



NOTICE OF RACE

PM 420

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ASCONA, LAKE MAGGIORE

May 25th - 26th 2019



Schweizerische 420er Vereinigung
Association Suisse des 420
Associazione Svizzera della 420

Organizing Club

Yacht Club Ascona

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1 Rules

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in the World Sailing Racing Rules of Sailing (RSS) 2017- 2020.
- 1.2 Appendix P will apply, with amendments as described in the sailing instructions.
- 1.3 The prescriptions of the Swiss Sailing Federation to the RSS 2017- 2020 will apply.
- 1.4 The RRS will be changed as follows:
 - Rule 40 is changed so that personal flotation devices must be worn at all times when afloat. Flag Y will not be displayed.
- 1.5 If there is a conflict between the Notice of Race, the Class Rules and the Sailing Instructions, the Sailing Instructions will prevail. This changes rule 63.7.
- 1.6 Swiss Federal Law for inland navigation with local amendments will apply.

2 Advertising

- 2.1 Competitor advertising is permitted, according to the Class Rules (ISAF Advertising Code, Regulation 20) and the Swiss Sailing Rules. Boats may be required to display advertising chosen and supplied by the organizing authority.

3 Eligibility and admission

- 3.1 The regatta is open to all boats of the 420 class.
- 3.2 The regatta is open to foreign and mixed crews.
- 3.3 All competitors (skipper and crew) must be member of a club affiliated to a national authority of World Sailing (RRS 75).

4 Entries

- 4.1 Competitors can register for the event online at <http://manage2sail.com/en/event/420ascona2019> no later than May the 24th.
- 4.2 Entries must be completed by 11:30 on Saturday, May the 25th at the registration desk. The competitor may be asked to present the following documents:
 - Confirmation of club membership or license (see 3.3).
 - Measurement Certificate or Certificate of Conformity.
 - Copy of the third-party liability insurance (see 11.1).
 - Confirmation of the legitimacy for competitor advertising on Swiss boats (see 2.1).

5 Fees

- 5.1 The entry fee is **40 CHF per boat**, to be paid no later than Friday, May the 17th 2019, according to the instructions on the registration page (see 4.1).

- 5.2 Late entries can be submitted at the race office until Saturday, May the 25th by 11:30. **The additional fee for late entries is 20.- CHF.**
- 5.3 The fees shall be paid on the following bank account:
 Postfinance 65-4876-0
 IBAN: CH21 0900 0000 6500 4876 0 BIC/SWIFT: POFICHBEXXX
- 5.4 Dinner for all competitors will be organized on Saturday, May the 25th. For competitors, dinner (excluding soft drinks) is included in the entry fee. Price for accompanying persons and coaches is 20 CHF per person, to be paid by 11:30 on May the 25th at the race office.

6 Schedule

- 6.1 The schedule for the event is as follows:

Saturday May the 25 th	09:00 – 11:30	Registration
	11:45	Skipper Meeting
	12:45	First possible warning signal
	19:00	Dinner (see 5.4)
Sunday May the 26 th	See 6.2	Warning signal as posted by RC
	15:30	Last possible warning signal
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- 6.2 The time for the first warning signal on May the 26th will be posted by 19:00 on May the 25th.
- 6.3 The last possible warning signal will be given no later than 15:30 on May the 26th.

7 Sailing Instructions

- 7.1 Sailing instructions will be posted on the Club website www.ycas.ch and on manage2sail (see 4.1) by Sunday, May the 19th 2019. A printed copy will be posted on the official notice board but there won't be any handouts.

8 Race format and scoring system

- 8.1 Up to eight races will be sailed.
- 8.2 When fewer than 4 races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores.
- 8.3 The Regatta is valid, if at least one valid race is completed.

9 Awards

- 9.1 Prizes will be awarded to the first three boats.

10 Disclaimer of liability

- 10.1 Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See RRS 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.

11 Insurance

- 11.1 Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance covering a sum of at least CHF 2'000'000 (or the equivalent) per incident.

12 Media rights

- 12.1 By entering the race, competitors accept that they may be photographed and/or filmed participating in the race and/or using the regatta facilities and they consent to the taking of such images and to their use and publication, in any form, without any compensation, with and without the mentioning of the competitor's name.

13 Parking and accommodation

- 13.1 For every boat and trailer a suitable parking place will be provided.
- 13.2 The Sailing Club will inform about parking options for cars and other vehicles
- 13.3 Overnight stay inside the perimeter of the Sailing Club is **not allowed**. Some suggestions for overnight stay can be found at <http://ycas.ch/ospiti>.

14 Support boats

- 14.1 Support boats must be announced to the race committee before the beginning of the event and must comply with the Support Boat Conditions (contact the club at info@ycas.ch before the May the 12th).
- 14.2 Support boats will be part of the security arrangement for the event.
- 14.3 Support boats must stay clear of the racing area.