



## NOTICE OF RACE

### 51<sup>st</sup> Gorla Trophy & 50Miglia (3rd September 2017) 67th Centomiglia (09th/10th September 2017)

#### ORGANISING AUTHORITY

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#### 1) ADMISSION

**1.1** National and international monohulls and multihulls classes with loa  $\geq$  6.00 m. as well as offshore keel boats and similar with or without measurement certificates and multihulls with at least two persons crew with loa  $\geq$  5.50 m with or without measurement certificates. Boats without measurement certificates, as an exception to rule 78 WS, shall be allowed to compete if they comply with the navigation international regulations.

Boats which cannot reach the available number to build up a class can enter the race but can only compete for the final results in elapsed time, and both for the final results and for the different trophies in corrected time, according to the ORC standards.

**1.2** Boats which compete for the ORC classes trophies must present a valid and final ORC 2017 measurement certificate.

The boats which present a ORC measurement certificate, in compliance with the minimum WS OSR requisites, will be grouped according to the CDL  $>$  or  $\leq$  8,00 as per XIV Zona rules. The other boats will be gathered in a unique, different category.

MULTIHULLS will be divided into classes as follows:

LOA  $\leq$  20 FEET

LOA 20 < FEET > 28

LOA > 28 FEET

**1.3** The Organizing Committee reserves the right to enter or not a boat in the most suitable group, to grant possible exceptions on demand, to split the participant boats into classes and categories according to its own standards, and the faculty to assign further prizes as well.

**1.4** A class with a minimum of 5 participants will be accepted, unless a special exception decided by the Organizing Committee. Monohulls with ballast keel and canting keel with LOA  $\geq$  6.00 are admitted. The movement of the keel through manual, mechanic, hydraulic, pneumatic, electric control is allowed.

**1.5** A boat can compete for the assignment of more than one trophy, but it must declare at registration in which class (either elapsed time or corrected time according to the ORC standards).

## **2) REGATTA RULES**

**2.1** The Regatta will be regulated by rules as defined by the Racing Rules WS 2017-2020, WS "Offshore Special Regulations" (OSR) – appendix B and the ORC 2017 Rules. Regattas shall be raced according to acknowledge Class.

Regulations currently in force with the exceptions made by the Regatta Instructions.

**2.2** Advertising is free as per WS Regulation 20.

**2.3** All participating yachts are required to exhibit any advertising promoted by the Organizing Committee or any race numbers.

**3) ELIGIBILITY:** The Regattas are open to all competitor categories (see WS eligibility code).

## **4) REGISTRATION:**

**4.1** Applications will be accepted only if the official entry form published on the website [www.centomiglia.it](http://www.centomiglia.it) is properly and entirely filled in and only when the entry fee is entirely paid.

The on-line registration is accepted when the following documents are attached and sent to the Organizing Committee:

- on-line entry form entirely filled in
- a copy of the entry fee payment
- a copy of the yacht insurance policy RCT

Together with the printed on-line form, ORC boats must produce and deliver a valid and final ORC certificate.

**4.2** Applications must reach the Circolo Vela Gargnano: not later than 6:00 p.m. on 2<sup>nd</sup> September 2017 for the Gorla Trophy and the 50Miglia, not later than 6:00 p.m. on 8<sup>th</sup> September 2017 for the Centomiglia and Multicento.

**4.3** Bank cheques are not accepted.

**4.4** Registration fees, rounded 1 euro up: can be paid cash or by bank transfer whose costs must be paid by the ordinant, according to the above-mentioned terms.

Payment by bank transfer will be accepted only if the receipt will be sent together with the entry form within the above-mentioned terms. It must clearly indicate the TRN number or copy of the swift message which confirm that the payment is done. It must also show the sail number and the name of the yacht.

**Bank:** BTL banca del territorio Lombardo - Agenzia di Gargnano

Via Roma, 55 – 25084 GARGNANO (BS)

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**4.5** Entry fees (monohulls/multihulls)

loa max x € 17,00 (Example: length of the boat 7,50 m = entry fee €128 (7,50 m X €17))

**4.6** Yachts displaying advertising: no surcharge fee is due.

**4.7** For yachts taking part both in the Gorla Trophy/50 Miglia and in the Regatta Centomiglia/Multicento -10%

**4.8** Circolo Vela Gargnano can grant special conditions to the single classes.

**4.9** A mobile phone and an e-mail address is absolutely required to send information and to keep in touch with the yacht before, during and after the Regatta.

## **5) STARTING TIME AND TIME LIMIT**

**5.1** Warning signal will be at 08:20 for all boats taking part in the Regattas.

In case of dangerous weather conditions, the Organizing Committee or/and the Race Committee may decide to postpone the start. Sailors will be sent a sms/mail to the phone numbers and e-mail addresses listed in the entry form.

