



EUROPEAN MASTERS GAMES LIGNANO 2011

REGULATIONS - 21 SAILING

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For all which is not specifically prospected in the current regulations, the ISAF. (International Sailing Federation) are valid and applied

ENTRIES

The spirit of the European Master games is that all entries be free and that the athletes do not represent their country of origin, therefore, as a consequence athletes from outside Europe are allowed to subscribe to the games.

THE ESTIMATED FINAL REGISTRATION DATE

12th June 2011 EARLY REGISTRATION (with a 15% discount on the registration fee)

31st July 2011 FINAL REGISTRATION

Membership to a Sports Federation

All athletes:

- have to give proof of being a member of their National Federation, acknowledged and associated to the ISAF
- must have an up-to-date doctor's certificate which declares the athlete's agonistic fitness to compete in the sports discipline of Sailing (certificate which is not requested if already owner of a doctor's certificate as a member of the sport chosen)

Anti doping

All athletes accept to undergo anti doping tests which will be carried out according to the rules and regulations of the IMGA- WADA.

Insurance policy

- All the athletes who do not possess the EHIC membership (European Health Insurance Card) must take out an accident insurance policy. Information can be found on the site <http://ehic.europa.eu>
- The athletes who do not have this insurance can take out a policy, in loco, with the O.C. insurance company, at the Games Centre, or following the link which will be activated on the site www.lignano2011.it
- All boats must also be insured against damage with a coverage of 1.000.000 Euros (one million Euros) or an equivalent sum in another currency. The participants are obliged to give testimony on registration of having this document, if not, they cannot register to the games.
- All participants are responsible for taking out an insurance policy against damage. The registration fee to the games does not cover the expenses against damage.
- All the participants, on accreditation, must sign a release against third parties.

Entry terms and conditions

- All athletes must accept the entry terms and conditions, the specified rules and regulations, moreover, they must sign, on registration, release from civil liability.

Visas

The athletes coming from countries where an Entry Visa is requested, must ask for a Tourist Visa. Information regarding the issue of a Tourist Visa is obtainable on the site www.esteri.it/visti/home_eng.asp (Tourist type Visa).

1. Dates of the competitions

1.1. The "European Masters Games" will start on Saturday 10th Sept. 2011 and end on Tuesday 20th Sept. 2011.

1.2 The **Sailing** competitions will take place from **Sunday 11th Sept. 2011** to **Wednesday 14th Sept. 2011**.

1.2.1 SIC – Sport Information Centre.

All information concerning the Sailing games will be published on the site www.lignano2011.it and can be obtained from the SIC (Sport Information Centre) regarding the Sailing, which will be open at the Accreditation Centre from Wednesday 7th Sept. 2011 together with the checking of accreditation until Sunday 11th Sept. 2011.

2 Details regarding sports facilities

The regattas will be held on the sea front opposite the beach of the Ge.Tur. Tourist Village in Lignano Sabbiadoro, Viale Centrale n. 29.

Free access to the boat deposit on the beach will be guaranteed to all the participants from Friday 9th Sept 2011 to Thursday 15th Sept. 2011. The opening hours will be notified at the SIC (Sport Information Centre) and published on the site www.lignano2011.it.

3. Regatta classes and Age groups

3.1 The boats with the following Classes are admitted to the regatta:

Laser Standard, male single;
Laser Radial single, male and female;
Hobie 16 male and female;
Race board single, male and female.

3.2 All age groups are determined on 31.12.2011.

All athletes can compete only in their age groups or in the one before.

Age groups for Laser and Laser Radial (Males): 4.

M1: 35 = born in: 1976, 1975, 1974, 1973, 1972, 1971, 1970, 1969, 1968, 1967.
M2: 45 = born in: 1966, 1965, 1964, 1963, 1962, 1961, 1960, 1959, 1958, 1957.
M3: 55 = born in: 1956, 1955, 1954, 1953, 1952, 1951, 1950, 1949, 1948, 1947.
M4: 65 Over = born in: 1946 or before.

Age groups for Laser Radial (Female): 4.

W1: 35 = born in: 1976, 1975, 1974, 1973, 1972, 1971, 1970, 1969, 1968, 1967.
W2: 45 = born in: 1966, 1965, 1964, 1963, 1962, 1961, 1960, 1959, 1958, 1957.
W3: 55 = born in: 1956, 1955, 1954, 1953, 1952, 1951, 1950, 1949, 1948, 1947.
W4: 65 Over = born in: 1946 or before.

Age groups for Windsurf – Race board (Males): 3.

M1: 35 = born in: 1976, 1975, 1974, 1973, 1972, 1971, 1970, 1969, 1968, 1967, 1966, 1965, 1964, 1963, 1962.
M2: 50 = born in: 1961, 1960, 1959, 1958, 1957, 1956, 1955, 1954, 1953, 1952.
M3: 60 Over = born in: 1951, or before.

Age groups for Windsurf – Race board (Female): 3.

