



Fraglia Vela Malcesine



Notice of Race for

INTERNATIONAL 505 CLASS European Championship 2011 & Eurocup 2011 September 11-16 2011

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Preamble and Definitions

1. Definitions

- a) The term *championship* refers to both the European Championship & Eurocup regatta race series
- b) The term *event* refers to all the organized on-water and off-water activities taking place on FVM premises from the beginning of pre-regatta Equipment Inspection to the end of the closing ceremonies
- c) The term *organisers* encompass everyone helping to run the *event*. This includes, but is not restricted to, FVM staff and volunteers, 505 Association volunteers, the race committee, the race officer, patrol boat crews and beach masters. It excludes any of the sponsors or their staff

2. Organising Authority.

The *Organising Authority* is Fraglia Vela Malcesine (FVM) in conjunction with the International 505 Class Yacht Racing Association of Italy 6 International 505 Class Yacht Racing Association of Germany

The address for championship communications is

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505 European Championship

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3. Publication and Change Status of this document

- a) This document will only be published on the *event* website
<http://www.fragliavela.org/>
- b) Any time, the current version is that on the *event* website
- c) The version number of the NOR is shown to the left of the footer
- d) The Status (Draft or FINAL) is shown to the top of the header



1 Rules

1. The Championship will be governed by
 - a) The ISAF Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS)
 - b) The Italian Sailing Federation prescriptions
 - c) The Rules of the International 505 Class Yacht Racing Association
 - d) The conditions stipulated in this Notice of Race (NOR)
 - e) Any alteration that the Sailing Instructions may make to the Rules referred to in paragraphs a, b and c above.
2. An International Jury will be constituted for the European Championship & Eurocup in accordance with Appendix N of the RRS. The decisions of the Jury will be final in accordance with RRS 70.4.
3. If there is a conflict between languages, the English text will take precedence.

2 Advertising

1. The championship will be classified as a Category C Event in accordance with ISAF regulation 20.
2. Competing boats may be required to display advertising of the Event Sponsors.

3 Eligibility and Entry

1. The championship is open to all boats of the 505 class
2. The championship entry fee shall be paid in full in accordance with Section 4
3. Each participating boat shall be insured in accordance with Section 16
4. Each competitor in each boat shall
 - a) satisfy the requirements of ISAF regulation 19.
 - b) be a member of the International 505 Class Yacht Racing Association.
5. For each boat a registration process shall be completed in which:
 - a) the Entry/Disclaimer Form shall be completed (See Annex 1). Note the requirements on competitors aged under 18.
 - b) A valid 505 Measurement Certificate shall be presented
6. Each participating boat shall successfully complete the Equipment Inspection Process
7. The *Organising Authority* will not stipulate a maximum number of entries.

4 Fees

1. Fees include:
 - a) Entry to European Championship & Eurocup regatta
 - c) Entry to Inclusive Official Social events (see Additional Information - section 18)
 - d) Free one car parking
 - e) Souvenirs
2. **Standard Entry Fee** paid till date **1-07-2011**
 - a) €300-00 (euro) per boat
3. **Late Entry Fee** paid between dates 2-07-2011-1-08-2011 inclusive
 - a) €350-00 (euro) per boat
4. **Very late Entry Fee** paid after date 2-08-2011
 - a) €400-00 (euro) per boat
5. Fees to be paid in EURO to the following account:
CASSA RURALE ALTO GARDA – Branch of Malcesine Account no: 000013314882
IBAN: IT93 S080 1659 5510 0001 3314 882
BIC SWIFT: C C R T I T 2 T 0 4 A



5 Schedule

European Championship & Eurocup Series:

Warning Day Date No of Signal HW *

Races Not before

Monday 12th September 2 12:55

Tuesday 13th September 3 7:55

Wednesday 14th September 3 7:55

Thursday 15th September 3 7:55

Friday 16th September 2 7:55 not after 16:00

6 Registration and Equipment Inspection

1. Competitors shall Register prior to Equipment Inspection.
2. Registration for both the European Championship & Eurocup Final will take place at the Race Office, FVM at the times shown below:
 - a) Sunday 11th September n and Equipment Inspection 09.00 – 18.00
3. Equipment Inspection will take place in the FVM scrutineering area
4. Each boat may present for Equipment Inspection no more than:
 - a) two suits of sails,
 - b) one sets of spars,
 - c) one centerboard and one rudder,
5. Each boat shall present the following additional equipment at the time of Equipment Inspection:
 - a) Tally tag attached to the launching trolley
 - b) Tow line of:
 - i) length greater than 10 metres
 - ii) diameter 4 mm or more
 - c) Appropriate buoyancy aid for each crew member
6. Boats may be subject to further unscheduled Equipment Inspection during the Championship

