

Notice of Race

The International Grand Prix Vila de Blanes will be held in the bay of Blanes from the 2^{nd} of January to the 5^{th} of January 2008. It will be organized by the Club Vela Blanes and the Catalan Sailing Federation.

1. RULES

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by "Rules" as defined in the ISAF 2005/2008 (RRS) Racing Rules.
- 1.2 Appendix P will be applied.
- 1.3 Protests could be resolved by mediation previous to the Protest Committee.
- 1.4 Use of personal Buoyancy Aid will be required.
- 1.5 In case of conflict between the Notice of the Race and the Sailing Instructions the Sailing Instructions will prevail.

2. ADVERTISING

2.1 The International Grand Prix Vila de Blanes is classified category C, in accordance to the ISAF Regulation 20-advertising code.

Boats may be required to display on each side of the hull:

- Advertising of the event sponsor.

3. CLASSES

3.1 The International Grand Prix Vila de Blanes is reserved for 420 Class and Europe Class.

4. ELIGIBILITY

- 4.1 The ISAF competitors eligibility code (ISAF Regulation 19) will apply.
- 4.2 Each competitor shall be member of his National Class Association and, if relevant, of his National Authority.

5. REGISTRATION

5.1 Pre entries:

5.1.1 The pre entries must be sent by 28th of December 2007:

Club de Vela Blanes Explanada del Port, s/n. C.P. 17300 Blanes (Girona)

Ph.: 00 34 - 972.330.552 // 00 34 - 972.330.870 Fax: 00 34 - 972 331 498 E-mail: <u>esportiu@cvblanes.cat</u>

5.1.2 Entry Fees are 60 € for 420's and 40 € for Europe. Entry Fees shall be paid in euros to Club Vela Blanes:

Banco Santander Central Hispano. **IBAN CODE ES69 0049 1573 58 2910013189**

- 5.1.3 The organising committee reserves the right to accept entries after the 29th of December.
- 5.1.4 It is required to present a copy of your bank transfer with the Regatta Registration Form.

5.2 Confirmation of Registration

- 5.2.1 Registration will be take place at the Regatta Office.
- 5.2.2 Each skipper must personally sign the Registration Form before 12:00 a.m. 2 January.
- 5.2.3 The following documents are needed:
 - Federation Licence valid for 2007 (skipper and crew).
 - National Class Membership (skipper and crew).
 - DNI or Passport.
 - For foreign sailors: Third Part Liability Insurance coverage up to a minimum of 300.500 Euro.
- 5.3 No skipper changes are allowed.

6. PROGRAM

6.1 The event program is the following:

Date	Time	Acto
January 2nd 2008	09 to 12	Regatta Office Opens Registration Sailing Instructions Available.
January 2nd 2008	14:00	First Race warning signal.
January 3 rd 2008	09:30	First Race warning signal.
January 4 th 2008	09:30	First Race warning signal.
January 5 th 2008	9:30 16:00	First Race warning signal. Prize Giving

The prize giving time is estimated.

6.2 On the last day of competition no starting sequence will given after 14:00, with the exception of a General Recall of a race in progress.

7. EVENTS FORMAT

7.1 The Regatta will use the fleet system and 12 races are scheduled. 2 races must be completed for the Regatta to be valid.

8. SCORING

8.1 The low point scoring system of Appendix A will apply (RRS Appendix A).

9. PRIZES

11.2 There will be prizes for the first three boats in each class and the list will be hung on the TOA before 12 am of the 2nd of January.

10. DISCLAIMER

10.1 Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See rule 4, Decision to race. 10.2 The organizing authority will not accept any liability for material damage or personal injury or sudden death in conjunction with or prior to, during, or after the regatta.







Hoja de inscripción

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Entry form

Fecha Clase / Modalidad Vela n° Date Class / Discipline Sail Nr.	
Patrón Skipper	Licencia <i>Licence</i>
Dirección Address	Teléfono Telephone
Población Código postal City Post code	País Country
Tripulante Crew	Licencia <i>Licenc</i> e
Club Club	Federación Territorial National Authority
Nombre del barco / e-mail Name of the boat / e-mail	
Publicidad. Nombres, marcas o logotipos a exhibir Adevertising. Names, brand name, product name or logo to display	
Alojamiento durante la regata Address during the competition	Teléfono Telephone
	Firma Signature