

REGATA BASE MINI BARCELONA

NOTICE OF RACE

The MINI BARCELONA BASE REGATTA is a regatta, for solo MINI 650 class boats, to be held from July 21 to 29, 2020.

This event is organized by the Catalan Sailing Federation (FCV) and the Fundació Navegació Oceànica de Barcelona (FNOB), by delegation of the Royal Spanish Sailing Federation and with the collaboration of the Real Club Nautico de Barcelona and the Royal Spanish Sailing Federation (RFEV). This regatta is part of the Mini650 Class classification circuit.

1- RULES

1.1 The regatta will be governed by:

- Rules of Sailing Regattas of the World Sailing 2017-2020.
- The RFEV Prescriptions will apply.
- The Technical Regulations for Cruises will apply.
- [DP] The Rules of the MINI class 6.5.
- The WS Special Rules for High Seas regattas for Category 3 regattas with liferaft and Radio beacon required on board (2020-2021)
- Regulation of Prevention of boardings to the Sea (R.I.P.A.M.)
- Royal Decree 62/2008 of January 25, 2008
- The FCV Sports Guide
- From the official sunset time to the sunrise, the rules of part 2 of the sailing regatta regulations are replaced by part B of the Regulation of Prevention of collisions at sea (RIPAM)
- In the rules that govern this regatta the notification (NP) refers to the fact that an infraction of this rule will not be cause for protests between boats. (Modifies R60.1 (a) of the RRV)

In case of discrepancy between the present Notice of Race and the Sailing Instructions, the latter and their eventual modifications shall prevail.

1.2 The official language of the regatta will be Spanish. When there is a discrepancy in different languages used between the texts of the Announcement and Race Instructions, the Spanish text will prevail.

2- ADVERTISING.- [NP][DP]

2.1 The participants in the regatta may display individual advertising in accordance with regulation 20 of the World Sailing, rule 18 of the Mini class rules and the RFEV Prescriptions to said Regulation.

2.1 Pursuant to World Sailing Regulation 20.4.1, participants may be required to display advertising with the Sponsor's logo. If this rule is violated, rule 20.9.2 of the World Sailing Rules will apply.

3- ELIGIBILITY

Participants must meet the eligibility conditions reflected in World Sailing Regulation 19, in the Mini class rules and in the RFEV Prescriptions to said Regulation.

Participants of nationality or with legal residence in Spain or who compete in boats attached to a Spanish Club, must be in possession of the federative athlete license authorized by the RFEV for the year 2020, issued by the FFAA where they reside or practice the sport the athlete, according to the RFEV licensing regulations. For foreign athletes who do not have a federative license or an athlete's medical insurance that insures them in the event of an accident, they must prove that they have valid accident and disease insurance in Spain.

4- PARTICIPATING BOATS AND ROUTES.-

4.1 The MONOTIPOS MINI 650 boats can participate alone in the Prototypes and Series Category.

4.2 A minimum of 3 boats must participate in each class.

4.3 The route Will be 400nm.

Barcelona – Isla de Dragonera – Isla de Cabrera - Isla de Tagomago – Isla de Columbretas – Barcelona.

ALTERNATIVE ROUTE: In case of adverse weather conditions, an alternative route may be established.

5- INSCRIPTIONS AND REGISTRATION.-

5.1 The registration will be made by sending an email to **info@fnob.org**, describing the following information:

- Sail number
- Name of the Boat
- Skipper name
- Club name
- Reporting category (Series or Prototypes)
- Telephone and email.

In the email you will have to attach the proof of payment of the registration.

*** A limit of 35 participating boats will be accepted.**

5.2 The registration fees are as follows:

| CLASS | ENTRY FEE |
|----------|-----------|
| MINI 650 | 350€ |

* Amount exempt from VAT for individuals based on Art.20.Uno.13^a of the Value Added Tax Law.

Registration limit will be at 6pm on July 5, 2020

The organizing committee reserves the right to admit registrations received after the deadline indicated, applying an increase of 50%.