7 Sailing Instructions

1. A printed copy of the sailing instructions for each championship will be available upon completion of registration at FVM having satisfied the Eligibility and Entry Requirements (see section 3)

8 Venue

See information on the event website FVM website <http://www.fragliavela.org>

9 The Courses

1. The courses will be defined in the Sailing Instructions.

10 Scoring

1. The Low Point scoring system, Appendix A of the RRS will apply.
3. A minimum of four races shall be completed to constitute the European Championship & Eurocup

11 Support and Jury Boats

1. Competitor's support boats are permitted only by prior arrangement with the *organising authority*. Support boats shall declare the sail numbers of each competitor they are supporting. Please contact the *organising authority* using the 'Contact Us' form on the



championship website www.fragliavela.org to organize permission in advance

2. Permitted support boats shall fly a flag assigned by the *organising authority*
3. Support boats shall remain 200m outside the *Race Area* from the Preparatory Signal of a race to when the last boat finishes that race or when the race is postponed or when the race is abandoned

Race Area is defined as: the square with its diagonal corners at the starting committee boat position / Leeward mark and the finishing committee boat position / windward mark; however and whenever these may be re-positioned during the race

The penalty for infringement will be defined in the Sailing Instructions

4. Crews of Support and Jury boats shall attend the championship safety briefings
5. Support and Jury boats are required to monitor the safety management radio frequency at all times. If the Race Officer or the Safety Officer calls for all boats to assist in safety, then all Support and Jury boats shall immediately undertake safety duties

12 Berthing

1. Each boat shall be kept in its assigned area in the boat park
2. Equipment shall be kept with the boat in the assigned area

13 Radio Communication

1. 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.

14 Prizes

14.1 European Championship & Eurocup

Prizes will be awarded for the European Championship as follows:

1. The top ten teams overall European Championship
2. The first all-female team (if more than 4 female teams started)
3. The first mixed team
4. The first youth team, both under 25 years age (October 18, 2008)
5. First boat overall with no discards.
6. Last boat overall, which finished all races sailed
7. "Daily first prize" to the heat-winners will be presented every day.
8. The top 10 teams Overall Eurocup Championship

14.2 Spot Prizes

Additional spot prizes may be presented during the European Championship & Eurocup

15 Disclaimer of Liability

1. Competitors participate in the event entirely at their own risk; see RRS Rule 4 – Decision to Race. Neither the *organising authority* nor the sponsors will accept any liability for material damage, personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with, prior to, during or after the event.
2. Competitors are entirely responsible for their own safety, whether afloat or ashore and nothing, whether in the Notice of Race or Sailing Instructions or anywhere else reduces this responsibility.
3. It is for the competitors to decide whether their boat is fit to sail in the conditions in which it will find itself. By launching or going to sea, the competitors confirm that the boat is fit for those conditions and they are competent to sail and compete in them.
4. Nothing done by the *Organising Authority* nor any *organiser* can reduce the responsibility of the owners and / or competitors, nor will it make the *Organising Authority* nor any *organiser* responsible for any loss, damage, death or personal injury, however it may have occurred, as a result of the boat taking part in the racing.



5. The provision of patrol boats does not relieve the boat of her responsibilities.
 6. Each and every sponsor is in no way responsible for the running or the administration of the sponsored event on or off the water, and is not liable for injuries and mishaps incurred by competitors, regatta staff / volunteers or bystanders.
- See also the Entry/Disclaimer Form at Annex 1 that all competitors shall sign at registration.

16 Insurance

1. Each participating boat shall be insured with third-party liability insurance to a value of at least € 1,100,000.00 (euro) (or the equivalent in any other currency) valid for Italian waters for the duration of the event
2. Each boat shall be able to provide the *Organising Authority* with a certificate of that insurance.

