

PRELIMINARY NOTICE OF RACE SNIPE CLASS INTERNATIONAL RACING ASSOCIATION

European Championship 2014 Junior and Senior

Junior European Championship Trophy 2014 13-17.08.2014 European Championship Trophy 2014 17-23.2014

ORGANIZING AUTHORITY:

Yacht Club Kamień Pomorski Al. Mistrzów Żeglarstwa 2 72-400 Kamień Pomorski

affiliated with Polish Yachting Association in co-operation with the Snipe Class International Racing Association.

1. RULES:

The regatta will be governed by:

- 1.1 The rules as defined in the Racing Rules of Sailing. (RRS)
- 1.2 The SCIRA Rules of Conduct for Conducting National and International Championship Regattas (RoC)
- 1.3 The Deed of Gift.
- **1.4** No national prescriptions will apply.
- **1.5** The decision of the jury will be final in accordance with RRS 70.5.
- 1.6 RRS Appendix P will apply.
- **1.7** RRS 35 will be changed to provide that boats not finishing within 30 minutes after the first boat to finish will be scored "Did Not Finish" without a hearing.
- **1.8** RRS 62.2 and 66 will be changed to shorten the time for requesting redress and the requesting that a hearing be re-opened on the last day of racing.
- **1.9** RRS 30.3 will not be used.
- 1.10 RRS 32.2 and 33 will be changed to limit course changes
- **1.11** RRS 60.1(a) will be changed to restrict protest from boats for specific items on the NoR and SI.
- 1.12 RSS 64.2 will be changed to compel the Jury/PC to abandon a race as required by RoC 18.
- 1.13 If there is a conflict between languages the English text will take precedence.

2. ADVERTISING:

- 2.1 Advertising is permitted in accordance with ISAF Regulation 20 and SCIRA rules
- 2.2 Boats may be required to display advertising chosen and supplied by the organizing authority



3. ENTRY AND ELIGIBILITY:

- **3.1** This regatta is open to SCIRA registered boats and Class Member skippers (and crews for National and International Championships) who are in good standing with Country and SCIRA for the current year, subject to any Deed of Gift restrictions and all boats must have a current SCIRA decal.
- **3.2** Skippers and crews can be from any Country worldwide.
- **3.3** There is no limit to entries for any Country.
- 3.4 No skipper or crew shall be eligible to enter any Class championship race unless:
- they possess and present a current Class Membership Card, or
- SCIRA-issued equivalent, or
- shows as current member in the SCIRA Official Online Database.
- **3.5** All skippers and crew must be citizens, or bonafide residents for at least one year, of the country they represent and each skipper and crew must present credentials signed by his National Secretary attesting that he is the entrant and they must be:

Seniors – mast be over 12 years of age.

Juniors - must be over 14 years and under 22 years of age (not having their 22nd birthday during the calendar year of 2014).

- **3.6** All entrants shall be approved by the National Secretary affiliated with the skipper.
- **3.7** Bow numbers are assigned at registration and it shall be each competitor's sole responsibility to properly affix them in conformance with the instructions and to properly maintain them.

4. FEES:

- **4.1** No entry fee is planned for Juniors upon early registration. Late entry fee will be 100 EURO, charged after 15.06.2014..
- 4.2 The entry fee for Seniors will be 250 EURO per boat received before 15.06.2014.

The fee includes racing and social events: opening ceremony, mid-regatta dinners and events, daily race snacks and meals, closing ceremony and prize giving.

- **4.3** The late entry the fee will be 350 EURO per boat received after 15.06.2014 but not later than 15.07.2014.
- 4.4 The payments should be made by a bank transfer: TBA

5. SCHEDULE

5.1 Registration:

<u>Junior:</u>

13.08.2014 (from 12:00 to 19:00)

14.08.2014 (from 11:00 to 13:00)

Senior:

17.08.2014 (from 13:00 to 20:00)

18.08.2014 (from 8:00 to 19:00) if necessary, the registration and measurements for seniors can take place during the Junior Championships.

