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Team Race Centre Circuit 2022

5-6/3

26-27/3

NOTICE OF RACE

1 RULES

- 1.1 The races will be governed by the *rules* as defined in the *Racing Rules of Sailing for 2017-2020*, including *Appendix D – Team Racing Rules*,
- 1.2 Each competitor shall wear an approved life jacket that is 100% dependent on foam for flotation and the appropriate size for the sailor, at all times while on the water, except for brief periods while adding or removing clothing. This changes RRS 40 and the preamble to RRS Part 4. PFDs shall be worn outside of all clothing and under team identification bibs.
- 1.3 A decision made by the Organizing Authority regarding format and number of races made in compliance with the Sailing Instructions will not be a basis for a boat to request redress. This changes RRS 62. Any boat that is a party to a redress hearing may be represented by up to two individuals.
- 1.4 If a hearing is scheduled after the event is concluded and after the sailors and officials have left the venue, the hearing will be scheduled as soon as possible, and in a place and manner chosen with deference to the competitor's preferences or circumstances; and parties to the hearing have the right to be present telephonically or via video feed as appropriate, provided all participants can hear and speak to each other.
- 1.5 In accordance with rule 70.5(a), decisions of the protest committee are final. Competitors may not appeal decisions of the protest committee in the Championship Series.

2 CLASS

- 2.1 420 sailboats will be provided by the Yacht Club of Greece. 420 rules, if any, will not apply. Standing rigging shall not be adjusted, unless directed by the umpires or boatswain. Running



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rigging and fittings shall be used for their intended purposes only. All equipment supplied shall be carried aboard while racing.

- 2.2 Competitors will provide a credit card deposit of 100€ per boat prior to sailing, which may be charged in the event of damage to the boats. Damage that cannot be attributed to particular incident will be split evenly amongst the competitors.

3 TEAMS

- 3.1 Each competing team shall consist of three skippers and three crews.
- 3.2 Teams may be required to wear identification bibs supplied by the organizing authority outside their PFDs.
- 3.3 Teams shall provide their own red protest flags (at least 3). These flag shall measure at least 8 inches by 8 inches. Each team's red flags shall be inspected and approved by the Chief Umpire or an appointed representative at check-in.

4 ELIGIBILITY

- 4.1 Up to 6 teams will be selected or invited by the Team Racing Championship Committee from team resumes and applications.

5 ENTRIES

Complete entry forms (which will consist of a team roster and resumes) shall be submitted to sailing@ycg.gr. The deadline for application is the Thursday prior each event. The Team Racing Championship Committee will review the applications and notify all applicants of their status no later than Friday prior each event.

6 FEES

- 6.1 The entry fee for accepted teams is 150 Euros per team and includes boat charter.
- 6.2 Deadline for payment of entry fees and completing registration by invited teams is a day prior each event, after which a 100 Euros late fee will apply. Teams with incomplete registrations or entry fees will be dropped after this date, unless the time limit is extended by permission of the OA.

7 SUBSTITUTIONS

- 7.1 The Substitution Deadline for making changes to the team roster is Friday, prior each event.
- 7.2 Only one team member (helm or crew) may be changed prior to the Substitution Deadline. Any such substitution requires approval of the Team Racing Championship Committee. Requests for substitutions should be made by email to the Committee Chairman at



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- 7.3 After Friday prior each event, team member substitutions are prohibited, unless due to illness, injury, or other emergency. Any such substitution requires approval of the Team Racing Championship Committee. Requests for substitutions should be made by email to the Committee at sailing@ycg.gr
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8 SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

The proposed schedule of events is:

Saturday

0930 -1000	Competitor Check-in
1030	Competitor Briefing
1100	First Warning
After Racing	Umpire/Competitor Debriefing

Sunday

1030	Competitor Briefing
1100	First Warning signal
After Racing	Awards ceremony

It is strongly suggested that competitors do not plan on leaving the regatta venue until after 1800 on Sunday. Competitors will be responsible for de-rigging the boats prior to the awards ceremonies.

9 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

Sailing Instructions will be available at check-in.



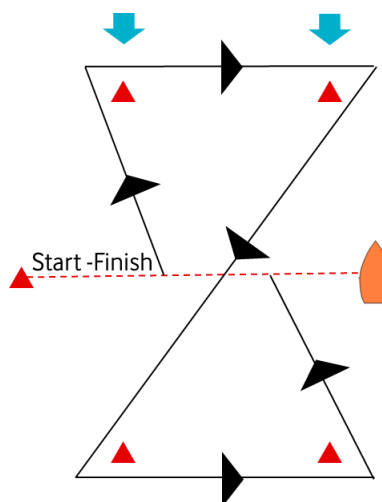
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10 FORMAT

The regatta format and number of races will be determined by the Team Racing Championship Committee, and will be based on the number of registered teams, regatta logistics, and the weather conditions. The intended format will consist of one or more round-robins, the results of which will seed teams for a knock out series. Contingency formats, if any, and changes to the format will be in accordance with the rule 90.2(c).

11 COURSE

The intended course is as shown below. Other courses may be used and will be identified in the Sailing Instructions. Courses will not be shortened.



The racing area will be located in close proximity to the YCG Clubhouse. Practice and competition course locations will be described in the Sailing Instructions.



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13 SCORING

Scoring will be in accordance with Appendix D, except as changed by the Sailing Instructions.

14 MINIMUM CREW WEIGHT

14.1 The combined weight of each six-person team shall not be less than 390 KG. Each team whose combined weight is less than this amount shall carry corrector weight while racing. The amount of corrector weight will be one KG of corrector weight for each KG of combined crew weight less than 390 KG. Corrector weights shall be distributed among the boats of a team to make the combined weight of skipper and crew of each of the three boats as even as practicable. The jury, on request, may approve a more equitable distribution.

14.2 Each team with a combined weight of less than 390 KG shall be responsible for supplying its own corrector weights. Only water in sealed jugs shall be acceptable. Competitors shall carry the corrector weights in every race, from boat to boat, and shall secure them in the cockpit of each boat.

14.3 Competitors shall be weighed by the organizing authority at check-in on the scale provided to determine the combined weight. The competitors shall be weighed in dry swimming attire or light clothing with empty pockets.

14.4 There may be spot weight checks during the regatta.

15 UMPIRING

The regatta will be umpired.

16 PRIZES

16.1 There will be trophies for all members of the 1st, 2nd and 3rd placed teams of each event.

16.2 Perpetual Trophy will be presented to the team placing first (1st) at the circuit. Only teams that have participated in all events are eligible for this trophy. Trophy will be awarded to the team with the minimum sum of scores of the events.