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22th SAILING WEEK OF SCHOELCHER

The 21th Sailing Week of Schoelcher will be organized by the Cercle Nautique Schoelcher, under the aegis of the Martinican Sailing league. It will take place in Anse-Madame, Schoelcher, Martinique, from the 18th to the 21th of February 2012.

NOTICE OF RACE

1 – RULES

- The regatta will be governed by :

- 1.1 The rules as defined in the **RRS** (2009-2012), including Appendix D for team race.
- 1.2 The prescriptions of the **FFV** will posted in the official notice board
- 1.3 The French optimist class rules will apply
- 1.4 If there is a conflict between languages the English text of the **RRS** will take precedence.

3 – PUBLICITE

In accordance with ISAF Regulation 20 (Advertising Code) as modified by the Advertising regulation of the FFVoile, boats may be required to display the advertising chosen and supplied by the organizing authority.

3 – ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

3.1 The regatta is open to all boats or sailboards of the **Optimist (minims, Benjamin's), Laser (4.7, radial, Standard), Sunfish , Small Catamaran, BIC Techno 293 OD, Open Bic, Raceboard, Tempest** members of the French sailing federation or member of a club or of an organisation affiliated with a National Authority.

3.2 Eligibility boats or sailboards may enter by completing the attached form and sending to the cercle Nautique de Schoelcher desk, together with the required fee, no later than February 17th of 2012 at 05:00 p.m.

Each A Longue distance course for windsurf and catamaran classes can start Monday February 20 depend of the number of races completed during the previous days. competitor will be stamped at time of registration: sails, sailboards hull and fins

3.3 Late entries will not be accepted.

3.4 Charter boats are in limited number, allocation will be taken on a “first come, first served” basis.

Entry for team race

- 3.5** Team race is for Optimist and laser radial and laser 4.7.
Three sailors one substitute per team.
- 3.3** Team race is opened for all sailors registered to the 22° sailing week of Schoelcher
- 3.4** Each country or club can priority registered one team.
- 3.5** In case of 3.4 is not possible team country or team club can be completed with another sailor.
- 3.6** Other teams completed on place should be registered if there is possibility.
- 3.7** 16 team maximum accepted for each class (Optimist,Laser radial and laser 4.7).
- 3.8** Dead line for team registration is Sunday 9 February 3:00 pm. Registration time is closed when 16 team are registered.

4-FEES

4.1 Required fees are 80 € per person including lunch during the racing days and the opening and closing ceremony

4.2 Other fees: charter hull

-Charter fee Optimist and laser hull: 70 € (only hulls)

-Charter fee Bic techno 293 OD 50 € (only board)

5 - SCHEDULE

5.1 – dates and time of racing

Wednesday,February 15th	2:00 pm to 5:00 pm	Registration and Stamping
Thursday,February 16th	2:00 pm to 5:00 pm	Registration and Stamping
Friday, February 17th	8.00 am to 12.00 am 2.00 pm to 5.00 pm 6.30 pm	Registration and Stamping Registration and Stamping Opening Ceremony
Saturday, February 18th	10.00 am	Warning signal - Races to follow
Sunday, February 19th	9.30 am 3:00 pm	Warning signal - Races to follow Dead line registration for team race
Monday, February 20th	10.00 am 01:30 pm	Warning signal –race to follow Team race (optimist laser) Longue distance (cata,windsurf)

Tuesday, February 21th	6:00 pm	Award ceremony team race
	9.30 am	Warning signal - Races to follow
	6:30 pm	Award and Closing Ceremony

5.2 - Number of races:

The warning signal for the 1st race will be made for all classes at 10.00 a.m. on March 05th 2011.

6- MEASUREMENT

Competitors shall make sure that equipment complies with class rules to which they. Each competitor will be stamped at time of registration: sails, sailboard (sails, hull and fins).

7- SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

The Sailing Instructions will be available on February 14th, 2012 at 2:00 pm.

8- THE COURSE

Type: windward-leeward triangle course or windward-leeward course.

A team race for laser and optimist classes can start Monday February 20 depend of the number of races completed during the previous days.

A Longue distance course for windsurf and catamaran classes can start Monday February 20 depend of the number of races completed during the previous days.

The diagrams showing the course, the order in which each mark is to be passed, and the side on which each mark is to be left are definite in the Sailing Instructions.

9. PENALTY SYSTEM

For catamarans, windsurfs rule 44.1 is changed so that the Two-turn Penalty is replaced by the One-turn Penalty.

10 - SCORING

10.1 Four races are required to be completed to constitute a series.

10.2 (a) When fewer than 5 races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her races scores.

(b) When from 5 to 9 races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her races scores excluding her worst score.

(c) When more than 9 races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her races scores excluding her two worst scores.

11- RADIO COMMUNICATION

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.

12- PRIZES

The first, the second and the third of each class shall be rewarded .The first female of each class shall be rewarded.

In accordance with the race committee Special awards are possible.

13 – DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. Decision to race or to continue racing is their own responsibility.

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 – INSURANCE

Each foreign competitor without FFVoile license shall be insured with a valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum cover of 1 500 000 Euros.

15 - FURTHER INFORMATIONS

For further information please contact the Cercle nautique de Schoelcher desk.

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