



Ciutadella de Menorca
From 28th to 30th March 2024

Notice of Race



Club Nàutic
Ciutadella

COLLABORATORS



100 MILLES ENTRE ILLES 2024 - VI EDITION

1. ORGANIZATION

The “100 Milles Entre Illes” regatta is a coastal race between the islands of Menorca and Mallorca, for RI Cruiser, ORC Cruiser and Mini 6.50 class boats, authorized by the Federació Balear de Vela.

The event is organized by the Club Nàutic Ciutadella in collaboration with the Club Nàutic Colònia de Sant Pere and the Club Marítim Mahón. It is also considered an official regatta by the Class Mini 6.50.

The official language for the regulations, instructions and information that have to do with the regatta, as well as with the radio communications, will be Catalan and Spanish, and for Class Mini 6.50, English.

2. REGULATIONS

2.1 The regatta is governed by the following general regulations:

- a) The RRS of the WS 2021-2024
- b) The prescriptions of the RFEV
- c) The Sports Regulations of the Federació Balear de Vela
- d) The International Regulations to Prevent Collisions at Sea (COLREG)
- e) This Notice of Race
- f) The Instructions of Race that can modify the previous sections, except for b)

2.2 For the cruiser classes

- a) ORC Measurement
- b) Regulations for the organization of regattas in RI
- c) The Technical Regulations for Cruises and annexes in what is applicable
- d) Safety rules of the ZONE 4 Category.

2.3 For the Mini 6.50 Class

- a) The rules of the Class Mini 6.50 - 2024 and its specifications for a level C regatta.

2.4 From the official time of sunset until sunrise the following day, part B of the International Regulations to prevent Collisions at Sea will apply (COLREG), replacing Part 2 of the Race Sailing Regulations.

2.5 For infractions of RRS Part 2 rules, the alternative penalties of a single 360° turn will be applied (Rule 44.1 and 44.2 RRS). The boat that accepts the alternative penalty must complete and submit an infraction acknowledgment form to the Race Office before the end of the protest period.

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

2.7 The official language of the regatta will be Catalan and Spanish. When there is a discrepancy in the different languages used between the texts of the Announcement and Sailing Instructions, the text in Catalan will prevail. For the Mini 6.50 class, the official language will be English.

3. TIME COMPENSATION

The race in the Cruising modalities will be sailed under the IR and ORC compensation systems.

The Mini 6.50 class will compete in real time.

4. CATEGORIES OF PARTICIPATING BOATS

4.1. The participating boats fall into the following categories:

- CLASS RI 3 (0.900 < TCF)
 - CLASS RI 4 (TCF <= 0.900)
 - ORC CLASS A
 - CLASE ORC B
 - Class Mini 6.50 Prototypes
 - Class Mini 6.50 Series
- In the Class Mini 6.50 the race will be sailed single-handed.
 - In all Cruise Classes, the option of reduced or full crew is available.

4.2. For the formation of these classes, a minimum of **five boats registered** in the category will be necessary. If this minimum is not reached, the Race Committee will register the affected boats in another group based on the closest TCF.

5. REGISTRATION AND PRICES

5.1 The registration period will be open from February 6th, 2024, and will close on March 22th 2024.

5.2 Registration is mandatory to participate.

5.3 Vessels eligible to participate must register through the website enabled for this purpose:

<https://regates.cnciutadella.com/ca/default/races/race/text/regata-100-milles-entre-illes-2024-es>

5.4 They must also formalize the registration by sending the following information to the Club Nàutic Ciutadella:

- Copy of the Third Party Liability Insurance, valid for the duration of the regatta.
- Confirmation of insurance payment.
- Proof of payment of registration fees.
- Federation License valid for 2024 for the skipper and crew members.

These documents must be sent online to:

regates@cnciutadella.com

5.5 Registration fees

Registration fees for the Mini 6.50 Class are set at 110€ per boat. Payment must be done at the following account number, with the concept:

Concept: "100 MILLES - <number of boat>"

Account:

ES13 2100 0061 4202 0027 8022

Registration for the rest of the classes is free.

NOTE: The Club has a limited space for moorings, so it reserves the right to limit registrations in the event of exceeding the available places.

6. CANCELLATION POLICY

In the event that a boat decides to cancel its registration before March 8th 2024, the full registration fee will be refunded. If this occurs between March 9th and 22th 2024, 50% of the amount will be refunded. From March 23th 2024, the amount will not be refunded.

7. TOA AND REGISTRATION

7.1) The Official Virtual Notice Board is located at the following link:

<https://regates.cnciutadella.com/en/default/races/race/text/regata-100-milles-entre-illes-2024-es>

7.2) During the day of the competition, an official virtual TOA will be created with a communication channel by WhatsApp.

7.3) The registration process must be completed at Club Nàutic Ciutadella offices before 19:00h of March 27th 2024.

7.4) Class Mini 6.50 boats and skippers must be present 3 days before departure (25th March). Security checks will be planned during these 3 days.

8. TRACK MONITORING

8.1) For all Cruiser class boats it is mandatory to activate the tracking of the race through Estela, the Club will provide access codes and instructions for each boat.

