

# Snipe Class International Racing Association Championship Bid Form

<b><u>Proposed Event</u></b>	<b>2025 Snipe North American Championship</b>
<b><u>Proposed Dates</u></b>	<b>August 22-24, 2025</b>
<b><u>Host Country</u></b> <i>Provide National Secretary name &amp; contact information</i>	<b>USA</b> <b>Alex Pline</b> <b>alex@teampline.org</b>
<b><u>National Authority</u></b> <i>Do you have your National authority's approval to run this event?</i> <b>World Championships must have Federation approval letter.</b>	<b>US Sailing</b> <b>Permission not required</b>
<b><u>Venue Proposed</u></b> <i>Yacht Club and sailing area</i>	<b>San Diego Yacht Club</b> <b>Pacific Ocean southeast of Point Loma</b>
<b><u>Sponsoring Club or Organization</u></b> <i>Main contact name</i> <i>e-mail</i> <i>Address</i>  <i>Telephone</i> <i>Fax</i> <i>Email</i> <i>Webside</i>	<b>San Diego Yacht Club</b> <b>Jeff Johnson – Waterfront Director</b> <b><a href="mailto:sailing@sdyc.org">sailing@sdyc.org</a></b> <b>1011 Anchorage Lane</b>  <b>+1 619-758-6310</b> <b>website: sdyc.org</b>

## **1 Venue**

<b><u>Racing Location</u></b>	<b>Coronado Roads, approx. 2 nm southeast of end of Zuniga Jetty</b>
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<p><b><u>Regatta Office</u></b></p> <p><i>Please state location and staff numbers during event. Regatta results program to be used.</i></p>	<p>Sailing Office currently has three full time, two part time employees:</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Regatta Manager</b> <b>Regatta Coordinator</b> <b>Regatta Admin</b> <b>2 part time Bosuns</b></p> <p><b>Results: Regatta Scoring Solutions or Yacht Scoring</b></p>
<p><b><u>Press Office</u></b></p> <p>Website:</p> <p><i><b>Note: the following will be used for these events:</b></i></p> <p><i>All WORLD championships:</i></p> <p><a href="http://www.snipeworlds.org">www.snipeworlds.org</a></p> <p><i>Hemisphere:</i></p> <p><a href="http://www.snipewho.org">www.snipewho.org</a></p> <p><a href="http://www.snipeeuropeans.org">www.snipeeuropeans.org</a></p> <p><i><b>Compulsory use of these websites include registration and all documents including results.</b></i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● <i>Internet Wi Fi available without restriction</i></li> <li>● <i>Media Room: high speed internet reserved for media team &amp; SCIRA rep.</i></li> <li>● <i>Timely distribution of daily results</i></li> <li>● <i>Photos &amp; videos of event with rights available for SCIRA use. If SCIRA provides photographer, can you provide accommodations, RIB &amp; meals?</i></li> <li>● <i>Media officer: press releases in English - media plan submitted to SCIRA 5 months prior. If SCIRA provides media officer, can you provide accommodations &amp; meals?</i></li> <li>● <i>SCIRA may provide access to social media for ease of posting</i></li> </ul>	<p><b>Website: SDYC.org</b></p> <p><b>Wifi available at clubhouse w/o restriction. Not available in boat yard.</b></p> <p><b>Media room available.</b></p> <p><b>Distribution via Comm staff mbr</b></p> <p><b>SDYC can provide photo/videographer</b></p> <p><b>Media officer can provide press in English, and media plan 5 mo. Prior.</b></p> <p><b>SDYC can provide billet accommodation and some meals</b></p>

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<p><b><u>Boat Launching &amp; Boat Park</u></b></p> <p><i>Please detail arrangements. Beach, ramp or dock. Width of each.</i></p>	<p>The dinghy storage yard has two (2) launch ramps capable of launching three (3) snipes simultaneously. In-between the two launch ramps are a crane pad with two (2) cranes capable of launching snipes. These access either side of 200' floating dock.</p>
<p><b><u>Meeting Facilities</u></b></p> <p><i>Inside Clubhouse; rooms available</i></p> <p><i>Facilities needed @ Hemisphere &amp; Worlds for meetings</i></p>	<p>Clubhouse has 7 rooms available for meetings for 6 to 75 persons. Club staff available to set/refresh/service meetings.</p>

