

INTERNATIONAL SWISS TORNADO

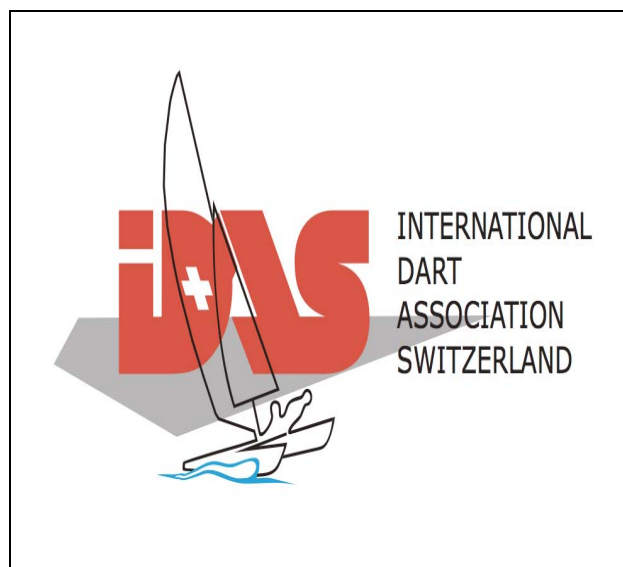
OPEN CLASS CHAMPIONSHIP

AND

DART SWISS POINT REGATTA

ASCONA, LAKE MAGGIORE

24 - 25 MAY 2014



1. ORGANIZING AUTHORITY

Sailing Club: Yacht Club Ascona

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2. RULES

2.1 The regatta will be governed by rules as defined by the Racing Rules of Sailing.

2.2 Tornado and Dart Class rules will apply.

2.3 Swiss federal law for inland navigation with local amendments will apply.

2.4 Penalty System: The rule 44.1 is changed so that only one turn, including one tack and on gybe, is required.

2.5 If there is a conflict between languages, English will prevail.

3. ADVERTISING

Competitor advertising is permitted, as by Class Rules (*ISAF Advertising Code, Regulation 20*).

May be required to the competitors to exhibit a sponsor's sticker (or other support) provided by the Organizing Authority.

4. AWARDS

4.1 Tornado Class Championship and Dart Point Regatta will be OPEN to foreigner or mixed crews.

4.2 Both series will be awarded the first three crews of final classification.

4.3 The first Swiss Crew of the Tornado Class Championship will be awarded.

5. VENUE AND SCHEDULE OF REGATTA

5.1 Ascona, Lake Maggiore, Saturday May 24th to Sunday May 25th 2014.

5.2 May 24th 8.30 - 11.00 Registrations
 11.00 Skipper Meeting,
 13.00 Warning signal first race

May 25th races, prizes

5.3 Time for first Warning signal of May 25th will be posted within H. 19.00 on May 24th.

5.4 Last possible start signal will be displayed 15.00 on May 25th.

5.5 No more than 4 valid races will be sailed a day.

6. ELIGIBILITY AND ADMISSION

6.1 The race is open to Tornado Class and Dart Class with regular measurement certificate.

6.2 The regatta is open to boats from other countries.

6.3 Competitors (skipper and crew) must be members of a Club affiliated to ISAF. Competitors shall comply to ISAF Regulation 19 - Eligibility Code.

6.4 The person in charge shall be a member of the Class Association

6.5 Each boat shall have a current Public Liability and Third Party Property Insurance policy, including coverage when racing at the venue of the Regatta, of not less than 1,000,000.- € (or the equivalent).

6.6 All the sails of the boats shall be measured.

7. ENTRIES

7.1 It is possible to pre-entry submitting the attached Entry Form by Email to: info@ycas.ch.

7.2 The entries shall be filled out at the Registration Office within 11.00 O'clock Am on Saturday May 24th at the Registration Office, following documents shall be enclosed:

1. Measurement Certificate or Certificate of Conformity

2. **Confirmation of National Authority Membership**
3. **Confirmation of the legitimacy for competitor advertising on the boats**
4. **Insurance policy (with a value not less than 1.000.000 €).**

7.3 **Deadline for Entries:**

The Entry Fee, if received by the Organizing Authority no later than May 15th (by Bank Transfer), will be fixed in 150.- SFr, on the following Bank Account:

Notenstein Bank

Yacht Club Ascona

IBAN: CH 16 0876 5105 6991 4000 0

SWIFT/BIC: WEGECH2GXXX

7.4 Late entries will be accepted within May 24th, 11.00. Entry fee for late entries: 200.- SFr

8. **SAILING INSTRUCTIONS**

Sailing Instructions will be available at the race office from Thursday, May 24th at 8.30 a.m.

9. **RACE FORMAT AND SCORING SYSTEM:**

9.1 Up to six Races will be sailed.

9.2 To constitute the Championship at least 4 valid races must be sailed during the scheduled time.

9.3 The Low Point System of ISAF RRS Appendix A will apply.

9.4 When fewer than 4 races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores

10. **PRIZES**

- Tornado Class Championship Medals for the first 3 boats and for the first swiss team;
- Dart Point Regatta Medals for the first 3 boats.

11. **PARKING**

11.1 For every boat and trailer a suitable place will be provided.

11.2 Parking lots will be shown by the Sailing Club.

12. **SUPPORT BOATS**

12.1 Support boats shall be registered at the race committee before the beginning of the event and comply with the Support Boat.

12.2 Support boats will be part of the security arrangement for the event.

12.3 Support boats will stay at the behind of the Race Committee and the Arrival Mark.

13. **DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY**

Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See rule 4 RRS, Decision to Race. The Organizing Authority will not accept any liability for material damage or personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with or prior to, during, or after the regatta.

14. **SOCIAL EVENTS**

14.1 Saturday, May 24th: Wellcome Aperero by the Skipper Meeting 11.00.

14.2 Saturday, May 24th : Pasta party at the Sailing Club ab. 19.00

14.2 Sunday, May 25th : Pricegiving Aperero.

Registration for these events shall be submitted on the Entry Form.

15. **ACCOMMODATION**

Information about accommodation are available by <http://www.ascona-locarno.com/it/>

TORNADO CLASS CHAMPIONSHIP AND DART POINT REGATTA - REGISTRATION FORM

Class _____ Sail N° _____ Boat Name _____

Helm _____ Birth Date _____

(Family Name - First Name) (dd-mm-yyyy)

Email _____

Club _____ National License # _____

Address _____ Zip _____

City _____ Country _____

Crew _____ Birth Date _____

(Family Name - First Name) (dd-mm-yyyy)

Email _____

Club _____ National License # _____

Address _____ Zip _____

City _____ Country _____

Insurance Company _____ # _____ Expire Date _____

Entry Disclaimer

I assume to my charge and whichever responsibility for damages that had to derive to persons and/or things of thirds party, is in earth that in water, inconsequence of my participation to the race and I raise the organizing club from every responsibility.

Private Statement

I agree that the Yacht Club Ascona may process my data to compile institutional business.

Helmsman signature _____ **Crew signature** _____