W1: 35 = born in: 1976, 1975, 1974, 1973, 1972, 1971, 1970, 1969, 1968, 1967, 1966, 1965, 1964, 1963, 1962.
W2: 50 = born in: 1961, 1960, 1959, 1958, 1957, 1956, 1955, 1954, 1953, 1952.
W3: 60 Over = born in: 1951, or before.

Age groups for Hobie 16 Open (Males &/or Female):

45 The coxswain must have been born in 1966 or before; there are no age limits for the crew.

55 Over The coxswain must have been born in 1956 or before; the crew must have been born in 1971 or before.

4. Applied rules

4.1 The regatta will adopt the current rules and regulations according to the Regata ISAF 2009/2012 (RRS), the rules of their Classes, the herewith Regatta bill, the Regatta instructions and all the subsequent adjustments will be put up on the official notice board of the event.

4.2 RRS Appendix P – immediate penalties will not be applied for violations to the RRS 42; the RRS 67 will be applied.

4.3 The rider G1.1 (c) will be applied as regards to identification on the sails of one's country of origin.

5. Advertisement

5.1 Advertisement is regulated by the Class rules and by the 20 ISAF Regulation

5.2 All participants may be asked to exhibit their sponsor's logos for the event. If requested, the Organizing Board will hand out the material which has to be exhibited as specified in the regatta instructions.

6 Alternative penalties

Alternative penalties 8.1 of the RRS 44.2 will be entirely applied to the Classes Laser St and Laser Radial; for the Hobie 16 and the Race board classes, the penalties of two tackings and two gybings in the same sense for the violation of Part 2 of the RRS, will be substituted by a tacking and a gybing in the same sense, (partial adjustment to the RRS 44.2).

7. Registration

7.1 Only one start off for each boat Class will be organized. Although the ranking will be drawn out for each age group. All the participants will be awarded prizes in the age group in which they have originally registered for.

7.2 Italian participants, must have an updated membership to the FIV for this calendar year, including their doctor's certificate.

7.3 Foreign participants, must be in order with the directions of their National Authorities.

7.4 All the participants, must complete their registration on the following days:

- 09.09.2011 from 09.00 a.m. to 6.00 p.m.
- 10.09.2011 from 09.00 a.m. to 6.00 p.m.

7.5 Registration must be carried out at the SIC at the Accreditation Centre. The Regatta instructions are obtainable from Friday 9th Sept. 2011 at the SIC at the Accreditation Centre on registration.

8 Details regarding the competition

Further details COL – Local Organizing Committee:

Federazione Italiana Vela, represented by the Organizing Committee XIII Zone – Trieste;

e-mail: xiii-zona@federvela.it; Tel and Fax +39 040 89909231 / 89909205;

And a pool of sailing Clubs of the XIII Zone.

9. Competitions: standards and rules

9.1 Technical meeting

Before the beginning of the regattas briefings will be held at the relative Class Secretarial Offices.

Sunday 11th Sept. 2011, at 09.30 a.m. a briefing will be held for the Laser and the Hobie Classes.

For the Windsurf Class the briefing will be held on Monday 12th Sept. 2011 at 09.30 a.m..

Detailed information will be notified subsequent to the registration deadline on the site www.lignano2011.it.

9.2 The regatta schedule will be published in the Regatta instructions.

Classes can be divided into groups if the Organizing authority wishes to, and their decision is final.

9.3 The first warning sign for the Laser and Hobie 16 Classes, will not be given before 12.00 a.m. on 11.09.2011; it will not be given for the Race board Class before 12.00 a.m. on 12.09.2011.

10. Rating

10.1 All the boats must be in order with the rules of their Class.

10.2 Random controls will be carried out both when still moored or at sea at any one moment. The boat which will be chosen for checking the rating will have to follow the indications of the CdR. (Regatta Committee).

11. Scoring

11.1 There will be a ranking for each Class and Age group pertaining to that Class. The scoring of each trial for each Class and Age group, will be assigned as indicated in Appendix A – Minimum Scoring of the Regatta Regulations ISAF 2009/2012 for the Hobie 16 and the Laser Classes.

11.2 For the Race board Classes, Appendix B of the RRS will be applied.

12 International Jury

An International Jury will be appointed as indicated in Appendix N and its decisions are final as claimed in the RRS 70.5. It will be located at the Class Secretarial Offices and the names of its components will be notified on the Official Notice Board of every Class, before the beginning of each regatta.

13 Individual safety of the athletes

Every participant must have, on board, personal lifeguard equipment which has to be efficient and in good condition, according to the Fundamental Rule 1.2 of the Regatta Regulations ISAF 2009/2012.

14 Access to the beach and boat deposits

Boats will be housed inside the Ge.Tur., after registration, from Friday 9.09.2011 to Thursday 15.09.2011, in appropriately indicated areas, near the Secretarial Offices of each respective Class.

15 Assumption of responsibility

15.1 It is under each participant's responsibility, to decide whether to participate or continue a regatta at his/her own risk and danger; the organizers, the committees, the coordinators, the cooperators and the respective clubs will not bear any type of responsibility for the participants for any event which may have happened during the participation to the games, both when on land or at sea.

