

2010
INTERNATIONAL 420 CLASS WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP
INTERNATIONAL 420 CLASS LADIES WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP

HAIFA SAILING CLUB, HAIFA – ISRAEL
22-31 JULY 2010

FINAL NOTICE OF RACE
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1. THE EVENT

The 2010 International **420 World Championship** and **International 420 Ladies World Championship** will be held at **Haifa , ISRAEL** from the **22-31 July 2010**

The races will be sailed at **Haifa Bay**. (See Appendix **A**)

2. ORGANISING COMMITTEE

The championship is organised by Haifa Municipality, Haifa Sailing Club and the Israeli Yachting Federation, in conjunction with the International 420 Class Association.

3. RULES

The regatta will be governed by:

- The “Rules” as defined in the **ISAF** Racing Rules of Sailing.
- The **ISAF** Equipment Racing Rules of Sailing.
- The Measurement Instructions.

If there is conflict between languages the English text will take precedence.

4. ADVERTISING AND BOW NUMBER

Advertising at the World Championship and Ladies World Championship will be in accordance with **ISAF** Regulation 20.

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

- A bow number (See Class Rule **C.3**).
- Advertising of the event sponsor.

5. EVENTS FORMAT

5.1. WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP

The World Championship shall be competed with:

- Qualifying series to divide the fleet into **two** fleets (**Gold** and **Silver**).
- Final series in **two** separate fleets (**Gold** and **Silver**).

5.2. LADIES WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP

The Ladies World Championship shall be competed with:

- Qualifying series to divide the fleet into **two** fleets (**Gold** and **Silver**).
- Final series in **two** separate fleets (**Gold** and **Silver**).

If there are fewer than 60 entries, then the Championship will be competed in one separated fleet with 12 final races.

For 60 to 66 entries, it is up to the Organize Comm. to make the decision about the format.

With 67 entries and above, the format will be as 5.1, 5.2 (qualifying/ finals).

6. EVENTS SCHEDULE

Day 1 July 22 nd	Registration and measurement inspections	0900-1800
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Day 2 July 23 rd	Registration and measurement inspections	0900-1800
Day 3 July 24 th	Registration and measurement inspections	0900-1600
Day 3 July 24 th	Practice Race: warning signal	1500
Day 4 July 25 th	Qualifying series	1200
Day 5 July 26 th	Qualifying series	1200
Day 6 July 27 th	Lay day	
Day 7 July 28 th	Qualifying/Final series	1200
Day 8 July 29 th	Qualifying/Final series	1200
Day 9 July 30 th	Qualifying/Final series	1200
Day 10 July 31 st	Qualifying/Final series Prize Giving and Closing Ceremony.	1200 2000

7. ELIGIBILITY

The championships are only open to International **420** dinghies.

The **ISAF** competitors eligibility code (**ISAF Regulation 19**) shall apply. Each competitor shall be a member of his National Class Association and, if relevant, of his National Authority. Each competitor shall be entered by his National **420** Class Association or by his Federation/National Authority if such an Association does not exist.

8. ENTRIES AND RESTRICTIONS

8.1. WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP

Entries for the World Championship shall be limited in accordance with the International **420** Class Association Guidelines: **7** boats for each country and **14** boats for the host country in the championship.

Each entitled crew of the International **420** World Championship will be authorised to defend his title in addition to the teams defined above. This shall apply only if the crew is still the same (crew and helmsman).

Only men and mixed crews are authorised to enter the World Championship

8.2. LADIES WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP

Entries for the Ladies World Championship shall be limited in accordance with the International **420** Class Association Guidelines: **7** boats for each country and **14** boats for the host country in the championship.

Each entitled crew of the International **420** Ladies World Championship is authorised to defend her title in addition to the teams defined above. This shall apply only if the crew is still the same (crew and helmsman).

Only ladies crews are authorised to enter the Ladies World Championship.

9. REGISTRATION

All entries shall be made on-line at the International 420 Class Website before 21th June 2010:

www.420sailing.org

Please ensure that the on-line entry form is printed, the required signatures obtained and the form brought to registration.

Entry fee per boat : **250.00 EUROS.**

Entry fees shall be paid in EUROS by bank transfer to:

International 420 Class Association
Account No : 210 - 0467 - 180 - 80
Fortis Banque, Agence du Fort Jaco,
Chaussee de Waterloo 1341 A , 1180 Bruxelles, BELGIUM
IBAN : BE47 2100 4671 8080
SWIFT CODE (BIC) : GEBABEBB

before 21st. June 2010

ALL BANK TRANSFERS SHOULD BE CLEARLY ANNOTATED WITH THE NAME OF THE COUNTRY, THE EVENT AND THE SAIL NUMBERS AND/OR NAMES OF THE COMPETITORS.

Each entry and fee not received by the 21st June 2010 may not be accepted and shall be subject to a supplementary fee of 50 EURO.

Coach fee: 50 EURO shall be paid at registration.

10. DISCLAIMER

Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See rule 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. MEASUREMENT / INSPECTION

All boats shall be inspected before racing in the days specified in this notice of race.

Each boat shall have a valid Measurement certificate, which must be produced at registration. Only original or certified true copies of the certificates shall be accepted. Event charter boats are excluded from this obligation, but they must be accompanied by original or certified true copies of their measurement form.

Sails shall be certified and marked by an official measurer before being present for inspection. No sail shall be accepted for inspection if it is not certified according to the class rules, and no member of the event measurement team shall certify sails during measurement.

