 weeks.....	65
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**ADVANCED NOVICE CLASSES** – this class is for handler/dogs who have completed a Novice class

Session I	Novice/Adv Signs.....	(1 <sup>st</sup> 8 signs) .....	7 weeks.....	5
Session II	Novice/Adv Signs.....	(1 <sup>st</sup> 8 signs) .....	7 weeks.....	13
Session III	Novice/Adv Signs.....	(1 <sup>st</sup> 8 signs) .....	7 weeks.....	21
Session IV	Novice/Adv Signs.....	(1 <sup>st</sup> 8 signs) .....	7 weeks.....	29
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**NOVICE CLASSES-** this class is for handler/dogs who have little or no Rally experience

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*We include the Glossary of Obedience Terms because Rally Regulations defer to Obedience Regulations when needed.*

## Introduction

It's been 1 ½ years since we began playing with our newest Rally signs and designing courses. The 2017 Trainer's Workbook 6.0 courses are still up-to-date, but this book goes much further with giving trainers so many more choices for sessions to teach all levels of classes.

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**This 2019 Trainer's Workbook has something for every Rally Trainer!**

- ✓ Eight 6 to 7-week Master sessions (all signs covered each session)
- ✓ Four 12-week Master sessions (all signs covered each session)
- ✓ Eight 6 to 8-week Adv/Nov sessions (all Nov/Adv signs covered each session)
- ✓ Four 6-week Novice sessions (all Novice signs covered each session)
- ✓ All courses are "to scale".
- ✓ Trainers will love the versatility for teaching any level of class!
- ✓ There is 14' allowed for the Master jump signs.
- ✓ There is the regulation 15' and 6' allowed for the different "Call" and "cone" signs.
- ✓ All of the Call signs have the exit going to the right, making it easier for the handler.

All handouts and the trainers guide from Workbook 6.0 have been completely revised in this Workbook. There is also a page with the three regulation Cloverleaf paths.

*Jumps and Sit-Stay signs cannot be retried at Trials.* For this reason, it's important to introduce these signs early in Rally training. These signs are introduced in week 2 or 3 in all of the Novice sessions.

### **I to XII - ALL SIGNS SESSIONS**

The first 4 sessions are designed to be used for any of the following classes:

- Advanced students learning all signs in one session (16-18 signs each week)
- Combination class of Novice and Advanced students. Novice students only do the first 8 signs. Advanced students do all 16-18 signs.
- Novice students learning only Novice and Advanced signs (first 8 signs)

### **XIII to XVI - NOVICE/ADVANCED SESSIONS**

These sessions are designed specifically for Novice students who are not just starting out in Rally and are ready to be challenged by learning the Intermediate/Advanced signs along with the Novice signs.

### **XVII to XX – NOVICE SESSIONS**

These 4 sessions are designed specifically for Novice students who are just beginning in Rally or have little or no Rally knowledge. These sessions have ONLY Novice signs.

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Workbook 6.0 has been totally redone, giving you many more courses for teaching all classes and 6.0 courses have been redesigned making them more user friendly. All of the handouts have been rewritten and there are many more "Notes" after sign descriptions to help handlers with individual signs. Sample:



