



NOTICE OF RACE
CYPRUS - ISRAEL Regatta 2019
11-19 October 2019
(Non-official version 0.91)

1. ORGANIZING AUTHORITY

The Israel Yacht Club (IYC) together with Limassol Marina and Tel Aviv Marina are organizing the Cyprus - Israel Regatta 2019, starting from Friday 11th October to Saturday 19th October 2019. The Regatta includes race and accompanied non racing flotilla.

2. VENUE

The event will be sailed in the waters of the East Mediterranean Sea between Limassol Cyprus to Tel Aviv Israel and requires self sufficiency.

3. SECRETARIAT

3.1 The address of the secretariat of the Race

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3.3 During the Event there will not be any Race Offices at Limassol Marina or Tel Aviv Marina. Please refer to the contact persons as per paragraph 3 above.

4. RULES

The event will be governed by:

- Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS) 2016 – 2020.
- ORC Club, ORC Rules 2019
- The Offshore Event is classified as WS (World Sailing) Offshore Category 2 with life raft compulsory (WS Offshore special regulations 2016-2019).
- VHF channels 16 and 72 dual watch are mandatory.
- From sunset to sunrise, the 1972 International Rules for Preventing Collisions at Sea as amended in November 1981 replace RRS, Part 2 Right of Way Rules and the most current amendments in force.
- The Notice of Race and the Sailing Instructions and their amendments.
- The Boats may carry an extra spinnaker and extra main in addition to the provided by ORC rules.
- The English text of all documents shall prevail.

5. EVENT SPONSOR

5.1 The Organizing Authority may require all participating boats to hoist a pennant logo and/or to hoist a sponsor's pennant and /or to display a sponsor's decal to both sides of the bow for the duration of the Regatta, according to WS Advertising Code, Regulation 20.4.1. The decals, the pennants and the flags will be provided by the Organising Authority.

5.2 The Organizing Authority may also require the installation at no cost to competitors' onboard video cameras or global position devices.

6. ADVERTISING

7. BOAT ELIGIBILITY

7.1. The regatta is open to ORC boats which hold valid ORC Club or International Rating Certificate (2019) and comply with their national authorities' requirements for international voyage. The Flotilla is open to the non-racing boats which comply with their national authorities' requirements for international voyage.



7.2. The entry fee will be:

Visiting Israel Boats:

Are invited to participate in the regatta free of charge at the courtesy of IYC.

Israeli Boats: 300IS per crew member, No boat charge. Not including border formalities costs in Israel.

8. ENTRIES

8.1 Entries must be submitted to IYC completed in full, not later than Sunday, October 13rd 2019, 20:30 via electronic registration form for boats registering on the IYC website www.iyc.co.il (Hebrew) and for other than Israeli boats at <http://bit.ly/cyprusil19> (English)

8.2 Entries shall be accompanied by a copy of the current 2019 ORC Rating Certificate, a copy of the boat Insurance Certificate and by the Entry Fee.

8.3 Late entries may be accepted at the discretion of the Organizing Authority.

8.4 No later than Monday October 14th 2019, 19:00 hours, the following documents must be submitted by each participating boat to the Race Secretariat:

- Crew list -IMOT (all boats)
- Race/Flotilla Entry Form – electronic (all boats)
- Rating Certificate copy (racing boats)
- Boat Insurance (all boats)

9. PROGRAMME – SOCIAL EVENTS – SCHEDULE OF RACES

9.1 The programme is as follows:

Wednesday, October 10th 2019

18:00: Entries deadline for Israeli boats.

Sunday, October 13rd 2019,

18:00: Entries deadline for boat joining in Limassol.

Friday, October 11th 2019 – The Cyprus-Israel Friendship Flotilla

09:00 Boat leave Herzliya and sail to Limassol



Saturday and Sunday, October 12th -13th 2019

Boat arrive Limassol Marina from Israel and other ports.

10:00-14:00 Boat inspections on the 13th.

Monday, October 14th 2019. Limassol – Zygi race.

09:00 – Opening Ceremony, Registration & briefing at Limassol Marina.

12:00 - Start of the Race (The warning signal will be given at 11:55)

16:00 – Protests

20:00 – Ceremony & Prize giving for the Limassol Zygi race.

20:30- Sailors party

Tuesday, October 15th, 2019

09:00-18:00 All day trip Courtesy of the Cyprus Tourism Ministry..

Wednesday October 16th, 2019.

08:00 Sail to Limassol Marina

16:00-20:00 Boat inspection

Thursday October 17th 2019 .

09:00 - Registration & Skipper and crew briefing

11:00 -Start of the Race (The warning signal will be given at 10:55)

Saturday October 19th – Tel Aviv Marina.

20:00 – 23:00 Prize giving ceremony, food and cocktail party on the north deck.

Sunday October 20th, 2019

Yachts to sail to Cyprus

10. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

The Official Sailing Instructions will be available at the Skippers' Meeting.

