



# International Flying Junior Class European Championship 2023

**Acquafresca Sport center asd**

**Brenzone - Italy  
July 24 – 29, 2023**

## Notice of Race

[NP] denotes a rule that shall not be grounds for protests by a boat. This changes RRS 60.1(a).

### 1. ORGANIZING AUTHORITY

- 1.1** Under delegation of FEDERAZIONE ITALIANA VELA the championships are organized by **Acquafresca Sport Center asd**, Loc. Acquafresca n.3, 37010 Brenzone sul Garda Vr Italy P. +390457420575 M.+39 3513200091  
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### 2. LOCATION

- 2.1** The Flying Junior European Championship will be held in Brenzone (province of Verona, Veneto, Italy) on July 24 -29, 2023.

### 3. RULES

- 3.1** The events will be governed by the rules as defined in [www.Racing Rules of Sailing.org](http://www.Racing Rules of Sailing.org).  
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**3.3** If there is a conflict between languages, the English text will take precedence.  
**3.4** Appendix P of the RRS "Special procedures for Rule 42" will apply.  
**3.5** Appendix T of the RRS "Arbitration" will apply.

## 4. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

- 4.1 Sailing Instructions will be available at the registration on the official website and on Racing Rules of Sailing.

## 5. COMMUNICATION

- 5.1 The online official notice board is provided through [www.Racing Rules of Sailing.org](http://www.Racing Rules of Sailing.org)  
5.2 When flag V is displayed by the race committee with one sound, according to RRS 37, search and rescue instructions will be provided on (enter 71 channel or other suitable media)

## 6. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 6.1 The championships are open to all boats of the International Flying Junior Class that meet with the obligations of the Class Rules and their National Authority, in the case that a National Authority exists.  
6.2 Italian competitors must be in possession of the valid FIV card including health provisions. For all other competitors either prove that he or she belongs to a World Sailing MNA, and holds a valid third party liability insurance with a cover of at least 1,5 million Euro.  
6.3 Online entry is possible through [www.circoloacquafresca.it](http://www.circoloacquafresca.it)  
6.4 Complete entry deadline: July 24<sup>th</sup>, 2023 for the IFJ European Championship. A complete entry is when the payment of the applicable fee has been done. The applicable fee is the fee at the time of payment as per the fee scheme.  
6.5 It will be possible to perform an entry after the deadline only with the Organizing Committee agreement.  
6.6 All competitors (helmsman and crew) shall comply with the WS Eligibility Code.  
6.7 Final registration is subjected to the presentation of following documents:
  - the check-in report form duly signed
  - the disclaimer form duly signed
  - a valid measurement certificate
  - a valid third-party liability insurance (minimum 1.500.000 Euro)
  - the parent consent form for under 18 years old participants
  - Italian crews must show their FIV membership reporting a valid medical certification
  - the completed equipment measurement form duly signed by the measurer of the event at the end of the measurement/inspection procedure.

## 2. FEES

- 2.1 Entry fee per boat, to be paid by bank transfer at IBAN IT64V0801659300000018061673 BIC CCRTIT2T04A bank account registered to ACQUAFRESCA SPORT CENTER ASD  
2.2 The reason of payment shall report the following: "IFJ European Championship 2023 \_ sail number of the boat \_ full name of the helmsman".  
2.3 Entry fees scheme:

	European Fj Championship
Early Bird Entry Fee (before May 31 <sup>st</sup> 2023)	300,00 EUR
Entry Fee (after May 31 <sup>st</sup> 2023)	350,00 EUR

- 2.4 Entry fees are not refundable.

## 3. ADVERTISING

- 3.1 [NP][DP] Boats may be required to display bow numbers and/or advertising chosen and



supplied by the organizing authority, according to WS Appendix 20. If this rule is broken, World Sailing Regulation 20.9.2 applies.

#### 4. SCHEDULE

- 4.1 A total of 12 races are scheduled for the IFJ European Championship.
- 4.2 Maximum 3 races/day may be sailed.
- 4.3 If no races have been sailed and/or bad weather forecast may affect the IFJ European Championship validity, the Race Committee can decide to race 4 races in one day.
- 4.4 The scheduled time of the first warning signal for IFJ European Championship is 13:00 hours on Wednesday July 26
- 4.5 The time of warning signal for the first race for the days after the first will be communicate to the Race Comity whit posting notice on official Notice Board before 08:00 p.m. of the previous day.
- 4.6 Last possible warning signal on Saturday 29: 16:00 hours
- 4.7 A minimum of 4 races must have been completed to constitute a IFJ European Championship series

