

YOUTH & MASTER WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP

GALLIPOLI-2014

30TH JUNE TO 5TH JULY 2014 – GALLIPOLI, APULIA, ITALY

Organized by:



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STANDARD NOTICE OF RACE

2014 FORMULA WINDSURFING JUNIOR CHAMPIONSHIPS

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EUROPEAN CUP EVENT AND WORLD RANKING EVENT

1 RULES

- 1.1 The event will be governed by the rules as defined in the Racing Rules of Sailing Windsurfing Competition Rules (WCR).
- 1.2 The International Formula Windsurfing Class (IFWC) <u>Championship Rules</u> and relevant European Cup General Rules shall apply.
- 1.3 No national prescriptions will apply.
- 1.4 If there is a conflict between languages the English text will take precedence.
- 1.5 If there is a conflict between the Notice of Race and the Sailing Instructions, the Sailing Instructions will take precedence.

2 ADVERTISING

- 2.1 Sailors may be required to display advertising chosen and supplied by the organising authority. ISAF Regulation 20 'Advertising Code' shall apply.
- 2.2 Event branding shall be worn at all times when afloat, and as requested by the organisers during media interviews and during the prize giving.

3 DIVISIONS

3.1 Gender Divisions: Men and Women.

3.2 Age Divisions:

- 3.2.1 A Junior shall be under the age of 17 (born in or after 1998, not later than 2001).
- 3.2.1 A Youth shall be under the age of 20 (born in or after 1995, not later than 2000).
- 3.2.2 A Senior shall be born in or between 1994 and 1979 for men, or 1982 for women.
- 3.2.3 A Master shall be a man over the age of 35 (born 1978 or earlier) or a woman over the age of 30 (born 1983 or earlier).
- 3.2.4 A Grand Master shall be a man over the age of 45 (born 1968 or earlier) or a woman over the age of 40 (born 1973 or earlier).
- 3.2.5 A Veteran shall be a man over the age of 55 (born 1958 or earlier)
- 3.3 A minimum of 5 competitors is required to constitute a division.

4 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 4.1 All entries shall meet the requirements of ISAF Regulation 19 Eligibility Code.
- 4.2 Competitors shall be members of a National Class Association which is a paid up member of the relevant international class association, or of the IWA. Membership formalities can be completed on site.
- 4.3 Eligible competitors may <u>enter online</u> (credit/debit card or bank transfer payment required)
- 4.4 The following shall be presented upon registration:
 - Evidence of valid third party insurance
 - Proof of age
 - Emergency Contact and Health Information Form for those under age of 18

5 FEES

- 5.1 The required entry fee: is 190 euro; except Youth entry fee is 160 euro.
- 5.2 A 30 euro discount will be deducted for entries received by 5th June 2014.
- 5.3 Entry fees paid at registration shall be paid in cash (euro).

6 RACE FORMAT

- 6.1 The championship shall be a *racing*, "open entry", event.
- 6.2 Men and women may race together.
- 6.3 Competitors shall race a maximum 5 races per day, in a maximum 15 race series.
- 6.4 Three races are required to validate the event.

7 SCHEDULE

7.1	Sat/Sun 28/29 June		Early arrivals & training
	Monday 30 June	1100-1700	Registration
	Tuesday 1 July	0800-0900	Late Registration
		1000	Welcome & Skippers Meeting
		1100	Racing
	Wednesday 2 July	1100	Racing
	Thursday 3 July	1100	Racing
	Friday 4 July	1100	Racing
	Saturday 5 July	1100	Racing
		1700	Last possible warning signal
		2000	Prize giving & party
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- 7.3 There may be a daily skippers meeting on racing days at 10.00hrs.

8 EQUIPMENT & EQUIPMENT INSPECTION

- 8.1.1 An Equipment Inspection Form, which will be available at registration, shall be returned to the Event Equipment Inspector by the close of registration.
- 8.2 Alternatively, and to save time, an <u>Equipment Inspection Form</u> can be completed <u>on-line</u>.
- 8.3 Equipment inspections may be made at any time during the event.
- 8.4 Unless otherwise directed by the organising authority, boards and equipment shall be launched and retrieved from the designated area at the event site.

9 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

The sailing instructions (SI's) will be available upon registration. Any changes to the SI's shall be approved by the Class Representative at the event.

10 COURSES

Courses will be as described in the sailing instructions.

11 INTERNATIONAL JURY

An International Jury will be appointed according to WCR Appendix N. There shall be no appeal against its decisions in accordance with WCR 70.5.

12 SCORING

Scoring will be according to the IFWC Championship Rules.

13 COACHES & SUPPORT BOATS

Coaches and support boats shall be registered with the organiser. Support boat drivers shall have a valid boat licence and third party liability insurance.

14 SAFETY

Support boat crew members and, if conditions require it, competitors shall wear a personal flotation device that shall conform to the minimum standard of ISO 12402-5 (level 50).

15 PRIZES & TITLES

- 15.1 Prizes will be awarded to the first three competitors of each properly constituted division.
- 15.2 The first Junior boy or girl will be declared **"2014 Formula Windsurfing Junior Champion"**.
- 15.3 The first Youth man or woman will be declared "**2014 Formula Windsurfing Youth** <u>World Champion</u>".
- 15.4 The first Masters man or woman will be declared "2014 Formula Windsurfing Masters <u>World Champion</u>".
- **15.5** The first Grandmaster will be declared- **"2014 Formula Windsurfing Grandmasters Champion".**
- **15.6** The first overall man and woman will be declared **"2014 Gallipoli Formula European Cup Champion".**

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16 OFFICIAL CEREMONIES

Competitors are requested to attend the event's social functions; however, the organising authority may refuse entry to those whose standard of attire is not commensurate with the occasion. **Prize winners may forfeit prizes for non attendance at the prize giving ceremony.**

17 DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

Competitors participate in the event entirely at their own risk, see WCR 4 - Decision to Race. The organising authority or any of their officials or representatives or the sponsors or their officials or representatives will not accept any liability for material damage or personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with or prior to, during or after the event.

18 INSURANCE

Each participating competitor/support boat driver shall be insured with valid third party liability insurance with a minimum cover of 300,000 euro per event or the equivalent.

19 RIGHT TO USE NAME AND LIKENESS

Competitors automatically grant to the organizing authority without payment the right in perpetuity to make, use and show any motion pictures, still pictures and live, taped or filmed television of or relating to the event.

20 FURTHER INFORMATION

Registration will be in the race office at: ECO-RESORT SIRENÈ

For further information contact - TONIA FEDERICA RIMA

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ADDITIONAL INFORMATION SHEET

The following information is not part of the rules for the Event.

A TRAVEL & TRANSFER

The nearest international airport is BRINDISI - 60 minutes' drive from the venue

There will be transfers between the Airport and the Race Site. Please contact Agenzia Viaggi S. Andrea – Gallipoli – Phone: +39 0833 261282 Mail: gallipoli@santadreaviaggi.it - if you want to use the service.

B ACCOMMODATION

Agenzia Viaggi S. Andrea – Gallipoli – Phone: +39 0833 261282 Mail: gallipoli@santadreaviaggi.it

C PREVAILING CONDITIONS

Wind: WNW 15 to 25 knots; (55%) SSE 8 to 20 knots (30%)/ENE 6 to 10 knots (15%)

Air temperature: $22 \,^{\circ}$ C to $32 \,^{\circ}$ C. Water temperature: $19 - 22 \,^{\circ}$ C.

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