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**THE COVER:** *One Boat for All* - Greg Fisher and son Kurt (then 3), at the Halloween Regatta in 1993. Lynn Bethel photo.

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# From the Commodore

Dear Friends,

The Snipe Class has found its strength and longevity with the volunteers who donate their time and make the sacrifices and maintain the Class. This issue includes the listing of your officers, national secretaries and some of your fleet captains. We are indebted to these individuals for their efforts for SCIRA members. Do not hesitate to volunteer, all tasks need doing and the Class will appreciate your efforts.

As an association, we do not have the finances for management and marketing that manufacturer classes have. Therefore, we depend on our membership for the daily details required to maintain the Class. Our advantage is that we have been and will be around for a long time because of the personal commitment by our members.

There are many that make personal commitments for SCIRA. In this column, I mention Buzz Levinson and Phil Richmond. Both of these individuals have worked as officers in almost every capacity, donated time and money, and always answer the call by SCIRA.

In his latest effort for SCIRA, Buzz has compiled and edited "Snipe Tales", a magnificent group of stories that all members of the Snipe family should read. I guarantee your satisfaction when reading these stories.

The new racing rules will be in effect on April 1, 1997. Fear not, thanks to Phil Richmond, who spent countless hours reviewing and writing, SCIRA has a set of sailing instructions incorporating the new rules and our Class rules. Please contact our Executive Director for information on these sailing instructions.

Thank you, Buzz and Phil!

Please make your plans for World Snipe Day during the weekend of May 3 and May 4. Whether short course racing or team racing or long distance racing or cruising, please invite prospective members, call back old members and have a lot of fun.

Go SNIPE fast,  
Gonzo

## Circular Letter

Nothing in SCIRA Rule 61 shall be interpreted to prohibit the use by all competitors of pants that protect a sailors legs either by the use of padding or battens.

Brainard Cooper  
Chairman, Rules Committee  
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*SCIRA Rule Book Section 28: "...Whenever a 'circular letter' from the International Rules Committee over the signature of the Chairman appears in the Snipe Bulletin, the corrections, interpretations, or simplifications appearing therein shall become a part of the current Official Rule book."*

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### Yves LeBour - Lost Snipe Friend

One will be sad to learn of the sudden death of Yves Le Bour. Aged 69, Yves died on January 28<sup>th</sup> and laid to rest at St. Laurent de Grez-sur-Loing.

Yves was dedicated to SCIRA. In earlier days, he held office as French National Secretary, building the class within his homeland after the ravages and trauma of World War II. His drive and enthusiasm to rekindle the SCIRA torch in the late 1940s and into the 50s was an example to Europe. Whilst in office, Yves undertook his duties with vigour and traveled extensively. He was both a competent and highly able helmsman.

These recent years, Yves became less mobile but continued to work for Snipe quietly in the shadows. As always under his command, the work he undertook reached a perfect conclusion. The entire Le Bour family have always supported the Class, therefore I feel confident that they will continue to build on what Yves has effectively bequeathed. SCIRA France.

—John Broughton

### NEW ISAF RULES AVAILABLE

The new Racing Rules are available from ISAF, or through respective Federations (ie: US Sailing). The new Rules can also be accessed through the ISAF Web site on the Internet: [www.sailing.org](http://www.sailing.org). They go into effect April 1.

### JUNIOR WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP SET

The 1997 Junior Snipe World Championship is set for Sao Paulo, Brazil, November 15-21. Contact Bertel Bojlesen, Brazil National Secretary, for more information, or read your Snipe Bulletin for upcoming details. Each dues paying Snipe country is allowed to send 2 teams to the Junior Worlds. Juniors must not reach their 20th birthday this year.





# Sailing the Internet Snipe Style!



Welcome to the 21st Century! You've seen them on television, heard them on the radio, read them in newspapers and probably heard it around the boat yard. What's this WWW stuff? If you've got access to a computer these days, you probably are already on-line. That is, hooked up to the Internet, the latest in worldwide communication. So, where can you go if you're on-line? The Snipe Bulletin's inside reporters sailed the Web for you to let you know what's hot and what's not!