Random checks may be made at any time during the championships

12. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS and MEASUREMENT INSTRUCTIONS

The Sailing Instructions will be available at the race office for each competitor and Team Leader after the final country's final registration has been completed, The Measurement Instructions will be available for each competitor and Team Leader at the race office at registration.

13. LADIES CREWS IDENTIFICATION

Each ladies crew shall have a square **25 cm** red diamond mark on the head of the main sail for identification.

14. SAFETY REGULATIONS

Competitors shall wear a life-jacket or other adequate personal buoyancy at all time when afloat (See Class Rule **C.4**).

Wet suits and dry suits do not constitute adequate personal buoyancy.

15. COURSES

The format of the course shall be a trapezium.

The target time of a race shall be **50** minutes.

16. JURY, PROTESTS and PENALTIES FOR BREAKING RULES OF PART 2

An International Jury shall be appointed, in accordance to **RRS** Appendix **N**, and its decisions shall be final and not subject to appeal (**RRS 70.5**).

17. SCORING WORLD AND LADIES WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS :

The low point scoring system of **RRS** appendix **A** shall apply

17.1 WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP/LADIES WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP

1. Qualifying series :

- a.** There will be **6** qualifying series races with **one** discard.
- b.** The qualifying series results shall be converted to race scores. These race scores shall be treated in all aspects as a race score for the final series (race **Q**).
- c.** The result of each round in the qualifying series will be valid when all the boats complete this round.

2. Final series:

There will be **11** races plus the Qualifying series result (total 12 scores in the Results).

- a.** **Two (2)** final series (**3** results in the final series including the Race **Q**), are required to be completed to constitute a final series.
- b.** When **3** races have been completed in the final series, all Races in both the Qualifying and final series count towards a boat's score, excluding that boat's score.
- c.** When **4 to 7** final series races have been completed (**5-8**, including Race **Q**) a boat's score shall be the total of her race scores in the final series excluding her worst score.

- d. When **8** or more final series races have been completed (**9-12**, including Race **Q**) a boat's scores shall be the total of her race scores in the final series excluding her two worst scores.

No more than **three** races can be competed each day.

17.2 In the event of fewer than less than 66 entries, the Championship will be competed in one separated fleet as follows:

- a. The number of races will be **12**.
- b. A minimum of **5** races completed is required to award the Championship.
- c. If **5** to **8** races are sailed, there will be **one** discard.
- d. If **9** to **12** races are sailed there will be **two** discards.

18. PRIZES

The first **three** crews in the **Gold** and **Silver** Fleets shall be given a trophy.

The first **three** crews in the **World** and the **Ladies World** Championships shall receive a Gold, Silver and Bronze medal.

The first **junior** crew in the **World** and **Ladies World** Championships shall receive a medal.

At least, the first 20% of crews in the **Gold** ranking lists shall be given a souvenir of the event.

The prizes are given to both members of a crew.

19. TITLES

The title of **International 420 Class World Champion** will be awarded to the first team in the ranking list of the World Championship.

The title of **International 420 Class Ladies World Champion** will be awarded to the first team in the ranking list of the Ladies World Championship.

The title of **International 420 Class Junior World Champion** will be awarded to the first junior team in the ranking list of the World Championship.

The title of **International 420 Class Junior Ladies World Champion** will be awarded to the first junior ladies team in the ranking list of the Ladies World Championship.

A junior team is defined as a crew with his or her 19th birthday on or before 31.12.2010 (i.e. born after 31st. December 1991) for both members of the crew.

20. ANTHEM

For the prize giving ceremony, each team is leader required to bring his national anthem (short version) on compact disc (CD).

21. SUPPORT BOATS

Each coach boat of a national team shall fly a **20 x 30 cm** flag displaying their national letters (according to **ISAF RRS**) black on white.

22. INSURANCE

Each competitor shall produce on registration, an evidence of valid third party insurance with a minimum cover of **500.000** EURO or the equivalent in other currencies.

Each participant warrants the suitability of his or her boat for the event.

24. RIGHTS TO USE NAMES & LIKENESSES

Competitors automatically grant to the organizing authority, without payment, the right in perpetuity to make, use and show any motion pictures, still pictures and live, taped or filmed television of, or relating to, the event.

GENERAL INFORMATION

1. Charter Boats

The official supplier will be: **Sport-Sail Center (Blueblue)**.

As boats have to be shipped to Israel the order dead line: 1.04.2010.

Please contact as soon as possible to centrum-baranowski@wp.pl or office@blueblue.pl. Contact person: **Lukas Formella**

See more details about the boat at: www.blueblue.pl

2. Logistic

The official logistic operator will be: Orian LTD, Partner of the DB SCHANKER Network.

Contact person: Elda Hehle
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3. Weather information : Summer weather conditions

Weather conditions during event period: Sunny

Wind speed during event period: 8-20 Kn.

Wind direction during event period: SW to NW

See more details at: [weather page](#)

4. Racing area :

Tide: No

Currents: No

Depth: 20-30 m .

5. Accommodation :

The official Tour Operator is: Progress Tour,
Contact person: **Nina Locker**

6. General Information

Please see the event website: www.haifa420-worlds2010.com

8. Organising committee

Name of the contact of the organising committee: **Sharon Feintouch - Boneh**

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Appendix A

RACING AREA

map of location of the racing

