



Yachting Club CERN (YCC)
("Organizing Authority")

DINGHY AND YNGLING MATCH RACE

27-28th August 2011

NOTICE OF RACE

Disclaimer

*Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. Injuries to competitors and damage to boats can and often do happen. The Yachting Club CERN and all parties involved in the organization of the races 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. The Sailing Instructions in no way limit or reduce the complete and unlimited responsibilities of a competitor. **See RRS rule 4, Decision to Race.** It is recalled that the Swiss navigation law on Lake Geneva applies through the race(s), in particular with respect to swimmers and non-racing boats.*

1 RULES

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing, including Appendix C- Match Racing Rules.*
- 1.2 Changes of rules will appear in *The Sailing Instructions.*
- 1.3 English text is the reference for *The Notice of Race* and *The Sailing Instructions.*

2 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 2.1 All crew shall be member of the YCC at the latest by 24th August 2011, noon.
- 2.2 The number of teams in each class in the regatta is limited to 8. At the discretion of the race committee, additional teams may be accepted.
- 2.3 Teams may register by sending an e-mail to the Match Race coordinator listing their team members. Valid registration requests will be accepted in the order in which they arrive.

3 CONDITIONS FOR RACING AND CREW CHANGES

- 3.1 Teams participating in the dinghy race shall be composed of 2 people.
- 3.2 Teams participating in the Yngling race shall be composed of 2 or 3 people.
- 3.3 The skipper shall be the same throughout the event. He/she shall be onboard during every race of a team.
- 3.4 Persons satisfying the eligibility requirement may be added to a team during the event and team members may also leave a team. However, no person shall compete for more than one team in this event. Changes in team composition shall be announced to the race committee at the earliest practical opportunity.

- 3.5 The skipper selects the team members who will form the crew during a race. The skipper shall announce the crew composition to the race committee prior to each race.

4 FEES

The required entry fee for the regatta is 20 CHF per team, to be paid before the first race of the team.

5 SCHEDULE

- 5.1 The registration opens at noon on August 17th and closes at noon on August 24th .
- 5.2 In the evening of 25th August a briefing will be held in Port Choiseul. The exact time will be communicated to the participants by email to the address which was used to send the registration request on 24th August at the latest.
- 5.3 The regatta will take place on the weekend of 27th to 28th August.
- 5.4 The detailed schedule for the first regatta day (Saturday) will be included in *the Sailing Instructions*. The schedule for the second regatta day (Sunday) will be sent by email on Saturday evening. Competitors shall be at the disposal of the Race Committee throughout both days.
- 5.5 Each regatta comprises one or more races.

6 RACING AREAS

- 6.1 The racing will be conducted offshore of Port Choiseul, Versoix.

7 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

The Sailing Instructions will be sent to participants by email to the address which was used to send the registration request on 26th August at the latest.

8 BOATS

- 8.1 Boats will be provided for all competitors by the YCC. Attention is drawn to the fact that these boats are not necessarily of the same age. This shall not be a reason for redress.

9 FURTHER INFORMATION

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