15.2 The organizers, the committees, the coordinators, the cooperators of the EMG Lignano 2011 – Sailing, will not bear any responsibility for the loss of lives, personal damage or any other damage or stolen property or equipment during their participation or wish of participation to the event or for any other reason regarding anyone standing for them..

16 Prizes and Prize giving

16.1 Prize giving will be held at the end of the regattas and of eventual complaints, by means of a sole ceremony for all the Classes in the Regatta in a location which has not yet been defined inside the Ge.Tur. Tourist Village.

16.2 According to the spirit of the European Masters Games, registration is free and the athletes do not represent their country of origin: Therefore the prize-giving ceremonies will be carried out without the hoisting of the flag and without playing the National Anthem of the winning athlete. Prize giving will be held 15 minutes after the end of each competition.

16.3 The first three athletes classified in each Age group of each Class will be awarded a prize. The first classified in each Age group of each Class can bear the title of "Champion of the European Masters Games Lignano 2011".

17 Boat Hiring

The organizers are not able to guarantee the hiring of boats. On request, they can suggest the addresses of several brokers.

18. Registration

18.1 Registration fee ATHLETES

The registration fee for the athlete of each for the European Masters Games Lignano 2011 is of € 120,00 per person and must be paid to the team leader before 31st July 2011. (Final registration).

In the case that the fee were paid before 12th June 2011 (Early Registration) one can benefit of a discount of 15% (the amount due is of € 102,00).

The payment of the registration fee (€ 102,00 before 12th June 2011 or € 120,00 before 31st July 2011) must be paid via International transfer on the bank account **c/c Comitato Esecutivo Organizzatore EMG Lignano 2011 - Banca Popolare FriulAdria – Agenzia 171 Trieste.**

IBAN IT25C0533602207000040545149 - BIC (or SWIFT) BPPNIT2P171, net of the transfer fees, or via Credit Card (The Pay Pal payment system can be used for online enrolment, available on the site: www.lignano2011.it).

The fee offers the following benefits:

- ⇒ The possibility to participate to all the games listed in the EMG programme;
- ⇒ The parade and access to the opening and closing ceremonies;
- ⇒ Free of charge urban transport service in Lignano Sabbiadoro;
- ⇒ Extra-urban transport service from Lignano to competition localities outside Lignano during the event days and for the sports to which one is accredited to (on request);
- ⇒ Medical assistance on the games areas;
- ⇒ Free access to all games areas;

- ⇒ Certificate of attendance;
 - ⇒ Medals to the first three classified teams;
 - ⇒ Registration kit with Credit Pass, a guidebook of the games, tourist information leaflets and sports bag;
 - ⇒ F.V.G. Card – (Personal Card for guided tours, discounts on entrance fees to museums and for several other services in the region of Friuli Venezia Giulia);
 - ⇒ Access to the Games - and Expo Centre;
 - ⇒ Access to social events (the calendar of the events will be published on the site www.lignano2011.it);
 - ⇒ Discounts on commercial activities in Lignano Sabbiadoro;
- Further benefits may be given and will be reported on the site www.lignano2011.it .

Available services on request:

- ⇒ Transfer to or from airports or railway stations;
- ⇒ Transfer to the training areas situated outside Lignano Sabbiadoro;
- ⇒ Transfer to watch other sports games different from those to which one is registered in, organized outside Lignano Sabbiadoro;
- ⇒ Catering service at the game location;
- ⇒ Excursions, etc.

11.2 Registration fee COACHES AND ACCOMPANYING PERSONS

The registration fee for coaches and accompanying people to the European Masters Games Lignano 2011 is of € 60,00 per person and must be paid before 31st July 2011 (Final registration).

If the registration fee is paid before 12th June 2011 (Early registration) one can benefit of a discount of 15% (the enrolment fee will be reduced to € 51,00).

The payment of the registration fee (€ 51,00 before 12th June 2011 or € 60,00 before 31st July 2011) must be paid via International transfer on the bank account **c/c Comitato Esecutivo Organizzatore EMG Lignano 2011 - Banca Popolare FriulAdria – Agenzia 171 Trieste.**

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The fee offers the following benefits:

- ⇒ The parade and access to the opening and closing ceremonies (Parade only for the coaches);
 - ⇒ Free of charge urban transport service in Lignano Sabbiadoro;
 - ⇒ Extra-urban transport service from Lignano to games areas outside Lignano during the competition days and for the sports to which one is accredited to (on request);
 - ⇒ Medical assistance on the games areas;
 - ⇒ Free access to all games areas;
 - ⇒ Certificate of attendance (only for the coaches);
 - ⇒ Registration kit with Credit Pass, a guidebook of the games, tourist information leaflets and sports bag;
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Available services on request:

- ⇒ Transfer to or from airports or railway stations;
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- ⇒ Transfer to watch other sports games different from those to which one is registered in, organized outside Lignano Sabbiadoro;
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19 Links

OC - Organizing Committee:

IMGA - International Masters Games Association:
 FIV - Federazione Italiana Vela Comitato XIII Zona:
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