5.2 Measurement:

Junior:

13.08.2014 (from 12:00 to 19:00)

14.08.2014 (from 11:00 to 13:00)

Senior:

17.08.2014 (from 13:00 to 20:00)



18.08.2014 (from 8:00 to 19:00)

19.08.2014 (from 8:00 to 10:00) if necessary, the registration and measurements for seniors can take place during the Junior Championships.

5.3 Schedule of Races:

Junior:

14.08.2014 first warning signal at 13:55. There are 3 races planned. No warning signal will be made after

15.08.2014 (from 10:55 to 16:00) first warning signal at 10:55. There are 3 races planned.

16.08.2014 (from 10:55 to 16:00) first warning signal at 10:55. There are 3 races planned.

17.08.2014 first warning signal at 10:55. There are 2 races planned. No warning signal will be made after 14:00.

Senior:

19.08.2014 (from 14:00) official training and performing a preliminary race.

20.08.2014 (from 10:55 to 16:00) first warning signal at 10:55. There are 3 races planned.

21.08.2014 (from 10:55 to 16:00) first warning signal at 10:55. There are 3 races planned.

22.08.2014 (from 10:55 to 16:00) first warning signal at 10:55. There are 3 races planned.

23.08.2014 first warning signal at 10:55. There are 2 races planned. No warning signal will be made after 14:00

6. MEASUREMENT:

6.1 Measurement will take place in the hangar facilities of Kamień Pomorski Marina,

ul. Wilków Morskich 4

6.2 All boats shall produce a valid measurement certificate and are subject to measurement at any time at the reasonable discretion of the Class or Race Committee.

6.3 All boats are required to have a current Class decal properly displayed.

7. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS:

The Sailing Instructions will be available in the office facilities of Kamień Pomorski Marina, Al. Mistrzów Żeglarstwa 2

8. VENUE.

Races will be sailed on the waters of Kamień Pomorski Bay.

9. COURSES:

The courses to be sailed are the Class approved courses for National and International Championship regattas as published in the current SCIRA Official Rulebook and SCIRA web site.

10. SCORING:

The low Point Scoring System, RRS Appendix A, will apply, modified according to SCIRA Deed of Gift.

11. SUPPORT BOATS:

Support boats shall register, within the limits specified in 5.1 above, to the Organizing Committee that will assign an identification to be shown visible on the boat throughout the event.



12. INSURANCE:

Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum cover of 1,500,000.00. EURO per incident or the equivalent

13. RADIO COMMUNICATION:

13.1 Except in an emergency, a boat shall neither make radio transmissions while racing nor receive radio communications not available to all boats.

13.2 This restriction also applies to mobile telephones.

14. DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See rule 4, Decision to Race. The organizing authority will not accept any liability for material damage or personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with, prior to, during, or after the regatta.

15. PRIZES:

Championship Trophy for the best European Junior and Senior crews' fleets Medals for the best three Junior and Senior Europeans Crews. In the open classification prizes will be awarded to the best five(5) placed boats in the final results The organizing authority will announce the list of prizes in a separate notice before 15.07.2014

PRACTICAL INFORMATION (Not part of the Notice of Race)

SOCIAL:

Sunday, 17th august 2014: 5.00 pm -the open ceremony and dinner. Saturday, 23th august 20124 4.00 pm - Prize-giving ceremony.

SCIRA REPRESENTATIVE:

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REGATTA WEBSITE:

www.eurosnipe2014.com



CHARTER BOATS:

There is a limited number of Snipe boats to charter available for foreign crews.

Contact: Enrico Michel e-mail: info@dbmarine.it tel. +39 040 9899443 mobile: +39 320 4916736

HOUSING:

We would like recommend one resort for all competitors – Jantar Resort in Dziwnówek – on the Baltic coast, 8 km from the Sailing Village. The price is 43,50 EUR per person per day (double, triple rooms), including: breakfast and dinner, Wi-Fi, swimming pool, sauna and parking.

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