For starters, the Snipe Class began with its own web page, under the tutelage of Steve Keckler and Alex Pline. With their "webmastering," SCIRA set the pace for the rest of the world of one-design classes. Steve and Alex designed a page that incorporates just about everything you would want to know about Snipes; from a description of our boat to regatta schedules, results, photo gallery, sailing instructions, fleets in the US and worldwide, merchandise, blueprints to build your own boat, and a used boat listing. This kind of readily available information spawned several other regional pages that have also taken off. Gianmaria Bertanzon and Antonio Bari of Italy were mirroring what Steve and Alex were creating on this side of the Atlantic, and have

created an Italian version that now hosts our Snipe rules. The beauty of this really hits home when you are in another country and seriously need the SCIRA Scoring Program (when you left the disk at home...) and realize that you can download the program where you are and run a Snipe regatta!

Of course, in addition to our regional Snipe pages, there are also the ISAF (International Sailing Federation), US Sailing, and numerous other sailing related pages. Those of particular interest to Snipe sailors would be the builders and sailmakers for our Class. North and Sobstad Sailmakers both have very good web pages, with separate departments specifically for Snipe tuning and even ordering new sails. Equipment manufacturers such as Harken and Seitech Marine Products also have their own pages. Many Snipe builders are now on-line, with more coming on-line each day. Here, you can check out photos of the latest in deck and hull design, as well as view current prices. Bring your calculator; since the web is international, many prices and measurements are given in

home currency and metric measurement.

Still confused? How about getting your feet wet with electronic mail (e-mail)? Steve and Alex also set up our own Snipe mailing list which currently has approximately 550 subscribers from all over the world. Subscription prices are free (except for your on-line time). It has become an open forum on Snipe topics and a chance for all Snipe sailors to talk to other sailors on the other side of the world. Some of the many topics discussed have been: bottom fairing, centerboard vibration, legality of hiking pants, skippers looking for crews, regatta promotion, etc. Many of the Board members of SCIRA are now using e-mail as their primary means of communication. No need to check what time it is in another part of the world - just send a e-mail and they can read it at their leisure. The nice thing about the Snipe mailing list is that it is commercial free. Everyone has been minding their p's and q's, and seldom is there a reprimand from the webmaster.

Another idea to come out of the web pages is regatta promotion. The 1997 Snipe World Championship committee has set up their own Snipe page and will post the Notice of Race, Sailing Instructions, schedule of events and housing and charter boat information. Linked to the page are city and tourist information including weather links! The Committee plans to post daily results and hopefully have a photo gallery of regatta pictures. Other plans include competitor interviews and possibly a "write-in" session, giving other sailors a chance to ask competitors questions during the regatta.

## International Snipe Class

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Welcome to the information server dedicated to sailing and racing Snipe sailboats. The Snipe is a 15-1/2 foot, 2 person, one design racing dinghy with a rich history dating to 1931. Originally designed by William Crosby, to comply with the emerging "trailer class" of racing sailboats, it has evolved into a modern, tactical racing dinghy with fleets around the world. Although the class has some of the best competition in the world, the class has not lost sight of the importance of social events and, in fact, many regattas are as well known for their parties as they are for their racing. The essence of the class is summed up by its motto "Serious sailing, Serious Fun."

### Internet Dictionary

**World Wide Web:** an Internet system that moves the user between documents through hypertext links. Documents that are designed with hypertext can be accessed from any computer anywhere in the world.

**HTML:** - Hypertext markup Language - The programming code used for basic formatting of text and graphic of the World Wide Web documents, and for creating links between documents on the same server computer or at a server anywhere else in the world.

