

## Austrian *Melges24* Class Association 2019

The development of the class in Austria is stable. We have approx. 7-8 boats competing frequently in races.

We had 2 local regattas, 1 on Attersee, 1 on Wolfgangsee. 3 Austrian teams were competing in the World Championships in Villasimius.

To strengthen the class activity in Austria, Bavaria, Czech, Slovakia, Hungary, etc. we have decided together with Segelclub Kammersee to apply for a regatta in the context of European Sailing Series (22-24 May 2020). The club has hosted already such an event in the past and the club has proven that its capable as an organizer.

We see some increasing interest into the class from other classes and we are expecting to enlarge the fleet in 2020.

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