<b>Registration</b>	From July 24 to July 25	09:30 - 17:00
	July 26	10:00 - 12:00
<b>Measurement</b>	Monday July 24	10:00 - 18:00
	Tuesday July 25	10:00 - 18:00
<b>Practice Race</b>	Tuesday July 25	13:00
<b>Racing</b>	IFJ European Championship – Wednesday July 26	13:00
	IFJ European Championship – Thursday July 27	bullet 9.5
	IFJ European Championship – Friday July 28	bullet 9.5
	IFJ European Championship – Saturday July 29	bullet 9.5
<b>Social events</b>	Opening Ceremony – IFJ WC – Tuesday July 25	18:00
	Prize Giving Ceremony – IFJ WC – Saturday July 29	18:00

Information about further social events dates and venues will be posted on the official website.

#### 5. EQUIPMENT INSPECTION

- 5.1 All boats will be checked for compliance with the Class Rules.
- 5.2 Measurement will take place as scheduled in the program.
- 5.3 Upon arrival or anyway within July 25 at 10:00 a boat representative is required to contact the registration office to get the equipment measurement form and to know the time the equipment must be presented for inspection
- 5.4 Measurement checks may be carried out at any time during the event.

#### 6. VENUE

- 6.1 The venue address and contacts:

mobile: +39 3513200091  
phone: +39 0457420575  
e-mail: info@circoloacquafresca.it  
official event website: www.circoloacquafresca.it

#### 7. THE COURSES

- 7.1 The courses shall be defined in the Sailing Instructions.



## **8. PENALTY SYSTEM**

- 8.1** For IFJ European Championship, an International Jury will be appointed in accordance with RRS Appendix N.
- 8.2** For IFJ European Championship, the decisions of the Jury will be final in accordance with RRS 70.5.

## **9. SCORING**

- 9.1** According to RRS WS appendix A Low point scoring system will be applied.
- 9.2** Discards:
- when fewer than 4 races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores.
  - When from 4 to 8 races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score.
  - When 9 or more races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her two worst scores.

## **10. SUPPORT PERSON VESSELS**

- 10.1** The entry form for support boats must be filled in and signed by the support boat responsible and must be approved by the Organizing Authority.
- 10.2** Entry deadline for support boats is July 25 12:00 hours.
- 10.3** The team coach boats shall conspicuously display their national flag and must comply with the coach boat regulations as defined in the Sailing Instructions. They must have a third-party liability insurance of € 1,500,000 worth.

## **11. CHARTERED OR LOANED BOATS**

- 11.1** For chartered or loaned boats rule G3 will apply: a chartered or loaned boat may carry national letters or a sail number in contravention of her class rules, provided that the race committee has approved her sail identification before the first race.

## **12. BERTHING**

- 12.1** [NP][DP] Boats shall be placed exclusively inside the official area designated by the club.

## **13. TITLES AND PRIZES**

- 13.1** The following titles will be awarded:
- Top 5 overall teams in IFJ European Championship.
  - First Junior team in IFJ European Championship
  - Special prizes might be awarded

## **14. RISK STATEMENT**

- 14.1** RRS 3 states: "The responsibility for a boat's decision to participate in a race or to continue to race is hers alone". By participating in this event each competitor agrees and acknowledges that sailing is a potentially dangerous activity with inherent risks.
- 14.2** The organizing 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.

## **15. ENVIRONMENTAL RESPONSIBILITY**

- 15.1** The Basic Principle is recalled, which states: "Participants are encouraged to minimize any adverse environmental impact of the sport of sailing"; it is recommended that care is taken to protect the environment at all times during and after the event. Especially, attention is drawn to RRS 47 -TRASH DISPOSAL- which states: "Competitors and support persons shall not intentionally put trash in the water. This rule applies at all times while

afloat. The penalty for a breach of this rule may be less than disqualification".

## **16. INSURANCE**

- 16.1** Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum cover of 1.500.000€ per incident or equivalent.

## **17. MEDIA RIGHTS**

- 17.1** Competitors automatically grant to the Organizing Authority and its Sponsors, without compensation, the perpetual right to make, use and show any text, motion pictures, video and still pictures, as well as live, taped or filmed television of, or relating to, the Championships.

## **18. FURTHER INFORMATION**

- 18.1** Accommodation: see the official website related page
- 18.2** At arrival boats must be immediately dropped off, the trailers shall be taken over by organizing committee and parked in a special area and cars/vans shall be parked in the designated area.
- 18.3** News and information shall be found on the official championship website [www.circoloacquafresca.it](http://www.circoloacquafresca.it)