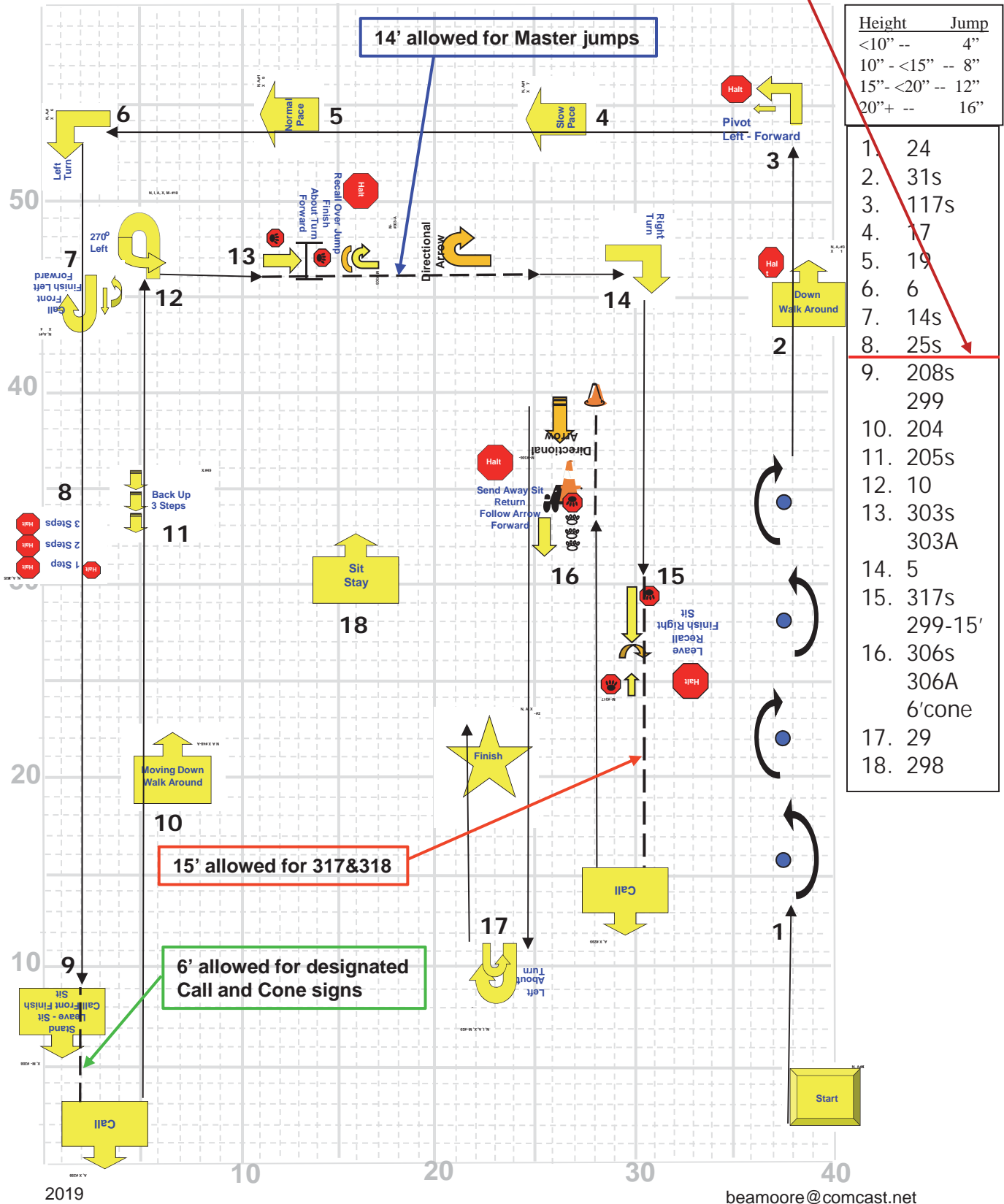
306. **HALT - Send Away Sit - Return - Follow Arrow Forward** – The pylon will be placed approximately 6 feet away from the sign. While heeling, **the handler halts and the dog sits.** **When sent, the dog must go to the area of the pylon stop and sit** with its attention on the handler, but it need not sit squarely. **The dog must stay while the handler returns** to heel position. The handler may return to heel position by going directly to heel or walking around behind the dog. **The handler must pause** before heeling forward in the direction of the arrow. **Sign 306A must be used with this sign.** (Stationary) *\*Teach your dog to "send away" by using a cone or platform. Using cone can be taught as a "fly" or "around" cone. Using platform is easy once you "magnetize" dog to platform.*

# I. All Signs – Week 5

## SAMPLE COURSE

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Division for Combo Master/Novice Class

