

TEST EVENT OPTIMIST

Trofeo Emilio Vatteroni

Marina di Carrara 7 - 8 - 9 July 2023

NOTICE OF REGATTA

1. ORGANISATION

By delegation of the Italian Sailing Federation, organised by the Club Nautico Marina di Carrara,
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2. REGULATIONS:

2.1 The rules applied to the races will be:

- . The W.S.(World Sailing) Racing Rules 2021-2024 (RRS)
- . The FIV Regulations for National Organised Sporting Activity in Italy 2023 are to be considered part of the Rules.
- . RRS 61.1 “Informing the Protestee”, is supplemented as follows:
“Immediately after its arrival, the protestino boat shall notify the RC (Race Committed) of any intention to protest by communicating the number of the boat it intends to protest”.
- . The first sentence of RRS 40 is deleted and replaced with: “When a float, all competitors must always wear a personal flotation device (PFD) that complies with RCO 4.2.(a), except for the short period whilst they are changing or arranging their clothing or personal gear. Wetsuits and drysuits are not personal flotation devices”.
- . Appendix ‘P’ of the RRS (Special Procedure for Rule 42) shall apply.
- . In the event of a conflict between the Notice of Regata and the Sailing Instructions, the latter, and any subsequent Official Notices, shall take precedence in accordance with RRS 63.7.

3. NOTICES and OFFICIAL NOTICE BOARD

3.1 Notices to competitors will be posted on the online Official Notice Board on the dedicated page of the website: www.clubnauticomarinadicarrara.net which can also be accessed by the following QR Code:

QR CODE

In order for this system to function properly, each competitor must inform the OA (Organising Authority) of their telephone number and email address. This information will be automatically deleted from the system after the event. It is the responsibility of each competitor to familiarise themselves with and conform to the proper functioning of the system. Competitors are also required to use this system for notices to the OA, the RC and the Jury, such as for submitting protests and other request. It is the responsibility of each competitor to consult the

online Official Notice Board in a timely manner. This notice system does not effect the RRS, so shore signals and timings remain unchanged.

4. ADVERTISING:

- 4.1 No individual advertising of any kind is allowed during the event. Competitors may be required to display advertising by the organising authority in accordance with the limits of Regulation 20 of WS.

5. ADMISSION:

5.1 Optimist Class:

- Division B: birth years 2013 – 2014;
- Division A: birth years 2008 – 2009 – 2010 – 2011 – 2012.

6. REGISTRATION:

- 6.1 Participants must register using the registration form on the website. The documentation (insurance with a maximum of €. 1,500.00 and estende regatta cover, a san alternative to FIV Plus for Italian crews, rating certificate and a copy of the FIV membership card) must be sent by mail to the following address vela@clubnauticomarinadicarrara.net

All registration applications, complete with documents, must be received by the 30 May 2023.

Registration fee : €. 80,00 + €. 20,00 for "MetaSail tracking (plus €. 50,00 deposit for dinghy credit and tracker return, to be paid in cash to the administrative office when completing registration). Once paid, the registration fee is non-refundable.

All applicants registering after 30 May must pay €. 100,00+ €. 20,00 for tracking.

BANK TRANSFER DETAILS:

Beneficiary : CLUB NAUTICO MARINA DI CARRARA

Bank : Monte dei Paschi di Siena

IBAN : IT 06 T 01030 24510 000000759012

Swift/BIC: PASCITM1Y39

7. MEMBERSHIP:

- 7.1 All competitors residing in Italy must be up to date with their FIV membership, or FIV PLUS membership (see point 16 below), including medical examination, and Class, for the current year. Foreign competitors must be up to date with their respective Federations.

8. RACES:

- 8.1 A maximum of nine races will be sailed for each division, and there will be a maximum of three races per day; one race may be disregarded if a total of four races are sailed. The regatta is deemed valid even if only one race is sailed. The OC may modify the programme in the event of adverse weather conditions or due to any other circumstances.

9. PROGRAMME:

- 9.1
- 6 July: Completion of registration 9.00am – 6.00 pm ;
 - 7 July: Completion of registration 9.00am – 11.00pm;
Coach briefing 11.00am
First race warning signal at 12.55pm; regatta (s)
 - 8 July: Regatta (s)
 - 9 July: Regatta (s) at the end, the prizes will be presented.

The time of the warning signal for the first race of each day following the first will be posted by 7.00pm on the day before it takes effect on the online Official Notice Board with a communication. In the event that this notice is not posted, the time of the warning signal for the first race will be the same as the previous day. One race will be sufficient to complete the series. In compliance with the FIV Regulations for Organised Sporting Activity in Italy 2023 for the Optimist Class, if the regatta is held according to a heat system, following a special announcement to this effect, the Additional Rules describe in Addendum A of this Notice shall apply.

No warning signal may be given after 4.00pm on the last day of racing, except for the category/ies that will race under the heat system; in this case, if a heat start by 4.00pm, the last heat must start within the next 30 minutes (by 4.30pm. max.).

10. RATING CERTIFICATES:

10.1 All boats must have a valid rating certificate.

11. RATING CHECKS:

These checks may be performed before, during and after competitions.

12. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS:

These will be available from 9.00am on 6 July 2023 on the online notice system referred to in section 2.2 above.

13. REGATTA LOCATIONS:

A stretch of water Marina di Carrara beach.

14. SCORING:

The Low point system will be adopted (RRS Appendix 'A')

15. PRIZES:

- Emilio Vatteroni Trophy to the first place in the A division.
- Prize to the five highest ranking division A competitors;
- Prize to the five highest ranking division B competitors;
- Prize to the highest ranking female competitor in division A and division B.

16. LIABILITY:

The RRS section 3 states: The responsibility for a boat's decision to participate in a race or to continue racing is hers alone. As such, participants must be aware that sailing falls within the scope of the activities governed by Article 2050 of the Italian Civil Code and that all participants must be in possession of a valid federal membership guaranteeing coverage against accidents, including death and permanent disability.

17. INSURANCE

The boats must be insured for third-party liability, valid for sporting events, with a minimum limit of € 1,500.00. As certification of this insurance, the attached form must be duly completed, stamped and signed, then submitted to the Regatta Administrative Office when completing registration. Alternatively, the competitor must be in possession of a FIV PLUS card.

18. IMAGE RIGHTS:

By taking part in the event, the yacht owners, their crews and guests grant the Organising Authority and their sponsors the right and authorisation to publish and/or use in any manner whatsoever



photographs and footage of people and boats taken during the event for possible publicity material and/or press releases.