



**POLISH CHAMPIONSHIP 2013 -
SNIPE CLASS
80-years anniversary of Great-Poland Yacht Club**

30th August to 01th September 2013 .

SCIRA POLAND & Great-Poland Yacht Club – Poznań
Kiekrz near Poznań - Poland

NOTICE OF RACE

1. ORGANIZING AUTHORITY

Great-Poland Yacht Club (Poland, 62-480 Poznań, Wilków Morskich Street No 17/19) in co-operation with the Polish Snipe Class Association - SCIRA POLAND.

2. RULES

The regatta will be governed by *The Rules* as defined in the Racing Rules of Sailing, the SCIRA Rules of Conduct for Conducting National and International Championship Regattas.

3. ADVERTISING

Advertising shall be in accordance with ISAF Regulation 20 and SCIRA Advertising policy. Boats may be required to display advertising chosen and supplied by the organizing authority.

4. ENTRY AND ELIGIBILITY

4.1. This regatta is open to SCIRA registered boats and Class Members skippers and crew, who are in good standing with SCIRA for the current year subject to any Deed of Gift trophy restrictions. No skipper or crew shall be eligible to enter any Class championship race unless they possess and present a current Class Membership Card, or its SCIRA issued equivalent or shows as current member in the SCIRA Official Online Database.

4.2. The entry shall be performed at the homepage SCIRA – POLAND: www.snipe.com.pl

4.3. The entry fee per boat is 35,-EUR or 140,-PLN .

4.4. The entry fee shall be paid in cash on the registration day.

4.5. The bank transfer must include the personal data of participants (Skipper and Crew), nationality and number on the sail.

5. REGISTRATION

5.1. To validate the entry, each skipper must personally register at the Race Office at the club house of Great-Poland Yacht Club in Poznań -Kiekrz, 30th August 2013, from 9.00 to 11.00. Registration for the event may be completed by completing the registration form and making the required payment and present following documents:

- Valid Measurement Certificate (MDS)

- Valid third party liability insurance with a minimum cover of EUR 1 500 000,- per event or the equivalent.
- Copy of receipt of payment.
- Completing the registration form and making the required payment at the registration desk during the period registration is open .

6. SCHEDULE

6.1. REGISTRATION/CHECK IN & MEASUREMENT

Friday , 30th August 2013, from 09⁰⁰ to 11¹⁵.

6.2. RACING

Friday, 30th August 2013: opening ceremony – 11.15

Friday, 30th August 2013: 3 races with first race Warning signal at 12²⁵.

Saturday, 31st August 2013: 3 races with first race Warning signal at 10⁵⁵

Sunday, 1st September 2013: 1(+1) races with first race warning signal at 10⁵⁵

6.3. The Championship shall be sailed on the dates programmed with a maximum of 7 races.

6.4. On the last racing day no starting procedure will be started after 13⁰⁰, except following a previous General Recall.

7. MEASUREMENT

7.1. Measurement will be conducted in accordance with the SCIRA Rules.

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

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

7.4. Measurement inspections will take place Friday, 30th August 2013 from 09⁰⁰ to 11⁰⁰ at the club house of Great-Poland Yacht Club (JKW) in Poznań - Kiekrz.

8. SAILING INSTRUCTION

The regatta Sailing Instructions will be available during registration, Friday 26th August 2013, from 09⁰⁰ to 11⁰⁰ at the registration desk.

9. VENUE

9.1. Registration and measurement inspection will take place in the club house of Great-Poland Yacht Club in Poznań - Kiekrz.

9.2. Racing will be held in the waters of Kierskie lake at Kiekrz n/Poznan.

9.3. All accompanying events will take place at the grounds of Great-Poland Yacht Club (JKW) in Poznań - Kiekrz.

10. COURSES

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

11. SCORING

11.1. The ISAF Low Point scoring system will be used.

11.2. When five (5) or fewer races are completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her races scores. No scores will be excluded.

11.3. When more than five (5) races are completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her races scored excluding her worse score.

12. PENALTY SYSTEM

Appendix P- Special Procedures for Rule 42 shall be in effect.

13. SUPPORT BOATS

Support boats shall be credit Organizing Committee during registration procedure.

14. INSURANCE

Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third party liability insurance with a minimum cover of EUR 1 500 000,- per event or the equivalent.

15. RADIO COMMUNICATION

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

15.2. This restriction also applies to mobile phones.

16. DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk, 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 or prior to, during, or after the regatta. Submitting a registration form constitutes the confirmation of hereby notice of race and its provisions.

17. PRIZES

Prizes will be awarded to the top three (3) classified teams. Organizers stipulate some additional prizes and surprises.

18. GENERAL INFORMATION

Friday, 30th of August 2013 – 11¹⁵ Opening Ceremony.

Friday, 30th of August 2013 – after races barbecue.

Saturday, 31st August 2013 - 19⁰⁰ Dinner.

Sunday, 1st Septemeber 2013 – 15⁰⁰ Prizes Giving Ceremony.

19. ACCOMODATION

HOTEL – JKW Poznań ul.Wilków Morskich 17/19 tel. 61 848 26 81

<http://hotelpport.pl/>

HOTEL - STS Poznań ul.Nad Jeziorem 105 tel. 61 848 29 01

HOTEL REGATTA - Poznań ul.Chojnicka 49 tel. 61 848 83 08 <http://www.regattahotel.pl/>

20. SCIRA REPRESENTATIVE

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