



Notice of Race
Championnat de France de Voile Intersérie des Croiseurs Légers

May 13rd to 16th

Lac d'Orient (Aube)

Comité Départemental de Voile de l'Aube

1. RULES

The Regatta will be governed by:

- 1.1. Rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing*,
- 1.2. National prescriptions for foreign competitors are defined in joined appendix named "prescriptions"
- 1.3. Federation regulations and particularly the regulation of the « championnat de France Intersérie des Croiseurs Légers » and the « guide HN 2010 »
- 1.4. If there is a conflict between languages, the French text will take precedence.
- 1.5. Specific regulation: motor navigation is forbidden on the lake. Some areas are forbidden to the navigation.

2. ADVERTISING

In accordance with ISAF Regulation 20 (Advertising Code) as modified by the Advertising regulation of the FFVoile, boats may be required to display the advertising chosen and supplied by the organizing authority.

3. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 3.1. The regatta is open to boats in accordance with their own National Authority; The boats must carry the safety equipment required by their national regulations. Foreign boats must be in accordance with their national legislation
- 3.2. The regatta is open to all boats from the following series A,B,R1,R2 and L of the HN France system
- 3.3. The maximum number of boats allowed to compete is: 130
- 3.4. Eligible boats may enter by completing the entry form and sending it, together with the required fee and the copy of the HN-OSIRIS certificate to Centre Sportif de l'Aube 5 rue Marie Curie 10000 TROYES ou or by bank transfert on the account Comité Départemental de Voile de l'Aube Crédit Agricole n°00009595416.
RIB France : 11006 30020 09595416001 11.
Entries will be accepted in the order of receipt of payment, no later than April 30th 2010.
- 3.5. Competitors (each crew member) living in France shall present during registration:
 - the valid and signed FFVoile's licence with health certificate and a parents' permission for the minors,
 - A valid authorization to display advertising on boat, if necessary
 - The measurement form or certificate of the boat,



Foreign competitors without a French licence shall justify their membership to an ISAF Member national authority.

4. ENTRY FEES

The entry fee will be as follows :

Class	Before april 30th 2010	After april 30th 2010
All	110 €	150 €

5. SCHEDULE

- Thursday may 13rd: Entry confirmation, control, launch of the boat (9:00AM to 6:00PM), opening ceremony (7:00PM)
- Friday may 14st : 10:00AM first warning signal
- Saturday may 15st : 10:00AM first warning signal
8:30PM competitor diner
- Sunday may 16st : 10:00AM first warning signal
No race after 3:00PM
Prize giving ceremony

6. MEASUREMENT

Pre race measurement operations will be made wednesday, may 13rd from at 9:00AM to 6:00PM, location: "Halle polyvalente de Mesnil St Père"

7. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

The sailing instructions and their appendices will be available after confirmation of registration.

8. THE COURSES

Courses to be sailed will be coastal or windward/leeward courses.

9. PENALTY SYSTEM

9.1. Rule 44.1 is changed so that the Two-turn Penalty is replaced by the One-turn Penalty.

9.2. Replacement penalties for breaches of rules other than those in part 2

After hearing, a breach to rules other than 28 and 31 and to rules of part 2 may be sanctioned by a penalty ranging from 10% of the number of boats registered to disqualification.

10. SCORING

10.1. Three races in a class or group are required to be completed to constitute a series.

11. BERTHING

Berthing places will be allocated following the order of receipt of entries.

12. HAUL-OUT RESTRICTIONS

Boats shall not be hauled out between the regatta, except with and according to the terms of prior written permission of the race committee.

13. RADIO COMMUNICATION

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.

14. PRIZES

Winner, second and third of each class or group for which a title of "Champion de France, will receive a medal. Prizes will be offered by the organizing authority.

15. DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. Decision to race or to continue racing is their own responsibility.

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.

16. INSURANCE

Each foreign competitor without FFVoile's licence shall be insured with a valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum cover of 1 500 000 Euros.

17. FURTHER INFORMATION

For any further information, please contact:

Organizing Authority:

Centre Sportif de l'Aube 5 rue Marie Curie 10000 TROYES

Phone : 06 73 85 70 54 fax 03 25 71 53 79 centre.sportif@cg10.fr

Specials prices: limited offer, booking compulsory with the "Fiche générale de reservation".

Résidence des Lacs

24€ / night/ person with breakfast

Centre sportif de l'Aube 25 mn to the lake

30€ / night/ 2 splits beds with breakfasts.

Free area for the motor home.

Campsite (5€/day)

Accommodation under tent with beds (6€/day).

Possibility to sleep on the boat.

Other accommodation : cf. accommodation document

FFVoile Prescriptions to RRS 2009 – 2012

Applying to foreign competitors

RRS 64.3 (*) :

Jury may ask the parties to the protest, prior to checking procedures, a deposit covering the cost of checking arising from a measurement protest.

RRS 68 (*) :

Any claim for damages arising from an incident involving a boat bound by the RRS shall be subject to the appropriate courts and will not be considered by the jury.

RRS 70.5 (*) :

In such circumstances, the written approval of the FFVoile shall be received before publishing the notice of race and shall be posted on the official notice board during the competition.

RCV 86.3 (*) :

An organizing authority wishing to change a rule listed in RRS 86.1 in order to develop or test new rules shall beforehand submit the changes to the FFVoile, in order to obtain its written approval and shall report the results to FFVoile after the regatta. The authorization of the FFVoile shall be mentioned in the notice of race, in the sailing instructions, and shall be posted on the official notice board during the regatta.

RRS 88 (*) :

Prescriptions of the FFVoile shall be neither changed nor deleted in the sailing instructions, except for competitions for which an international jury has been appointed.

In such case, the prescriptions marked with an asterisk (*) shall be neither changed nor deleted in the sailing instructions. (The official translation of the prescriptions, downloadable on the FFVoile website www.ffvoile.org, shall be the only translation used to comply with RRS 90.2(b)).

RRS 91 (*) :

The appointment of an international jury meeting the requirements of Appendix N is subject to prior written approval of the FFVoile. Such notice of approval shall be posted on the official notice board during the event.

Appendix F (*) :

Appeals shall be sent to the head-office of Fédération Française de Voile, Jury d'Appel, 17 rue Henri Bocquillon, 75015 Paris