

NOTICE OF RACE

OLYMPIC CLASSES

2023 SAILING WORLD CUP
52 TROFEO SAR PRINCESA SOFIA MALLORCA

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The **2023 Sailing World Cup 52 Trofeo SAR Princesa Sofia Mallorca** will be held in the Bay of Palma from **31st March to 8th April 2023**

The Organising Authority is **Comité Organizador del Trofeo SAR Princesa Sofia Mallorca** formed by CN Arenal, RCN Palma, CM San Antonio de la Playa, FBV and RFEV.

1. RULES

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in The Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS).
- 1.2 RRS Appendix P, Special Procedures for Rule 42, will apply.
- 1.3 [DP] The Equipment Rules of Sailing (ERS)
- 1.4 RRS 90.3(e) applies.
- 1.5 For the Medal Races and Windsurfing Medal Races World Sailing Appendix MR, Umpired Medal Racing, available on the World Sailing website on Oct. 2nd (<http://www.sailing.org>) will apply and take precedence over any conflicting instructions
- 1.6 For the Men's and Women's Kite events, RRS Appendix F applies.
- 1.7 For the Men's and Women's Windsurfing events, RRS Appendix B applies however RRS B5 61.1(a) and B8.A8 are deleted
- 1.8 In RRS 44.2 insert after the first sentence: "However, if Mark 1a is set, a boat may take a penalty for an incident in the zone around Mark 1 or on the leg between Mark 1 and Mark 1a, as soon as possible after leaving the zone around Mark 1a.:"
- 1.9 For the 49er, 49erFX and Nacra 17 Classes, "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"
- 1.10 The RFEV Prescriptions do not apply.
- 1.11 Decisions of the International Jury will be final as provided in RRS 70.5
- 1.12 In all rules governing this regatta:
 - Both 'athlete' and 'competitor' mean a person competing, or intending to compete, in the regatta.
 - [SP] denotes a rule for which a standard penalty may be applied by the Race Committee or Technical Committee without a hearing (this changes RRS A5.1); and
 - [NP] denotes a rules that shall not be grounds for protest by a boat and for which the International Jury may refuse to hold a hearing. This changes RRS 60.1(a) and 63.1.
- 1.13 For the Men's Skiff, Women's Skiff and Mixed Two Person Multihull, RRS 44.1 and RRS P2.1 are changed so that the Two-Turns Penalty is replaced by the One-Turn Penalty.

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

1.15 Only accredited persons will be allowed to enter the event area.

2. [DP] [NP] ADVERTISING AND IDENTIFICATION

2.1 When required by the organizing authority, boats shall display bow numbers, wear competitor bibs and display advertising chosen and supplied by the organizing authority

2.2 In accordance with World Sailing Regulation 20.4.3, from the second day of racing, competitors aboard the boats ranked first, second and third in the series at the beginning of that day, shall wear yellow, blue and red bibs respectively while racing. The bibs will be provided by the organizing authority.

2.3 [SP] Boats shall display national flags on mainsails as specified in their class rules. If the class rules do not include a specification for display of national flags, they shall be displayed in accordance with World Sailing specifications available www.trofeoprincesasofia.org

2.4 The OA may require boats to carry cameras, sound equipment as well as tracking and timing devices according to the SI.

2.5 The Organising Committee will set up a delivery point at each venue for the collection of sponsor stickers, bow numbers and any other items.

3. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

3.1 Competitors and support persons shall enter by completing the online entry form on the event website <http://www.trofeoprincesasofia.org> and paying the required fees.

3.2 Online entry period opens on **14 December 2022**. Entry in the event is not final until payment and registration has been completed.

3.3 Registration will be made online. The Organising Committee will contact all competitors and coaches and provide access to an online platform to upload all required documents to confirm the entry in the regatta. More information on the procedure will be provided as the regatta gets closer.

3.4 World Sailing Eligibility shall apply. Each athlete shall be registered as a World Sailing Sailor on the World Sailing website: <https://www.sailing.org/sailors/world-sailing-profile/> World Sailing sailor IDs for both Skipper and Crew will be required to complete the online entry.

3.5 Olympic gender requirements will apply for each Olympic event as per table 3.9

3.6 Competitors shall produce evidence of membership of the appropriate class as may be required by the Organising Authority.