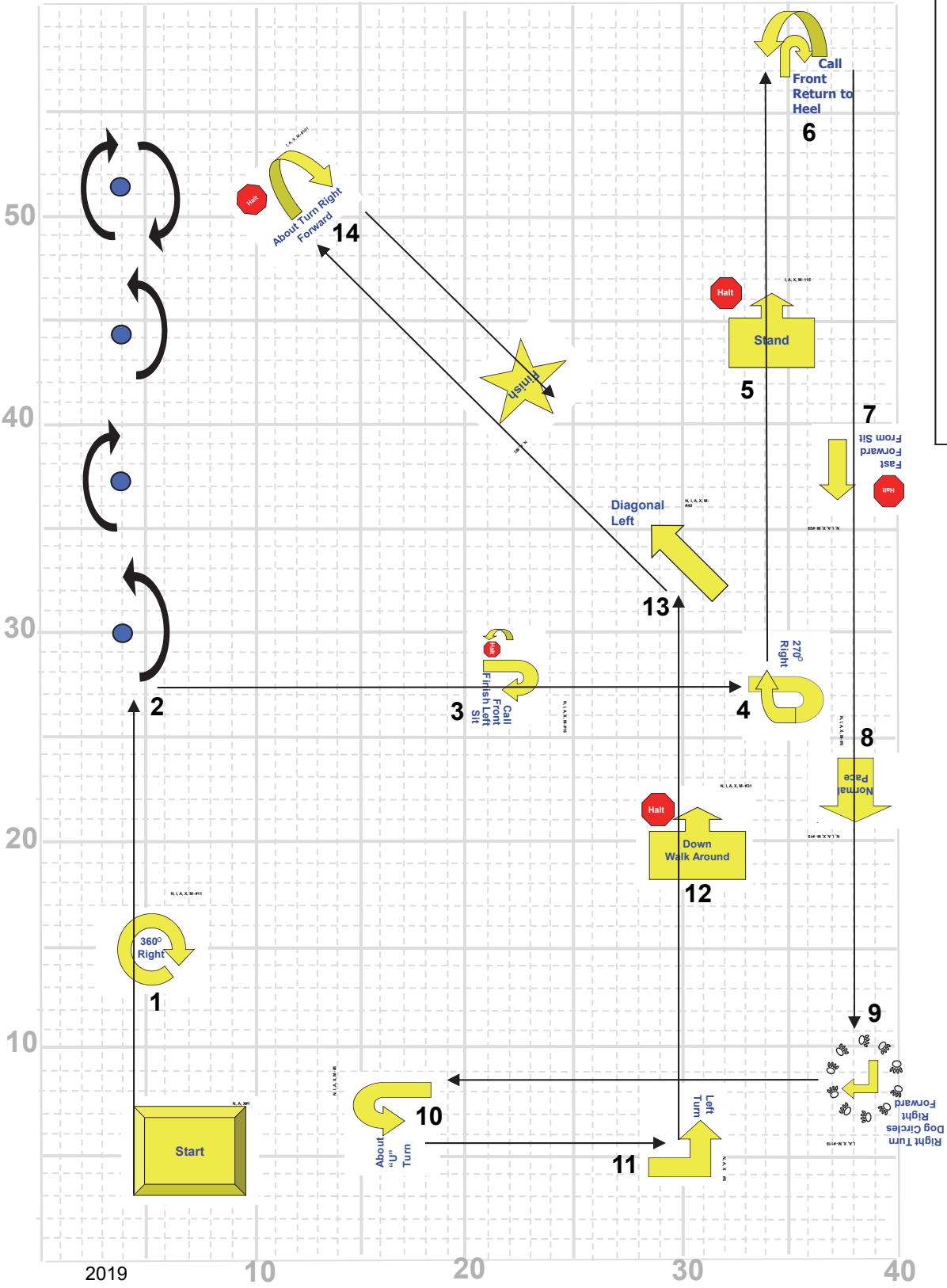


	Height	Jump
	<10" --	4"
	10" - <15" --	8"
	15" - <20" --	12"
	20"+ --	16"
1.	24	
2.	31s	
3.	117s	
4.	17	
5.	19	
6.	6	
7.	14s	
8.	25s	
9.	208s	
	299	
10.	204	
11.	205s	
12.	10	
13.	303s	
	303A	
14.	5	
15.	317s	
	299-15'	
16.	306s	
	306A	
	6'cone	
17.	29	
18.	298	

Jumps and Sit-Stay are introduced my Novice classes in week 2 or 3. These two signs cannot be repeated at Trials and should be taught early in training.