**5.2** The time limit for the Gorla Trophy will be at 19.00 on the 3<sup>rd</sup> September; the time limit for the Centomiglia will be at 8.00 on the 10<sup>th</sup> September.

## **6) STARTING LINE GROUPS**

One group gathering boats with trapezes

One group gathering boats without trapezes  $\leq$  8 mt. length

One group gathering boats without trapezes  $>$ 8 mt. length

One group gathering multihulls

## **7) RACES COURSES**

**7.1 Gorla Trophy and 50Miglia:** Bogliaco (start) – marks in Riva, Arco and Torbole - Castelletto (mark) - Bogliaco (arrival).

**7.2 Centomiglia and Multicento:** Bogliaco (start) – marks in Riva, Arco and Torbole – Castelletto (mark) – Bogliaco (mark) – Sirmione (mark) – Desenzano (mark) – Bogliaco (arrival).

## **8) DOCUMENTS**

**8.1** All competitors must present a valid membership card of the Sailing Authority of their own country whose data must be stated in the proper form under the skipper or owner responsibility. All yacht must be provided with an insurance coverage RCT with validity also for races and sailing competitions, with maximum sum insurable of euro1.500.000,00. Copy of the insurance must be attached to the entry form together with the measurement certificate (if required).

## **9) SAILING INSTRUCTIONS**

**9.1** Available at the CVG office one week before the regatta (from 30-08.17)).

## **10) RESPONSIBILITY**

**10.1** Circolo Vela Gargnano, the Race Committee and the Jury are not responsible for every damage caused to third persons and to their things, at sea or ashore, in consequence of taking part in the regatta. It shall be the individual responsibility of each yacht to decide whether or not to start or to continue to race, by evaluating carefully the weather conditions and all risk factors. Even if a boat has entered in the Regatta, it doesn't mean that it is able to sail. A boat which retires from the race must immediately inform the Organizing Committee. Competitors are warned that the organization cannot grant assistance to every yacht during the race.

## **11) SECURITY-TRACKING GPS**

**11.1** The safety of the boat and its crew is responsibility of the owner, OR of one of its representatives, OR of the skipper, who must assure the good conditions of the yacht, of the mast, of the sails, of the auxiliary engine (if required for the measurement), of the tools and of the on-board equipment.

The owner must assure that his crew is able to participate in the regattas, knows where the safety equipment is and how it must be used.

**11.2** All yachts shall be provided with security equipment, also for sailing at night, during the Centomiglia, as stated by the Safety Rules of each class and by the CVG Regulation and as prescribed by the Italian law and by their own country laws for sailing in internal

waters. Each sailor must wear a life jacket during the race. All boats, with trapezes, whose length is more than 10 mt. and all multihulls must be followed by a personal tender boat which must be able to rescue and host – if necessary – all members of the crew.

Each tender must exclusively refer to its own yacht and must have a suitable flag (with letter 'S' on it) together with the authorization to sail in the northern part of the lake, in the Trentino area.

**11.3** Each boat taking part in the regattas on 3<sup>rd</sup> and 9<sup>th</sup> September must download the application for the tracking gps system (on one or more devices on board).

A notice will be posted concerning installation procedures. Time at some marks can only be measured through the Kwindoo tracking gps application.

If a boat will not round all the marks, it will be protested and consequently disqualified.

**11.4** Every tender (see point 11.2) must inform the Organizing Committee of its participation in the regatta within 21st August in order to obtain the authorization to sail in the northern part of the lake, in the Trentino area.

## **12) YACHT CONTROL AND PROTESTS**

**12.1** Yachts can be checked concerning measures, security equipment and general conditions either before or after the race; the request of control will be made either verbally or posted up on the official board and it shall not be refused under pain of disqualification. Possible measurement protests have to be made complying necessary formalities within 18 hours before start.

## **13) PENALTY:**

**13.1** RRS Rules 44.1 and 44.2 are modified to taking a one turn penalty, each turn including one tack and one gybe. Every boat which takes a penalty or has retired under rule 31.2 or 44.1 RSS must inform the Race Committee by filling in the proper entry form by the protest time limit. Avoiding to do this, the penalty will not be considered valid.

**13.2** Starting penalties: penalties will be applied according to the boat elapsed time.

## **14) FINAL RESULTS**

**14.1** Final results will be as follows:

- Overall (elapsed time)
- For each single class (elapsed time)
- Overall (corrected time), ORC rules will be applied.