**Links:** Graphics or highlighted text within a document that transport the user to another document.

**E-Mail:** Electronic mail.



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To send a message to the entire list, address your e-mail to: [snipe@ai.mit.edu](mailto:snipe@ai.mit.edu). This will automatically send your message to all the 550 (or so) subscribers.

At the end of each month, Webmaster Steve Keckler will send a listing of all subscribers with their name, e-mail address and fleet name, which you can download into your computer to print at your leisure.

## The Future?

There is talk of someday publishing the *Snipe Bulletin* on-line. Even now, the Snipe page is being read in non-Snipe countries: Austria (31), Australia (287), Costa Rica (4), Germany (199), Greece (18), Hong Kong (3), Croatia (17), Ireland (89), Israel (44), Kuwait (5), Malaysia (2), Mexico (4), New Zealand (33), Poland (74), Romania (18), Slovenia (31), El Salvador (18), Thailand (10), South Africa (34), Singapore (10)... Our growth possibilities are endless. What are you waiting for?

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Fleet 592, Mikkeli, Finland:

Roger Nylund's Page: [www.nettifi/~rwnylund/rsnipeng.htm](http://www.nettifi/~rwnylund/rsnipeng.htm)

Fleet 846, Choisy, France: [www.filnet.fr/perso/paonessa/default.htm](http://www.filnet.fr/perso/paonessa/default.htm)

Danish Snipe Page: <http://ourworld.compuserve.com/homepages/kyc/>

Fleet 747, Cleveland, Ohio: [www.en.com/users/pline/snipe/flt747/flt747.html](http://www.en.com/users/pline/snipe/flt747/flt747.html)

Jacomo Sailing Club, Kansas City: [www.sky.net/~eichmann/snipe.html](http://www.sky.net/~eichmann/snipe.html)

Bracciano Lake, Central Italy: [www.wp.com/nautisab/](http://www.wp.com/nautisab/)

Winchester Boat Club, Massachusetts: [www.tiax.net/users/muz/winchest/boatclub.html](http://www.tiax.net/users/muz/winchest/boatclub.html)

Fleet 231, Lake Quassapaug, Connecticut: <http://revco.med.yale.edu/qyc/>

Nova Scotia Snipe Page: [www.chebucto.ns.ca/SportFit/NSSnipe/](http://www.chebucto.ns.ca/SportFit/NSSnipe/)

Argentina: [snipe.world.com.ar/nautica/snipe/homesnip.html](http://snipe.world.com.ar/nautica/snipe/homesnip.html)

1997 Snipe Worlds Page: [www.ai.mit.edu/snipe/regattas/schedule/worlds97/worlds97.html](http://www.ai.mit.edu/snipe/regattas/schedule/worlds97/worlds97.html)

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Sobstad Sailmakers: [www.sobstad.com/Snippage.htm](http://www.sobstad.com/Snippage.htm)

## Equipment

Harken: [www.paw.com/sail/harken/snipe.htm](http://www.paw.com/sail/harken/snipe.htm)

Seitech Marine Products: [www.paw.com/sail/seitech](http://www.paw.com/sail/seitech)

## Other Pages

ISAF: [www.sailing.org](http://www.sailing.org) The home page of the International Sailing Federation. New Rules and regatta results available here.

US Sailing: [www.olympic.com/ussailing](http://www.olympic.com/ussailing) Home page of US Sailing. Other Federations are available through the ISAF page.

Steve Jones Page: [gpu.srv.ualberta.ca/~jones/urls.html](http://gpu.srv.ualberta.ca/~jones/urls.html). This volunteer has gathered about every kind of sailing information imaginable - from weather buoys to manufacturers to one-design classes. Start here to find what you want!

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The Sailing Source: [www.paw.com/sail](http://www.paw.com/sail). This is a server that is host to most of the one-design classes and even some of the manufacturers.

## News from Spain

### Farragut Trophy - 40th Edition

November 1996

This Trophy was first raced in 1957, and has been celebrated year after year until now, and today is one of the most antiques in Spain. This year, in addition, it was specially competitive because it is one of the three qualification regattas for the San Diego Worlds.

