



Laser Youth Easter Meeting Malcesine – Garda Lake NOTICE OF RACE March 23rd – 26th 2016



1. ORGANISING AUTHORITY

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2. VENUE AND EVENT SCHEDULE

The regatta will be raced in the waters off the Fraglia Vela Malcesine with the following timetable:

Tuesday, March 22nd	Registration 10.00 - 12.30 and 14.00 – 18.00
Wednesday, March 23rd	Registration 09.00 - 10.00 Skippers meeting at 11.00 First warning signal at 13.00;
Thursday, March 24th	Races
Friday, March 25th	Races
Saturday, March 26th	Races; Prize-giving at the end of the races

3. RULES

- 3.1. Each regatta will be governed by the “rules” as defined in the Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS) current edition. The prescriptions of the National Authority will not apply.
- 3.2. Add to rule RRS A11: ARB means scoring penalty after arbitration, PTS scoring penalty for a yellow flag after finish.
- 3.3. Sails shall have the full sail number AND NATIONAL LETTERS in accordance with the Class Rules and RRS. The national letters shall denote the National Authority of which the sailor is a member in accordance with RRS 75.2 and with 2.1 Entry regulations below. This changes RRS Appendix G 1.1.
- 3.4. Laser class rule 7 (a) is restricted as follows “only one person shall be on board whilst racing. The person shall be named on the entry form”.

4. ENTRY REGULATIONS

4.1. Entries must be made online on <http://www.fragliavela.org/>, in the section “regate” and the push the bottom “More info” and finally push “Registration and info”. Entries must be done before the 20th of March. Then entries must be finished at the Secretary office of the Club on the 22nd of March, from 10 am to 6pm and on the 23rd of March from 9 am to 10 am. Remember to bring at the registration your insurance, and for Italian sailors also Italian membership card and FIV. If you want to make the registration faster, you can send your documents to race@fragliavela.org

4.2 ENTRY FEE: 100€. Pre registration are compulsory before the 20th of March.

Entry fee for registrations made online at this [link](http://www.fragliavela.org/) before the 20th of March: 80€



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<http://www.fragliavela.org/it/21/224/laser-youth-easter-meeting>

4.3 Athletes born in 2004, are allowed to race only after the day of their 12th birthday.

4.4. Crew substitution of the registered sailor is not allowed.

4.5. Any sailor who has not completed the registration by the closing time for registration finalization, will be removed from the list of sailors of the event and will not be scored at that event.

5. INSURANCE

5.1 Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum cover of 1.500.000 € per event or the equivalent.

5.2 Each competitor is wholly and exclusively responsible for third party liability insurance on the boat that he or she is sailing and for his or her personal accident and health insurance.

5.3 Each competitor is wholly and exclusively responsible to maintain his boat in a safe and seaworthy condition checking it before go afloat.

6. PROGRAMME

6.1. 2 races a day are scheduled.

6.2. The Laser 4.7 respectively will have separate starts from Radials

6.3. A third race can be sailed only when in delay with the program or when the forecast suggest that no race can be sailed in the next day. No more than one race can be raced in advance of the program.

7. MEASUREMENT/INSPECTION

Boat and equipment may be inspected at any time for compliance with the current class rules at the discretion of the class measurer or inspector, race committee or international jury.

8. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

Copies will be distributed from the Race Offices the day before the Regatta during entries finalization.

9. COURSES

A trapezoid course will be sailed.

10. BOATS AND EQUIPMENT

11.1. All competitors shall use only one hull, sail, mast, boom, centreboard and rudder.

11.2. Female competitors shall place a red diamond on each side of their sail (back to back). The diamond shall be 240mm high and 180mm wide +/- 5mm and shall be located in the centre of the sail immediately above the top batten. For more information, please see at http://www.laserinternational.org/information/red_diamonds.pdf

11. RRS 42 PENALTIES

12.1. Penalties will be administered as follows:

(a) After signalling a breaking of rule 42 as described in Appendix P1, the penalty will be always two turns as described App-P2.1.

(b) If penalty is signalled after a boat has finished, she will be given a scoring penalty of 8 points without a hearing.

12. WHISTLE SYSTEM

To encourage boats to take penalties afloat, jury/protest committee members may blow a whistle when they see what they believe to be a breach of a rule.

13. INTERNATIONAL JURY

An international jury may be appointed in accordance with RRS Appendix N and perform the duties listed in RRS N2, in which case the decision of the Jury will be final.



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14. PRIZES

Prizes will be awarded in the following categories subject to entry numbers.

Classe Radial	Classe Laser 4.7
Winner Overall	Winner Overall
2nd Overall	2nd Overall
3rd Overall	3rd Overall
Winner Boys Under 17	Winner Boys Under 16
Winner Boys Under 19	Winner Boys Under 18
Winner Girls Under 17	Winner Girls Under 16
Winner Girls Under 19	Winner Girls Under 18

15. SCORING

The regatta will be scored using the Low Point System according to RRS Appendix A.

The final rank will be by fleet (rig) and the separate ranks for each age category, or sex will be made without rescore the boats.

16. SAFETY

Competitors shall wear personal flotation devices at all times when afloat, except briefly when changing or adjusting clothing or personal equipment. Wet suits and dry suits are not personal flotation devices. This changes rule RRS 40.

17. PHOTOGRAPHY CONSENT

By entering the Race competitors accept that they may be photographed and/or videotaped participating in the race and/or using the Championship facilities and they consent to the taking of such images and to the use, reuse, publication and republication of such images in any media, in conjunction with the competitors name or not, without compensation and without the competitors approval of such images or any use thereof.

18. LIABILITY

The **Organizing Committee of Fraglia vela Malcesine**, the **Federazione Italiana Vela** and the International Laser Class Association, their officers, members and volunteers do not accept liability for loss of life or property, personal injury or damage caused by or arising out of the Laser Youth Easter Meeting regatta and competitors take part in the regatta at their own risk. The establishment of the Notice of Race and the Sailing Instructions in no way limits or reduces the complete and unlimited responsibilities of a competitor being solely and entirely responsible for the management of a boat he or she is sailing. A competitor must be of good health and a competent sailor capable of sailing a Laser in strong winds.

It is the responsibility of each sailor to decide to participate in a race or to continue racing.

A competitor is wholly and exclusively responsible for third party liability insurance on the boat that he or she is sailing and for his or her personal accident and health insurance.

19. PARENTAL CONSENT

The parental consent is required for minors; a form is available at the [website](#).

20. LOGISTIC INFORMATION

20.1. Boats trailers and cars may park in the sailing club parking lots from Monday, March 21st until Sunday, March 27th. It is forbidden to park Camper, Vans, either during the day or overnight, within the limits of the Fraglia Vela Malcesine private area.

Please enter with the trailers from the North Entrance of the Club and not from the main entrance of the car park. We will publish the map of the logistic planning for the regatta.

20.2. For coach boats renting write at race@fragliavela.org

20.3 Accommodations facilities available at his [link](#)

20.4 For competitors sailing also the Italia Cup (15-17 of April), the price for storing boats at the club (and train) between the two the regattas is 25 €. For more info write to race@fragliavela.org

21. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Additional information will be notified by the <http://www.fragliavela.org> websites.



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