

ROOSTER-MONAUTIX
2020 MELGES24
ESS EVENT 1 - HUNGARY
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BALATONFÜRED, 17-19 APRIL 2020

Organizing Authority: Balatonfüredi Yacht Club, in conjunction with the International Melges24 Class Association, the Hungarian Melges24 Class Association and the Hungarian Sailing Federation

NOTICE OF RACE

NOTATIONS:

- [DP]** The penalty for a breach of this rule may, at the discretion of the protest committee, be less than disqualification.
[NP] A rule that shall not be grounds for protests by a boat. This changes RRS 60.1(a).

1. RULES

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing* (RRS).
- 1.2 The National Authority Prescriptions that will apply are stated in full in Addendum 1.
- 1.3 The Notice of Race of the Melges 24 European Sailing Series 2020 will apply.
- 1.4 The Equipment Rules of Sailing will apply.
- 1.5 If there is a conflict between languages the English text will take precedence.

2. [DP] ADVERTISING

- 2.1 Boats may be required to display advertising chosen and supplied by the organizing authority. If this rule is broken, World Sailing Regulation 20.9.2 applies.

3. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 3.1 The regatta is open to all boats of the Melges24 Class.
- 3.2 Eligibility, Entry and Scoring System of the European Sailing Series are described in its Notice of Race at <http://melges24.com/europeansailingseries>.
- 3.3 Each boat owner and helm shall be registered with their National Melges24 Class Association and all crew members shall be members of their Member National Authority or one of its affiliated organisations.
- 3.4 Eligible boats with competitors holding a license of the Hungarian Sailing Federation shall enter in the VIHAR system. All other eligible boats shall enter by completing the online entry form available at <https://byc.hu/regatta/melges24-ec/>.
- 3.5 The completed entry form and the entry fee shall be received no later than 9:00 17 April 2020.

4. CLASSIFICATION

- 4.1 For the Corinthian Division Regulation 22 (World Sailing Sailor Classification Code) will apply and each competitor shall hold a valid Group 1 classification.
- 4.2 Boats applying for classification in the Corinthian Division shall have only Group 1 sailors on board. Crew list with their World Sailing Sailor ID shall be submitted by the end of registration.

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5. ENTRY FEE

5.1 Entry fees are as follows:

Type of entry fee	Payment made before	Entry fee
Early entry fee	1 April 2020	300 EUR
Standard entry fee	17 April 2020	350 EUR

5.2 Entry fee includes launching, hauling-out and berthing for a boat, parking for a trailer and one car as provided by the Balatonfüredi Yacht Club and attendance at social functions.

5.3 Entry fees shall be paid by bank transfer to the following account in EUR currency:

Account holder: Balatonfüredi Yacht Club
Account number: HU72 11763361-37893884
Name of bank: OTP Bank
Address of bank: 8000 Székesfehérvár, Ősz utca 13.
SWIFT/BIC: OTPVHUB

5.4 Entry fees may also be paid by cash or credit/debit cards during registration.

6. SCHEDULE

6.1 The schedule of the event is as follows:

Date	Time	Activity
16 April 2020	15:00-21:00	Registration, weighing and equipment inspection
17 April 2020	7:00-9:00 9:00 11:00	Registration, weighing and equipment inspection Competitors' briefing First warning signal (3 races scheduled)
18 April 2020	TBA	Racing (3 races scheduled)
19 April 2020	TBA 15:00 after racing	Racing (3 races scheduled) No warning signal made after Prize giving function

6.2 A total of nine races are scheduled.

7. EQUIPMENT AND WEIGHING

7.1 Each boat shall produce a valid measurement certificate at registration.

7.2 Each crew member shall be weighed before 9:00 on 17 April 2020.

7.3 All boats are required to comply with RRS 78.1 from 10:00 on 17 April 2020 onwards. Non-compliance from 10:00 on 17 April 2020 until the start of the first race shall be reported, protested and penalized as if it were discovered after racing on the first day on which races for that boat have been completed.

7.4 Penalties for breaches of class rules may, at the discretion of the protest committee be less than disqualification.

8. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

8.1 Copies of the sailing instructions will be available at the race office during registration. The electronic version of the sailing instructions will be available no later than the start of the registration at <https://byc.hu/regatta/melges24-ec/>.

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9. VENUE

- 9.1 A regatta centre will be in the harbour of the Balatonfüredi Yacht Club. The address of the harbour: 8230 Balatonfüred, Zákonyi Ferenc u. 2.
- 9.2 The racing areas will be the waters among Balatonfüred, Alsóörs, Siófok, Zamárdi and Tihany, as shown in Addendum 2.

