



COUPE INTERNATIONALE DE PRINTEMPS OPTIMIST 2011

April 20 to 24, 2011

Organized by:

Cercle de Voile de Marseillan

at

Marseillan-Plage, France

NOTICE OF RACE

1 RULES

The 2011 Spring Optimist International Cup (CIP2011) will be ruled by:

- 1.1 The rules as defined in the Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS) 2009/2012.
- 1.2 The recommendations from the Fédération Française de Voile (FF Voile).
- 1.3 The applicable IODA International Class & Measurements Rules and the Promotion Optimist 2010/2011 Sport Regulations.
- 1.4 The national regulations applying to foreign sailors as described in appendix « prescriptions » when needed.
- 1.5 In case of disagreement over the translation, the French text will prevail.

2 ADVERTISING

Applying ISAF Regulation 20 (Advertising code) modified by the FF Voile advertising instructions, boats may be required to show adverts provided by the Organizing Authority.

3 ELIGIBILITY & ENTRY

- 3.1 The race is open to the OPTIMIST Class according to the following conditions:
 - To French sailors after selection, holding their FF Voile updated registration, stamped and signed by an Medical Doctor, fees to the Class paid, and holding a parental authorisation.
 - To the foreign sailors born before 2002, in accordance to their National Authority and holding a parental authorisation.

3.2 The 2011 Spring International Cup is the selective event for the European Championship for the French delegation. All the sailors who will satisfy the selection by the Sport Regulation 2010-2011 of the Optimist Class will be joined into the delegations placed under the exclusive organisation of this Class.

The maximum number of entries is 450.

3.3 Eligible sailors may register by completing the attached sheet and sending it accompanied by the required registration fee by March 31st 2011 at the latest to the following address:

CERCLE DE VOILE DE MARSEILLAN
Quai de Toulon
34340 MARSEILLAN
France

or by registering and paying through the Internet site:

<http://cipmarseillan2011.free.fr>

Foreign competitors without a French license shall justify thier membership to an ISAF Member national authority.

3.4 From April 4th, 2011 and thereafter, the registration fee is increased by 20 €.

3.5 Registration will be closed by the 18th of April 2011.

4 **FEES**

Registration fee is: 50 €, paid:

- By check to the order of: Cercle de Voile de Marseillan
- By bank transfer to:

<u>National bank account Identification (RIB)</u>				
Bank	Agency	Account	Key	Currency
10057	19039	00015254201	83	EUR
<u>International bank account Identification</u>				
IBAN (International bank Account Number)			BIC (Bank Identifier Code)	
FR76 1005 7190 3900 0152 5420 183			CMCIFRPP	

- By Internet payment on the web site:

<http://cipmarseillan2011.free.fr>

Refund: In case of no-show, the registration fees will be refunded only in case of absolute necessity and after decision by the Organising Committee, which may request a health certificate.

5 QUALIFYING SERIES AND FINALS

The regatta will be run in qualifying series and finals.

6 PROGRAMME

6.1 Registration confirmation and Measurement:

- Tuesday April 19th, 2011, from 14h00 to 19h00
- Wednesday April 20th, 2011, from 10h00 to 21h00
- Thursday April 21st, 2011, from 08h00 to 09h00

6.2 Racing days:

- Wednesday April 20th, 2011 – 14h30 – 1st signal – training race
- Thursday April 21st, 2011 – 11h00 – 1^{er} signal – races as called
- Friday April 22nd, 2011 – 11h00 – 1^{er} signal – races as called
- Saturday April 23rd, 2011 – 11h00 – 1^{er} signal – races as called
- Sunday April 24th, 2011 – 11h00 – 1^{er} signal – races as called

6.3 Number of races:

Sailor Category	Number of races
Benjamin	12
Minim D2	15
Minim D1	15

7 MEASUREMENTS

The measurements control will consist of completing the sheet: declaration of conformity to measurements (printable from the web site). This document will

be counter-signed by an accompanying adult, in front of the measuring officer. Controls will be done during the event. The sailors will be requested to produce the valid original IODA measurement certificate card at registration confirmation.

8 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

The instructions will be available at registration confirmation.

9 VENUE

The racing course will be:

- Either at sea, in front of Marseillan-Plage (beach side),
- Either on the lake, Etang de Thau, in front of Marseillan-Ville (city side).

10 COURSES

Courses will be trapeze diagram type, with or without doors.

11 PENALTIES SYSTEM

RRS 44.1 & 44.2 will apply.

12 SCORING

12.1 The minimum points system RRS appendix A will apply.

12.2 The minimum number of races in a series for the event to be validated is 3.

12.3

Minim D1		Minim D2/Benjamin	
Valid races	Excluded scores	Valid races	Excluded scores
6	1	4	1
10	2	9	2
		13	3

12.4 In the event of equal scores, the system ISAF appendix A8 will apply.

13 ORGANISATION AUTHORITY BOATS

The boats of the Organisation Authority will be identified by the Cercle de Voile de Marseillan flag and:

- A white flag with letter A for race course **Alpha**
- A white flag with letter B for race course **Bravo**

14 PRIZES

At minimum, the first 5 girls and the first 5 boys of each category will be given prizes.

Awards will be on Sunday April 24th, 2011 after the regatta.

15 IMAGE RIGHTS

Participation to this event automatically allows the Organising Authority, the Cercle de Voile de Marseillan, Promotion Optimist, and the sponsors of the event, to use and show at any time, statical or movemental pictures, movies or TV recordings of the participants, during and after the racing period of the event called « **COUPE INTERNATIONALE DE PRINTEMPS OPTIMIST 2011** », and to use without compensation their image on all the materials linked to the event.

16 LIABILITY

Competitors participate in the championship entirely at their own risk and responsibility (RRS 4). The Organising Authority and any other party involved in the organisation of the event will accept no liability whatsoever for any injury, damage, loss or claim, whether personal or material, incurred by or inflicted to competitors before, during or after the Championship.

17 INSURANCE

Each foreign competitor, not licenced at the FF Voile, shall be insured with valid 3rd party liability insurance which includes regatta sailing with a minimum coverage of 1 500 000€ (one million and half euros) or equivalent currency value.

18 INFORMATION/ACCOMODATION

Venue & accomodation information will be available on the web site of the event : <http://cipmarseillan2011.free.fr>

Below are our partners who negociated tariffs:

- Agence WAGNER : Flats rental : F2, F3 & housing upto 6 persons.

75, avenue des campings, 34340 Marseillan-Plage, Phone : +33 4 67 01 64 64

www.club-wagner.fr

- Hôtel le Richmond : 3***. Possibility for rooms and meals including replacement take away snacks.

34340 Marseillan-Plage, Phone : +33 4 67 21 97 79

www.hotel-marseillan.com

- Port Rive Gauche : Hotel Residence. Flats from 51 to 81 m².

2 rue Suffren, 34340 Marseillan-Ville, Phone : +33 4 67 00 87 65

www.garrigaeresorts.com

- Tourism Office of the city of Marseillan:

Avenue de la Méditerranée, 34340 Marseillan Plage, Phone : +33 4 67 21 82 43

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