3.7 Spanish competitors shall be holders of the 2023 RFEV Sport License

3.8 Competitors under 18 years of age shall provide a signed and completed parent (or guardian) consent and declaration form. The forms are available for download on the event website <http://www.trofeoprincesasofia.org>.

3.9 The regatta is open to the following:

Event	Equipment	Event Quota	Minimum Entries
Men's Dinghy	ILCA 7	180	20
Women's Dinghy	ILCA 6	120	20
Mixed Dinghy	470	100	20
Men's Skiff	49er	90	20
Women's Skiff	49er FX	60	10
Men's Windsurfing	iQFoil	120	20
Women's Windsurfing	iQFoil	100	20
Mixed Multihull	Nacra 17	40	15
Men's Kite	Formula Kite	100	15
Women's Kite	Formula Kite	75	15

3.10 The organising authority may cancel an event if the minimum number of entries has not been received by midnight (local time), 17 February 2023. Competitors will be notified of cancelled events by email and posting on the event website. The entry fees for cancelled events will be refunded.

3.11 Unless otherwise approved by the IOC or World Sailing in accordance with regulation 19.12, each competitor shall be a national of the country of the Member National Authority (MNA), which enters the boat. Each competitor shall present proof of his/her nationality or the approved waiver when requested.

3.12 On 1 March 2022, World Sailing published the following recommendations in reaction to the situation in Ukraine: <https://www.sailing.org/2022/03/01/world-sailing-statement-6/>. To help preserve the integrity and safety of the 52 Trofeo SAR Princesa Sofia Mallorca regatta, entries shall be open to competitors of all nationalities, but not to competitors holding only Russian or Belarussian nationality.

4. FEES

4.1 Fees are stated in Euros and include any local taxes. Entries received and paid by **6th March 2023** will qualify for the early Entry fee.

Class	Early Entry fee	Entry Fee
One Person Event	320 €	420 €
Two Person Event	420 €	520 €

4.2 If an entry is cancelled by the competitor, the entry fee will be refunded as follows:

Cancellation Date	Entry Fee Refund
On or before 6 th March 2023	100%
Between 7 th and 27 th March 2023	50%
After 27 th March 2023	0%

4.3 Coaches and support persons

Support vessels will be required to register for the SAR Trofeo Princesa Sofia, pay a fee, be insured and comply with local regulations to be permitted access to the venue and to use launching and berthing. Support persons also need to register and pay the fee to access the venue.

- 4.4 Registration will be completed on line through the event website <http://www.trofeoprincesasofia.org> .The organising authority may refuse registrations and accept later registrations at their sole discretion.

	Early Entry fee	Entry Fee
Support person and support vessel	100 €	150 €
Support person (with no vessel)	25€	50€

- 4.5 The early entry fee will apply for entries paid before or on 6th March 2023.

5. FORMAT

Formats adopted by World Sailing for the 2024 Olympic Competition will be used. These formats will be published as an Appendix to the Sailing Instructions.

6. SCHEDULE

- 6.1 The first briefing for coaches and team leaders is scheduled for 18:00h on Sunday, 2nd April 2023.
- 6.2 The schedule of races including Medal races and Medal series, if any, and dates of racing is as follows:

Event	Racing Dates	Number of Races
Men's Dinghy	3 rd – 8 th April	10 + Medal Race
Women's Dinghy	3 rd – 8 th April	10 + Medal Race
Mixed Dinghy	3 rd – 8 th April	10 + Medal Race
Men's Skiff	4 th – 8 th April	12 + Medal Race
Women's Skiff	4 th – 8 th April	12 + Medal Race
Men's Windsurfing	3 rd – 8 th April	18 + 1 Marathon Race + 1 day of Medal series
Women's Windsurfing	3 rd – 8 th April	18 + 1 Marathon Race + 1 day of Medal series
Mixed Multihull	4 th – 8 th April	12 + Medal Race
Men's Kite	4 th – 8 th April	16 + Medal Series
Women's Kite	4 th – 8 th April	16 + Medal Series

- 6.3 On the last day of racing, no warning signal will be made after 16:00 h.
- 6.4 The provisional race schedule, including the time the first warning signals and assignments of events to race areas will be posted no later than 1600h on April 2nd 2023.
- 6.5 From 4 to 8 April 2023 there will be a daily team leader meeting at 09.15 at each venue

7. [DP]EQUIPMENT INSPECTION

- 7.1 Competitors shall provide copies of any measurement certificates required by class rules in accordance with RRS 78.2.
- 7.2 This event is an international event for the purposes of RRS G1.
- 7.3 The equipment limitations as specified in the class rules shall apply
- 7.4 Boats shall be available for inspection from 10.00h on the day before the first scheduled race (Day zero).

8. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

Sailing instructions will be available beginning Monday 27th March 2023 on the event website. Other documents governing the event will be published with the sailing instructions.

9. VENUE

- 9.1 The regatta venues will be Club Nàutic s'Arenal, Club Marítimo San Antonio de la Playa and Playa de Palma Beach.

Events will be hosted at the following venues:

Event	Class	Venue
Men's Dinghy	ILCA 7	Club Marítimo San Antonio de la Playa
Women's Dinghy	ILCA 6	Club Marítimo San Antonio de la Playa
Mixed Dinghy	470	Club Nàutic S'Arenal (Beach)
Men's Skiff	49er	Club Nàutic S'Arenal (Beach)
Women's Skiff	49er FX	Club Nàutic S'Arenal (Beach)
Men's Windsurfing	IQFOil	Club Marítimo San Antonio de la Playa (Beach)
Women's Windsurfing	IQFOil	Club Marítimo San Antonio de la Playa (Beach)
Mixed Multihull	Nacra 17	Club Nàutic S'Arenal (Beach)
Men's Kite	Formula Kite	Playa de Palma beach – Balneario 14 (next to Hotel Fontanellas)
Women's Kite	Formula Kite	Playa de Palma beach – Balneario 14 (next to Hotel Fontanellas)

- 9.2 The racing area will be in Palma Bay, Mallorca, Illes Balears, Spain.

10. THE COURSES

The courses will be described in the Sailing Instructions.

11. SCORING

- 11.1 At least 3 races are required to be completed to constitute a series
- 11.2 The scoring system for all events will be included and defined in the SIs

12. [NP][DP]SUPPORT TEAM (INCLUDING SUPPORT TEAM VESSELS)

- 12.1 All support team vessels shall be registered with the organizing authority and will be required to comply with local legislation and event support vessel regulations. The organizing authority may refuse registrations and accept later registrations at their sole discretion.
- 12.2 All support team and coach vessels shall only use the mooring or berthing places assigned by the organisation in the different venues.
- 12.3 All support team vessels shall clearly display the 3 letter national code of their World Sailing Member National Authority at all times while afloat. The minimum height for the letters shall be 200 mm. and visible from both sides of the vessel.

Coaches will also be provided with a sticker with a number by the Organisation to be displayed at all times.

- 12.4 Support team vessels with team leaders, coaches and other support team personnel shall stay outside areas where boats are racing from the time of the starting sequence until all boats have finished or the race committee signals a postponement, general recall or abandonment.

13. [NP][DP] BERTHING

Boats ashore shall be kept in their assigned places in the Boat Park or harbour, except for Formula Kite Class.

14. COMMUNICATIONS

- 14.1 The online official notice board online only and located at www.trofeoprincesasofia.org
- 14.2 Communications with Competitors: The event will use the event APP for communications purposes as much as possible. The event APP will be available for download on APP store/Google Play. Links and QR code for download will also be available on the event website.
- 14.3 [DP] All support vessels shall carry a VHF radio capable of communicating on international channels.
- 14.4 On the water, the race committee will make courtesy broadcasts to competitors on VHF radio. The channel will be stated in the SIs.
- 14.5 Except in an emergency, a boat shall neither make nor receive radio transmissions, text messages or cellular phone calls while racing except in an emergency or when using equipment provided by the race committee.

15. PRIZES

- 15.1 Medals will be awarded to the top 3 boats in each event. The Organising Authority may alter prizes if less than 10 boats are entered in an event.
- 15.2 The Trofeo SAR Princesa Sofia Absolute Winner Trophy will also be awarded.

The rules for the absolute winner of the Trofeo SAR Princesa Sofia will be published in the Sailing Instructions.