The first day, Fernando Rita was heading the classification, after two races sailed under very light wind conditions. It was surprising that the first six places were for Menorcan crews, who beat other boats that had come from the mainland in order to get qualification points for the San Diego Worlds.

After the second day proves, David Saura was in the first place, because Fernando entered in the 7th place in the second race. Damian Borrás, after winning the third, was third in the general classification, after Fernando Rita. Also, Cristobal Bosch was having an excellent participation, located in the 4th. place, after Damian.

Finally, the Trophy was won by David Saura, followed by Fernando Rita and Cristobal Bosch, who finally beat Damian because of his bad actuation in the last day.

It is remarkable the very slight wind, and the constant shifts in the Regatta field, which provided a lot of difficulty for the Committee.

At the end, a very friendly prizegiving, assisting the 45 participating crews, closed the event, and hope that this year we can celebrate the 41st. edition.

Pedro Pons

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## Preview of the 1998 World Masters

### Cordoba, Argentina

One of the (few) great pleasures of growing old is participating in the Snipe World Masters regattas. I have been fortunate enough to have competed, albeit without distinction, in most of them since the first one was held in Atlanta in 1986. I look forward to these events like a child looks forward to Christmas. I can hardly wait for the next one, which will be near Cordoba, Argentina, in March 1998. Francisco "Pancho" Agusti, the 1998 World Masters Regatta Chairman and current National Secretary for Argentina, anticipates about 80 competitive teams, including about 50 from South America and 30 from North American, Europe and Japan.

I have just now returned from a trip to South America in which I spent a wonderful day at the site of the 1998 Snipe World Masters near Cordoba, Argentina. I made the 90 minute flight northwest from Buenos Aires across the rich, agricultural "Pampas" to Cordoba early February 12 and was met at the Cordoba airport by Pancho who I had gotten to know at the Masters in Japan (1994) and in Norway (1996). After a brief driving tour of Cordoba, the second largest city in Argentina, we drove 45 minutes to the beautiful Lago San Roque, a large lake surrounded

by rolling hills, near the resort town of Villa Carlos Paz. What a setting for a regatta! The population of Carlos Paz swells during the Argentine summer (December-March) from 40,000 to over 300,000, and there is every imaginable resort amenity. The Yacht Club has a large, comfortable club house, and there is ample boat parking near the launching ramp. Pancho says there will be 30 new Snipes produced in Chile for charter to non-South Americans during the Masters (and available for purchase following the Masters). The weather in March (the equivalent of August in the northern hemisphere) will be ideal, with daytime temperatures in the low 80's F. And the food...the beef in Argentina is fantastic, buttery tender and flavorful with less fat marbling than typically found in the United States. I found the Argentine hospitality to be warm, generous, and in the best spirit of Snipes sailing around the world.

The South American Championships are being hosted by Pancho and the Snipe Fleet of Lago San Roque in March 1997, and about 90 teams are expected. This will provide a rehearsal for the Masters. I had such a great day with Pancho I wanted to stay for the South American Champs. Alas, I'll have to wait another year, but I sure look forward to the Masters in March of 1998.

—Woody Norwood  
Atlanta Fleet 330



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# 1997 US Regatta Schedule

as of 3/1/97

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### District 1

May 17-18	Blue/Grey Regatta	Island Heights YC
June 21-22	Larchmont Regatta	Larchmont, NY
June 28-29	District 1 Champs	Quassapaug, CT
June 7-8	Colonial Cup	Annapolis, MD
July 12-13	Winchester Invitational	Winchester B C, MA
August 2-3	Atlantic Coast Champs	Annapolis, MD
August 23-24	Board of Governors	Quassapaug, CT
September TBD	Sea Cliff Regatta	Sea Cliff, NY
September 20-21	Mystic Lake Open	Mystic Lake, CT
October 18-19	Frigid Digit	Annapolis, MD

