



# WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP SHARK24 2022

September 13<sup>th</sup> – September 17<sup>th</sup> 2022

Yacht Club Bregenz (YCB)

Lake Constance Bregenz / Austria

## NOTICE OF RACE

OeSV EDV No. xxx

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### 1 Rules

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in The Racing Rules of Sailing (2021-2024).
- 1.2 Additional rules:
  - a) The prescriptions of the Austrian Sailing Federation (OeSV) will apply,
  - b) Sailing Instructions of the Austrian Sailing Federation 2022 will apply,
  - d) Additional Sailing Instructions from the YCB will apply and
  - e) The ISCA Championship Rules, General Class Rules & Specifications shall be in effect.
- 1.3 The anti-doping rules of World Sailing and the anti-doping rules of the Austrian Bundessportorganisation shall apply. For doping suspended or blocked athletes and caregivers are not admitted to participate at the regatta.
- 1.4 There is no obligation to carry along an outboard motor. This changes item no. 9.4 of the general class rules of ISCA.

### 2 Advertising

Boats may be required to display advertising chosen and supplied by the organizing authority. [DP]

### 3 Eligibility and Entry

- 3.1 The regatta is open to all boats of the Shark24 Class with a valid measurement certificate and which will be insured with valid third-party liability insurance.
- 3.2 Each crew member shall be a member of a club affiliated to a national authority of World Sailing.
- 3.3 All skippers must own at least one of the following licenses: BFA Junior, BFA Binnen, BFA FB 1 or an corresponding licence of an international organisation.
- 3.4 Eligible boats may enter by completing the online form under [www.ycb.at](http://www.ycb.at) – Shark24WM until entry closing. Entry closing is on Sunday August 21<sup>th</sup> 2022.
- 3.5 A limited number of loaner boats will be available (first come, first serve). Interested participants for these boats have to enter latest until April 1<sup>th</sup> 2022. Interested participants

for these boats from overseas have to pay the fee until April 1<sup>th</sup> 2022. An insurance deposit of € 200 at registration is required. Coordinator for these boats and contact person for participants from overseas is Heiner Schuch (E-Mail [heinrich.schuch@aon.at](mailto:heinrich.schuch@aon.at), Mobil No. +43 664 2436736).

**3.6** Late entries will be accepted under the following conditions: Additional fee of € 30,- until end of registration.

**3.7** The following restrictions on the number of boats apply: Minimum 20 boats until entry closing.

**3.8** A Boat can only start after completed registration.

#### **4 Fees**

The fee is € 270 until May 1<sup>th</sup> 2022 and € 300 after May 1<sup>th</sup> 2022. The entry fee shall be paid after entering via bank transfer, even if the entry is cancelled later on or the boat does not show up. Entry fees will only be refunded if the entry is rejected.

Bank transfer to: Raiffeisenlandesbank Bregenz  
BIC-Code RSVGAT2B  
IBAN AT41370000001925015

with reference to skipper name and class name.

#### **5 Registration**

Control of the measurement certificate, insurance certificate, sailing licenses and distribution of sailing instructions: Tuesday September 13<sup>th</sup> 2022 from 09:00 am to 07:00 pm in the YCB clubhouse.

#### **6 Measurement**

Measurement for all boats is scheduled on Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> September 2022 from 09:00 am to 19:00 pm in the YCB club area. No first measurements will be made. Measurement checks and equipment checks may be made during the racing days (also on the water).

#### **7 Schedule of the races**

Wednesday September 14<sup>th</sup> 2022: 11:05 am start signal of the practice race, after the practice race up to 2 races.

Thursday September 15<sup>th</sup> 2022: Time information about the start signal on the notice board, up to 3 races.

Friday September 16<sup>th</sup> 2022: If 4 or more valid races at the two first racing days: Time information about the start signal of the long distance race on the notice board;  
If less than 4 valid races at the two first racing days: Time information about the start signal on the notice board, up to 3 races.

Saturday September 17<sup>th</sup> 2022: Time information about the start signal on the notice board, up to 3 races.

#### **8 First Warning Signal**

Practice race: Wednesday September 14<sup>th</sup> 2022 11:00 am.

First race: Wednesday September 14<sup>th</sup> 2022 after the practice race.

If there is no warning signal for the practice race the practice race will be canceled and the first race will be started.

#### **9 Last Warning Signal**

No warning signal after Saturday September 17<sup>th</sup> 2022 15:00 pm.

#### **10 Sailing Instructions**

The Sailing instructions will be available at the registration.

#### **11 Courses**

Standard courses with a target time of 50 minutes will be sailed except the long distance race on Friday September 16<sup>th</sup> 2022.

## **12 Scoring**

Up to 9 races. When fewer than 5 races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores. When 5 or more races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score. If less than 4 races are scored the series will be no valid World Championship. The Low-Point-System of Appendix A will apply.

## **13 Support Boats**

The use of support boats is limited. All support boats must be reported until September 1<sup>st</sup> 2022 to the organizing authority. Later reports are not possible.

## **14 Berthing**

Boats shall be kept in their assigned places in the harbour. [DP]

## **15 Radio Communication**

Except in an emergency, a boat that is racing shall not make voice or data transmissions and shall not receive voice or data communication that is not available to all boats. [DP]

## **16 Prizes**

Prizes are given:

**16.1** The best scored crew will bear the title „World Champion of the Shark24 class“ and will be awarded the Shark24 World Championship Trophy.

**16.2** Prizes for 1st, 2nd and 3rd ranking.

**16.3** The Bill Metzger Trophy will be awarded to the boat with the best score consisting of the practice race, the long distance race and the last course race.

**16.4** The „Long Distance Trophy“ will be awarded to the best scored crew of the long distance race.

**16.5** The challenge trophy „Held vom Mittelfeld“ will be awarded to the best scored Crew of the second half with only European crew members.

**16.6** Souvenir prizes will be awarded to all competitors.

## **17 Disclaimer of Liability**

Participants sail at their own risk (RRS4). The organizers and all entrusted with racing organization, are not liable for any loss, damage or injury which may occur to persons, yachts or otherwise. This applies on the water and on land.

## **18 Insurance**

Boats must be insured with valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum cover of € 1.500.000.

## **19 Further Information**

Further information and the event program is available online under [www.ycb.at](http://www.ycb.at) – Shark24WM or via E-Mail [Oliver.Boehler@gmx.net](mailto:Oliver.Boehler@gmx.net).