



NOTICE OF RACE
French leg of **EUROMASTER LASER 2015**
Fouesnant, from 1th to 3th of May 2015
Organizing Authority: : Centre Nautique de Fouesnant Cornouaille

1. RULES

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the ISAF Racing Rules of Sailing 2013-2016 (RRS) and under the EURO 2015 SERIES MASTERS of EURILCA ;
- 1.2 French FFVoile Prescriptions to RRS 2013-2016 applying to foreign competitors specified in Annexe;
- 1.3 The FFVoile prescriptions;
- 1.4 In the event of conflict in the translation of this Notice of Race, the French text shall prevail.

2. ADVERTISING

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. ELIGIBLY and ENTRY

- 3.1 The regatta is open to all boats of the Laser 4.7, Laser Radial and Laser Standard class. Only one person shall be on board whilst racing (This restricts Laser Class rule 7 (a)).The regatta is strictly restricted to competitors born before 1 January 1981.
- 3.2 Eligible competitors may enter on the website www.sailinfo.fr/ems.fouesnant by completing the form online from January 15 and no later than April 20, 2015.
- 3.3 After this date, entries will only be accepted upon payment of an entry fee of €20.
- 3.4 Memberships of the French Sailing Federation FFVoile must submit at the time of registration:
 - Their valid FFV license with medical stamp or accompanied by a less than one year old certificate of non-medical indication for sailing in competition.,
 - If necessary, authorization to carry advertising
- 3.5 Foreign competitors must show at the time of registration:
 - Proof of a valid third party liability insurance with a minimum coverage of 1,5 millions Euros ;
 - If possible, proof of their membership to a National Authority member of ISAF

4. FEE

- 4.1 The registration fee is €80 for registration before 20 April 2015. After this date, will be €100.
- 4.2 The dinner on Saturday is included in the registration. Accompanying persons may renroll for a donation of €20.

5. PROGRAM

- 5.1 Confirmation of registration:
Thursday, April 30 from 3:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. and Friday May 1st from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 a.m.
- 5.2 Races: 6 races are scheduled as follows:

| Date | | Time of first warning signal |
|--------------------|------------|---|
| Thursday, April 30 | 4:30 p.m. | Pratice race - First warning signal at 4:30 p.m. |
| Friday, May 1st | 1:00 p.m. | 2 races to go - First warning signal at 1:00 p.m. |
| Saturday, May 2 | 1:00 p.m. | 2 races to go - First warning signal at 1:00 p.m. |
| Sunday, May 3 | 11:00 a.m. | 2 races to go - First warning signal at 11:00 a.m. No warning signal will be made after 3:00 p.m. Awards as soon as possible. |

6. SAILING INTRUCTIONS

The sailing instructions will be distributed on registration and posted on the website no later than Thursday, April 30, 2015.

7. RACE FORMAT

- 7.1 Trapezoid courses will be used,
- 7.2 The location of the racing area in the Bay of Fouesnant is described in the Appendix.

8. SCORING

A minimum of one completed race is required to constitute a championship.

9. RADIO COMMUNICATION

Except in emergencies, a boat shall neither make radio communication while racing nor receive radio communications not available to all boats. This restriction also applies to mobile phones.

10. AWARDS

Awards in each class are as follow:

> Laser Standard Fleet:

- ❖ First three overalls.
- ❖ First Laser Apprentice Standard (born between 1971 and 1980).
- ❖ First Laser Master Standard (born between 1961 and 1970).
- ❖ First Laser Grand Master Standard (born between 1951 and 1960).

> Laser Radial Fleet:

- ❖ First three overalls.
- ❖ First Laser Apprentice Radial Men (born between 1971 and 1980).
- ❖ First Laser Apprentice Radial Women (born between 1971 and 1980).
- ❖ First Laser Master Radial Men (born between 1961 and 1970).
- ❖ First Laser Master Radial Women (born between 1961 and 1970).
- ❖ First Laser Grand Master Radial Men (born between 1951 and 1960).
- ❖ First Laser Grand Master Radial Women (born between 1951 and 1960).
- ❖ First Laser Great Grand Master Radial Men (born before 1951).
- ❖ First Laser Great Grand Master Radial Women (born before 1951).

>Laser 4.7 Fleet:

- ❖ First three overalls.

11. DECISION TO RACE

Competitors participate in the regatta or continue racing entirely at their own risk. See RRS 4, The organising 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. Accordingly a competitor shall maintain their boat in a safe and seaworthy condition.

12. ADDITIONAL INFORMATIONS

12.1 Accommodation

Fouesnant, sea-side town, has many hotels and campsites nearby regatta area. You can contact the tourism office at +33.2.98.56.00.93 or <http://www.tourisme-fouesnant.fr/>.

There are also some local accommodation options with room 4 or 6 people and we can also accommodate a few campers on site (contact the secretariat of the nautical center +33.2.96.56.01.05).

12.2 General Information, details and registration:

Centre Nautique de Fouesnant Cornouaille

1, Chemin de Kersentic

BP 22

29170 Fouesnant - FRANCE

Tel: +33.2.98.56.01.05 Fax: +33.2.98.56.65.54

Email: contact@cnfc.fr or ems.fouesnant@gmail.com

Nautical center's website: www.cnfc.fr

Regatta's website and online registration: www.sailinfo.fr/ems.fouesnant

APPENDIX

FFVoile Prescriptions to RRS 2013-2016 applying to foreign competitors

RRS 64.3

FFVoile Prescription (*):

The jury may ask the parties to the protest, prior to checking procedures, a deposit covering the cost of checking arising from a protest concerning class rules.

RRS 67

FFVoile Prescription (*):

Any question about or request of damages arising from an incident involving a boat bound by the Racing Rules of Sailing or International Regulation to Prevent Collision at Sea depends on the appropriate courts and will not be dealt by the jury.

RRS 70. 5

FFVoile Prescription (*):

In such circumstances, the written approval of the Fédération Française de Voile shall be received before publishing the notice of race and shall be posted on the official notice board during the event.

RRS 78

FFVoile Prescription (*):

The boat's owner or other person in charge shall, under his sole responsibility, make sure moreover that his boat comply with the equipment and security rules required by the laws, by-laws and regulations of the Administration.

RRS 86.3

FFVoile Prescription (*):

An organizing authority wishing to change a rule listed in RRS 86.1 in order to develop or test new rules shall first submit the changes to the FFVoile, in order to obtain its written approval and shall report the results to FFVoile after the event. Such authorization shall be mentioned in the notice of race and in the sailing instructions and shall be posted on the official notice board during the event.

RRS 88

FFVoile Prescription (*):

Prescriptions of the FFVoile shall be neither changed nor deleted in the notice of race and sailing instructions, except for events for which an international jury has been appointed.

In such case, the prescriptions marked with an asterisk (*) shall be neither changed nor deleted in the notice of race and sailing instructions. (The official translation of the prescriptions, downloadable on the FFVoile website www.ffvoile.fr, shall be the only translation used to comply with RRS 90.2(b)).

RRS 91

FFVoile Prescription (*):

The appointment of an international jury meeting the requirements of Appendix N is subject to prior written approval of the Fédération Française de Voile. Such notice of approval shall be posted on the official notice board during the event.

APPENDIX R

FFVoile Prescription (*):

Appeals shall be sent to the head-office of Fédération Française de Voile, 17 rue Henri Bocquillon, 75015 Paris – email: jury.appel@ffvoile.fr

APPENDIX RACE AREA