### District 2

May 24-25	Southwestern Champs	Dallas, TX
June 7-8	District 2 Champs	Wichita, KS
June 21-22	Firewater Regatta	Lincoln, NE
July 4-5-6	Missouri Valley, INSA Champs	Omaha, NE
July 12-13	Norm Tanner Memorial	Bow Mar, CO
August 23-24	Rocky Mountain	Denver, CO
September 20-21	Joe Ramel Memorial	Lake Lotawana, MO

### District 3

May 10-11	Gull Lake Clinic	Gull Lake, MI
May 31-June 1	Riff Raff	Cowan Lake, OH
June 7-8	Snipe Hunt	Indianapolis, IN
June 14-15	Wolverine Regatta	Barton Pond, MI
June 21-22	Cleveland Race Week	Edgewater YC, OH
June 28-29	Michigan State Champs	Grand Rapids, MI
July 19-20	District 3 Jr & Sr. Champs	Springfield, IL
August 2-3	Gull Lake Open	Gull Lake, MI
September 6-7	Indiana Open	Indianapolis, IN
September 13-14	Columbus Open	Columbus, OH
September 21-22	Silver Cup	Carlyle Lake, IL

### District 4

April 5-6	Gutter Snipe/AL State Champs	Birmingham, AL
April 26-27	Atlanta YC Invitational	Atlanta, GA
May 3-4	Jazz Festival Regatta	New Orleans, LA
May 11-12	Southerns	Chattanooga, TN
May 17-18	Southeasterns	Lake Lanier, GA
May 31-June 1	District 4 Champs	Charleston, SC
September TBD	Bird Bath	Muscle Shoals, AL
September 6-7	First Shot Over Charleston	Charleston, SC
September 20-21	Battle of Atlanta	Lake Lanier, GA
October 4-5	First Shot Over Charleston	Charleston, SC
October 25-26	Halloween Regatta	Atlanta, GA
November 29-30	Florida State Champs	St. Pete, FL
December 6-7	Citrus SailFest	Sanford, FL
December 28-30	Dead of Winter	St. Pete, FL

### District 5

June 7-8	Bolde Mother Integralactic R	Cuba Lake, NY
July 12-13	District 5 Champs R	Chautauqua, NY
July 26-27	Briody Regatta R	Newport YC, NY

R denotes regattas that qualify for Retzhaupt Trophy - high point of District 5

### District 6

April 5-6	High Performance Dinghy	Cal Yacht Club, CA
April 11-13	Olympic Classes RegattaTT	Alamitos Bay, CA
April 26-27	Herb Shear Memorial TT	Mission Bay, CA
May 3-4	Cinco de Mayo TT	Santa Barbara, CA
May 10	Higman Regatta	Alamitos Bay, CA
May 24-25	Memorial Day	Alamitos Bay, CA
June 7-8	District 6 Champs TT	Mission Bay, CA
June 21-22	Sail Bear Regatta	Big Bear, CA
July 5-6	Fourth of July RegattaTT	Alamitos Bay, CA
August 23-24	24 Hour/GFU Regatta	Mission Bay, CA
August 30-31	Labor Day Regatta	Alamitos Bay, CA
September 6-7	Open Pre-Worlds Regatta	Mission Bay, CA
September 27-28	Snipe Hunt/Snipe del Luna	Alamitos Bay, CA
October 4-5	Cachuma Lake TT	Lake Cachuma, CA
October 4-5	Pacific Coast Champs	St. Francis YC, CA
October 11-12	One Design Regatta	Mission Bay, CA
October 18-19	Coronado One DesignTT	Coronado, CA
November 1-2	Carolyn Nute MemorialTT	Mission Bay, CA
November 22-23	Turkey Day Regatta	Alamitos Bay, CA
December 13-14	Hot Rum Regatta	Mission Bay, CA

