



Regina Maria - Lufthansa



Regatta

PRELIMINARY NOTICE of RACE

27 – 29 JUNE 2014

**PORT TOMIS – MANGALIA – LifeHarbour
LIMANU**

organized by

Royal Romanian Yacht Club



and



LifeHarbour
MARINA & RESORT

ROYAL ROMANIAN YACHT CLUB (YCRR) in association with LIFE HARBOUR and other local organizations, inviting you all to take part in the **REGINA MARIA - LUFTHANSA REGATTA** to be held in Constanta – Mangalia /Romania between 27th and 29th of June 2014. The Regatta is part of **SAMSUNG ROMANIA CUP** www.romaniacup.ro

1. Rules

- 1.1. **REGINA MARIA-LUFTHANSA REGATTA** will be governed by the Rules as defined in the ISAF Racing Rules of Sailing (2013 – 2016);
- 1.2. Regulations for sail boats equipment ISAF 2013-2016;
- 1.3. Special rules ISAF for offshore race;
- 1.4. Regulations for preventing collisions at sea – COLREG;
- 1.5. Regulations ORC for measurement and rating;
- 1.6. RYF (FRY) national authority will not apply;
- 1.7. The Official Language of the Regatta is English and Romanian;

2. Eligibility

- 2.1. Regatta is open to all sailing boats, possessing a valid ORC rating certificate. Boats will be split in classes A and B, if minimum of 4 per each class. Class A for racers and B for cruisers and race boats under 25 feet.
- 2.2. The skipper must have valid appropriate Sailing License.

3. Advertising

Boats may be required to display advertising chosen and supplied by the Organizing Authority. All advertising materials should remain visible and posted according to Sailing Instructions, for the entire Regatta period.

3. Racing format

Regatta will have one offshore race FROM Constanta to Mangalia on Saturday the 28th of June 2014 and two inshore races in Mangalia on Sunday the 29th of June. Details on the course and mark coordinates will be announced through Sailing Instructions and at the Technical Meeting.

4. Entry Procedure

- 4.1. The entry form, completed in full, must be received by email (office@ycrr.ro, sergiu@ycrr.ro) until 26th of June 2014, 20:00. Entry application form must be accompanied by a copy of valid ORC rating certificate of the boat, (released by a competent authority) and relevant Skipper's License.
- 4.2. For the boats registered until 26th of June, 24:00 there is no entry fee;
- 4.3. Entries after the date above, can be made at Race Office, with an entry fee of 200 LEI/boat, but not later than 27th of June, 19:00 (7:00pm);
- 4.4. Each owner or skipper should personally register (perform the entry) at the Race Office latest on 27th of June at 19:00;
- 4.5. Following documents must be presented at the entry procedure:
 - 4.5.1 third party liability insurance of minimum 100.000 LEI;
 - 4.5.2. crew list filled in;
 - 4.5.3. skipper license;
 - 4.5.4. boat certificate;
 - 4.5.5. valid ORC rating certificate.

5. Venue

The „Regina Maria - Lufthansa Regatta” Race Office will be in Tomis Marina Management Building on Friday the 27th of June and Saturday in the morning (28th of June). After the first start on Saturday, the Race Office will be in Limanu, at LifeHarbour.

The regatta site is located at both locations: PORTUL TOMIS – Constanta;
and LifeHarbour – Limanu

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The intended course is:

Saturday the 28th of June, Tomis Harbor – Mangalia Harbor an offshore regatta

Sunday the 29th of June two inshore regattas in Mangalia Harbor perimeter. The course diagram and the coordinates of the buoys will be announced through sailing instructions.

6. Programme

27 June 2014	Friday		
	17,00 – 19,30	registration	Race Office Tomis Marina
	19,30	technical meeting	-
	19,50	Opening Ceremony	Tomis Port
		Cocktail welcome drink and snacks	
28 June 2014	Saturday		
	11:30	offshore race	first possible warning signal
	21:00	Party and Concert	LifeHarbour Limanu
29 June 2014	Sunday		
	11:30	two inshore race	first possible warning signal
	16:00	Closing and Prize Giving Ceremony	

7. Measurement

Each boat shall produce a valid ORC Measurement Certificate;

8. Sailing Instructions

Will be available upon Registration.

9. Scoring

9.1. The Low Point Scoring System of RRS Appendix A will apply.

9.2. Regatta is part of SAMSUNG ROMANIA CUP and final results will be part of the general scoring.

9.3. RRS 28.1, A4 and A 5 will be changed in the Sailing Instructions, so that boats identified as premature starters, will receive a scoring penalty, calculated as RRS 44.3c. However, other penalties described in the Sailing Instructions may apply.

10. Mooring and communications

10.1. All boats shall be placed at the assigned moorage in Tomis Marina and at LifeHarbour, free of charge;

10.2. Boats should not be lifted from the water during the regatta, unless there is a written consent from the race committee.

10.3. The official communication channel of the race will be announced through Sailing Instructions and at the technical meeting. Chanel VHF 16 is mandatory to be kept open at all times during the race;

10.4. During the regatta, no boat shall send or receive radio communications which are not available to all the boats involved in competition. This restriction applies to mobile phones also.

11. Prizes

11.1. Regina Maria - Lufthansa CUP 2013 will be awarded to the first place in each class.

11.2. Second and third place will receive medals.

12. Weather & Wind Conditions

Weather temperature and wind velocity will be posted on www.ycrr.ro with 3 days prior to the event.

13. Accommodation & Miscellaneous

For foreign teams accommodation is free of charge (for team of 6), provided that registration is made until 25.06.2014 latest.

14. Liability

14.1. Competitors are racing in the regatta at their own will and risk (see ISAF RCV 2013-2016, rule 4, decision to compete). Organizing authority, race committee, protest committee, their members or any other bodies or persons involved in organizing, conducting or judging the race, will accept no responsibility for material and personal injuries or death occurred in connection with/or, before, during or after the race (regatta).

14.2. Each boat owner or his representative accepts these terms by signing the entry form.

20.06.2014

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Secretary General – Sergiu TIMOFEI



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