8.2) For the Mini 6.50 class, it will be mandatory to use a tracker device that the organization will provide for the days of the race.

9. ROUTE AND PROGRAM OF THE RACE

The race will take place during Easter, from Thursday March 28th to Saturday March 30th, 2024.

Departure: Thursday, March 28th at 14:00h.

The Race Committee will be empowered to advance or postpone the departure time if necessary for meteorological or security reasons. As well as reverse the direction or change the original course. This decision will be announced in the TOA of the Club and in the skippers meeting, which is of obligatory attendance for all skippers.

The ORC and RI classes will be able to participate in any of the three stages, while the Mini 6.50 class must complete all of them.

First stage - CIUTADELLA > FARALLÓ D'AUBARCA.

Distance: 23 miles

Coefficient 0.23

Second stage - CIUTADELLA > FARALLÓ D'AUBARCA > ILLA DE L'AIRE

Distance: 70 miles

Coefficient 0.7

Third Stage - CIUTADELLA > FARALLÓ D'AUBARCA > ILLA DE L'AIRE > CIUTADELLA

Distance: 100 miles.

Coefficient 1.0 Course

Original course:



For the Mini 6.50 Class an extra waypoint will be added to complete the 100 physical miles which will be detailed in the Sailing Instructions depending on the weather of that day.



PROGRAM

THERE	HOUR	ACT
Monday March 25 Tuesday March 26 Wednesday March 27	From 09h at 18h	Safety checks Class Mini 6.50
Wednesday March 27	From 09 at 12h	Registration formalization and delivery of Instructions.
	From 12h at 19h	Safety checks
Thursday March 28	11:30 a.m.	Class Mini 6.50 skippers meeting
	12:00h	Meeting for RI and ORC classes
	12:30h	Class Mini 6.50 towing start
	1:55 p.m	Attention sign for the start to be confirmed at the Skipper Meeting
Saturday March 30	1:00 p.m.	Closing ceremony and delivery of trophies

10. ADVERTISING

10.1 The participants of the race may display advertising in accordance with regulation 20 of World Sailing.

10.2 Boats may be required to display advertising chosen and provided by the organizing authority.

11. SECURITY

11.1 Cruise Class participants must comply with the Safety Rules of the “Zone 4” category.

11.2 Mini 6.50 Class participants must comply with the official class regulations for a type C competition.

11.3 Safety Checks for Mini 6.50 Class

All boats will be required to pass an equipment inspection before the start of the race, in the established intervals which will be organized at the end of the registration period.

Boats will be inspected according to “Class Mini C Level – Solo safety equipment”. The survival grab pack and survival water tank will be sealed. Inspectors will be able to check the power output of the vessel's VHF transmitter.

The Organizing Committee will send all skippers a link with the inspection interval calendar. It will be the sole responsibility of the skipper to choose a measurement interval, choosing one of those available in the calendar.

12. MOORING RIGHTS

Participants will have free mooring rights at the Club Nàutic Ciutadella from March 23th to 28th as well as from your arrival day until Monday, April 1st.

If you wish to make use of the courtesy stay that the Club Nàutic Ciutadella offers after 1st April, you must notify the race organization at regates@cnciutadella.com.

13. TROPHIES

The Winner of the “**100 Miles Entre Illes Race**” will be the first classified in the General Classification grouping all the Classes.

In each of the Classes, Prize for the first three boats in the classification.

Trophy to the boat that closes the Triangle in the shortest compensated time.

“Good Performance” trophy to an older-design boat which achieved a good performance, for each category of Class Mini 6.50.

Official pennant to the winner in real time if it beats the current official record time. This will be recorded as a new Race Record to be beaten in future editions.

OFFICIAL RECORD TIME TO BEAT

REAL: Boat HYDRA Time 15h, 06m, 05s - Record 2022

COMPENSATED: Boat LIBERTY

14. RESPONSIBILITIES

14.1 Sailors and support staff participating in this regatta do so at their own risk.

Attention is drawn to RRV 3, Decision to Bargain:

“It is the sole responsibility of a boat to decide whether to participate in a race or to continue racing”.

Sailing is by its nature an unpredictable sport and therefore inherently carries an element of risk. By taking part in the event each participant agrees and acknowledges that:

13.2 They are aware of the element of inherent risk that the sport entails and accept responsibility for exposing themselves, their crew and their boat to such risk while participating in the race.

13.3 They are responsible for the safety of themselves, their crew, their boat and other property whether at sea or on land.

13.4 You accept responsibility for any injury, damage or loss to the extent caused by your own actions or omissions.

13.5 By participating in any race, you acknowledge that your boat is in good condition, complies with the class rules, is prepared to sail in the race and is in condition to participate;

13.6 The provisions of the race committee, safety boats, judges and other officials, as well as volunteers of the organization do not exempt them from their own responsibilities.

13.7 The provision of safety boats is limited to each assistance, especially in extreme weather conditions, as may occur practically under the circumstances.

13.8 It is your responsibility to familiarize yourself with any risks specific to this venue or this regatta by drawing your attention to any rules and information published for the venue/regatta and to attend any venue/event safety meetings held during the event.

In Ciutadella de Menorca, on January 18th, 2024