



European and World Championships

9th September ~ 20th September 2013

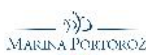
Organising Authority

Fireball International

in conjunction with Sport Club GoSailing and Yachting Club Portorož
and support of Fireball Slovenia

Venue

Marina Portoroz
Portoroz, Slovenia



NOTICE OF RACE

1.0 RULES

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the 'rules' as defined in The Racing Rules of Sailing.
- 1.2 The prescriptions of the Slovenian Sailing Federation will not apply.
- 1.3 Pre event equipment inspection will apply.
- 1.4 Rule 20.8 of the class rules is changed as follows:

Subject to the approval of the Race Committee, a boat chartered or loaned for the events may declare at the time of entry or registration a sail number which may be different from the registered number of the hull provided that the number declared shall not be the sail number of any other boat competing in the regatta.

- 1.5 Rule 23 the class rules 'Limitations of Equipment' will apply.
- 1.6 If there is a conflict between languages, the English text will take precedence.

2.0 IDENTIFICATION AND ADVERTISING

Boats may be required to display identification numbers and event sponsor advertising in compliance with ISAF Regulation 20.4.1.1.

3.0 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 3.1 All competitors shall comply with RRS 75. The regatta is open to boats of the International Fireball Class whose helmsman and crew are members of a National Fireball Class Association recognized by Fireball International or Fireball International if there is no NCA in the boats country.
- 3.2 Late entries will be accepted:
 - for European Championship: up to 10:00 on 10th September 2013,
 - for World Championship: up to 10:00 on 14th September 2013.

3.3 Classic Boats

Classic Boats will be determined during the equipment inspection procedure.

A list of sail numbers will be published and displayed on the official notice board prior to the first race of the World Championship.

4.0 FEES

- 4.1 The required fees in Euros are as follows:

<u>Event</u>	<u>Early bird</u> Up to and including 31 March 2013	<u>Entry fee</u> Up to and including 31 July 2013	<u>Late entry fee</u>
Championships	390 EUR	450 EUR	500 EUR
World Championship only	370 EUR	420 EUR	480 EUR
Social Adult	90 EUR	100 EUR	110 EUR
Social Junior (under 18)	50 EUR	70 EUR	80 EUR
Children (under 12)	Free	Free	Free

- 4.2 This Entry Fee includes boat and trailer storage, gift bag, daily pasta, beer and water after the racing, tickets to the principal events and charity donation.

4.3 Entry fees should be made by cash or with bank transfer payable to

Club: Sportno drustvo GoSailing
Obala 107
SI-6320 Portoroz
Slovenia

Bank: Banka Koper d.d.
Pristaniska ulica 14
SI-6000 Koper
Slovenia

BIC (Swift): BAKOSI2X

IBAN: SI56 1010 0004 7836 515

Entries will not be valid until payment is received

5.0 SCHEDULE

5.1 European Championship

9 th September ~ 13 st September 2013			<u>Activity</u>
Monday	9 September	09:00 ~ 12:30 14:00 ~ 18:00	Registration Registration & Measurement
Tuesday	10 September	09:00 ~ 12:30 14:00 ~ 18:00 19:00	Registration & Measurement Registration & Measurement Opening Ceremony
Wednesday	11 September	12:00	Races
Thursday	12 September	11:00	Races
Friday	13 September	11:00 18:30	Races Prize Giving Ceremony

5.2 World Championship

15 th September ~ 20 th September 2013			
Friday	13 September	09:00 ~ 12:30 14:00 ~ 18:00 18:30	Registration & Measurement Registration & Measurement Opening Ceremony
Saturday	14 September	09:00 ~ 12:30 14:00 ~ 18:00	Registration & Measurement Registration & Measurement
Sunday	15 September	12:00	Races
Monday	16 September	12:00	Races
Tuesday	17 September	12:00	Races
Wednesday	18 September		Lay Day
Thursday	19 September	12:00	Races
Friday	20 September	11:00 19:30	Races Prize Giving Ceremony

5.3 The numbers of races scheduled are as follows:

European Championship Number of Races: 9 (3 per day)

World Championship Number of Races: 10 (2 per day)

One extra race per day may be sailed, provided that no more than one race is sailed ahead of schedule.

