

# **NOTICE OF RACE**

16th to 22nd December 2019 - Djerba, Tunisia

http://africans2019.techno293.org

Organized by:

# Fédération Tunisienne de Voile

An International Windsurfing Association sanctioned event including

2019 TECHNO 293 JUNIOR (UNDER 15) AFRICAN CHAMPIONSHIPS
2019 TECHNO 293 YOUTH (UNDER 17) AFRICAN CHAMPIONSHIPS
2019 T293 PLUS AFRICAN CHAMPIONSHIPS



#### 1. RULES

- The event will be governed by the rules as defined in the Racing Rules of Sailing Windsurfing Edition (WCR).
- 1.2. The <u>T293 Class Rules</u> & Championship Rules will apply to the Techno 293 (Junior and Youth) World Championships (**T293**).
- 1.3. The <u>T293 Plus Class Rules</u> and Championship Rules will apply to the T293 Plus World Championships (TPlus)
- 1.4. No national prescriptions will apply.
- 1.5. If there is a conflict between languages the English text will take precedence.
- **1.6.** If there is a conflict between the Notice of Race and the Sailing Instructions the Sailing Instructions shall take precedence.

#### 2. ADVERTISING

Boards may be required to display advertising chosen and supplied by the organizing authority. World Sailing Regulation 20 'Advertising Code' shall apply.

# 3. CLASSES AND DIVISIONS

- **3.1.** The participating classes and divisions shall be:
- 3.1.1 **Techno 293 (T293)** Junior Boy & Girl; Youth Boy & Girl
- 3.1.2 T293 Plus (TPlus) Youth Men & Women; Open Men & Women
- 3.2. Age Divisions:
- 3.2.1. A **T293 Junior** shall be under 15 years of age (born in 2005, but not later than 2008).
- 3.2.2. A **T293 Youth** shall be under 17 years of age (born in 2003 but not later than 2006).
- 3.2.3 A TPlus Youth shall be under 19 years of age (born in 2001 but not later than 2004).
- **3.3** A minimum of 5 competitors is required to constitute a division.

#### 4. **ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY**

- **4.1**. Entries shall meet the requirements of World Sailing Regulation 19-Eligibility Code.
- **4.2.** Competitors shall be members of a National Class Association which is a paid up member of the international class association, or of the IWA.
- 4.3. Eligible competitors may <u>enter online</u>- credit/debit card or bank transfer payment required. **Online entry will close on 9**<sup>th</sup> **December 2019.**
- **4.4.** A competitor entry is not valid until the entry fee is paid.

4.5.	The following shall be presented upon registration:		
	☐ Evidence of valid third party insurance		
	Proof of age		
	Parental Permission Form for competitors under 18 years of age		
4.6.	. Coaches and support personnel may <u>register online</u> - credit/debit card or transfer payment required.		
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Boat Driving Licence (if applicable)

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#### 5. **ENTRY FEES**

5.1. The competitor entry fee is 100 € if paid by 24<sup>th</sup> November; and 120 € from 25<sup>th</sup> November.

- 5.2. A fee of **30** € is required for coaches and support personnel.
- **5.3**. Entry fees paid at registration shall be paid in cash Euros.
- **5.4.** Entry fees paid by bank transfer to:

Account Name: The International Windsurfing Association

Bank Details: Barclays Bank Plc, GB IBAN: GB05 BUKB 2008 4452 9772 99

SWIFTBIC: BUKBGB22

Please include "T293AC" in your payment advice and e-mail confirmation of payment

to: <u>iwaoffice@internationalwindsurfing.com</u>

#### 6. RACE FORMAT

- **6.1**. The Championship shall be a *racing*, "open entry" event.
- **6.2.** Men and women, boys and girls may race together depending upon entry numbers.
- 6.3. The **T293** Class may race a maximum 3 races a day, in a maximum 12 race event.
- **6.4**. The **TPlus** Class may race a maximum 4 races per day, in a maximum 15 race event.
- **6.5.** Three races are required to validate the championship for each class.

## 7. **SCHEDULE**

7.1.

Sunday 15 December	10:00 – 18:00	Arrival & training
Monday 16 December	09:00 – 12:00	Registration
	13:00	Coaches meeting
	15:00	Practice race
	18:00	Opening ceremony
Tuesday 17 to Friday 20 December	11:00	Racing
Saturday 21 December	11:00	Racing
	16:00	Last warning signal
	19:00	Prize Giving Ceremony
Sunday 22 December		Departure

7.2. The first possible warning signal will be made each racing day at 11:00hrs

#### 8. **EQUIPMENT & EQUIPMENT INSPECTION**

- **8.1.** An Equipment Inspection Form shall be completed and returned to the Event Equipment Inspector by the close of registration.
- **8.2.** Equipment inspections may be made at any time during the event.

