



SAILING J/70 Portugal Winter Series



NOTICE OF RACE

1. ORGANISING AUTHORITY

The Organising Authority (OA) is Clube Internacional da Marina de Vilamoura with the endorsement of the Federação Portuguesa de Vela, under the authority of the International J70 Class Association (IJCA).

2. VENUE

The venue will be in Vilamoura, Portugal

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3. RULES

- 3.1 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in the Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS) the Notice of Race, the Sailing Instructions and the J/70 Class Rules.
- 3.2 Life jackets must be worn at sea when the Race Committee display the IC Code Flag 'Y'. This rule applies to all series and to all boats.
- 3.3 Infringement of this rule may lead to disqualification. In the event of a protest, the representative of each yacht attending the protest in the protest room shall be the owner/ helmsman. Category 3 sailors are not allowed in the protest room or to be in contact with the representative in the protest room.
- 3.4 A Jury boat may be on the water. Its actions will be defined in the Sailing Instructions.
- 3.5 The Organizing Authority may decide to apply umpiring fleet racing following Addendum Q of RRS.

- 3.6 In order to speed up the protest's procedure, interview may take place on the umpire boat following the same procedures as per match race, team racing and medal race.
- 3.7 Further details will be communicated in the Sailing Instructions.
- 3.8 If there is a conflict between languages, the English text will take precedence.

4. ADVERTISING

- 4.1 Advertising must conform to regulation 20.4 of ISAF. The Organizing Authority may ask competitors to display sponsor flag and/or sticker. Flag and stickers must be displayed from the day before and until the end of the event.
- 4.2 The Organizing Authority may ask competitors to install/carry on board electronic devices for event's media coverage.

5. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 5.1 The regatta is open to all boats of the J70 class.
- 5.2 Eligible boats may enter by completing the online entry form at www.cimav.org and pay the required fee no later than 5th November. An entry shall not be considered complete until the entry form is completed and the entry fee paid.
- 5.3 Late entries may be accepted at the discretion of the Organizing Authority and will be subject to a late fee.
- 5.4 The best results over three of the five weekends will count towards the series.

6. FEES

- 6.1 Required fees are as follows:
- 6.2 The entry fee is €600, this will include winter storage and craning.
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SWIFT: BIC: BESCPTPL

7. SCHEDULE

- 7.1 Registration:

Friday 19th November
From 09.30 GMT - 17.00 GMT
Saturday 20th November
From 08.45 GMT - 10.00 GMT

7.2 Dates of racing:

19th - 20th November

10th- 11th December

14th-15th January

11th-12th February

11th - 12th March

Friday:

Craning in Friday from 09.30 GMT to 17.00 GMT

Registration: 09.30 GMT - 17.00 GMT

Saturday:

Timing Final Registration: 09.45 GMT

Timing Briefing: 09.30 GMT

Timing First Warning Signal: 10.25 GMT

Sunday:

Timing Briefing: 09.00 GMT

Timing First Warning Signal: 10.00 GMT

After Races, Haul Out

After Haul Out, Prize Giving

Up to 8 races may be held per event.

A maximum of 5 races may be held on any racing day.

In the event of a modification to the intended time of the first warning signal, the new time will be posted on the Official Notice Board before 18.00 GMT on the previous day.

On the last day of the regatta no Warning Signal will be made after 14.00 GMT. The social event programme will be posted on the Official Notice Board.

8. MEASUREMENTS

- 8.1 All competitors should observe class measurement rules. There might be measurement checks both before the start of the regatta and during it.

9. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

- 9.1 The sailing instructions will be available on the website from 1st November (www.cimav.org).

10. VENUE

10.1 Attachment one shows the location of the regatta harbour.

10.2 Attachment two shows the location of the racing areas.

11. THE COURSES

11.1 The courses to be sailed will be as windward leeward as described in detail in the sailing instructions.

12. PENALTY SYSTEM

12.1 Rules 44.1 and 44.2 will be changed that only one turn including one tack and one gybe is required.

13. SCORING

13.1 The Low Point System of RRS Appendix 'A' will apply.

13.2 Three races are required to be completed to constitute a single event to be counted in the overall *Portugal J70 Winter Series*.

(a) When fewer than four races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores.

(b) When four of the races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score.

13.3 Results of the Winter Series: - Boats attending the single event and scored DNS, DNC, DNF, RAF will be scored one point (1) more than the number of boats that completed the single event registration. More than the number of boats that completed the single event registration.

13.4 Boats not attending the single event will be scored one (1) point more than the number of boats entered the series at that date.

13.5 Winter Series score will be calculated by adding all the races completed in the series (including the races discarded for the single event results).

13.6 The worst scores will be discarded as follows: 1st discard when **four** have been completed; 2nd discard when **eight** have been completed; 3rd discard when **twelve** have been completed; 4th discard when **sixteen** have been completed; 5th discard when **twenty** have been completed, 6th discard when **twenty-four** have been completed, 7th discard when **twenty-eight** have been completed.

14. SUPPORT BOATS

14.1 Support boats shall be marked with a yellow flag.

15. BERTHING

15.1 Boats shall be kept in their assigned places while they are on the marina pontoons.

16. HAUL-OUT RESTRICTIONS

16.1 Keelboats shall not be hauled out during the regatta except with and according to the terms of prior written permission of the race committee.

17. DIVING EQUIPMENT AND PLASTIC POOLS

17.1 Underwater breathing apparatus and plastic pools or their equivalent shall not be used around keelboats between the preparatory signal of the first race and the end of the regatta.

18. RADIO COMMUNICATION

18.1 Except in an emergency, a boat shall neither make radio transmissions while racing nor receive radio communications not available to all boats. This restriction also applies to mobile telephones.

19. PRIZES

19.1 Prizes will be given as follows:

Overall first three places

Corinthian Winner

20. DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

20.1 Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See rule 4, Decision to Race. 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.

21. INSURANCE

21.1 Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum cover of €1,000,000 per incident or the equivalent. Proof will be required at registration.

22. FURTHER INFORMATION

22.1 For further information, please contact:

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APPENDICES

- MAP

See Appendix 1

Sailing area outside the Marina

- USEFUL TELEPHONE NUMBERS:

Sailing Club CIMAV: +351 289 302 536

Faro Hospital: +351 289 891 100

Clinica Internacionale de Vilamoura (Medical Centre): +351 289 314 243 / +351 289 388 252 / +351 963 852 153

Railway station Loule: +351 707 210 220

Taxi: +351 289 300 160 / +351 289 315 650

International Airports: Faro +351 289 800 800 / Lisbon +351 218 413 500

Sailmakers:

J. P. Velas, Lda: +351 289 321 155 / +351 916 811 966

Boat repairs:

Consulyachts, Lda.: +351 289 040 127 / +351 963 617 092

Moura Fibra, Lda: +351 962 766 052 / +351 915 059 770

- OFFICIAL HOTELS IN VILAMOURA:

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Hotel Dom Pedro Portobelo Telf. 351 289 381 100 Fax 351 289381 101

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- **SOCIAL PROGRAMME:**

The social programme will be available by 1st November 2016

- **TRAILER STORAGE:**

Trailers will be stored in the secure compound at the Marina

- **CONTACT DETAILS**

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