

SAILONLINE YACHT CLUB

2015 QUARTERLY OCEAN CHAMPIONSHIPS

NOTICE OF RACE

The Sailonline Yacht Club (SYC) organizes, WITHIN the 2015 Ocean Championship, FOUR QUARTERLY Ocean Championships. The following rules will apply:

1. Race calendar and Championship CODE

The 2015 QUARTERLY Ocean Races Championships (Codes : OCQ1 – OCQ2 – OCQ3 – OCQ4) will be run EACH over **three** individual Races (one per month in any of the 4 quarters) Two of the three races will be those belonging to THE YEARLY OCEAN CHAMPIONSHIP ; a third race will be valid only for the quarterly Championship.

The Race Committee will publish the relevant Calendar, advertising well in advance which races will be eligible for the Championship in every single quarter.

2. Race Ranking system

With reference to point 2) of the General NOR of the OCEAN Championship , the following provisions for ranking the Quarterly Championships series are adopted:

In each Quarterly Championship race SYC members will be scored as per ISAF Racing Rules of Sailing 2013/2016 Appendix A. (Low point system).

Non SYC members will be ranked as per “Position” but their points towards the series ranking will be attributed as DNC. Should they become members at later date , the race result(s) where they were granted points as DNC will accrue to the series ranking as DNC.

3. Series ranking system

In each quarter the best 3 results out of 3 for each boat will form the Series score for that boat. In case of ties comma A8 of ISAF Racing Rules of Sailing Appendix A will be used to break the tie.

4. Racing rules

Obviously some of ISAF Racing Rules of Sailing do not apply in SOL due to technical reasons. All the remaining rules will apply.

SOL’ s general rules as published by SRC apply to each Championship race, as to any race in SOL.

5. Race Committee

The Race Committee, in association with SOAR/OPS may decide to apply a time limit for each race. This will aim to leave ample time for every boat to finish on the course after the leading boats have finished the race.

The Race Committee will be fully responsible for enforcing Rule 69.1 of the ISAF Racing Rules of Sailing , and their judgment will be without appeal.

6. Prizes

Prizes for the Quarterly Championship series will be reserved to those entrants who completed at least one of the series races as SYC members.

SERIES CHAMPIONSHIP:

Winner : 2015 Quarterly Ocean Championship PLAQUE with name of winning Boat.

Final series Ranking Award Certificates will be issued to top 20 finishers.

7. Prizes Delivery

GENERAL NOTE :

The prize delivery provisions can apply only to those boats and skippers who have provided their data to SRC. Should any skipper want to avoid the procedure listed hereunder they can at any time write an email to:

coord@sailonline.org

containing the following data :

- Boat name and flag***
- Skipper's name and surname***
- Skipper's full postal address***

SERIES CHAMPIONSHIP:

Skippers finishing the Quarterly Championship within TOP 20 positions need to contact SRC WITHIN 7 days from Championship Final Rankings Publication at following address:

coord@sailonline.org

containing the following data:

--- Boat name and flag

--- Skipper's name and surname

--- The Quarterly Championship winner will need to add the full postal address.

Once the 7 days have elapsed, should SRC not have the required information from the eligible skippers, the prize will be considered as undeliverable.

Every possible effort will be made to deliver prizes in case information gets to SRC after the deadline, but there will be no guarantee.

The actual deadline to provide information for prize collection will be advertised together with the Final Rankings Publication.

In 2015 there will be NO publication of uncollected prizes lists.