- 8.3. Upon completion of registration and until the end of the event, at all times when ashore except when launching and retrieving, all equipment shall be kept in their assigned places at event site. Removal of any equipment from the event site requires prior written approval from the race committee. Access to equipment in the storage area during certain hours, including hours of darkness may be restricted.
- **8.4.** Unless otherwise directed by the organizing authority, boards and equipment shall be launched and retrieved from the designated area at the event site.

## 9. **SAILING INSTRUCTIONS**

The sailing instructions (SI's) will be available no later than at event registration. Any changes to the SI's shall be approved by the Class Representative at the event.

## 10. COURSES

Courses will be as described in the sailing instructions.

# 11. INTERNATIONAL JURY

An International Jury may be appointed in accordance with WCR Appendix N. There shall be no appeal from their decisions in accordance with WCR 70.5.

#### 12. **SCORING**

Scoring will be according to the WCR Appendix A.

#### 13. COACHES AND SUPPORT BOATS

Support boats shall be registered at the race office. Support boat drivers shall have a valid boat license and third-party liability insurance.

Charter is available and may be applied for – full details on event website.

## 14. SAFETY

- **14.1**. Personal buoyancy is mandatory for every competitor and support boat crewmember.
- **14.2.** Every competitor and support boat crew member shall wear a personal flotation device that shall conform to the minimum standard of ISO 12402-5 (level 50), or as specified in the SI's.

#### 15. PRIZES

- **15.1.** Prizes and titles will be awarded to the first three competitors of each properly constituted class /division.
- 15.2. The first **T293 Junior** boy and girl shall be known as the  **2019 Techno 293 Junior African Champion.**
- 15.3. The first **T293 Youth** boy and girl shall be known as the  **2019 Techno 293 Youth African Champion.**
- 15.4. The first TPlus Youth man and woman shall be known as the 2019 T293 Plus Youth African Champion.
- 15.5. The first TPlus Openman and woman shall be known as the 2019 T293 Plus Open African Champion.

#### 16. OFFICIAL CEREMONIES

Competitors are requested to attend the event's social functions; however, the organizing authority may refuse entry to those whose standard of attire is not commensurate with the occasion. Prize winners may forfeit prizes for non-attendance at the prize giving ceremony.

#### 17. DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

Competitors participate in the event entirely at their own risk; see WCR 4 - Decision to Race. The organizing authority or any of their officials or representatives or the sponsors or their officials or representatives will not accept any liability for material damage or personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with or prior to, during or after the event.

#### 18. **INSURANCE**

Each participating board shall be insured with valid third party liability insurance with a minimum cover of 1,000,000 euro per event or the equivalent.

# 19. RIGHT TO USE NAME AND LIKENESS

In registering for the event, competitors automatically grant to the Organizing Authority the right in perpetuity to make, use and show from time to time at their discretion, any motion pictures, still pictures and live, taped or filmed television and other reproduction of them, taken during the period of the event, for the said Event as defined in the Notice of Race and Sailing Instructions in which he/she participates without compensation.

# 20. FURTHER INFORMATION

- 20.1 Registration will take place at the event registration desks on the event site.
- 20.2 For further information please contact ftv@ftv.org.tn

#### **ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**

#### A EARLY ARRIVALS

Competitors arriving early are advised that support from the organizers can be provided but must be arranged, in advance, so you may kindly contact ftv@ftv.org.tn

#### B EQUIPMENT FOR CHARTER

A limited amount of charter equipment is available – details on event website soon

#### C PREVAILING CONDITIONS

Wind: 10-15 knots.

Water temp: 18-22 degrees

Air temp: 25 degrees

#### D TRANSFERS

Transfers can be arranged by the organiser can arrange transport to and from the international airport (A/P) for competitors, their equipment and support personnel.

1- Tunis carthage A/P: Destination 541 Km to the Venue in Aghir-Djerba 80 Euro (two ways) per person.

Equipment Transportation: 50 Euro (two ways) bus transfer.

2- Djerba- A/P: Destination 31 Km to the Venue in Aghir-Djerba 20 Euro (two ways) per person.

Equipment Transportation: 15 Euro (two ways) bus transfer.

Transfer by plane Tunis - Djerba will be possible according to particular

conditions, details will be published on the event website soon.

Payment will be in cash upon arrival to the organizing committee.

For reservation inquiries please contact: ftv@ftv.org.tn

#### **E** ACCOMMODATION

Accommodation is available at racing venue with the following rates:

-Single Room: 70 Euro/ Night

-Double Room: 55 Euro/Person/Night

-Triple Room: 50 Euro/Person/Night Rates above are half board (breakfast-Dinner) including a packed lunch on the

competition site.

Full board accommodation will require an extra 15 Euro /night.

Payment will be in cash upon arrival to the organizing committee.

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# F VENUE

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