17 Local Rules

1. No tents, no campers are to be used on the FVM Club property, which includes the causeway and overflow car parks.
2. Rights to use Names and Likenesses: Competitors automatically grant to the *organising authority* without payment, the right in perpetuity to make, use and show any motion pictures, still pictures and live, taped or filmed television of or relating to the event

18 Further Information

18.1 Prize Giving Ceremonies and Social Programme

Day Date of Socials and Prize Givings

Events Included in Entry Fee

Sunday 12th October Opening Ceremonies

Monday 12th September to Thursday 15^h September after racing refreshments

Friday 16^h September Prize Giving Dinner

Notes:

1. Additional Tickets for the Prize Giving Dinner and Opening buffet will be on sale at Registration

18.2 Accommodation

Accommodation is available:

1. at nearby B&B and hotels
2. at nearby camp sites.

Full information on all these is available on the event website www.fragliavela.org

18.3 Information

1. Information on the event will be publicised on the championship website www.fragliavela.org. There are forms for pre-registration and general non-specific enquiries on the website
2. The appearance of significant new information on the championship website will be notified to the [505global] newsgroup and to competitors who have pre-registered their e mail address via the website.



Annex 1 to NOR – Entry / Disclaimer Form

Please enter (in capitals) Entry Fee: See NOR for dates fees change

Event ... European Championship & Eurocup and Date of Event 11th – 16th September –2011

Class of Boat 505 **Sail No:**.....

Helm: (full)..... Date of Birth

Address: (if not FVM member)

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Daytime Tel/Mobile:.....

Email..... Club:.....

Crew: (full)..... Date of Birth

Address: (if not FVM member)

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Enter for all female team?

Enter for mixed team?

Enter for Youth Team (both U25)?

By signing this entry form, participants accept that: -

1. Competitors are entirely responsible for their own safety, whether afloat or ashore, and nothing whether in the Notice of Race or Sailing Instructions or anywhere else reduces this responsibility.

2. It is for the competitors to decide whether their boat is fit to sail in the conditions in which it will find itself. By launching or going to sea, the competitors confirm that the boat is fit for those conditions and they are competent to sail and compete in them.

3. Nothing done by the *Organising Authority* nor any *organiser* can reduce the responsibility of the owners and / or competitors, nor will it make the *Organising Authority* nor any *organiser* responsible for any loss, damage, death or personal injury, however it may have occurred, as a result of the boat taking part in the racing.

4. Each and every sponsor is in no way responsible for the running or the administration of the sponsored event on or off the water, and is not liable for injuries and mishaps incurred by competitors, regatta staff / volunteers or bystanders.

5. The provision of patrol boats does not relieve the boat of her responsibilities.

6. The boat is required to hold adequate insurance including insurance against third party claims in the sum of at least € 1,100,000.00 (or the equivalent in any other currency).

7. Rights to use Names & Likenesses: Competitors automatically grant to the *organising authority* without payment the right in perpetuity to make, use and show any motion pictures, still pictures and live, taped or filmed television of or relating to the event

I/we agree to be bound by the Rules governing this championship as defined in the NOR, the Sailing Instructions and the Rules and Bye Laws of Fraglia Vela Malcesine

Signed..... Date.....

(For helm & crew)

Parent or Guardian to sign page 2 if either Helm or Crew is under 18 at any time during the event

Parent or Guardian Declaration (required if helm is under 18)

Under law, this helm is my dependent and I accept the statements above. I confirm that my dependent is competent to take part and I am responsible for my dependant throughout the event. During the time my dependent is afloat I will be around the venue that is hosting the event or I will inform the race officer in writing as to my whereabouts and who is acting in loco parentis during my absence. I consent to my dependent participating in drug testing procedures and, if asked, providing a urine sample under observation for analysis at an accredited laboratory.

Signed.....Name.....

Parent or Guardian Declaration (required if crew is under 18)

Under law, this crew is my dependent and I accept the statements above. I confirm that my dependent is competent to take part and I am responsible for my dependant throughout the event. During the time my dependent is afloat I will be around the venue that is hosting the event or I will inform the race officer in writing as to my whereabouts and who is acting in loco parentis during my absence. I consent to my dependent participating in drug testing procedures and, if asked, providing a urine sample under observation for analysis at an accredited laboratory.

Signed.....Name.....