



**CIRCOLO NAUTICO CHIOGGIA**

**60° CAMPIONATO ADRIATICO**  
**SOUTH EUROPE SUMMER CIRCUIT**  
**PIADA TROPHY**  
**CAMPIONATO ZONALE XII<sup>^</sup> ZONA FIV**  
**7<sup>^</sup> COMBINATA DELL'ADRIATICO**

**SNIPE CLASS**

**JUNE 27-28, 2015**

**SAILING INSTRUCTIONS**

**1. ORGANIZING AUTHORITY**

- Circolo Nautico Chioggia

**2. RACES COMMITTEE**

- It will be communicated on the official notice board located near the club's office before the first race

**3. SCHEDULE OF RACES**

- The Race Committee shall attempt to complete 6 races. No more than 3 races shall be sailed per day.
- Warning signal of the first race: Saturday June 27, 2015, **hrs 12:55**.
- On Sunday the starting time of the first race will be posted on the official notice board.
- On the last day of the regatta no warning signal will be made after **hrs 16:00**.

**4. RULES**

- The regatta is governed by the rules indicated in the Notice of Race.
- RRS 30.3 ('Black Flag Rule') shall not be used.
- RRS 63.7 is changed: In case of conflict between the Notice of Race and the Sailing Instruction the Sailing Instructions shall prevail.

**5. NOTICES TO THE COMPETITORS AND SIGNALS MADE ASHORE**

- Notices to competitors will be posted on the official regatta notice board located in front of the Club House. Any change to the Sailing Instructions will be posted not less than **90 minutes** before the warning signal of the first race of the day.
- Signals made ashore shall be displayed at the mast pole in front of the Club House.

- When Flag “AP” is displayed ashore, “1 minute” is replaced with not less than 45 minutes after the “AP” is lowered.

## 6. RACING AREA

The Racing Area location is as indicated in the **attachment 1**, and will be in front of the beach “Lido di Sottomarina”.

## 7. COURSES

The course shall be displayed at least one minute before the warning signal. The courses are described in the **attachment 2**, and will be:

- **Flag T** Triangle P,1,2,3,1,2,3,A
- **Flag W** Windward-Leeward P,1,2,1,2,A

The approximate compass bearing to Mark 1 shall be displayed at least one minute before the warning signal.

Marks shall be **cylindrical yellow** inflatable buoys (with the exceptions of as stated at points 8.2 and 9).

The races will be managed to last 50-60 minutes for the first boat to finish. A different time (shorter or longer) used to complete the race will not be ground for requesting redress (this changes rule 62.1 (a)).

## 8. STARTING AND FINISH LINE

- The starting line will be between an **orange flag** on the Race Committee boat at the starboard end and the course side of the port end starting mark (mark P).
- The finish line will be between a **blue flag** on a Race Committee boat and the course side of the finishing mark (mark A); this is a small bouy with a pole and white/azure flag.

## 9. CHANGE OF COURSE AFTER THE START

- When the course is changed by the Race Committe after the start, the new mark will be **cylindrical orange** inflatable buoy.
- A change of course shall be signalled near the mark beginning the leg so changed by a Race Committee boat displaying **Code Flag “C”**, displaying approximate compass bearing to the new mark with repetitive sounds. The new mark may not be in position at that time.
- When in a subsequent change of course a new mark is replaced, it will be replaced with an original mark.
- In case of a change of the course during the race from windward/leeward course to Triange course, the change of course shall be be signaled at the Mark 1 displaying **Flag “T”** with repetitive sounds before the leading boat has passed or rounded the mark. In this case the Mark 2 shall be yellow. In case of change of course from Triangle course to wndward/leeward course, the change of course shall be signaled at the Mark 1 dispaying **Flag “W”** with repetitive sounds before the leading boat has passed or rounded the mark.

## 10. SHORTENING OF THE COURSE

- In accordance with rules 32 Racing Rules of Sailing.

## 11. TIME LIMIT

- The time limit for the first boat to finish the race shall be **1 hour, 30 minutes**.
- The time limit for the first boat to complete the first lap shall be **40 minutes** from the start.
- Any boat finishing more than 30 minutes after the first boat shall be scored Did Not Finish (DNF) without hearing.

## 12. THE START

In accordance with **RRS 26, part 3.**

A boat will not start more than **5 minutes** after her starting signal. Any boat started later shall be scored DNC, without hearing.

### **13. RECALLS**

- Individual recalls, in accordance with **RRS 29.1**, displaying **Flag “X”**, with a sound.
- General recalls, in accordance with **RR 29.2**, displaying the **“Firts Substitute”**, with 2 sounds. The warning signal for a new start shall be made one minute after the “First Substitute” is removed.

### **14. SCORING**

- The regatta shall be scored using **minimum ISAF scoring.**
- When 4 races are sailed the competitors scoring will be the total of races minus the worst
- Tie-breaks shall be solved in accordance with RRS

### **15. PROTESTS – WITHDRAWINGS - PENALTIES**

- Any boat intending to protest, as stated by **RRS 61.1**, shall notify the Race Committee immediately after finishing that race.
- According with RRS 44.1, when a boat has taken a penalty, she shall present a written declaration to the Race Committee within the protest time.
- A boat that retires from a race shall notify the race committee as soon as possible.
- Protests shall be made in writing within **1 hour and 30 minutes** after the last boat finishes the last race of the day; not later than 30 minutes after the protest time the Race Committee shall inform on the notice board the competitors about the hearings.

### **16. MEASUREMENTS**

Measurements are not expected; a different sailing number shall be communicated at the registration.

### **17. CHECK-IN**

Before the warning signal of the first race of the day each boat is required to sail past the stern of the Race Committee boat on starboard tack and verbally check in. Who failed to check-in will be penalized on the score of the first race of the day (the position + 10% of the number of the registered boats).

### **18. PRIZES**

- The first five teams will get prizes
- **Trofeo Mario Ballarin**, challenger trophy, for the winner of the regatta
- **Memorial Enzo Perini**, for the winners of each race.

### **19. ATTACHMENTS**

- Attachment 1: race area
- Attachment 2: courses

### **20. TRASH DISPOSAL**

Boats shall not put trash in the water. Trash may be placed aboard support and race committee boats. Any boat observed to be in violation can be disqualified or penalized for the firs race of the day or for the race which is just endend

**THE RACE COMMITTEE**