11. INSPECTIONS

11.1 Inspections will take place at the Limassol Marina at the place where the boat is moored on 13th and 16th of October 2019 as provided in section 9.

11.2 The Race Committee reserves the right to inspect any boat without prior notice any time before or after each race.

11.3 Each boat must hold a copy of her valid ORC Rating Certificate accompanied with the measurement inventory.



11.4 The person in charge of a boat must submit to the Measurement Committee a signed inventory of the sails existing on board, before the beginning of the inspection.

11.5 Boats are allowed to change sails during the regatta, provided that their number and their area comply with the boat Rating Certificate and the amendment of one additional main and one additional spinnaker.

12. CREW LIST

12.1 A complete crew list IMOT for each boat shall be received in full by the IYC Secretariat no later than Sunday, October 13rd 2019, 20:30

12.2 After this time, changes in crew may only be made with the written permission of the Race Committee, at least (one and half) 1½ hours before the start of each race.

12.3 For safety and responsibility reasons concerning the person in charge of a boat and the Race Committee, submission of wrong or incomplete crew list may disqualify the boat in the current race.

13. MEDIA RELEASES AND IMAGE RIGHTS WAIVER

By participating in the CYPRUS - ISRAEL REGATTA 2019, all competitors and crew members automatically grant at no cost to the Organizing Authority and the sponsors, the unrestricted right and permission in perpetuity, to make, use and show, at their own discretion, any motion pictures and live, taped or filmed television and other reproduction of him/her (television, press and internet) during the period of the regatta and after. Competitors and crew members' name, voice, image, likeness and biographical material may also be used or reproduced in any way known.

14. DECISION TO RACE & DISCLAIMER

14.1 All participants of the CYPRUS - ISRAEL REGATTA 2019, agree to conform to the International Sailing Regulations of WS (RRS 2016 – 2020), the Sailing Instructions, the ORC rules and the Notice of Race. All participants accept full responsibility for the sailing ability of their boat, their rigging, their crew and their safety equipment. All participants also agree to undertake in full all responsibility for possible damage to third parties of their belongings, themselves or their belongings at shore or at sea in consequence to their participation in the race, excluding from any liability the Organising Authority, the Racing Committee, the Jury, the sponsor and any member involved with the race under any capacity and agree in full to be held liable for the conduct and attire of their crew, their representatives and their guests.



14.2 IYC, the Organizing Committee, the Jury, the Race Committee, the sponsor and any other person involved in the organization of the CYPRUS - ISRAEL REGATTA 2019, cannot be held liable for any physical or material damage, injury or death or any other unforeseen circumstance, before, during or after the race. At registration, the designated representative of each boat will be asked to sign a relevant declaration accepting this disclaimer of liability.

14.3 The safety and management of the boat, including Third Party Liability insurance, is the sole responsibility of the owner/participant who must make certain that the boat is absolutely seaworthy and is sailed, by experienced and adequate, in numbers, crew in good physical condition, able to confront extreme weather conditions. The owner/participant must reassure the good condition of the hull, the rigging and all boat's equipment. He must also reassure that all safety equipment is adequately maintained, and the crew knows where it is kept and how to use it.

14.4 We draw your attention to the fundamental rule RRS 4, Part 1 of the International Sailing Regulations of WS "Decision to participate in a race".

15. INSURANCE

It is the responsibility of the Owner of each participating boat to hold a current and valid Third-Party Liability insurance for at least US\$500,000 for the boat covering eventual damage to persons or property.

16. MOORINGS

16.1 For boats arriving to Limassol Marina from Israel and other ports from abroad, Limassol Marina will reserve moorings from Saturday October 12th to Thursday October 17th, 2019 free of charge. The moorings will be occupied under the entire responsibility of the skipper of each boat.

16.2 Interested competitors must inform the secretariat in writing, not later than October 2nd, 2019.

16.3 Tel Aviv Marina will provide Visiting Boats arriving Tel Aviv Marina with the Regatta free of charge. The moorings will be occupied under the entire responsibility of the skipper of each boat.

17. SKIPPERS' MEETINGS

The Skippers' Meeting for the Limassol Zygi race will be held at Limassol Marina on Saturday October 14th, 2019, at 09:00 hrs.



The Skippers' Meeting for the Limassol Tel Aviv Offshore race will be held at Limassol Marina on Thursday October 17th, 2019, at 09:00 hrs.

18. SCORING

18.1 As per App. A - The Low Point System will be used without a discard

18.2 The CYPRUS - ISRAEL REGATTA 2019 winners are the winners of the offshore race from Limassol to Tel Aviv.

18.3 Each race will be regarded as a separate race with prizes awarded both in Zigy and Tel Aviv.

18.4 Trophies will be awarded to the first 3 winners of each class.

19. PRIZE GIVING CEREMONY

The prize giving ceremony will be held according to the schedule in section 9.

Mr. Easy Swissa. IYC Organizing Comity Officer

