

ASSO99 EURO CUP

BALATONFÜRED, 29 JULY – 1 AUGUST 2018

Organizing Authority: Balatonfüredi Yacht Club,
in conjunction with the Hungarian Yachting Association

SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

The notation '[DP]' in a rule in the NoR means that the penalty for a breach of that rule may, at the discretion of the protest committee, be less than disqualification.

1. RULES

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the *rules* as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing*.
- 1.2 The Equipment Rules of Sailing will apply.
- 1.3 If there is a conflict between languages the English text will take precedence.

2. NOTICES TO COMPETITORS

- 2.1 Notices to competitors will be posted on the official notice board located at the entrance of the Balatonfüredi Yacht Club.

3. CHANGES TO SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

- 3.1 Any change to the sailing instructions will be posted before 8:30 on the day it will take effect, except that any change to the schedule of the races will be posted by 20:00 on the day before it will take effect.

4. SIGNALS MADE ASHORE

- 4.1 Signals made ashore will be displayed at the main flagpole of the Balatonfüredi Yacht Club.
- 4.2 When flag AP is displayed ashore, '1 minute' is replaced with 'not less than 45 minutes' in the race signal AP.

5. SCHEDULE OF RACES

- 5.1 Opening ceremony and competitors' briefing:
Opening ceremony and competitors' briefing will be held in the regatta center at 11:00 29 July 2018.
- 5.2 Dates of racing will be from 29 July 2018 to 1 August 2018.
- 5.3 Number of races:
Ten races are scheduled.
- 5.4 The scheduled time of the warning signal for the first race is 13:00, 29 July 2018. The scheduled time of the warning signal for the first race of the following days is 10:00.
- 5.5 On the last scheduled day of racing no warning signal will be made after 15:00.

6. CLASS FLAG

- 6.1 The class flag will be flag V.

7. RACING AREA

- 7.1 Attachment A shows the location of the racing area.

8. THE COURSES

- 8.1 The diagram in Attachment B shows the course for course races, including the order in which marks are to be passed, and the side on which each mark is to be left.
- 8.2 No later than the warning signal, the race committee signal vessel will display the approximate compass bearing of the first leg.

9. MARKS

- 9.1 Marks 1, 1a, 4s and 4p will be white cylindrical inflated buoys.
- 9.2 The starting and finishing marks will be the race committee signal boat and a spreader mark with an orange flag.

10. THE START

- 10.1 The starting line will be between a staff displaying an orange flag on the starting mark at the starboard end and the course side of the port-end starting mark.
- 10.2 To alert boats that a race or sequence of races will begin soon, the orange starting line flag will be displayed with one sound at least five minutes before a warning signal is made.
- 10.3 A boat that does not start within 4 minutes after her starting signal will be scored Did Not Start without a hearing. This changes RRS A4 and A5.

11. CHANGE OF THE NEXT LEG OF THE COURSE

- 11.1 To change the next leg of the course, the race committee will move the original mark (or the finishing line) to a new position.

12. THE FINISH

- 12.1 The finishing line will be between a staff displaying an orange flag on the finishing mark at the port end and the course side of the starboard-end finishing mark.

13. PENALTY SYSTEM

- 13.1 RRS 44.1 is changed so that the Two-Turns Penalty is replaced by the One-Turn Penalty.

14. TIME LIMITS AND TARGET TIMES

- 14.1 Races will be set to a target time of 50 minutes. Failure to meet the target time will not be grounds for redress. This changes RRS 62.1.
- 14.2 Boats failing to finish within 20 minutes after the first boat sails the course and finishes will be scored Did Not Finish without a hearing. This changes RRS 35, A4 and A5.

15. PROTESTS AND REQUESTS FOR REDRESS

- 15.1 Protest forms are available at the race office. Protests and requests for redress or reopening shall be delivered there within the appropriate time limit.
- 15.2 The protest time limit is 75 minutes after the last boat has finished the last race of the day or the race committee signals no more racing today, whichever is later.
- 15.3 Notices will be posted no later than 30 minutes after the protest time limit to inform competitors of hearings in which they are parties or named as witnesses. Hearings will be held in the protest room, located opposite the race office.
- 15.4 Notices of protests by the race committee, technical committee or protest committee will be posted to inform boats under RRS 61.1(b).
- 15.5 Breaches of SIs 17, 20 and 21 will not be grounds for a protest by a boat. This changes RRS 60.1(a).
- 15.6 On the last scheduled day of racing a request for redress based on a protest committee decision shall be delivered no later than 30 minutes after the decision was posted. This changes RRS 62.2.

16. SCORING

16.1 2 races are required to be completed to constitute a series.

- 16.2 (a) When fewer than 4 races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores.
- (b) When from 4 to 8 races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score.
- (c) When 9 or more races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her two worst scores.

17. SAFETY REGULATIONS

17.1 A boat that retires from a race shall notify the race committee as soon as possible. [DP]

18. REPLACEMENT OF CREW OR EQUIPMENT

18.1 Substitution of competitors will not be allowed without prior written approval of the race committee. [DP]

18.2 Substitution of damaged or lost equipment will not be allowed unless authorized by the race committee. Requests for substitution shall be made to the committee at the first reasonable opportunity. [DP]

19. OFFICIAL BOATS

19.1 Official boats will be marked as follows:

- (a) Race Committee: white RC flag
- (b) Protest Committee: white JURY flag
- (c) Media: green MEDIA flag

20. TRASH DISPOSAL

20.1 Trash may be placed aboard support or official boats.

21. RADIO COMMUNICATION

21.1 Except in an emergency, a boat that is racing shall not make voice or data transmissions and shall not receive voice or data communication that is not available to all boats. [DP]

21.2 The race committee will broadcast information on VHF channel 78.

22. PRIZES

22.1 Prizes will be awarded to the top 3 boats.

23. DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

23.1 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.

24. INSURANCE

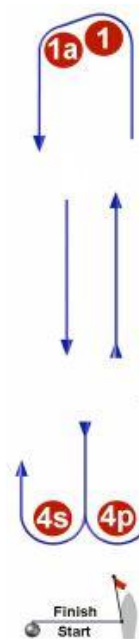
24.1 Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum cover of 500.000 EUR per event or the equivalent.

ATTACHMENT A – RACING AREA



Centre	Radius
N 46° 55.593' E 17° 55.945'	2.7 km

ATTACHMENT B – THE COURSE



Mark rounding order: Start – 1 – 1a – 4s/4p – 1 – 1a – Finish