



# 1720 SPORTSBOAT EUROPEAN CHAMPIONSHIPS 2022



## NOTICE OF RACE

### TO BE READ IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE VOLVO CORK WEEK 2022 NOTICE OF REGATTA

The 1720 Sportsboat European Championships will be hosted by the Royal Cork Yacht Club in conjunction with Volvo Cork Week 2022.

Racing will take place in the waters of, and surrounding, Cork Harbour from July 11<sup>th</sup> to July 15<sup>th</sup> 2022. The Organising Authority (OA) for the event, by permission of the 1720 Sportsboat Class Association, shall be the Royal Cork Yacht Club.

### 1. RULES

#### 1.1

Racing will be governed by the 'Rules' as defined in the Racing Rules of Sailing 2021 - 2024 (RRS), the Irish Sailing Association Prescriptions, and the prevailing 1720 Sportsboat Class Rules.

#### 1.2

Where there is a conflict with this Notice of Race, or the Volvo Cork Week 2022 Notice of Regatta, the Sailing Instructions shall prevail, except that neither shall change nor alter a class rule.

#### 1.3

World Sailing RRS Appendix UF; Umpired Fleet Racing will apply as granted under RRS 86.3.

### 2. ADVERTISING

#### 2.1

Boats may be required to display advertising chosen and supplied by the Organising Authority.

### 3. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

#### 3.1

Eligible boats may enter online by completing the official entry form at [www.corkweek.ie](http://www.corkweek.ie) before 12pm on June 30<sup>th</sup> 2022.

#### 3.2

Late Entries will be accepted at the discretion of the OA and may be subject to a late entry fee (not more than 125% of the standard entry fee).

### 4. FEES

#### 4.1

The standard entry fee for the 1720 European Championships 2022 shall be €300.

### 5. SCHEDULE

#### 5.1

Registration will be available at the Regatta Race office from 1430hrs on Saturday July 9<sup>th</sup> 2022.

To comply with registration requirements, competitors must ensure the following:

- An entry form has been completed and submitted, and the entry fee is fully paid.
- Emergency contact names and telephone numbers have been provided to the OA.
- All requested safety checks have been complied with and passed.
- All boats are paid up members of the 1720 Class Association.



Cork  
County Council  
Comhairle Contae Chorcaí



Barry &  
Fitzwilliam  
PREMIUM DRINKS COMPANY



5.2

Boats that fail to complete their Registration shall be scored DSQ, without a hearing. This amends RRS 63.1.

5.3

#### Racing

Races constituting the 1720 European Championship are scheduled to take place on the 11<sup>th</sup>, 12<sup>th</sup>, 14<sup>th</sup>, and 15<sup>th</sup> of July 2022.

On Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> July 2022, the 1720 fleet is invited to participate in a Harbour challenge race. Further details will be provided in the Sailing Instructions.

5.4

Number of races:

The 1720 European Championships series will consist of up to 10 races.

## 6. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

6.1

The sailing instructions will be published by the OA after June 30<sup>th</sup> 2022.

## 7. PENALTY SYSTEM

7.1

Decisions of the protest committee jury will be final, as provided in RRS 70.5 (B)

## 8. SCORING

8.1

Under RRS 90.3, scoring shall be the Low Points Scoring System.

Three races are required to be completed to constitute a series.

8.2

If five or more races are sailed there will be one discard applied and if nine or more races are sailed there will be two discards applied, subject to the provisions of RRS Appendix A2 - Scores not excludable. Ties will be decided in accordance with Appendix A8.

## 9. BERTHING

9.1

Complimentary berthing at the Royal Cork Yacht Club will be provided to all competing boats. When berthed, boats shall be kept in their assigned places at the marina.

## 10. LAUNCH & RECOVERY

10.1

The Port of Cork will provide complimentary launch and recovery services to the fleet. Facilities for trailer storage may also be made available. Further details on these arrangements will be provided in the Sailing Instructions.

10.2

Boats shall not be hauled out during the regatta except with, and according to the terms of, the prior written permission of the Race Committee.

## 11. RADIO COMMUNICATION

11.1

Except in an emergency, a boat while racing shall neither make radio transmissions nor receive radio communications not available to all boats.



**JOHNSON & PERROTT**  
MAHONPOINT



Cork  
County Council  
Comhairle Contae Chorcaí



**Barry &  
Fitzwilliam**  
PREMIUM DRINKS COMPANY



**MUSTO**

**CORK'S 96 FM**  
THE BIGGEST HITS - THE BEST VARIETY



**MaREI**  
Centre for Marine and  
Renewable Energy

## 12. PRIZES

### 12.1 Overall Prize

The 1720 European championship prize will be awarded to the boat with the best overall series score.

### 12.2 Day Prizes

Day prizes will be awarded to the two boats with the lowest cumulative scores for each day's racing.

## 13. DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

### 13.1

Competitors participate in the event entirely at their own risk.

See RRS Rule 4, Decision to Race. The OA 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. INSURANCE

### 14.1

It is the duty of each boat owner to have his boat adequately insured against any risk, including civil responsibility to third parties, and to ensure that such insurance remains valid for the entirety of the boats attendance at Volvo Cork Week 2022.

## 15. MEDIA WAIVER

### 15.1

Competitors give their consent to the Royal Cork Yacht Club and its sponsors to use their name, comments, photograph and likeness in order to promote the Volvo Cork Week regatta.