16. INSURANCE

- 16.1 Each participating crew shall hold a valid insurance certificate showing proof of third-party liability coverage of at least 1.500.000 Euros (or equivalent) per incident.
- 16.2 All coaches and team leaders shall present the support vessel insurance. Spanish coaches must also present a valid 2023 Technical Licence (RFEV).
- 16.3 The Organising Authority is not responsible for verifying the status or validity of certificates.

17. RISK STATEMENT

Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See rule 3, Decision to Race.

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

- 17.1 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;
- 17.2 They are responsible for the safety of themselves, their crew, their boat and their other property whether afloat or ashore;
- 17.3 They accept responsibility for any injury, damage or loss to the extent caused by their own actions or omissions;
- 17.4 By participating in any race, they are satisfied that their boat is in good order, equipped to sail in the event and they are fit to participate;
- 17.5 The provision of a race management team, patrol vessels, umpires and other officials and volunteers by the organiser does not relieve them of their own responsibilities;
- 17.6 The provision of patrol vessel cover is limited to such assistance, particularly in extreme weather conditions, as can be practically provided in the circumstances.

The organizing authority not will accept any liability for material damage or personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with or prior to, during, or after the regatta.

18. [DP] MEDIA RIGHTS, CAMERAS AND ELECTRONIC EQUIPMENT

- 18.1 All competitors, boat owners, helmsmen/women, crew members and support personnel taking part in the regatta or being on board participating boats, and as mandatory requirement for the correct entry, grant the organising authority with no cost whatsoever, the regatta image rights and consent to the use of their name, voice, photographs, videos, biography information, as well as the representation of boats, in any digital, written or internet media with the purpose of advertising, promoting, making a documentary and any other kind of communication related to the referred regatta.
- 18.2 By participating in the Trofeo SAR Princesa Sofia Mallorca competitors accept to receive event information from the event Organising Authorities
- 18.4 The top three competitors as well as the individual race winners may be required to attend a media press conference each day.

18.5 Competitors may be required for interviews at the regatta.

19. [DP] CODE OF CONDUCT

- 19.1 Competitors and support persons shall comply with any reasonable request from an event official. Failure to comply may be misconduct.
- 19.2 Competitors shall handle any boats or equipment provided by the organizing authority with proper care and seamanship, and in compliance with any written instructions.
- 19.3 Boats not racing shall avoid the area where boats are racing and any official vessels.
- 19.4 Boats that are on a race area to which they are not assigned shall avoid the area where boats are racing and any official vessel

20. DATA PROTECTION

Participants accept that their personal data and images made during the event in which their personal image and other personal data appears, can be communicated to the media and sponsors for the event promotion and can also be used by the responsible entity for the promotion of other regattas, through any communication media.

The owners of the data can exercise their rights of access, amendment, cancellation and opposition filling out a request form created for such purpose, accompanied by Id card or passport, addressed to Club Marítimo San Antonio de la Playa, Calle Virgilio, 27 · Ca'n Pastilla · 07610 Palma de Mallorca Illes Balears

21. FURTHER INFORMATION

For further information please contact:

E-mail: info@trofeoprincesasofia.org

Web: <http://www.trofeoprincesasofia.org>

22. AMENDMENTS

Any amendment to this Notice of Race will posted on the event website <http://www.trofeoprincesasofia.org>

NoR ADDENDUM A (It is not part of the NoR)

General Information

A1. Accommodation

Information on accommodation will be published on the regatta website. Special rates will be offered to all participating teams

A2. Transport

A.2.1 All participants will have substantial discounts on ferry transport TRASMED to Palma and back to Barcelona or Valencia, according to the ferry schedules and rates established

A.2.2 For the discount rate, only the booking request forms available on the event website will be used and sent via email to TRASMED, Palma de Mallorca.

A.3 Training

A.3.1 Crews wishing to travel before the dates of the regatta for training purposes must request so in writing to their corresponding Club. The Club will inform them of the costs involved and will confirm the authorisation for training.

Club Nàutic s'Arenal	Tel. +34 971 440142 regata@cnarenal.com
Club Marítimo San Antonio de la Playa	Tel. +34 971 745076 cmsap@cmsap.com

A.4 COVID CERTIFICATES AND TESTS

Please refer to the regulations and requirement of the European Union and the Spanish Health Authorities.

<https://www.msbs.gob.es/en/profesionales/saludPublica/ccayes/alertasActual/nCov/spt h.htm>