## **15) THROPHIES AND PRIZES**

**15.1 Bettoni Trophy:** for the Centomiglia, to the first yacht, monohull or multihull, crossing the finish line (elapsed time).

**15.2 Giacomo Garioni Trophy:** for the Centomiglia, to the first monohull crossing the finish line (elapsed time)

**15.3 Presidente della Repubblica Trophy:** to the winner helmsman of Conte Alessandro Bettoni Trophy.

**15.4 Multicento Trophy – Giorgio Zuccoli Trophy:** for the Centomiglia, to the first multihull crossing the finish line (elapsed time)

**15.5 Beppe Croce trophy:** for the Centomiglia, to the first monohull, crossing the finish line (corrected time), according to the ORC standards and rules, without trapezes and/or without wings

**15.6 Marchi trophy:** for the Centomiglia, to the first monohull crossing the finish line (corrected time) according to the ORC standards and rules, with trapezes and/or with wings

**15.7 Zuccoli Tribute:** to the boat able to break the record of 06 hours and 05 minutes of the world-record holder yacht "Dimore" (skipper Giorgio Zuccoli).

**15.8 Giornale di Brescia trophy:** to the first helmsman from Brescia (elapsed time)

**15.9 Provincia di Brescia Trophy:** to the first foreign helmsman (elapsed time)

**15.10 Cav. Del lavoro Pino Beretta trophy:** to the youngest helmsman (elapsed time)

**15.11 Comune di Gargnano trophy:** to the first helmswoman (elapsed time)

**15.12 Giovanni Candiani trophy:** to the winner of the J24 Class (elapsed time)

**15.13 Gorla Trophy:** to the first yacht, monohull or multihull, crossing the finish line (elapsed time) during the Gorla Trophy

**15.14 Meo Omboni Trophy:** to the first monohull crossing the finish line (elapsed time).

**15.15 50Miglia Trophy:** to the first multihull crossing the finish line (elapsed time)

**15.16 Garda Lombardia Trophy:** for Gorla Trophy, to the first monohull, crossing the finish line (corrected time), according to the ORC standards and rules, without trapezes and/or without wings

**15.17 Avanzini Trophy :** for Gorla Trophy, to the first monohull, crossing the finish line (corrected time), according to the ORC standards and rules, with trapezes and/or with wings

**15.18** For each class, prizes will be awarded:

- to the first boat classified, for classes with at least 5 participants (elapsed time);
- to the second boat classified, for classes with at least 9 participants (elapsed time);
- to the third boat classified (elapsed time), for classes with at least 10 participants or more.

## **16) PHOTOS RELEASE AUTHORIZATION AND TELEVISION RIGHTS**

**16.1** Circolo Vela Gargnano has the right to gather and publish any photos and videos, by any means of communication, portraying people or boats during all the events, including, but not limited, to advertising spots, together with anything could be used either for editorial/advertising purposes or printed information.

The winner of each class is invited to send a photo (jpg. format) of the yacht to the following address: [info@centomiglia.it](mailto:info@centomiglia.it) within the month of April of the following year together with an article, written either in Italian or in English, reporting some impressions and commentaries related to the Centomiglia 2016.

A releasing paper must also be sent which allow the Organizing Committee to publish the materials.

Photos and articles will be published in the magazine of the next "Centomiglia".

## **17) LOCAL REGULATIONS**

**17.1** The local Rules concerning the navigation on Lake Garda will be applied. Ferry boats in public service will have right of way over the other yachts. Attention must be specially paid when approaching harbors.

## **18) PRIZE GIVING CEREMONY**

**18.1** Gorla Trophy: the prize giving ceremony will take place in Piazza Nazario Sauro in Bogliaco, nearby the old harbor on Sunday, the 10<sup>th</sup> September at 16.00.

Centomiglia: the prize giving ceremony will take place in Piazza Nazario Sauro in Bogliaco, nearby the old harbor on Friday, the 8<sup>th</sup> September at 19.00.

## **19) GADGETS**

**19.1** Gadgets such as t-shirts, etc., must be picked up by 20.00 on 10<sup>th</sup> September 2017. at the shop "Gaastra Store Gargnano" - Square Nazario Sauro (old harbor) in Bogliaco.

## **20) SOCIAL EVENTS**

**20.1** Dates and timetables will be published on the CVG internet web site.

## **21) UTILITIES:**

- hauling and launching in the old harbor (Nazario Sauro Square) can be required by competitors at the Club from 29<sup>th</sup> August as long as there is space available and in accordance with the Organizing Committee;
- storage space and haulage of yachts at a convenient prize, subject to previous agreement with the Organizing Committee.

## **22) CONTROVERSY:**

**22.1** In case of controversy the Italian text will prevail.