



Tomis Trophy

53rd edition

15th– 18th of May 2014

Constanta, Mamaia, Siutghiol lake

Romanian Royal Yacht Club & Romanian Sailing Federation

Notice of Race

Romanian Royal Yacht Club and Romanian Sailing Federation are organising the **53rd edition of Tomis Trophy**

1. VENUE

The Tomis Trophy will be held in Constanta, Mamaia, Siutghiol Lake, Pinguin Nautical Club.

2. ORGANISING AUTHORITY

The event is organised by **Romanian Royal Yacht Club** and **Romanian Sailing Federation**.

3. RULES

The Regatta shall be governed by the rules as defined in 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 . Entry forms will be given upon arrival.

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

5. ENTRY CONFIRMATION

Entry forms should be received by the Organising Authority as soon as possible on the email addresses in article 20.

6. ACCOMODATION & CHARTER BOATS.

For foreign teams accommodation will be arranged at special rates at Pinguin Nautical Club (aprox. 10 eur/pers/night incl breakfast) or other hotels in Mamaia. Please write us your request at ender.bolat@ycrr.ro .

Boats for charter can be provided, requests for charter boat shall be received before 10th of May 2013.

7. REGISTRATION

Competitors shall register at the Race Office no later than 20:00 on 16th of May 2014.

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 waters of Siutghiol Lake. 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:

15th of May 2014

12:00 - 24:00

Arrival and Registration

16th of May 2014

09:30 - 20:00

Registration

11:55*

Practice Race

17th of May 2014

09:55*

Racing **

18th of May 2014

09:55*

Racing **

16:00

Prize Giving & Closing Ceremony

* *First possible warning signal.*

** *Seven races are scheduled in total. On 18th of May no warning signal will be given after 14:25.*

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

16.2. By participating at the Tomis Trophy regatta 2014 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 2014, 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 prior to , during or after in the Regatta.

17.2. Each participating competitor shall 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