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Invitation to Snipe Regatta for the Croatian Nationals Championship

Dear Snipe Sailor,

As we navigate through the vibrant maritime tradition that graces the beautiful waters of Croatia, we find ourselves drawing closer to an event that celebrates both competition and camaraderie, unity and rivalry, skill and spirit - the Croatian Nationals Championship.

We are delighted to invite you to be a part of this exhilarating event organized by the distinguished Yacht Club Croatia, set against the breathtaking backdrop of Opatija, a gem on the Croatian coastline. Embark on a journey of skill, determination, and friendship as you compete with seasoned sailors and vibrant new talents in the Snipe Regatta.

Details of the Event are as follows:

Venue: Opatija-(ACI Marina-Icici), Croatia

Date: 10th - 12th November 2023

Start Fee: 50 Euros per sailboat

Highlights of the Snipe Regatta:

1. Expertly Designed Courses: Navigated through the sparkling waters of Opatija, offering both challenge and spectacle for sailors under SCIRA rules.
2. Networking: Connect with a community of passionate sailors and make memories that last a lifetime.
3. A Celebration of Sailing: Revel in the rich sailing heritage as you compete for the prestigious title in the Croatian Nationals Championship.

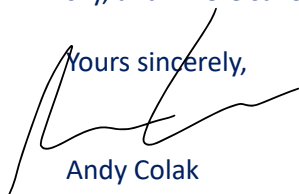
We envision an event vibrant with competitive spirit and strong camaraderie where every sailor brings their best to the fore. Your participation would not only enhance the competition but also add to the rich tapestry of experiences, stories, and the undying spirit of sailing.

We would be honored and exceedingly happy to witness your prowess and celebrate your passion for sailing at this remarkable gathering of sailing aficionados.

To confirm your participation or for any further details, feel free to reach out to us at jk.croatia.opatija@gmail.com

We eagerly look forward to the privilege of welcoming you to Opatija, a place where the sea kisses the sky, and where sailors meet their dreams.

Yours sincerely,



Andy Colak
Yacht Club Croatia

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Invito alla Snipe Regatta per il Campionato Nazionale Croato

Caro/a,

Navigando attraverso la vibrante tradizione marittima che adorna le bellissime acque della Croazia, ci troviamo ad avvicinarci ad un evento che celebra sia la competizione che la camaraderie, unità e rivalità, abilità e spirito - il Campionato Nazionale Croato.

Siamo lieti di invitarti a far parte di questo evento esilarante organizzato dal rinomato Yacht Club Croazia, con il mozzafiato sfondo di Opatija, un gioiello sulla costa croata. Imbarcati in un viaggio di abilità, determinazione e amicizia mentre competi con marinai esperti e nuovi talenti vibranti nella Snipe Regatta.

Dettagli dell'evento:

Luogo: Opatija-(ACI Marina-Ičići), Croazia

Data: 10-12 novembre 2023

Quota di iscrizione: 50 euro per barca a vela

Momenti salienti della Snipe Regatta:

1. Percorsi progettati da esperti: Navigati attraverso le acque scintillanti di Opatija, offrendo sia sfide che spettacolo per i marinai secondo le regole SCIRA.
2. Networking: Connettiti con una comunità di marinai appassionati e crea ricordi che dureranno tutta la vita.
3. Una celebrazione della vela: Goditi l'ampio patrimonio della vela mentre competi per il prestigioso titolo nel Campionato Nazionale Croato.

Prevediamo un evento vibrante di spirito competitivo e forte camaraderie dove ogni marinaio porta il meglio di sé in primo piano. La tua partecipazione non solo potenzierà la competizione ma aggiungerà anche al ricco tessuto di esperienze, storie e allo spirito indomabile della vela.

Saremmo onorati e estremamente felici di assistere alla tua maestria e celebrare la tua passione per la vela in questo straordinario raduno di appassionati della vela.

Per confermare la tua partecipazione o per qualsiasi ulteriore dettaglio, non esitare a contattarci a jk.croatia.opatija@gmail.com.

Non vediamo l'ora di avere il privilegio di darti il benvenuto a Opatija, un luogo dove il mare bacia il cielo e dove i marinai incontrano i loro sogni.

Cordiali saluti,

Andy Colak
Yacht Club Croazia

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Einladung zur Snipe-Regatta für die Kroatische Nationale Meisterschaft

Liebe/r,

Während wir durch die lebendige maritime Tradition navigieren, die die wunderschönen Gewässer Kroatiens schmückt, nähern wir uns einem Ereignis, das sowohl Wettbewerb als auch Gemeinschaft, Einheit und Rivalität, Fertigkeit und Geist feiert – die Kroatische Nationale Meisterschaft.

Wir freuen uns, Sie zu diesem aufregenden Ereignis einzuladen, das vom renommierten Yacht Club Kroatien organisiert wird. Das Ereignis findet vor der atemberaubenden Kulisse von Opatija, einem Juwel an der kroatischen Küste, statt. Begeben Sie sich auf eine Reise voller Geschick, Entschlossenheit und Freundschaft, während Sie gegen erfahrene Segler und lebendige neue Talente in der Snipe-Regatta antreten.

Details zur Veranstaltung:

Ort: Opatija-(ACI Marina-Ičići), Kroatien

Datum: 10.-12. November 2023

Startgebühr: 50 Euro pro Segelboot

Höhepunkte der Snipe-Regatta:

1. Von Experten entworfene Kurse: Navigation durch die funkelnden Gewässer von Opatija, die sowohl Herausforderung als auch Spektakel für Segler nach SCIRA-Regeln bieten.
2. Networking: Vernetzen Sie sich mit einer Gemeinschaft von leidenschaftlichen Seglern und schaffen Sie Erinnerungen, die ein Leben lang halten.
3. Eine Feier des Segelns: Erleben Sie das reiche Segelerbe, während Sie um den prestigeträchtigen Titel in der Kroatischen Nationalen Meisterschaft kämpfen.

