

# INTERNATIONAL 420 CLASS

The International Two Person Dinghy for young sailors



International 420 Class Association

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# KEY VALUES AND BENEFITS



- World Sailing International Class
- World Sailing Recognised “Learn to Sail” boat

- World’s most popular youth two-person spinnaker dinghy

- Excellent development and promotion programmes
- Specific training tools and resources for sailors and coaches
- The world’s best 420 coaches run our clinics, seminars and training programmes

- Leadership from a well organised International Class Association
- Established National Class Associations in more than 50 nations



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# KEY VALUES AND BENEFITS



• Equal opportunity to compete at 420 Championships for girls and boys crews and mixed crews

• Many nations use the International 420 at colleges and universities to train students  
• International 420 is selected as the youth and pathway class in many nations around the world

• Many of the world's best sailors have sailed the International 420. It is a proven transition class, providing sailors with excellent skills in strategy, tactics, boat handling, tuning and technique



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# KEY VALUES AND BENEFITS



• Selected as a class at the majority of Regional Games

• Selected as the two-person dinghy event for the World Sailing Youth Championships

• Well structured competition all over the globe, with World, European, Junior European, Team Racing and Continental Championships  
• Charter boats supplied at 420 Class Championships



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# KEY VALUES AND BENEFITS



• More than 56,000 boats built so far, spread in over 56 nations around the world

• Hull, sails, foils and rigging are made with high quality materials to achieve the best performance and speed, are durable and able to sail in very strong winds

• The International 420 Class Association has excellent relationships with 420 builders who support the supply of fleets of 420s at attractive prices



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# LET'S TAKE A LOOK



**Global Spread**



**Accessible**



**Pathway**



**Development**



**Competition**



**Transition Track Record**



**Fun**



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# Global Spread > 56 Nations

## NORTH AMERICA + EUROPE

### CARIBBEAN

Bahamas  
Bermuda  
Canada  
Mexico  
Puerto Rico  
St Lucia  
US Virgin Islands  
USA

Austria	Finland	Italy	Slovenia
Belarus	France	Latvia	Spain
Belgium	Germany	Netherlands	Sweden
Bulgaria	Great Britain	Poland	Switzerland
Croatia	Greece	Portugal	Turkey
Cyprus	Hungary	Romania	
Czech	Ireland	Russia	
Denmark	Israel	Slovakia	

### ASIA

China	Philippines
Bahrain	Malaysia
Hong Kong	Myanmar
India	Philippines
Indonesia	Qatar
Japan	Singapore
Korea	Thailand

### SOUTH AMERICA

Argentina  
Brazil  
Chile  
Colombia  
Ecuador  
Peru  
Uruguay

### AFRICA

Algeria  
Angola  
South Africa  
Mozambique

### OCEANIA

Australia  
New Zealand



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# • Accessible



## Affordable

Average Cost  
EUR5,500  
ready to sail



## ISAF

Recognized  
Learn to Sail  
Training Boat



## Builders

>11 builders  
across all  
continents



## Suppliers

Equipment  
available all  
over the world

**Over 56,000 420s have been built ...**



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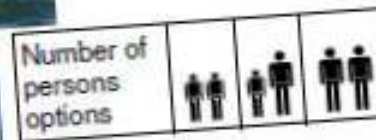
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# ISAF Learn to Sail Recommended Boat International 420



The International 420 is a suitable size for two youth sailors and a good two person intermediate youth learning boat.



key: adult youth



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# • Pathway



## **Established**

Performance  
Two-Person  
Spinnaker  
Racing Dinghy  
for youth



## **Selected**

Youth  
development  
class in over 45  
nations around  
world



## **Skills**

Perfect boat for  
strategy, tactics  
boat handling,  
tuning +  
technique



## **Accessible**

Requires skills  
easily obtained  
by sailors in  
developing  
nations



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# • Development



## Coaching

Europe, South  
America,  
Africa, Asia



## Clinics

All over the  
world – all  
levels



## Video

420 to the Max  
online video  
>250,000 views



## 420 E-Book

420 How To of  
Performance  
Exercises



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# • **Competition**



**Worlds,  
Europeans,  
Junior  
Europeans**



**World  
Youths**



**Regional  
Games**



**National  
Events**



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# • Transition Track Record



## **Transition**

Ideal transition  
class whatever  
your next step  
in sailing ...



**Dinghy or  
Multihull ...**



**Keelboat  
or Skiff ...**



**World  
Youths**



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# Transition Pathway



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## **Asenathi Jim/Roger Hudson (RSA)**

5<sup>th</sup> - 2010 420 Worlds, 2012, 2016 Olympics in 470 Class



## **Luke Patience (GBR)**

Silver Medal – 2012 Olympics, World Cup winner, World Champion medallist



## **Introducing some former 420 Sailors ...**



## **Mat Belcher (AUS)**

Gold Medal - 2012 Olympics, Silver Medal 2016 Olympics  
2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015 470 World Champions



## **Jo Aleh/Olivia Powrie (NZL)**

Gold Medal - 2012 Olympics, Silver Medal – 2016 Olympics



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**Paul Campbell-James (GBR) – skipper on Extreme Sailing Series Muscat The Wave and winner of overall series of Extreme 40 in 2012. Crew on Luna Rossa America's Cup and Land Rover Ben Ainslie Racing America's Cup campaigns**



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**Hannah Mills/Saskia Clark (GBR)**  
**Silver Medal - 2012 Olympics, Gold Medal – 2016 Olympics**



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**Peter Burling (NZL), 49er helm: Gold - 2016 Olympics**  
**Nathan Outteridge (AUS), 49er helm: Silver - 2016 Olympics**  
**Erik Heil (GER), 49er helm: Bronze - 2016 Olympics**



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**Helena Lucas (GBR) - 2.4mR Helm**  
**Gold Medal - 2012 Paralympics**  
**Bronze Medal - 2016 Paralympics**



**Tara Pacheco (ESP), 2012 470 World Champion, .Nacra 17 crew**



**Lucas Calabrese (ARG), 470 Helm**  
**Bronze Medal - 2012 Olympics**



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**Simon Sivitz Kosuta/Jas Farneti (ITA)**  
**470 Junior World and Junior European Champions in 2012**



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**Taylor Canfield (ISV) – World #1 ranked Match Racing skipper, winner of numerous match racing events, tour card holder on World Match Racing Tour, 2<sup>nd</sup> in 2015, 2<sup>nd</sup> in 2014, 1<sup>st</sup> in 2013**



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- **Fun**



**Most**



**Importantly**



**420**



**Sailors**

**HAVE FUN ...**



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