

NAUTICAL CLUB OF THESSALONIKI

ALEXANDER THE GREAT CUP 2013 ISAF GRADE 3

NOTICE OF RACE

1. VENUE

The ALEXANDER THE GREAT CUP 2013 will be held from April 28th until May 2nd 2013 on the waters of Thessaloniki Gulf

2. ORGANIZER

The Nautical Club of Thessaloniki (NCTh) under the auspices of the Hellenic Sailing Federation (HSF) and the Municipality of Thessaloniki

3. CLASSES – CATEGORIES

- 3.1 470 Men & Women, LASER STANDARD Men, LASER RADIAL Women & TORNADO. For the classes 470 Men & Women, LASER STANDARD Men, LASER RADIAL Women the race will be the second regatta of the Greek national ranking list. For TORNADO class it will be also the Greek national championship.
- 3.2 If there are less than 3 boats, the race will not be valid

4. RULES

- **4.1** The 2013-2016 ISAF Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS)
- **4.2** The class rules
- 4.3 The present Notice of Race
- **4.4** The Sailing Instructions

5. ADVERTISING

- **5.1** The ISAF Advertising Code shall apply
- **5.2** Boats displaying individual advertisement during the regatta shall submit the approval of their national authority to the Race Office
- 5.3 Boats may be required to display a bow number and advertising of the event sponsor

6. PENALTY SYSTEM

In case of infringement of RRS Part 2 (When Boats Meet), two turn penalty will apply for classes 470 and LASER and one turn penalty for TORNADO class rule 44.2. In case of infringement of RRS 31 (Touching a Mark), one turn penalty will apply rule 44.2. In case of infringement of RRS 42 (Propulsion) refer to the Sailing Instructions

7. ELIGIBILITY – ENTRIES

- 7.1 The ISAF Eligibility Code shall apply
- **7.2** Entries shall be submitted to NCTh through the club or the national authority of the entrant not later than April 19th 2013 by FAX +30 2310 417 369 or e-mail: nautical@ncth.gr
- **7.3** Entry fee: 25 Euros for single-handed, 40 Euros for double-handed

8. ON-SITE REGISTRATION

8.1 Competitors or coaches/ team leaders shall register at the Race Office from Saturday

- April 27th at 1100-1900 hrs to Monday April 29th at 0900-1000 hrs. Competitors not registered will not be allowed to race
- **8.2** Each crew shall submit to the Race Office a valid third party boat insurance of 540.000€
- 8.3 Sailing Instructions will be available after the completion of registration

9. SAIL NUMBERS

- **9.1** Each boat shall carry sails with its national code and legible sail numbers different to other competitors
- 9.2 Changes of sails may be requested lodging the application with the Race Office

10. SUPPORT BOATS

- **10.1** Support/ coach boats are required to submit to the Race Office a valid third party boat insurance of 540.000€
- **10.2** Users of coach and support boats are completely and unlimited responsible for their movements

11. LIABILITY

- 11.1 Competitors participate in the races entirely at their own risk (Fundamental Rule 4 RRS, Decision to Race)
- 11.2 The Organizing Authority and any other party involved in the organization of the races will accept no liability for any personal or material damage, injury or death, sustained in conjunction with, prior to, during or after the regatta. The Organizing Authority disclaims any and all such liability

12. SAFFETY RULE

Every support boat should be equipped with special banners (supplied by the organizing committee) marking boats that they are abandoned but the crew is safe.

13. SCHEDULE

13.1	Sunday	28 April	Arrivals	
			Registration	1100-1900 hrs
	Monday	29 April	Registration for Laser	Until 1000 hrs
	-		Registration for 470 and Tornado	Until 19000 hrs
			Races for Laser Std & Rdl	Start at 1200 hrs
	Tuesday	30 April	Races (470, Laser, Tornado)	Start at 1100 hrs
	Wednesday	1 May	Races (470, Laser, Tornado)	Start at 1100 hrs
	Thursday	2 May	Races (470, Laser, Tornado)	Start at 1100 hrs
			Prize giving Ceremony	1900 hrs
			Farewell Reception	

The last day, no starting signal will be given after 1700 hrs

- 13.2 Twelve (12) races are scheduled of which at least four (4) shall have been completed to constitute a series. No more than four (4) races will be sailed per day
- **13.3** The races will be numbered in their sailed order

14. COURSES

As stated in the Sailing Instructions

15. SCORING

- **15.1** The Low Point Scoring System of RRS Appendix A will apply
- 15.2 When five to nine races are completed, a boat's series will be the total of its race scores discarding its worst. When ten or more races are completed, a boat's series will be the total of its race scores discarding two worst.
- When a tie in the series points between two or more boats after application of RRS appendix A8.1 still remains, it will be broken in favor of the boat with the best score in the first race in which the tied boats raced and scored differently (alteration of RRS appendix A8.2)

15.4 According to the ISAF, the regatta is an international ranked event

16. AWARDS – TROPHIES

- **16.1** Prizes will be awarded to the first three boats of each class
- **16.2** Permanent perpetual trophies will be awarded to the winners «470 Men», «470 Women», «LASER STANDARD», «LASER RADIAL» & «TORNADO»
- 16.3 Prizes will be awarded to the first Junior Man and Woman of each class
- **16.4** If there are no more than three (3) entries by class, a prize will be awarded only to the winner

17. ACCOMMODATIONS

- 17.1 All participating boats will be hosted at NCTh
- **17.2** Special prices for the participants in hotel FOUR SEASONS (tel.23920 71591, fax. 2392072061, info@fourseasons.gr . 25€ for each person, half board (breakfast and dinner).

18. FURTHER INFORMATION

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