

REAL CLUB de REGATAS de SANTIAGO DE LA RIBERA



With the approbation of
Real Federación Española de Vela y Consejo Superior de Deportes



In conjunction with
Snipe Class International Racing Association (SCIRA)



INTRODUCES THE

WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP

"Id Crook Memorial" Trophy

MASTER 2012

September 10th to 16th, 2012

NOTICE OF RACE

1. ORGANIZING AUTHORITY:

Real Club de Regatas de Santiago de la Ribera ("RCRSR") with the institutional collaboration of Consejo Superior de Deportes (CSD), The Real Federación Española de Vela (RFEV), The Federación de Vela de la Región de Murcia (FVRM), and according to Snipe Class International Racing Association (SCIRA).

2. HOST CLUB AND FLEET:

Real Club de Regatas de Santiago de la Ribera and the Fleet nº 6 of Spain, (148 of Snipe Class Internacional Raccing Association)

3. RULES:

- 3.1 The regatta will be governed by the *rules* as defined in the Racing Rules of Sailing ("RRS") 2009-2012, the current SCIRA Rules of Conduct for Conducting National and International Championship Regattas, and the Deed of Gift for the "Id Crook Memorial" Master World Championship.
- 3.2 No national prescriptions will apply.
- 3.3 Appendix P will apply.
- 3.4 The decision of the jury will be final in accordance with RRS 70.5.
- 3.5 RRS 35 will be changed to provide that boats not finishing within 30 minutes after the first boat to finish will be scored "Did Not Finish" without a hearing.
- 3.6 RRS 62.2 and 66 will be changed to shorten the time for requesting redress and the requesting that a hearing be re-opened on the last day of racing.
- 3.7 RRS 30.3 will not be used.
- 3.8 RRS 30.2 and 33 will be changed to limit course changes.
- 3.9 RRS 60.1(a) will be changed to restrict protest from boats for specific items on the NoR and SI.
- 3.10 RRS 64.2 to compel the Jury/RC to abandon a race as required by RoC 18.
- 3.11 If there is a conflict between languages the English text will take precedence.

4. **ADVERTISING:**

Boats may be required to display advertising chosen and supplied by the organizing authority.

5. **ELIGIBILITY & ENTRY:**

5.1 This regatta is open to SCIRA registered boats and Class Member skippers and crews who are in good standing with SCIRA for the current year. Skipper to be at least 45 years of age in the year of the regatta. Combined age of skipper and crew must be at least 80 years in the year of the regatta. 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.

5.2 Eligible competitors may enter by completing the entry form and submitting it together with the Bank Transfer Document to club@rcrsr.e.telefonica.net up to 1800 of August 15th, 2012.

5.3 The entry fees are described in “*Additional Information*” paragraph.

5.4 All entrants are required to complete the on site registration process by 1000, Thursday, September 13th, 2012.

6. **SCHEDULE:**

6.1 Registration/measurement

Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday September 10th to 12th, 2012: 1000 to 1900.

Thursday, September 13th, 2012: 0800 to 1000 (*only registration*)

6.2 Competitor's Meeting

Wednesday, September 13th, 2012: 1930

6.3. Racing

Wednesday, September 12th, 2012: Warning signal Practice Race at **1500**

Thursday, September 13th, 2012: Races Scheduled
Warning Signal First Race at **1300**

Friday, September 14th, 2012: Races Scheduled
Warning Signal First Race at **1300**

Saturday, September 15st, 2012: Races Scheduled
Warning Signal First Race at **1200**

Sunday, September 16th, 2012: Races Scheduled
Warning Signal First Race at **1200**

6.4 On the last day of the regatta no warning signal will be made after 1500, except as a result of a General Recall.

7. MEASUREMENT:

All boats:

- 7.1 shall produce a valid measurement certificate and shall have a moment of inertia measurement certificate and a completed measurement data sheet on file with the SCIRA Office no later than close of registration.
- 7.2 are to be measured during the measurement time period set in Paragraph 6.1 above. This measurement includes, but is not limited to, measurement of each boat's weight and sails and a check of its safety equipment.
- 7.3 are otherwise subject to measurement at any time at the reasonable discretion of the Class or Race Committee.
- 7.4 are required to have a current Class decal properly displayed.

8. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS:

The regatta Sailing Instructions will be available at on-site registration on September 10th to 13th, 2012 and, as soon as possible, it will be upload in the Championship website.

9. VENUE:

The racing venue will be the area known as Mar Menor in front of the host club.

10. COURSES:

The courses to be sailed are the Class approved courses for Championship regattas as published in the 2009-2012 SCIRA Official Rule Book and SCIRA website.

11. SCORING:

- 11.1 Seven (7) races are scheduled and three (3) races constitutes a regatta.
- 11.2 When four (4) or fewer races are completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores. No scores will be excluded.
- 11.3 When five (5) or more races are completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score.

12. INSURANCE:

Each non Spanish participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum cover of €300.500, 00 Euros or the equivalent.

13. DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY:

Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See 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.

14. RADIO COMMUNICATION:

Except in an emergency, a boat shall neither make radio transmissions while racing nor receive radio communications not available to all boats. This restriction also applies to mobile telephones.

15. SUPPORT BOATS

Support boats shall check in with the Organizing Authority during the on site registration/check in time period and will carry an identification flag to be approved by the Organizing Authority. Further, all such support boats will carry on board a VHF radio capable of transmitting and receiving on Channels 16, 69 and 72.

16. PRIZES:

3 divisions of medals will be presented for top places in the following divisions:

Apprentice master division (45 –54 years)

Master division (55 –64 years)

Grand master division (65 years and over)

Overall Master World Champion will be top placing team.

Other prizes will be announced at a later date.

17. SOCIAL:

There will be an Opening Ceremony and cocktail scheduled on Wednesday, September 12th, 2012 at 2000 and a Prize giving Ceremony and lunch scheduled for the evening of Sunday, September 16th, 2012, subsequent to the races.

Dinners for competitors are scheduled the evenings of September 13th, 14th & 15th at 2100.

ID cards will be issued at registration to all competitors without additional cost and will be needed to attend all regatta events.

18. SCIRA REPRESENTATIVE:

The SCIRA Representative will be SCIRA Commodore or his designee.

19. REGATTA CONTACT:

Mr. Mauricio Ruiz
club@rcrsr.e.telefonica.net

Mr. Antonio Gil Buendía
National Secretary NCA ESP

D. Francisco Ginés Pérez
Chairman Host Club RCRSR

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Entry fees: The entry fee will be **350€** and includes trailer parking, T-shirt, water pic-nic days 13th, 14th and 15th and invitations to social events for skipper and crew. Additionally, Real Club de Regatas de Santiago de la Ribera offers to competitors its “Event Pack” at cost of **530 €**, which includes:

- Opening ceremony
- Event T-shirt
- Water Pic-nic all day
- Closing ceremony / prize giving
- Accommodation: 4 nights (Hotel Lodomar – www.lodomar.com).

The cost of all social events for others will be 50 €. The payment of this “Event Pack” must be according on dates established in 5.2 of this NoR at the following Bank account:

Banco: **BANCO MARE NOSTRUM, SA**
Lugar: **Murcia. España**

Swift Code (BIC): **GBMNESMMXXX**

Cuenta bancaria para transferencias internacionales (IBAN, e-form):
ES1804870145762000000462

Cuenta bancaria para transferencias internacionales (IBAN, p-form):
ES18 0487 01 45762000000462

Cuenta bancaria para transferencias nacionales:
04870145762000000462

Please quote the following: INSC WORLDS 2012.

Housing: Host Club and Hotel Lodomar offer to participants and their familiar/guests a special price of 45€/night double room if booked before august 15th 2012.

Charter Boats: A limited number of Charter Boats are available to interested skipper. The charter fee will be from 450€ to 900€ depending on the boat. You can visit this link for more details and make your reservation (To Read **CHARTERBOAT AGREEMENT SNIPE MASTER WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP 2012 Document**).

http://www.snipespain.es/portal/index.php?option=com_content&task=view&id=191&Itemid=127

Life Jackets: Please note that in the unlikely event of inspection of a boat by the Spanish National Army that failure to carry a personal flotation device conforming to the Spanish Regulations may result in a citation.

Shower Facilities: RCRSR has two (2) separate shower facilities, one (1) each for men and for women.

Information: Please check the regatta website at <http://www.rcrsr.es> for additional information on the regatta.