



ORC OPEN CHAMPIONSHIP PART B



Limassol
Marina

IOANNIDEIA 2024

ORC CHALLENGE TROPHY
MARE NOSTRUM

NOTICE OF RACE
6TH - 8TH OF SEPTEMBER



Ioannideia 2024, September 6th – September 8th

ORC Challenge Trophy Mare Nostrum

Part B of the ORC Open Championship

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(All Documentation can be found on our website www.famagustanauticalclub.com under ORC Racing)

1. ORGANIZING AUTHORITY

The Famagusta Nautical Club in the memory of Navy Commodore and Honorary President of the Club, Andreas Ioannides, who died in July 11, 2011, in Partnership with Limassol Marina, as Part B of the ORC Open Championship..

2. RULES

- 2.1 The regatta will be governed by the following rules and regulations:
- The racing rules of sailing (RRS) 2020 – 2024
 - The O.R.C. Rating System Rule 2024
 - IMS rule
 - The ISAF Offshore Special Regulations 2022-2024 Category 4
 - No national prescriptions will apply.
- 2.2 If there is a conflict between languages, English text will take precedence.

3. VENUE

The event will be sailed on the water of Limassol gulf, opposite the Famagusta Nautical Club.

4. ADVERTISING

- 4.1 WS Advertising Code will apply. Competitors & Boats advertising will be without restriction.
- 4.2 Event Advertising by the Organizing Authority will be:
- a. Bow numbers with advertisements which have to be displayed, as forward as possible on both sides of the hull.
 - b. An Organizer's flag has to be flown on the backstay throughout the race.
- 4.3 Event Advertising by the Organizing Authority may be:
- a. advertisement to be displayed on the both sides of the foremost 20% of the mainsail boom

5. ELIGIBILITY

Competitors shall comply with WS Eligibility Code. The regatta is open to all boats with valid ORC International or ORC Club certificate.

Boats without any ORC certificate shall contact CYP ORC Rating Officer at geophilcyp@hotmail.com. The ORC technical staff will help CYP to find appropriate data and with the spar and sail measurements an ORC Club certificate will be provided. If the boat is getting the certificate for the first time, ORC will give them levy free for the first year.

6. CLASSES

- 6.1 There will be overall results of all boats and class results extrapolated from the overall results.
- 6.2 Boats will be divided in classes according to their ratings. Class limits will be based on final entry list.
- 6.3 The decision for class divisions will be made by the Race Committee and cannot be ground for a request for redress.

7. ENTRIES

- 7.1 Entries should be submitted directly to the Club by August, 31st 2024. Any late entries will be charged with €40 late fee and contributed to Andreas Ioannides Scholarship Foundation. The entries can be sent via email to ioannideia@famagustanauticalclub.com or via fax at 25 324057. For further information please contact Mr. Stelios Charalambous at telephone 97 777202.
- 7.2 Entry fee for Ioannideia 2024 is €0 for each boat (Contribution to Andreas Ioannides Scholarship Foundation)
- 7.3 All boats wishing to berth at **Limassol Marina** need to complete and return the **Limassol Marina Entry Form**, together with their entry form and a copy of their boat's hull and Third Party Insurance.

8. Registration

- 8.1 Each Owner or Skipper must personally register online at www.famagustanauticalclub.com (under “Ioannideia” main menu) or via fax at +357 25 324057, by August 31st 2024.
- 8.2 The following documents shall be presented prior to or at Skippers’ Meeting:
- a) Valid ORC International or Class certificate or a Valid Certificate issued for the Event
 - b) Valid third-party insurance
 - c) If advertising is displayed, an approval certificate of the Sponsor
 - d) Crew list with name, surname
 - e) Contact phone number both on boat and land, including the name of contact person
 - f) Liability acceptance form, duly filled out and signed
- 8.3 No changes shall be made on ORC certificates after August 31st 2024, 10:00am, unless prescribed by the Measurement Committee and International Jury’s approval.
- 8.4 Measurement protests by the boats shall be accepted up to two hours after the posting of the final ratings.
- 8.5 Crew lists may be amended by September 6th 2024, by filling a new form showing the changes. After this time, changes in crew may be made only with the written permission of the International Jury.