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<p><b><u>Changing Rooms Provided</u></b></p> <p><i>Clubhouse or state alternative</i></p> <p><u>Males</u></p> <p><i>Male restroom</i></p> <p><i>Male Showers</i></p> <p><u>Females</u></p> <p><i>Female restroom</i></p> <p><i>Female Showers</i></p>	<p><b>Pool restrooms available w/ 8 individual showers w changing area. Additional restrooms available in Sailing Center.</b></p>
<p><b><u>Catering Facilities</u></b></p> <p><i>Clubhouse</i></p> <p><i>Galley</i></p> <p><i>Restaurants close by</i></p> <p><i>Snack Bar</i></p> <p><i>Shops</i></p> <p><i>Supermarket</i></p>	<p><b>San Diego Yacht Club has full-service dining room, bar w/ chef, clubhouse manager, banquet manager and staff.</b></p> <p><b>Numerous restaurants within walking distance.</b></p> <p><b>Drugstore, convenience store, and large grocery store within walking distance.</b></p>
<p><b><u>Security</u></b></p> <p><i>Boat Park (24 hour or evening)</i></p> <p><i>Beach (24 hour or evening)</i></p>	<p><b>Club grounds and camera surveillance 24 hrs.</b></p>
<p><b><u>Measurement Facilities</u></b></p> <p><i>Permanent building or tent m2</i></p> <p><i>Number of personnel available to assist</i></p> <p><i>International Measurer proposed (Class Association will assist)</i></p>	<p><b>Indoor facility for sail measurement, indoor garage for boat measurement or shaded breezeway btw buildings.</b></p> <p><b>SDYC can provide personnel to assist.</b></p> <p><b>International measurer:</b></p> <p><b>Luiz Gonzalez – ESP (IM)</b></p> <p><b>Gus Wirth – Tech chairman (San Diego)</b></p>

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### 2 Course Sailing Area

<p><b><u>Course Area</u></b></p> <p><b>Please describe the course area.</b>  <i>The course area should be at least 1nm x 0.5 nm in size and there should be no interference from shipping channels.</i></p> <p><i>Proximity to shore</i></p> <p><i>Visible for onshore spectators</i></p>	<p>Course area likely 5 nm from club, tow available by club RC vessels</p> <p>Course area free of obstructions w/ 360 deg. Rotation.</p> <p>There isn't really spectator viewing, although event can be seen w/ binoculars from Point Loma or Coronado Beach.</p>
<p><b><u>Weather, Tides and Currents</u></b></p> <p><i>Please state expected average conditions during month of event</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Wind</li> <li>• Air temperature</li> <li>• Water temperature</li> <li>• Tidal conditions or currents</li> </ul> <p><i>Any unusual weather conditions that could arise during the event (ie: hurricanes, typhoons, etc.)</i></p>	<p>September averages 2 of 24 days w/ 20+ mph, 13 of 24 days w/ 15+, and 24 of 24 days reported at 10+ mph.</p> <p>Air temp generally mid/high 60s</p> <p>Water temp generally mid/high 60s</p> <p>Min. tidal/current across course</p> <p>Santa Ana wind conditions (high pressure in desserts reverse typical thermal flow (W wind) to an offshore flow (E wind). Also creates a transition zone w/ little-no wind which could delay racing for a day.</p>
<p><b><u>Mark Setting</u></b></p> <p><i>Please state number of boats</i></p>	<p>SDYC has four well equipped boats for setting marks w/ BnG wind, GPS, VHF and private UHF radios, 200+ hp for towing, rescue, etc.</p>
<p><b><u>Press and Spectators</u></b></p> <p><i>Please state arrangements and number of boats</i></p> <p><i>Is there a fee for spectator boat? If so, please state amount.</i></p>	<p>At least two Ribs (22' and 24') will be for event media. Additional Media can be taken out w/ member boats suitable to host local media interest.</p> <p>Limited spectator boats available as requested. No fee</p>
<p><b><u>Rescue</u></b></p> <p><i>The class guide is 1 rescue boat per 10 competitor boats. Please state number to be provided, excluding coach boats.</i></p>	<p>Club has 5 ribs that can be utilized to provide additional coverage besides 4 markset boats that can also provide towing and other non-competitive support.</p>

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### 3 Regatta Personnel

<p><b><u>Principal Race Officer</u></b>  <i>International Race Officer required for World and Hemisphere championships.</i>  Name:  e-mail address:</p> <p><i>Does the committee have experience running Snipe or other major dinghy racing?</i></p> <p><i>A SCIRA regatta management disc is available with proposed courses and guidelines as well as on <a href="http://www.snipe.org">www.snipe.org</a></i></p> <p><i>Note. The SCIRA Standard Sailing Instructions will be provided for the event along with templates for Notice of Race &amp; Sailing Instructions.</i></p>	<p>San Diego Yacht Club has two International Race officers:</p> <p>SDYC member Rebecca Ashburn  <a href="mailto:Rebecca.Ashburn5@gmail.com">Rebecca.Ashburn5@gmail.com</a></p> <p>SDYC Waterfront Director Jeff Johnson  <a href="mailto:Sailing@sdyc.org">Sailing@sdyc.org</a></p> <p>Both have experience running major dinghy racing.</p> <p>Both are familiar with courses and guidelines.</p>
<p><b><u>Jury/Chief Measurer:</u></b></p> <p><i>Will you be able to provide travel and accommodation for a minimum of 3 International Judges and 1 Class Chief Measurer?</i></p> <p><i>The Class has final approval of the jury members. For World Championships, it is preferred that the Chairman not be from the host country and at least 1 Int Jury member not be from the host continent.</i></p> <p><i>Note; Jury Boats and Measurer boat will be required during the event</i></p>	<p>The event will provide travel and accommodations for 3 IJs and 1 Class Chief Msr.</p> <p>Jury and Measurer boats can be made available. They would be 17'-19' whalers and Ribs. Larger boats available depending on their comfort getting close to boats. Smaller boats have smaller wakes</p>
<p><b><u>Technical Delegate/Class Officials</u></b>  This is normally the SCIRA Commodore or current Hemisphere Secretary</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Will you be able to provide for 3 Class officials (SCIRA Representative, Int. Measurer and Executive Director) with accommodation and /meals during the period of the Championship?</li> </ul>	<p>Yes</p>