Wir stellen uns eine Veranstaltung vor, die von Wettbewerbsgeist und starker Gemeinschaft erfüllt ist, bei der jeder Segler sein Bestes gibt. Ihre Teilnahme würde nicht nur den Wettbewerb bereichern, sondern auch zur reichen Vielfalt an Erfahrungen, Geschichten und dem unsterblichen Geist des Segelns beitragen.

Wir würden uns sehr freuen und wären überglücklich, Ihre Fähigkeiten zu sehen und Ihre Leidenschaft für das Segeln bei dieser bemerkenswerten Zusammenkunft von Segelbegeisterten zu feiern.

Um Ihre Teilnahme zu bestätigen oder für weitere Details, zögern Sie nicht, uns unter jk.croatia.opatija@gmail.com zu kontaktieren.

Wir freuen uns sehr darauf, Sie in Opatija begrüßen zu dürfen, einem Ort, wo das Meer den Himmel küsst und Segler ihre Träume treffen.

Mit freundlichen Grüßen,

Andy Colak
Yacht Club Kroatien

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NOTICE OF RACE SNIPE CLASS INTERNATIONAL RACING ASSOCIATION YACHT CLUB CROATIA, Opatija, Croatia CROATIAN NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP 2023

YACHT CLUB CROATIA – OPEN CROATIAN NATIONALS SNIPE 2023
Opatija, Croatia, 10.-12.11.2023.

ORGANIZING AUTHORITY:

Yacht Club Croatia, Opatija, in cooperation 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), available on the official SCIRA website.
- 1.3 The Deed of Gift, available on the SCIRA official website.
- 1.4 The RRS as modified by the RoC as specified in the Sailing Instructions.
- 1.5 No national prescriptions will apply. In case of a conflict between the Notice of Race and the Sailing Instructions, the latter shall prevail.
- 1.6 In case of language conflicts, the English text will take precedence.

2. ADVERTISING:

- 2.1 Advertising is permitted according to WS Regulation 20.
- 2.2 Boats may be required to display advertising chosen and supplied by the organizing authority.

3. ENTRY AND ELIGIBILITY:

- 3.1 Entries must be made online via the provided link, no later than November 10, 2023.
- 3.2 The regatta is open to SCIRA registered boats and Class Member skippers and crews in good standing with SCIRA for the current year, abiding by any Deed of Gift restrictions.
- 3.3 Eligibility requires:
 - A current Class Membership Card, or
 - SCIRA-issued equivalent, or
 - Current membership in the SCIRA Official Online Database.

4. FEES:

- 4.1 Entry fee: 50 Euros.
- 4.2 The entry fee can be paid during registration at the Race Office of Yacht Club Croatia.



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5. SCHEDULE:

Friday, November 10th

- 08:00-17:00: Race office opens for registrations
- 12:30: First Warning Signal
- 18:30: Socializing and dinner

*Saturday, November 11th

- 08:00-11:30: Race office opens for registrations
- 12:30: First Warning Signal

Sunday, November 12th

- 11:00: Race(s) – see the S.I. or Notices
- Prize-giving ceremony ASAP after the last race
- No races to start after 3:30 pm on November 12, 2023

5.1 A total of five (5) races are scheduled, with a maximum of two (2) races per day, unless behind schedule. The Championship is valid with a minimum of three (3) races sailed.

6. MEASUREMENT:

6.1 Boats must produce a valid measurement certificate and may be measured at any time at the discretion of the Class or Race Committee.

6.2 A current Class decal must be properly displayed.

6.3 Boats must be presented for inspection with all equipment, including sails and personal flotation devices, in a dry, clean, and salt-free condition.

7. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS:

Sailing Instructions will be available at registration.

8. VENUE:

Races will be sailed off the coast of Opatija, Croatia.

9. COURSES:

Courses will be the Class Courses published on the SCIRA website.

10. SCORING:

The Low Point Scoring System, RRS Appendix A, will apply.

11. SUPPORT BOATS:

Support boats must register with the Organizing Committee to receive an identification to be displayed visibly throughout the event.

12. INSURANCE:

Each participating boat must have valid third-party liability insurance per incident or the equivalent.

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13. RADIO COMMUNICATION:

13.1 Except in emergencies, boats shall not make or receive radio transmissions not available to all boats while racing. This includes mobile phones.

13.2 This restriction also applies to mobile telephones.

14. DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY:

Participants compete entirely at their own risk, per RRS rule 4, Decision to Race. The organizing authority accepts no liability for material damage, injury, or death sustained in conjunction with or prior to, during, or after the regatta.

15. PRIZES:

Prizes will be awarded to:

- The top three (3) crews, with the winner titled WINNER of the CROATIAN NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP 2023.

- The top three (3) Croatian crews, with the winner titled Croatian National Champion of 2023.

PRACTICAL INFORMATION (Not part of the Notice of Race)

****SCIRA REPRESENTATIVE:****

- Nikola Dešković

****REGATTA CONTACT:****

- Email: jk.croatia.opatija@gmail.com

****PRINCIPAL RACE OFFICER:****

- To be announced

****REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ORGANIZING CLUB:****

- Andy Colak: Email – jk.croatia.opatija@gmail.com

****ACCOMMODATION INFORMATION:****

-Please contact us for more information



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