9. SCHEDULE

Friday, 6th September 2024 - 18:30

Skipper’s Meeting at Limassol Marina

Saturday, 7th September 2024 – Warning Signal 11:00

ORC Challenge Trophy Mare Nostrum Races

(3 Short Inshore Races)

Sunday, 8th September 2024 – Warning Signal 11:00

Ioannideia ORC Challenge Trophy Mare Nostrum / Trophy Race

(Offshore Race)

Sunday, 8th September 2024 – 18:30

Prize giving at Famagusta Nautical Club

10. TIME CORRECTION SYSTEM

“Time-on-time” Inshore ratings will be used for scoring races held on Saturday.

“Time-on-time” Offshore ratings will be used for scoring the race on Sunday.

11. SCORING

11.1 One (1) race is required to be completed to constitute a series.

11.2 When all 3 Inshore races have been completed, the worst score will be discarded’

12. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

Sailing Instructions will be available on Skipper’s Meeting.

13. SAFETY REGULATIONS

A boat that retires from a race shall notify the race committee, as soon as possible providing the following information:

- Bow Number
- Boat Name
- Sail Number
- Time and position at the moment of retirement
- Reason for retirement
- Actual location of the boat

14. DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

Competitors participate in the “**Ioannideia 2024**” entirely at their own risk and responsibility. Special Attention is drawn to RRS 4 “Decision to Race”. The Organizing Authority, ORC and any other party involved in the organization of the “**Ioannideia 2024**” disclaim any and all responsibility whatsoever for loss, damage injury or inconvenience that might occur to persons and materials, both ashore and at sea as a consequence of participation in the event. Each boat owner or his representative accepts these terms by signing entry form. The attention of competitors is drawn to ISAF Part 1 Fundamental Rule 4: A boat is solely responsible for deciding whether or not to start or to continue racing.

15. MOORINGS

Mooring will be available in **Limassol Marina** from 5th of September to the 9th of September 2024. Mooring for the participating boats is free of charge **excluding water and electricity consumption, if any**. Berthing at Limassol Marina is subject to Terms & Conditions, as shown at the Official Limassol Marina Berthing Application form. All yachts prior to arrival or departure from the Marina must notify the Marina on Channel 12 of their movements.

Yachts without a valid hull and third-party Insurance will not be accepted in the Marina. Any yacht arriving or departing the Marina prior the 5th of September or after 12:00 on 9th of September will be charged €50 plus VAT, per day for up to 3 additional days and normal Marina Berthing Rates thereafter.

Participants are to respect the hospitality of **Limassol Marina** its Rules and Regulations. Violations of any will give the right to **Limassol Marina** to refuse Berthing at its waters.

16. RADIO COMMUNICATION

- 16.1 The Race Committee may broadcast information to the fleet on VHF channel 71 at the start and finish.
- 16.2 VHF channels 16 and 71 will be continuously monitored by the Race Committee while racing.
- 16.3 Except in emergency or when communicating with the Race Committee, 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.

17. PRIZES

- 17.1 Trophies will be given to the 1st, 2nd and 3rd winner overall and in each class. In addition, 1st winner in each class might also receive prize money.
- 17.2 Overall winners will be determined out of the three (4) races.
- 17.3 The Ioannideia Perpetual Trophy will be given to the overall winner of Sunday's Race.
- 17.4 The ORC Challenge Trophy (a perpetual trophy) will be awarded to the overall winner of yachts with valid ORC International or ORC Club certificate.
- 17.5 The ORC Open Championship Part B trophy will be awarded to the overall winner of yachts with valid ORC International or ORC Club certificate, participated to Part B Open Championship.
- 17.6 The ORC Open Championship trophy will be awarded to the overall winner of yachts with valid ORC International or ORC Club certificate, participated to both legs (Limassol Marina & Ayia Napa Marina).
- 17.7 Further prizes and trophies may be awarded to crews and boats.

18. RACE COMMITTEE OFFICE

- 18.1 The Race Committee Office will be located at Famagusta Nautical Club.
- 18.2 VHF (channel 71) or telephones: +357 97 777 202, may be used for notifications and communications to the Race Committee.

**For further information please contact the
Famagusta Nautical Club
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