



Santander Invitational Test Event

Semana Internacional de Vela

Ciudad de Santander

Real Club Marítimo de Santander
14th to 18th June 2021

49er



NOTICE OF RACE

The Organizing Authority is the Real Club Marítimo de Santander in conjunction with the Real Federación Española de Vela

[NP] denotes a rule that shall not be grounds for protests by a boat. This changes RRS 60.1(a).

[DP] denotes a rule for which the penalty is at the discretion of the Jury.

[SP] denotes a rule for which a standard penalty may be applied by the race committee without a hearing or a discretionary penalty applied by the Jury with a hearing

1. RULES

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in The Racing Rules of Sailing.
- 1.2 [DP] The Class Rules will apply except for any that are altered by the Notice of Race or the Sailing Instructions. The Class Race Management Guidelines will also apply, but a failure to follow these Guidelines is not on its own grounds for redress. This changes RRS 62.1(a).
- 1.3 No National Authority prescriptions will apply.

2. [DP] ADVERTISING

- 2.1 Boats may be required to display advertising chosen and supplied by the Organizing Authority.
- 2.2 For 49er - the bottom two panels of the jib area shall be restricted to Class and Event advertising and all competitors shall place class nominated branding on their jibs according to the World Sailing approved 49er Class jib advertising policy.

3. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 3.1 This event is invitational. Competitors shall comply with World Sailing Eligibility Code (Regulation 19).
- 3.2 For the 49er gender is Open.
- 3.3 Competitors can enter and pay the fee by visiting the [event web site](#).

4. FEES

Entry Fee for competitors: Euro 150 (until 10th June 2021),
Support Vessel Entry Fee: Euro 40

5. FORMAT OF RACING.

- 5.1 The Championships will consist of an Opening Series, composed by 12 races.

6. SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

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| 6.1 Day 1 - Monday 14 June | 0900 - 1000 | Registration 49er,
1200 Races 49er |
| Day 2 - Tuesday 15 June | 0900 - 1000 | Registration 470,
1200 Races 470 & 49er |
| Day 3 - Wednesday 16 June | 1200 | Races 470 & 49er |
| Day 4 - Thursday 17 June | 1200 | Races 470 & 49er |
| Day 5 - Friday 18 June | 1200 | Races 470 |

Prize Giving and Closing Ceremony to be confirm

- 6.3 On Thursday 17 for 49er and on Friday 18 for 470, there will be no warning signal after 16:00.

7. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

The Sailing Instructions will be available on the [event web site](#).

8. VENUE

The 2021 Invitational Test Event Semana Internacional de Vela Ciudad de Santander will be held at the CEAR de Vela Príncipe Felipe
For mailing/shipping: Calle Gamazo, C.P: 39004, Santander (Cantabria)

9. THE COURSES

Courses will be;
For 49er - windward/leeward.
For 470 - windward/leeward O2.

10. PENALTY SYSTEM

RRS 44.1 and RRS P2.1 are changed so that the Two-Turns penalty is replaced by a One-Turn penalty.

11. SCORING

- 11.1 The Low Points Scoring System of RRS Appendix A will apply to the Opening Series
- 11.2 At least 4 races are required to be completed to constitute the Championship.
- 11.3 Each Boat series score shall be:
 - a) If less of 5 races are complete the total of her race scores.
 - b) If 5 or more races are complete the total of her race scores excluding her worst score.

12. SUPPORT BOATS

- 12.1 Support vessel shall be registered with the Organizing Authority and will be required to comply with local legislation and the Class Support Boat Regulations which can be viewed on the Class website. Team leaders/coaches shall register at the [event web site](#).
- 12.2 All support boats shall clearly display the 3-letter national code of their WS Member National Authority at all times while afloat.
- 12.3 If called upon support boats will be required to act as rescue boats.

13. PRIZES

Prizes for the Championships will be announced and awarded at the end for the first three places overall.

14. RADIO COMMUNICATION

Except in an emergency a boat shall neither make nor receive radio transmissions, text messages or cellular phone calls while racing.

15. INSURANCE

Each participating boat shall have valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum cover of at least Euro 1.500.000 (or equivalent) per incident.

16. RISK STATEMENT

RRS 3 of the Racing Rules of Sailing states: “The responsibility for a boat’s decision to participate in a race or to continue racing is hers alone.”

Sailing is by its nature an unpredictable sport and therefore inherently involves an element of risk. By taking part in the event, each competitor agrees and acknowledges that:

- a) They are aware of the inherent element of risk involved in the sport and accept responsibility for the exposure of themselves, their crew and their boat to such inherent risk whilst taking part in the event;
- b) They are responsible for the safety of themselves, their crew, their boat and their other property whether afloat or ashore;
- c) They accept responsibility for any injury, damage or loss to the extent caused by their own actions or omission;
- d) Their boat is in good order, equipped to sail in the event and they are fit to participate;
- e) The provision of a race management team, patrol boats and other officials and volunteers by the event organiser does not relieve them of their own responsibilities;
- f) The provision of patrol boat cover is limited to such assistance, particularly in extreme weather conditions, as can be practically provided in the circumstances.

- g) It is their responsibility to familiarise themselves with any risks specific to this venue or this event drawn to their attention in any rules and information produced for the event and to attend any competitor briefing held for this event.

17. MEDIA RIGHTS, CAMERAS AND ELECTRONIC EQUIPMENT

Where consent for imagery has been given by a competitor participating in the Championship, competitors grant to the Organizing Authority, the International 49er and the Nacra 17 Class Associations 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 competition without compensation.

18. [DP] COVID-19 PROTOCOL

- 18.1 All competitors in this event must submit the whole COVID-19 form. This form is on event website.
- 18.2 All competitors are required to carry a negative PCR test before coming to Spain.
- 18.3 Given the situation because of COVID-19 pandemic, there will be no face-to face registration on this event.
- 18.4 Therefore, we request that you send by email to eventosrcms@gmail.com the following documents:
- Declaration of submission to the Specific Rules of the Pandemic
 - PCR results before entry in Spain
 - Completed “data protection” form.