Payment of the registration fees may be made until 6pm on July 5, 2020, by **bank transfer** to the following account number:

BANK: CAIXA BANK

IBAN: ES67 2100 3000 1922 0182 9532

SWIFT: CAIXESBBXXX

MINI Regatta Registration Reference - Boat Name - Hull Number

5.3 Registry:

5.3.1 Each skipper must personally register and sign the official regatta registration form between July 21, 22 and 23, 2020.

5.3.2 Registration is conditional on the approval by the organizing committee of the following documents:

- Copy of the skipper's federation license. For foreign athletes who do not have a federative license or an athlete's medical insurance that insures them in the event of an accident, they must prove that they have valid accident and disease insurance in Spain.
- List of crew members with Passport or DNI number, telephone and contact person on the ground.
- In case of displaying advertising, authorization from the corresponding National Authority if applicable.
- And all the documentation required by the MINI class, for solo category B regattas.

6- SCHEDULE.

| DATE | HOUR | ACT |
|-----------------|------------------|---|
| 21 – 23 de July | 10.00 a 19.00 h | - Registration for Competitors - Security controls |
| 23 de July | 19.30h 20.00h | - Skipper Meeting - Dinner Skippers |
| 24 de July | 09.30h 12.00h | - Start boat trailers - Race |
| 29 de July | 19.00h | - Price giving |

* For the companions of the sailors, interested in attending the dinner, there will be some tickets available that will cost **€ 30 per person**. (These tickets can be purchased at the race office)

7- SCORING

7.1 The Low Scoring System described in rule A4.1 of the RRV will apply

8- CLASSIFICATION GROUPS.-

8.1 Two classifications will be established:

**PROTOS
SERIES**

9- SECURITY CONTROLS AND MEASUREMENT[NP][DP]

All boats will be available to the corresponding Committee in order to carry out security controls.

All boats must have the necessary safety equipment for a level B event.

10- SECURITY.-

For Security purposes, this regatta is considered as Category 3 of the World Sailing Special Rules.

[NP][DP] All boats must be permanently listening on the VHF Channel indicated at the skippers meeting, while they are during the race.

11- BEACHING AND MOORING RIGHTS.-

11.1 The stranding of boats will be carried out at the Mini Barcelona Base, trailers and vehicles may also be parked there.

Direcció: Moll de Llevant, 1, 08039 Barcelona

11.2 The participating boats will have free mooring rights **from July 20 to August 3, 2020 at the RCNB.**

11.3 [NP][DP] The boats must be afloat before 11 am on July 23, 2020.

11.4 To access the RCNB, you must cross a bridge that has its openings at the following times.

BRIDGE OPENINGS

de 9.00h a 01.00h every 30 minutes at the hour sharp and 1/2 horas

de 01.00h a 07.00h open all the time

de 07.00h a 09.00h closed all the time

11.5 To contact the RCNB, it can be done through VHF channel 9.

12- PRICES.-

They will be indicated in the TOA, during the course of the regatta.

13- LOCAL MARINE REGULATIONS.-

Royal Decree 62/2008 has the conditions of Maritime Safety, Navigation and Human Life in the Sea applicable to nautical sports tests.

Participants are warned, before the start of the tests, that the boats will only be able to participate if they are legally cleared to navigate the waters through which the test will take place, and if their skipper's have sufficient qualifications for their government.

Participants must declare, with adequate notice before the start of the race, the insurances subscribed, where appropriate, including the risks covered and the limits of liability according to the Notice of Race, being covered for participation in event. nautical-sports.

14- LIABILITY

All participants in the Regatta do so at their own risk and responsibility.

The Organizing Committee, as well as any person or Entity that participates in the organization of the regatta, is expressly discharged of any responsibility for loss, damage, injury and inconvenience that may occur during it.

Explicitly note what is provided in Rule 4 RRV, referring to "a boat is solely responsible for its decision to take the start or not or to continue racing."

The Organizing Club has the power to modify this Notice of Race, if necessary (R89.2 (a) of the RRV).

Barcelona, 3 de July 2020