5.4 The scheduled time of the warning signal for the first race of the European Championship is 12:00, 11th September 2013.

The scheduled time of the warning signal for the first race of the World Championship is 12:00, 15th September 2013.

On the last day of the World Championship, no warning signal will be made after 15:00.

6.0 EQUIPMENT INSPECTIONS

Each boat shall have a valid measurement certificate. All boats and equipment shall be presented for pre-event inspection according to the Equipment Inspection Instructions, which will be a part of the Sailing Instructions. Random inspections checks will be carried out during the event.

7.0 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

The sailing instructions will be available at registration.

8.0 VENUE

8.1 Marina Portoroz, Portoroz, Slovenia

8.2 Attachment A shows the location of the regatta centre and the racing areas.

9.0 THE COURSE

The courses to be sailed will be described in the Sailing Instructions.

10.0 INTERNATIONAL JURY

An International Jury in accordance with RRS Appendix N will be appointed by Fireball International. Its decisions will be final as provided in rule 70.5.

11.0 SCORING

11.1 1 race is required to be completed to constitute a series.

- (a) When fewer than 5 races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores.
- (b) When from 5 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.

12.0 SUPPORT BOATS

Support boats shall register at the race office. All registered support boats will carry identification as required by the Organising Authority and shall comply with support boat regulations posted on the notice board.

13.0 BERTHING

Boats shall be kept in their assigned place in the dinghy park.

14.0 RIGHT TO USE NAME AND LIKENESS

By participating in these Championships a competitor automatically grants to the organizing authority and its sponsors the right in perpetuity to make, use and show, from time to time at their discretion, any motion pictures and live, taped or filmed television and other reproductions of him or her during the period of the competition, without compensation.

15.0 RADIO COMMUNICATION

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.

16.0 PRIZES

16.1 European Championship

Perpetual Trophies will be given as follows:

Race 1	Swiss Cow Bell
Race 2	Czech Crystal Bowl
Race 3	Slovenian Trophy
Race 4	UK Trophy
Race 5	Italian UVM Trophy
Race 6	French Trophy
Race 7	Belgian Trophy
Race 8	Shetland Trophy
Race 9	Ireland Skerries Trophy
Overall	European Trophy
Classic Boat	Classic Boat Trophy
Woman	YCBE Trophy
Under 25	Italian Fireball Association Trophy

16.2 Prizes will be awarded to the first 10 boats in the European Championship. Other prizes may be awarded

16.3 World Championship

Perpetual Trophies will be given as follows:

Race 1	Moore Trophy
Race 2	Rondar Cup
Race 3	Volvo Trophy
Race 4	Certina Trophy
Race 5	Mildara Wines Trophy
Race 6	Bell Bowl
Race 7	Sponsor Trophy
Race 8	RVYC Trophy
Race 9	Safaricom Kenya Trophy
Race 10	P & B Trophy
Overall Crew:	Humbolt Trophy
Overall Fireball Worlds:	Worlds Trophy
Overall Classic Boat:	Classic Boat Trophy
Woman	Thelassa Trophy
Perseverance	Geest Trophy
Under 25	TBA

16.4 Prizes will be awarded to the first 10 boats in the World Championship. Other prizes may be awarded

17.0 DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

17.1 The competitors are entirely responsible for their own safety, whether afloat or ashore and nothing, whether in the Notice of Race or Sailing Instructions or anywhere else reduces this responsibility.

17.2 Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk See RRS 4, Decision to Race. The Organizing Authority, Go Sailing, International Jury, Principle Race Officer, Support Boat Crews and Beach Master and all others working on behalf of the Championship 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.

18.0 INSURANCE

Each participating boat shall be insured with adequate valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum cover of 1 million EUR per incident or equivalent.

Signing the Entry Form shall confirm that the boat has such cover.

19.0 CONTAINERS and TRAILERS

Container and Trailer placement will be in the grounds of the Marina Portoroz accessible throughout the regatta.

20.0 ACCOMMODATION

A wide range of accommodation is available nearby and information are available on the websites www.gosailing.si and www.fireball-international.com.

21.0 FURTHER INFORMATION

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Attachment A:

