

# Notice of sailing with FIV rating

## 1) Organisation, Location and Programme

The regatta is organised by:

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The event will take place in the waters of the La Maddalena Archipelago on 20th August 2024. The warning signal will be given at 11.30 am. In case of adverse weather conditions the Organising Committee may postpone the event to 21st August 2024.

## 2) Secretariat

From 19th August 2024 and during the event, the Secretariat will be set up c/o Yacht Club Punta Sardegna at Porto Rafael Marina (tel.+39 340 1169973) (+39 340 9751285).

# 3) Regulations

- Federal regulations in force for recreational sailing events.
- International Regulations for the Prevention of Collisions at Sea (NIPAM-COLREG1972).
- Safety equipment as per legal regulations for pleasure sailing.
- Sailing Notice
- Notices from the Organising Committee

In the event of a conflict between the aforementioned regulations, these provisions for the event, which supplement the Regulations for the Prevention of Collisions at Sea (NIPAM-COLREG1972), shall prevail.

## 4) Permitted Boats

In accordance with the provisions of the FIV Regulations for Pleasure Sailing 2024, all offshore boats in possession of the relevant documents for pleasure sailing and the required insurance cover will be admitted to the event, classifying it as an "FIV-rated sailing race". Please note that sailing will be carried out in compliance with the International Rules for the Prevention of Collisions at Sea (NIPAM-COLREG1972). The World Sailing Regulations will **not** be applied.

# 5) Entries

The entry form can be filled in on the website <u>www.trofeoformenton.it</u> under "entries".

The entry will only be considered accepted if payment is complete.

The deadline for entries expires at 18.00 on 19 August 2024.

Registration may also be made directly at the Secretariat located at the Porto Rafael Marina on 19th August 2022 from 16.00 to 18.00 (payment in cash or credit card).

#### 6) Entry fee

The entry fee for each boat is as follows:

Euro 200,00 for boats of l.f.t.  $\leq$  m 12 (i.e.  $\leq$  36 feet);

Euro 250,00 for boats of l.f.t. > m 12 (i.e. > 36 feet);

Euro 300,00 for boats d.f.t. > m 16 (i.e. > 52,5 feet)

# 7) Membership

All Italian crews must have a FIV 2024 membership card for the "Diporto".

You can apply for the recreational card directly to Geosail ssd by sending a copy of an identification document and tax code to the email address: <u>info@scuolavela.com</u>.

A medical certificate is not required, cost 15 €.

#### Crew

A complete list of the crew members completed with name, surname, date of birth and FIV membership card number, or recreational sailing card valid for the current year, must be

presented at the time of regularisation of the registration. Any changes, where permitted in the Instructions, must be requested from the Organising Committee and authorised.

At least two crew members must be present on each boat.

## 8) Route

The route shall be between the islands of the La Maddalena Archipelago, starting and finishing in Porto Rafael. It will be well specified in the Sailing Instructions.

# 9) Skipper's meeting

There will be the Skipper's meeting at 19.30 on Monday 19th August 2024 at the Porto Rafael Marina during which the courses and the starting signals will be presented.

## 10) Classifications

Separate classifications will be drawn up based on the order of arrival in compensated time ("Time on Time") of the following groupings:

- WHITE SAILS (FIV rating)
- REGATTA (FIV rating)
- Other groupings at the discretion of the Organising Committee (single-design or other)

All boats will also race in real time. To this end, boats will be divided into homogeneous groups as detailed below:

- ALFA from m. 7.00 to m. 8.00
- BRAVO from m. 8.01 to m. 9.50
- CHARLIE from m. 9.51 to m. 11.00
- DELTA from m. 11.01 to m. 13.50
- ECHO from m. 13.51 to m. 16.00
- FOXTROT from m. 16.01 to m. 18.50
- GOLF over 18.50 m.

