



49° CRITERIUM DI PRIMAVERA (SPRING CRITERIUM)

MEDITERRANEAN CHAMPIONSHIP SNIPE 2008

NOTICE OF RACE

1. **Organizing Club:**

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2. **Rules:**

the regatta will be sailed according to the current Racing Rules of Sailing ISAF (RRS), and the provisions laid down by the Federazione Italiana Vela, Snipe Class Rules, the Sailing Instructions and any subsequent amendment, the Notice of Race.

3. **Advertising:**

the event is classified as category "C" as per appendix 1, Regulation 20 of the Rrs.

4. **Entry:**

the regatta is open to all competitors and registered boats associated with the Snipe Class Association. Italian competitors must have an Italian Sailing Federation card for the current year, with a valid license and health visa.

5. **Registration:**

the entries should be addressed to the Organizing Club by 15 March 2008. The entry fee is fixed at € 60.00.

6. **Races:**

the championship shall be sailed on the dates programmed with a maximum of 9 races. The starting time of the first race to be disputed on 22 and 23 March will be displayed on the official notice board, any variations from the previous day will be communicated before 19.00.

The regatta shall be valid whatever the number of races completed.

7. **Dates of Races:**

- 21 March 2008: first race at 12:00; race/races;
- 22 March 2008: race/races;
- 23 March 2008: race/races followed by prize ceremony.

The Race Committee can modify the programme in case of a bad weather forecast or for any other reason.

8. **Certificate of measurement:**

this should be presented to the Club's secretariat.



9. Measurement inspections:

inspections can be carried out at any moment, at the discretion of the Race Committee.

10. Sailing Instructions:

sailing instructions will be available on 20 March 2008 at 12:00 in the secretariat of the Yacht Club.

11. Venue:

the Gulf of Sanremo.

12. Race Course to be followed:

in accordance with the S.C.I.R.A. rules

13. Scoring System S.C.I.R.A.:

minimum with bonus (0,75 to the first classified). 2 races will be discarded if 8 races are sailed and 1 race will be discarded if 5 races are sailed.

14. Prizes:

the first 5 classified will be given a prize.
the Vittorio Porta Trophy to the best classified young crew.

15. Liability:

the Organizing Authority, the Race Committee and the Jury are not responsible for any damage to people or things afloat or ashore related to the participation in this event.
"The responsibility for a boat's decision to participate in a race or to continue racing is hers alone". (FUNDAMENTAL RULE 4).

16. Insurance:

all boats must hold an adequate insurance certificate according to current Federal Regulation and ISAF. The Organizers will ask for a disclaimer at registration.

17. Photographs and TV Rights:

by participating, the competitors, the crews and their guests grant the Organizing Authority and their Sponsors the right in perpetuity, to make use of and to show at their discretion, any motion pictures or still photographs of competitors or boats taken during the event, as well as to use such contents in any media whatsoever, for either editorial or advertising purposes or as press information.