TT denotes regattas that qualify for Southern California Traveling Trophy

### District 7

April 12-13	Spring Regatta	Richmond, CA
April 19	Flatwater	Encinal YC
May 3	Flatwater	Encinal YC
May 17-18	Spring Regatta	Lake Washington, CA
June 7	Flatwater	Encinal YC
June 21-22	Tahoe City	Tahoe, CA
July 5	Mayor's Cup	Lake Merrit, CA
July 12	Flatwater	Encinal YC
July 26-27	Huntington Lake	High Sierras, CA
August 2	Flatwater	Encinal YC
August 23	Flatwater	Encinal YC
September 13-14	Nor Cal Open	Richmond, CA

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**1997 Southern European  
Championship**  
SanRemo, Italy  
March 27-29

**1997 South American  
Championship**  
Cordoba, Argentina  
March 21-30

**1997 US Nationals**  
Tom's River, New Jersey  
Jr. - August 8-10  
Sr. - August 11-15

**1997 North American  
Championship**  
Oakville, Ontario, Canada  
August 19-31

**1997 World Championship**  
San Diego, California  
September 13-19

**1997 Junior World  
Championship**  
Sao Paulo, Brazil  
November 15-21

## 1997 US National Championships Junior and Senior

Tom's River, New Jersey  
Jr.-August 8-10  
Sr.-August 11-15

*top 3 qualify for 1998 WH&O Championship in Japan*

**1997 US Masters Championship**  
to be determined  
September/October

**1997 Pacific Coast Championship**  
to be announced  
*top 2 qualify for 1998 WH&O Championship in Japan*

## 1997 US District Championship Schedule

District 1: June 28-29 - Quassapaug  
District 2: June 7-8 - Wichita  
District 3: July 19-20 - Springfield  
District 4: May 31-June 1 - Charleston  
District 5: July 12-13 - Chautauqua  
District 6: June 7-8 - Mission Bay  
District 7: May 24-25 - Eugene

# 1996 Champions

## Trophy

John T. Hayward  
Western Hemisphere

European Championship

Vieri Lasinio Di Castelvero

Junior Worlds

Roy Yamaguchi

Women's Worlds

World Masters

Mills North American

South American Champs

Reichner International

High Point Trophy

## Winner

Mauricio Santa Cruz/Eduardo Neves,  
Brazil

Kristoffer Spone/Janet Krefting,  
Norway

Andre Fonseca/Pablo Furlan, Brazil

Pauline Book/Carine Juliussen, Norway

Birger Jansen/Marianne Stigar, Norway

Doug Hart/Watt Duffy, USA

Ricardo Fabini/Ignacio Saralegui,  
Uruguay

Neil Martin, Budworth, England

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Argentina

Senior

Santiago Lange/Gonzalo Martinez

Junior

Andres Marcone/?

Womens

M. Domato/Celia Granucci

Belgium

Senior

H. Grisar/Celis

Master

Andre Callot

Brazil

Senior

Alexandre Paradedda/Flavio Fernandes

Junior

Frederico/Felipe de Vasconcellos

Master

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Senior

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Master

Giorgio Brezich/Manola Reis

Japan

Senior

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Master

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Women

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Norway

Senior

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Junior

Karl Otto Book/Steinar Johannesen

Spain

Senior

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Junior

Pablo Fresneda/Pablo Villar

Women

Marisa Sanchez/Belen Cordobes

Master

Jaime Osset/Javier Perez

Sweden

Senior

Fredrik Segerstrom/Carl Terneus

United Kingdom

Senior

Peter Wolstenholme/Alan Williams

Junior

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Gamblin Memorial

Doug Hart/Watt Duffy

Zimmerman Trophy

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Jimmie Lowe/Gavin McKinney

Wiibroe Cup

Birger Jansen/Carine Juliussen

Princesa Sofia Trophy

Damian Borrás/Javier Magro



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<b>Belgium</b>		
August 9-10	Open Belgian Champs	Brouwershaven, Holland
September 14	Sodipa	Antwerp