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## 4 Entry

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<p><b><u>Entry Fee/ Social</u></b></p> <p><i>Expected Entry Fee Per Boat</i>  <b>Note: World: fees must be in Euros or US\$</b>  <b>Europeans: fees must be in Euros</b>  <b>WH&amp;O: fees must be in US\$</b>  <b>Fees are collected by the SCIRA office</b></p> <p><i>In Advance:</i>  <i>Late Entry:</i></p> <p><i>What will this include?</i>  <i>Please give details of planned social events you will provide (examples below)</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Opening ceremony</li> <li>● Mid-regatta dinner/event</li> <li>● Daily after race snack/meal</li> <li>● Closing ceremony/prizegiving</li> </ul> <p><i>Cost of social events for non-participants</i></p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>\$350 in advance</b>  <b>\$400 regular</b></p> <p>Boat storage week prior, all launching and towing, evening socials          Opening ceremonies, mid-regatta dinner, closing ceremonies/awards.</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Non-participant social: \$50 ea.</b></p>
<p><b><u>Transportation</u></b></p> <p><i>Please state closest airport &amp; distance:</i>  <i>Closest Train Station &amp; distance:</i>  <i>Shipping Port for Containers:</i></p> <p><i>Location for containers during event and handling facilities:</i></p> <p><i>Customs clearance facilities at the venue:</i></p> <p><i>Will competitors require an entry visa for your country?</i></p>	<p>Closest airport is 2 miles.          Closest train station is 4.7 miles          Shipping port for Containers is Los Angeles 117 miles          Containers can be dropped at yacht Club or boat yard across street.</p> <p>Customs facility is in Los Angeles.</p> <p>Competitors generally do not need a visa.</p>
<p><b><u>Accommodation</u></b></p> <p><i>Please give complete information about housing for the event, including distance from club and approximate cost</i></p> <p><i>Hotels</i>  <i>Camping</i>  <i>Homestays</i>  <i>Camping: site costs, proximity &amp; provisions</i></p>	<p>Hotels are widely available close to venue and variety of price points from \$150-\$400/night. Further out near freeway prices area \$100-\$300          VRBOs also available          Campgrounds not nearby.          Limited RV/van stays on club grounds</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Some billeting available</b></p>

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### **Charter Boats**

*Number of boats available for charter  
(State builder(s) and range of hull  
numbers):*

*Condition "A": (less than 3 years old)*

*Suggested charter fee \$500 USD; 500€  
for European-based venues*

*Condition "B": (less than 5 years old)*

*Suggested charter fee \$350 USD  
350€ for European-based venues*

*Condition "C": (more than 7 years old)*

*Suggested charter fee \$300 USD  
300€ for European-based venues*

***Damage deposit (please state what it will be  
if required):***

***Please state if there will be additional  
transportation costs:***

***Insurance must be included in charter fee.***

***Please name the Insurance Carrier:***

**The San Diego Snipe fleet has many boats  
for charter with newer boats coming into  
the fleet. We anticipate having 10-12  
Snipes for charter.**

**A full list of boats will be provided when  
the bid is accepted with builder, year &  
mast.**

	Quantity available	Hull #'s	Charter fee
Condition "A"			
Condition "B"			
Condition "C"			

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## Contract

On behalf of the (add country)

Alex Pline – US National Secretary

Doug Hart – District 6 Governor

John Fretwell – Regatta Chair

We confirm that we are prepared to guarantee the facilities and services as stated above and are prepared, if selected, to organize the

2025

Snipe North Americans

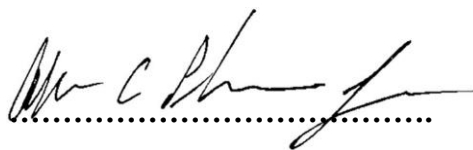
on the following dates:

August 21-24.

Complying with the Snipe Rules of Conduct, Deed of Gift, Measurement Rules and Event Format Manual, on behalf of the Snipe Class International Racing Association.

If the event is cancelled after approval by the SCIRA Board of Governors, the country may be subject to a 5-year ban of hosting international Snipe events.

Signed: .....



Commodore of Host Club

Date ...May 3, 2024.....

Signed: .....

Snipe National Secretary

Date .....

Signed: .....

Snipe District 6 Governor

Date .....



John Fretwell

Signed: .....

Regatta Chair

Date Feb 5, 2025.....

**Bids will not be accepted without all the above signatures.**

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