



Tomis Trophy

52nd edition

16th– 19th of May 2013

Black Sea - Constanta, Tomis Port

Romanian Royal Yacht Club & Romanian Sailing Federation

Notice of Race

Romanian Royal Yacht Club and Romanian Sailing Federation are organising the **52nd edition of Tomis Trophy**, with the support of **Tomis Marina Management, Constanta Port Border Police, Constanta County Direction for Sport and Youth**

1. VENUE

The Tomis Trophy will be held in Constanta, the Tomis Port, from 16th May till 19th May 2013.

2. ORGANISING AUTHORITY

The event is organised by **Romanian Royal Yacht Club, the branches Bucharest and Constanta** and **Romanian Sailing Federation**.

3. RULES

The Regatta shall be governed by the Racing Rules of Sailing for 2013-2016 (RRS), the Class Rules of the relevant Classes and the Notice of Race (except if any of these are altered by the Sailing Instructions) and the Sailing Instructions.

The present Notice of Race might be altered by the Sailing Instruction. In case of contradictions the newest prescription shall prevail.

In case of contradiction of languages the English language will prevail.

4. ENTRIES

4.1. Every competitor/crew may be entered by completing registration form with the Organising Authority.

4.2. Entries shall be made on the official entry form. Online registration will be possible on the regatta web site, <http://www.ycrr.ro/trofeul-tomis>. Entry forms will be given upon arrival.

4.3. There will be no entry fee for participation in the regatta.

5. ENTRY CONFIRMATION

A list of the competitors and team leaders should be received by the Organising Authority as soon as possible, but not later than 5th of May 2013 on the email addresses in article 18.

6. ACCOMODATION & CHARTER BOATS.

For foreign teams accommodation will be free of charge. For hotel accommodation reservation purposes the number of persons requiring accommodation shall be announced to organisers not later than 30th of April 2013. Those who register after the 30th of April are not guaranteed free accommodation but may still register and take place in the event.

Boats for charter will be provided, requests for charter boat shall be received before 15th of April 2013.

7. REGISTRATION

Competitors shall register at the Race Office no later than 20:00 on 17th of May 2013.

8. IDENTIFICATION

Every boat will be required to display her national country code and an identification number on her sails.

9. CLASSES

Regatta will be sailed in the following classes: *Optimist, Zoom8, Cadet, Laser 4.7, Laser Radial, Laser Standard, 470*. Minimum 4 boats are required to constitute a valid class.

10. COURSES

10.1. The course will be set in the outside waters of Tomis Marina. The Olympic Trapezoid course will be used. The sailing course will be announced in the Sailing Instructions with an enclosed drawing.

10.2. Course will be set with each race planned to be approximately 35 - 60 minutes duration. A variation from the planned duration shall not be grounds for redress.

11. SCHEDULE OF RACES

The provisional timetable for the event is:

16th of May 2013

12:00 - 24:00 Arrival and Registration

17th of May 2013

09:30 - 20:00 Registration

11:55* Practice Race

20:00 Briefing with Coaches and Team Leaders

18th of May 2013

09:55* Racing **

19th of May 2013

09:55* Racing **

16:00 Prize Giving & Closing Ceremony

* *First possible warning signal.*

** *Three races per day are scheduled. The race committee can decide to run one additional race per day. On 19th of May no warning signal will be given after 13:55.*

12. SCORING SYSTEM

The Low Point Scoring System of RRS Appendix A shall apply.

13. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

The Sailing Instructions will be published on event web site short before the event and also made available to participants at registration.

14. PENALTY SYSTEM

ISAF RRS 2013-2016 rule 42 shall apply. ISAF rule RRS 2013-2016 Appendix P shall apply.

15. PRIZES

Prizes, cups and medals will be awarded to every boat placing first, second and third in each group and class. The organising committee might award additional prizes at its discretion.

16. ADVERTISING

16.1. The official site of the regatta is <http://www.ycrr.ro/trofeul-tomis>

16.2 The boats might be required and will have to apply stickers with the name of event sponsors, supplied by the organizing authority.

16.3. By participating at the Tomis Trophy regatta 2013 a competitor automatically grants to the Organising Authority the right perpetuity to make, use and show, from time to time and at their discretion, any motion pictures, still pictures and live, taped or filmed television and other reproductions of him/her, taken during the period of competition for the said Tomis Trophy regatta 2012, in which the competitor participates and in all materials related, without compensation.

17. LIABILITIES AND INSURANCE

17.1. All persons taking part in the Regatta will do so entirely at their own risk and responsibility. The organising authority and any other party or person involved in the organisation of the event will not accept any liability for any loss, damage, injury or death which may occur to person or property, both ashore and afloat, as a consequence of participation in the Regatta.

17.2. Each participating competitor must be insured with valid insurance.

18. TEAM LEADER/COACH BOATS

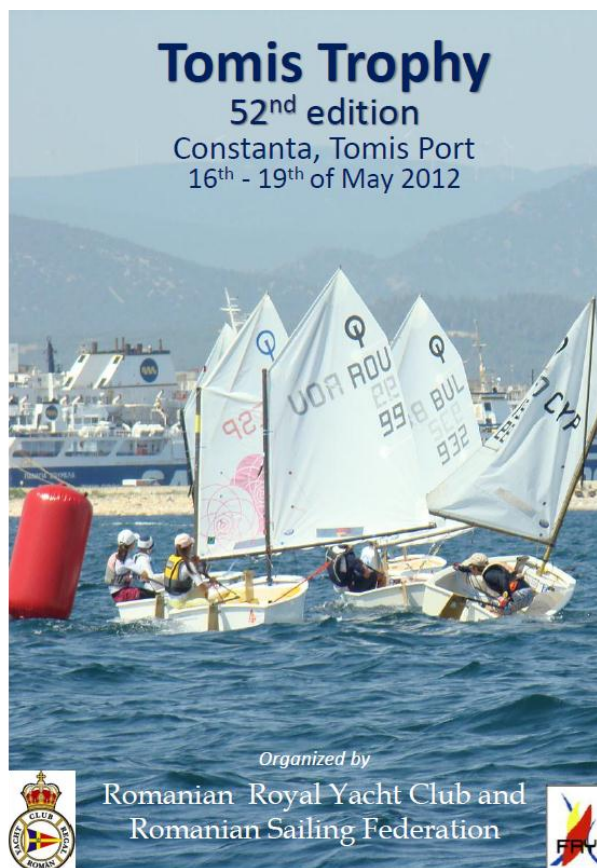
Coaches bringing boats may be required to share their boats with other coaches. All boats must be registered with the Organising Authority and must display a national flag from the stern. Access to the course areas will be restricted during racing.

19. Weather & Wind Conditions

Weather temperature approximately 16-25° Celsius

Wind velocity approximately 10-20 knots

20. INFORMATION: ender.bolat@ycrr.ro; office@ycrr.ro; tel.+40.722.417.235



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The poster features a photograph of several sailboats racing on the water. The sails are white with various national codes and numbers, including 'ROU', 'BUL', and 'CYP'. A large red buoy is visible on the left. The background shows a coastline with mountains under a clear sky.