<b>Denmark</b>		
April 19-20	Spring Cup	Horsens
May 3-4	K.S. Open	Kerteminde
May 17-19	Wibro Cup	Espergerde
May 31-June 1	K.P. Cup	Kolding
June 14-15	Vitus Bering Cup	Horsens
June 27-30	Denmark National Champs	Juelsminde
August 16-17	Gold Cup	Gilleleje
September 6-7	Jysk. Championship	Skive

<b>Finland</b>		
June 7-8	Helsinki Regatta	Helsinki
July 5-7	Hanko Regatta	Hanko
July 18-20	Finnish National Champs	Turku

<b>France</b>		
May 8-11	Copper Snipe Cup	Lorient-Brittany
June 7-8	District Champs	Le Havre-Normandy
July 12-15	French National Champs	Loctudy-Brittany
July 16-18	Challenge Uthualt/Jr. Nat.	Audieme-Brittany
July 19-20	District Champs & Wood Snipes	Audieme-Brittany
August 15-18	District Champs	Clauoey-South West
September 27-28	District Champs & Wood Snipes	Meulan-Paris
October 25-26	Snipes à Paris	Choisy le Roi-Paris
November 8-11	Snipe Cup	Cazaux - South West

<b>Italy</b>		
March 27-29	South European Champs	Sanremo
April 25-26	National Ranking	Anzio
June 7-8	National Ranking	Dervio
July 5-6	National Ranking	Brenzone
August 21-24	Italian Championship/Ranking	Trieste
October 4-5	National Ranking	Rosignano

<b>Norway</b>		
May 7-8	Red & Green Cup	Vestfjordens
August 1-3	Open Scandinavian Champs	Asgardstrand
August 30-31	Viking-Snipen	Vestfjordens
September 27-28	E.M. Kval	Bergen
October 4-5	Hostcupen	Darum

<b>Portugal</b>		
April 19-20	North Regional Champs	Leixões
April 25-27	PAN e South Regionals	Faro
May 1-4	PAN North	Leixões
June 7-10	Portuguese National Champs	Leixões
June 13-15	PAN Central	Sines
October 4-5	National Misto Champs	Lisbon

<b>Russia</b>		
June 5-12	Russian National Champs	Moscow

<b>Spain</b>		
March 24-29	Princess Sofia Trophy	Club Nautico El Arenal
April	Spanish Junior Cup	Santiago de la Ribera
July 11-13	Junior National Champs	Melilla
July 13-18	Womens National Champs	Melilla
September	European Masters Cup	Santiago de la Ribera

<b>Sweden</b>		
May 3-4	Maj - Snipen	Göetenborg

<b>United Kingdom</b>		
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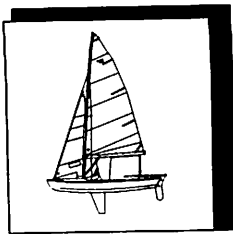
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#### Junior National & Special Junior National Championships

#### Women's National Championship\*

#### Toms River, NJ August 8-15 1997



**Organizing authority:** SCIRA District 1 and Toms River Yacht Club

**Host Club:** Toms River Yacht Club, Toms River NJ.

**Rules:** The regatta will be governed by the 1997-2000 International Yacht Racing Rules, SCIRA rules for conducting national and international championships, the National Deed of gift, this notice of Regatta, and by the Sailing Instructions and amendments there to.

**Yachts:** The regatta will be sailed in Certified Snipe Class Sloops.

**Advertising:** The regatta is classified as a Category A Event in accordance with IYRR Appendix A3.3 as amended by SCIRA Event sponsorship policy. Eligibility requirements and entry forms will be published in the SCIRA Bulletin, or available from the class office.

