2022 BALTIC CHALLENGE CUP

Techno293, Raceboard, Formula Foil Windsurfing 10 - 11 SEPTEMBER KISEZERS RIga, Latvia



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Classes: Formula Foil OPEN, Techno293, Raceboard

1. RULES

- 1. The event will be governed by the rules as defined in:
- 1.1. Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS) 2021-2024.
- 1.2. Windsurfing Competition Rules (WCR).
- 1.3. The Class Rules of the participating classes shall apply:
- 1.3.1. Formula Foil Class Rules & Championship Rules
- 1.3.3 Techno 293 Class Rules & Championship Rules
- 1.3.4 Raceboard Class Rules & Championship Rules
- 1.4. No national prescriptions will apply.

1.5. Notice of the race (NoR)

1.6. Sailing instructions (SI)

1.7. If there is a conflict between the Sailing Instructions and any other document governing the event the Sailing Instructions shall take precedence.

2. ADVERTISING

2.1. Sailors may be required to display advertising chosen and supplied by the organizing authority. World Sailing Regulation 20 "Advertising Code" shall apply.

2.2. Event branding shall be always worn when afloat, and as requested by the organizers during media interviews and during the prize giving.

3. CLASSES & DIVISIONS

3.A FORMULA FOIL OPEN CLASS

3.A.1. Formula foil OPEN Divisions:

- 3.A.1.1. Formula foil OPEN WOMEN
- 3.A.1.2. Formula foil OPEN MEN

3.B TECHNO293 CLASS:

3.B.1. Techno293 Divisions:

- 3.B.1.1. Techno293/minim-3.5m2 overall (born in or after 2010, but not later than 2014)
- 3.B.1.2. Techno293/U13 overall (born in or after 2010)
- 3.B.1.3. Techno293/junior U15 girls (born in or after 2008)
- 3.B.1.4. Techno293/junior U15 boys (born in or after 2008)
- 3.B.1.5. Techno293/youth U17 girls (born in or after 2006)
- 3.B.1.6. Techno293/youth U17 boys (born in or after 2006)
- 3.B.1.7. Techno293/Open (born in 2005 or earlier)

3.C.2. Division is created if there is minimum of 4 competitors matching divisions requirements

3.D RACEBOARD CLASS - Overall

3.D.1. Raceboard Divisions:

- 3.D.1.1. Raceboard senior women
- 3.D.1.2. Raceboard senior men
- 3.D.1.3. Raceboard Grand Master shall be a competitor over the age of 50 (born 1971 or earlier)
- 3.D.1.4. Raceboard Veteran shall be a competitor over the age of 60 (born 1961 or earlier)
- 3.D.2. Division is created if there is minimum of 4 competitors matching divisions requirements (no

minimum for women division)

4. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 4.1. All entries shall meet the requirements of World Sailing Regulation 19 Eligibility Code.
- 4.2. Competitors shall be members of their National Class Association.

4.3. Eligible competitors may enter online <u>https://ej.uz/2022-BCC</u>. Online entry will close on Thursday, 8 September, at 12:00PM.

4.3.1. The following shall be presented upon registration:

* Evidence of valid third party insurance

* Proof of age

* **Parental Permission Form** - for under the age of 18 (bring the signed document with you and present it to the Regatta Office)

5. ENTRY FEES

5.1. The required entry fee for adults: 40 EUR

5.2. The required Youth entry fee (under age of 18): 30 EUR

5.3. Competitors who have not preregistered online have to pay additional 10 EUR as late registration fee. Preregistration ends on Thursday, 8 September, at 12:00PM

5.4. Entry fees shall be paid at registration in cash and a competitor entry is not valid until the entry fee is paid.

5.5. All competitors who registered for the competition are obliged to pay the entry fee even if they do not participate at the competitions.

5.6. Entry fee includes competition organization and lunch during the event dates.

6. RACE FORMAT

6.1. Classes can be given a joint start. The decision on a joint start for different classes is made by the chief judge of the competition.

6.2. Men and women, boys and girls may race together.

6.3. Depending on the strength of the wind, the chief judge may determine the course or slalom distance.

6.4. The number of races for the class is determined by the organizer of the competition and the Principal Race Officer.

6.5. The maximum number of races per board class per day is 6 races in the course distance and 8 races in the slalom distance. Techno293 classes can have maximum 4 races per day.

6.6. A regatta has taken place if at least 2 (two) races have been completed within the class.

7. SCHEDULE

Saturday, 10 September

9:00-10:30 Registration

11:00 Opening of competition and Skippers Meeting

12:00 First possible warning signal

Sunday, 11 September

10:00 Skippers Meeting

- 11:00-17:00 Racing
- 17:00 Last possible warning signal

ASAP: Prize giving and closing of competition

8. EQUIPMENT & EQUIPMENT INSPECTION

8.1. The judges can check the inventory during the whole competition without prior notice.

8.2. Windsurfing Sail Numbers. WCR Appendix G applies.

8.3. Each participant is responsible for the compliance of his / her inventory with the cash register rules.

9. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

The sailing instructions (SI's) will be available at the event.

10. COURSES

Courses will be as described in the sailing instructions.

11. PROTEST COMMITTEE

A Protest Committee will be appointed in accordance with WCR 91(a).

12. SCORING

12.1. For all classes the low point scoring system of RRS Appendix A will apply as amended below:

13. COACHES & SUPPORT BOATS

Coaches and support boats shall be registered with the organizer. Support boat drivers shall have a valid boat license and third party liability insurance. These documents must be presented when registering the boat for the competition.

14. SAFETY

14.1. Support boat crew members, and, competitors, shall wear a personal flotation device that shall