**XVI. Novice/Advanced Week 1**

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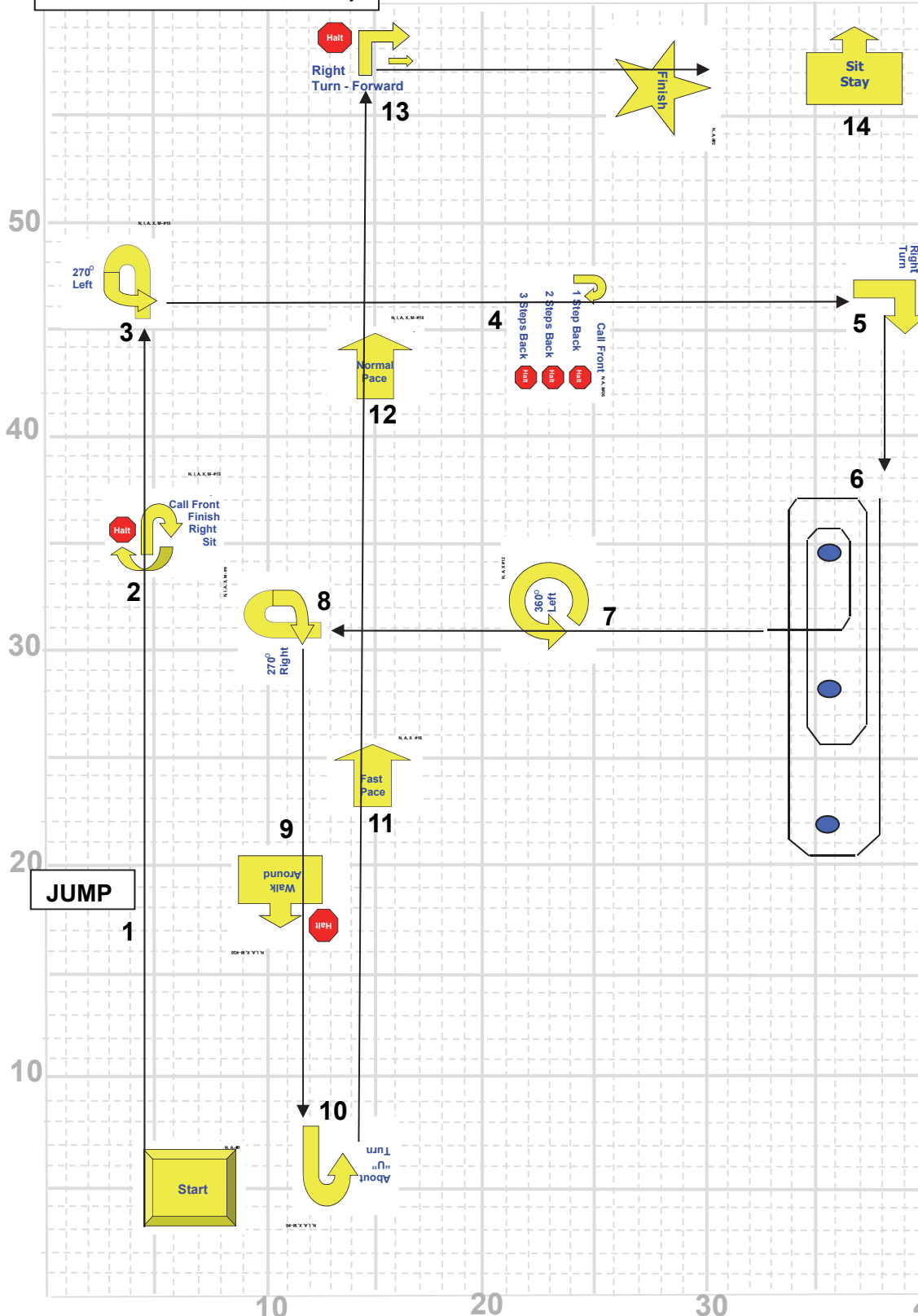
- 1. 11
- 2. 23
- 3. 16s
- 4. 9
- 5. 115s
- 6. 35s
- 7. 28s
- 8. 19
- 9. 119
- 10. 8
- 11. 6
- 12. 31s
- 13. 40
- 14. 101s

# Introduction of Jump

# XX. Novice Week 3

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# Introduction of Sit-Stay



1.	103
2.	15s
3.	10
4.	26s
5.	5
6.	21
7.	12
8.	9
9.	30s
10.	8
11.	18
12.	19
13.	33
14.	298