### Schedule of events:

Friday August 8	Junior and Women's Registration and Measurement All Hull Measurements
Saturday August 9 & Sunday August 10	Junior and Women's Race 1-5 Senior Registration and Measurement
Monday August 11 & Tuesday August 12	Crosby Races 1-4
Wednesday August 13 - Friday August 15	Heinzerling Races 1-6 Wells Races 1-6

**Measurement:** Yachts and sails must meet the provisions of the SCIRA Rules for Conducting National and International Championship Regattas. For all boats without a Measurement Data Sheet on File at the SCIRA office, there will be a \$50 measurement fee payable with the entry fee.

\* per approval of US SCIRA Board

**Sailing Instructions:** The Sailing Instructions will be available at registration.

**Races and Courses:** Races will be scheduled as follows: five for the Junior Nationals and Women's Nationals; four for the Crosby Series; and six for the Heinzerling and Wells. In conformance with proper notice to competitors, the Committee may modify the schedule. Races and courses shall be in accordance with the SCIRA Rules for Conducting Championship Regattas and the Sailing Instructions.

Scoring will be in accordance with the SCIRA low-point system.

**Alternative Penalties:** The 720 degree penalty, IYRR Appendix B1.1, will apply.

**Prizes:** Per the Nationals deed of gift.

**Shore facilities:** Trailer and vehicle parking will be available. Two hoists and one ramp are available for launching. Occupation and use of facilities are at the user's risk. Boats can be hauled each night. It may be necessary to complete a Waiver and Release of Liability form to use these facilities.

### Further Information:

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**MARCH 27-29; SOUTH EUROPEAN CHAMPIONSHIP.** San Remo, Italy. Ezio Braga, SCIRA Italy. Via Bellinera 3 21052 Busto Arsizio, Italy. Tel. +331-677037; Fax: +331-620422. E Mail: BRAGA@cdc.it.

**MAY 3-4; JAZZ FEST REGATTA.** Southern Yacht Club, New Orleans, LA. Watt Duffy & Jerry Blouin. 504-482-3178.

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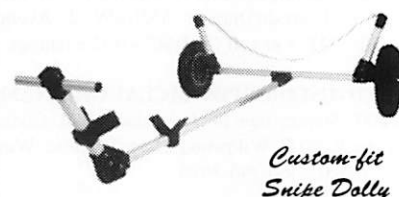
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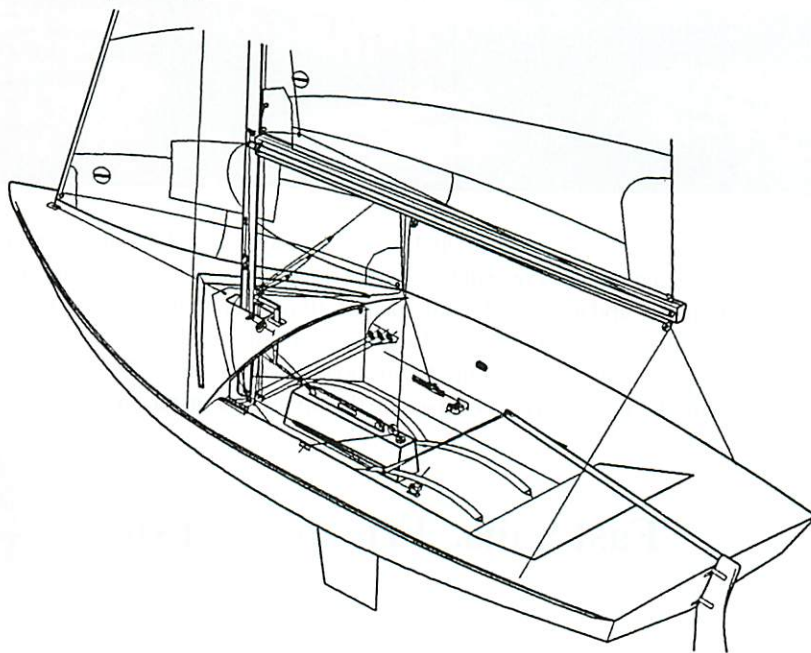
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