For the determination of groups or a possible grouping, the LOA (Length Overall) declared in the sailing licence or by other relevant documentation will be taken as valid. (For clarification, it should be noted that the LOA does not include pulpits, bow stays, dolphins, stern thrusters, or rudders outside the hull).

If different LOAs are found for identical types of boats and these differences cause them to be placed in different groupings, the Organising Committee reserves the right to place them all in the same grouping (which will be the one comprising the majority).

If there are not at least 3 boats in each group, they will be grouped together with the boats in the group immediately above them.

# 11) "MARIO FORMENTON" Trophy

For the 2024, the "Mario Formenton" Trophy shall be awarded to the winner on corrected time of the "VELE BIANCHE" grouping (with mainsail and jib only). For the rating calculation, it is essential to provide the upwind sail area and the weight of the boat, in case of lack of data, the data will be assigned at the sole discretion of the Organising Committee.

For any disputed cases, the indisputable judgement of the Organising Committee shall apply.

## 12) Instructions

Instructions will be available to competitors from 17:00 on 19th August 2024 on the website <a href="https://www.trofeoformenton.it">www.trofeoformenton.it</a> and at the Porto Rafael Marina where the Secretariat of the event will be located upon completion of the registration procedures.

The Organising Committee may require all boats to display one or more event flags on the forestay and recognition symbols on each side of the bow, for the duration of the event. Failure to display them will be subject to a protest penalty by the Race Committee. The materials will be provided by the organisation.

# 13) Prizegiving

The prizegiving ceremony will take place on 20th August 2024 at the Porto Rafael Marina unless otherwise arranged.

## 14) Prizes

The following boats will be awarded prizes:

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the first 3 boats in compensated time of the "VELE BIANCHE" grouping (only with mainsail and jib with FIV Rating)

The winner on corrected time will receive a copy of the "Mario Formenton" Trophy, the original of which will be kept at the headquarters of the Yacht Club Punta Sardegna and will be definitively awarded to the owner of the boat that has come first three times, even if not consecutive.

- The first three boats in compensated time of the "REGATTA" grouping with FIV Rating;
- the youngest FIV competitor;
- the first classified in real time of each metric grouping;
- The first classified in real time among YCPS members;
- The first classified other groupings at the discretion of the Organising Committee (single-design or other)

# 15) Responsibility

Participants take part in the event under their full and exclusive responsibility and the owners or their representatives are solely responsible for the decision to start or continue the sailing event. A declaration of assumption of responsibility must be handed in prior to departure.

This declaration exonerates the Organising Committee and all those who contribute in any way to the organisation of the event from all liability. A declaration certifying that the equipment provided is on board the yacht and that it complies with the rating and legal requirements shall be issued by the owner or his representative, who shall be solely responsible for the safety of the persons on board.

The Organising Committee, at its sole discretion, may carry out checks and non-compliance will lead to the exclusion of the participant without the right to a refund of the entry fee.

# 16) Environmental responsibility

Recalling the Basic Principle which states: "Participants are encouraged to minimise any negative environmental impact of the sport of sailing", it is recommended that the utmost attention be paid to environmental protection in all moments accompanying the practice of the sport of sailing before, during and after the event. In particular, attention is drawn to RRS 47 - Waste Disposal - which states: "Competitors and support persons shall not deliberately litter the water. This rule applies at all times when on the water. The penalty for an infraction of this rule may be less than disqualification".

## 17) Moorings

For possible mooring at the Porto Rafael Marina please contact 0789 700302

## 18) Waiver of photographic and media rights

By participating in the event, Competitors authorise the Organising Committee to use their name and image for any text, photograph or video of themselves or of the boat on which they are participating in the event for publication in any media vehicle (including, but not limited to, print or television advertising or the Internet) for both editorial and advertising purposes or for use in press information.

# 19) Amendments to this notice

These rules are issued by the Organising Committee, which reserves the right to modify them at any time up to the start of sailing, giving prompt notice to all entrants.

For information: www.trofeoformenton.it, info@trofeoformenton.it