

2023 Gdynia Sailing Days

29er Euro Cup 3-5 July 2023

NOTICE OF RACE (NoR)

Gdynia, 3-5 July



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BASIC INFORMATION

The Organizing Authority is Polish Yachting Association in conjunction with the Gdynia Sport Centre.

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1 RULES

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in The Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS).
- 1.2 The 29er Notice of Euro Cup Series 2023 rules will apply.
- 1.3 RRS Appendix P will apply with a change so that P2.1 will apply for every penalty.
- 1.4 RRS 44.1 and P2.1 is changed so that the Two-Turns Penalty is replaced by the One-Turn Penalty.

2 ADVERTISING

Boats may be required to display advertising chosen and supplied by the Organizing Authority.

3 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 3.1 Competitors shall enter by completing the on-line entry form on the event website <http://events.pya.org.pl/> and paying the required fees.
- 3.2 Competitors must be 13 years old before 31st December 2023. Entries from sailors under this age will not be accepted by the Organising Authority.
- 3.3. Russian, and Belarusian sailors will not be permitted to enter the 2023 Euro Cup series.
- 3.4. Eligibility and Entry
 - 3.4.1. International Class membership will be verified at registration (please can you check all sailors are International Class members by recording their membership numbers at registration/ask them to become members on the spot and send us a spreadsheet of entries + membership numbers so we can check results)
 - 3.4.2. Sailors who are not class members will not be scored.
- 3.5 Each participating crew shall present the following documents at registration:
 - entry fee payment confirmation;
 - a valid insurance certificate showing proof of third-party liability coverage of at least €1.500.000 (or equivalent) per incident.

4 FEE

Entry fee will be **100 EUR** in case of completing entry and payment before 18 June 2023 as per NoR 3.1. **Late entry fee will be 150 EUR.**

5 FORMAT

The regatta will consist of a single series of races.

6 SCHEDULE

- 6.1 Registration for competitors is scheduled between 16.00 and 20.00 on Sunday 2th July at the regatta office located in Marina Gdynia (at the venue).
- 6.2 The first briefing for coaches and team leaders is scheduled for 10.00 on Monday 3th July at the venue.
- 6.3 Total number of 15 races is scheduled.
- 6.4 The first warning signal of the regatta is scheduled for 12.00.
- 6.5 On the last day of racing no warning signal will be made after 15.00.

7 EQUIPMENT INSPECTION

- 7.1 All boats may be inspected for compliance with class rules since 9.00 on the first day of racing.
- 7.2 Any boat or equipment may be re-inspected at any time.

8 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

Sailing Instructions and other documents governing the regatta will be available at registration.

9 VENUE

- 9.1 The regatta will be at Marina Gdynia.
- 9.2 The racing area will be on the waters of Gdansk Bay in the proximity of Gdynia.

10 THE COURSES

The courses will be Windward/Leeward except that any other possible courses adopted by Gdynia Sailing Days Organizing Authority may also be used.

11 PENALTY SYSTEM

The Sailing Instructions may include a specification of discretionary penalties that may be applied by the protest committee for breaches of specified rules. The Sailing Instructions may include a specification of standard penalties that may be applied by the race committee without a hearing for breaches of specific rules; this will change RRS 63.1 and Appendix A.5. These will appear in full in the Sailing Instructions.

12 SCORING

- 12.1 The Low Points Scoring System of Appendix A will apply.
- 12.2 A minimum of 10 boats must be registered from a minimum of 2 nations for the Euro Cup to be scored in the Series.
- 12.2 Three races are required to be completed to constitute a Euro Cup.
- 12.3 When less than 5 races have been completed no score shall be excluded.
- 12.4 When 5 or more races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score.

13 COACH BOATS AND SUPPORT PERSONNEL

- 13.1 All coach and support boats shall be registered with the Organizing Authority and will be required to comply with local legislation.
- 13.2 All coaches and other support personnel shall prove third-party liability coverage of at least €500.000 (or equivalent) per incident.

14 BERTHING

Boats shall be kept in their assigned places in the boat park.

15 RADIO COMMUNICATIONS

Except in an emergency or using equipment provided by the Organizing Authority, a boat shall not make or receive radio transmissions including text messages or cellular phone calls while racing.

16 PRIZES

Prizes will be awarded to:
Top 3 Male teams in the Series.
Top 3 Female teams in the Series.
Top Mixed gender team.
Top Under 17 male team.
Top Under 17 female team.

17 MEDIA RIGHTS

- 17.1 By participating in the regatta competitors automatically grant to the Organizing Authority and their sponsors the right in perpetuity to make, use and show, from time to time at their discretion, any motion pictures and live, taped or filmed television and other reproductions of the athlete during the period of the competition without compensation.
- 17.2 Competitors may be required for interviews at the regatta.

18 DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See rule 3, Decision to Race. Organizing Authority will not accept any liability for material damage, personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with or prior to, during, or after the regatta.

19 INFORMATION

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