10. THE COURSE

- 10.1 Windward-leeward courses will be sailed. An offset mark and a leeward gate may be used.

11. PENALTY SYSTEM

- 11.1 The first two sentences of RRS 44.1 are changed to read: A boat may take a One-Turn Penalty when she may have broken a rule of RRS Part 2 or RRS 31 or Class rule C11 while racing.
- 11.2 In RRS 44.2 insert after the first sentence: However, if Mark 1a is set, unless the course is shortened to finish at the windward mark, a boat may delay taking a penalty for an incident in the zone around Mark 1 or on the leg between Mark 1 and Mark 1a, until she has passed Mark 1a.
- 11.3 RRS Appendix P (Special Procedures for rule 42) will apply. RRS P2.3 will not apply and RRS P2.2 is changed so that it will apply to any penalty after the first one. The penalty under RRS P2.1 is changed to be a One-Turn Penalty. This changes RRS Appendix P.

12. SCORING

- 12.1 Two races are required to be completed to constitute a series.
- 12.2 (a) When fewer than five races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores.
- (b) When five or more races have been completed, a boat's score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score.

13. BERTHING AND LAUNCHING

- 13.1 **[DP]** All boats shall be afloat by 10:00 on 17 April 2020.
- 13.2 **[DP]** Boats shall be kept in their assigned berth in the harbour. Fenders and mooring lines will be required.
- 13.3 Crane will be available from 10:00 on 16 April 2020.

14. [DP] HAUL-OUT RESTRICTIONS

- 14.1 Boats shall not be hauled out during the regatta except with and according to the terms of prior written permission of the race committee.

15. [DP] DIVING EQUIPMENT AND PLASTIC POOLS

- 15.1 Underwater breathing apparatus (excluding snorkel and mask) and plastic pools or their equivalent shall not be used around boats between the preparatory signal of the first race and the end of the regatta.

16. RADIO COMMUNICATIONS

- 16.1 **[DP]** Except in an emergency or when using equipment provided by the organizing authority, a boat shall not make voice or data transmissions and shall not receive voice or data communication that is not available to all boats.

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16.2 During the starting procedure, in addition to sound and flag signals, the race committee may use VHF to call out OCS sail numbers or bow numbers. The use of VHF radio communication or failure to do so, by the Race Committee shall not be considered grounds for protest or request for redress.

17. PRIZES

17.1 The following prizes will be awarded:

- (a) top three boats overall,
- (b) top three boats in the Corinthian Division,
- (c) first Hungarian crew (all competitors on the boat shall be Hungarian citizens).

18. DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

18.1 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.

19. INSURANCE

19.1 Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum cover of 1.000.000 EUR per incident or the equivalent.

20. MEDIA RIGHTS

20.1 By entering the event competitors automatically grant to the organizing authority and their sponsors the right in perpetuity to make, use and show, from time to time at their discretion, any motion pictures and live, taped or filmed television and other reproductions of the athlete during the period of the competition without compensation.

21. FURTHER INFORMATION

21.1 For further information please contact the organizing authority:

Balatonfüredi Yacht Club
8230 Balatonfüred, Zákonyi Ferenc u. 2.
E-mail: byc@byc.hu
Website: www.byc.hu

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ADDENDUM 1
PRESCRIPTIONS OF THE HUNGARIAN SAILING FEDERATION
TO THE RACING RULES OF SAILING 2017-2020

Add to rules 61.2, 62.2, and 66:

No fees shall be charged for protests or requests for redress or reopening.

Add to rule 67, Damages:

- (a) Any issue of liability or claim for damages arising from an incident while a boat is bound by *The Racing Rules of Sailing* shall be subject to the jurisdiction of the courts and not considered by a protest committee.
- (b) A boat that takes a penalty or retires does not thereby admit liability for damages or that she has broken a rule.

Add to rule 70.5(a):

The approval of the Hungarian Yachting Association is required to deny the right to appeal under rule 70.5(a). The request for approval shall be received by the national authority no later than 8 weeks before the first day of racing. Notice of the approval shall be posted on the official notice board.

Add to rule 88.2, Changes to Prescriptions:

Notices of race and sailing instructions shall not change a prescription of the Hungarian Yachting Association.

Add to Appendix R - Procedures for Appeals and Requests:

Appeals and requests shall be sent to the Secretariat of the Hungarian Yachting Association either by post or by email.

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ADDENDUM 2 – RACING AREA



Area Centre	Radius
N 46° 55.593' E 17° 55.945'	2.7 km