



NOTICE OF RACE

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2021 PANNONIA IFCA JUNIOR, YOUTH & MASTERS SLALOM EUROPEAN CHAMPIONSHIPS

18th to 23rd September 2021

Neusiedl am See, Austria

www.jym-windsurfeuropeans.at

Organised by:

Austrian Sailing GmbH

in co-operation with the

International Funboard Class Association

An International Windsurfing Association sanctioned event *including*

2021 IFCA Youth Men Slalom European Championship

2021 IFCA Youth Women Slalom European Championship

2021 IFCA Junior Boy Slalom European Championship

2021 IFCA Junior Girl Slalom European Championship

2021 IFCA Masters Men Slalom European Championships

2021 IFCA Masters Women Slalom European Championships



1 RULES

- 1.1 The event will be governed by the rules as defined in the [Windsurfing Slalom Racing Rules \(WSRR\)](#).
- 1.2 The International Funboard Class Association (IFCA) Championship Rules apply.
- 1.3 No national prescriptions will apply.
- 1.4 If there is a conflict between languages the English text will take precedence.
- 1.5 For this championship Class Rule C.2.3.(b) does not apply
- 1.6 Competitors and support persons shall comply with any reasonable request from an event official. Failure to comply may be misconduct. Reasonable actions by event officials to implement COVID-19 guidance, protocols or legislation, even if they later prove to have been unnecessary, are not improper actions or omissions. The latest local COVID-19 regulations can be found at www.jym-windsurfeuropeans.at and are part of this NOR

2 ADVERTISING

- 2.1 Sailors may be required to display advertising chosen and supplied by the organising authority. World Sailing Regulation 20 'Advertising Code' shall apply.
- 2.2 Event branding shall be worn at all times when afloat, and as requested by the organisers during media interviews and during the prize giving.

3 DIVISIONS

- 3.1 These Championships are for sailors in FIN division only.
- 3.2 Junior Boy and Youth Men shall race separately.
- 3.3 Junior Girl and Youth Women shall race separately.
- 3.4 A Junior shall be a competitor under the age of 17 (2005 or later).
- 3.5 A Youth shall be a competitor under the age of 21 (born in 2001 or later).
- 3.6 A Master shall be over the age of 40 (born 1980 or earlier).
- 3.7 Masters Men and Masters Women may race together.
- 3.8 There may be additional prize divisions for junior under 15 and under 13 age groups, depending upon competitor entries.
- 3.9 A minimum of 5 competitors is required to constitute a prize division.

4 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 4.1 Entries shall meet 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 [enter online](#) - credit/debit card or bank transfer payment required. **Online entry closes on 11th September 2021.**
- 4.4 **An entry is not valid until it is paid. Unpaid entries at close of online entry may be removed from the entry list.**
- 4.5 Entries will be accepted in the order that valid entries are received. The entry in each division is limited to 80 competitors.

- 4.6 The following shall be presented upon registration:
- Evidence of valid third party insurance
 - Proof of age
 - [Parental Permission Form](#) - for those under age of 18

5 FEES

- 5.1 The entry fee is: 200 euro - Masters, 190 euro - Youth and 160 euro - Junior.
- 5.2 **A discount of 30 euro applies for entries received by 21st August 2021.**
- 5.3 Late entries accepted at registration will incur a 20 euro surcharge.
- 5.4 Entry fees paid at registration shall be paid in cash (euro).
- 5.5 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 "IFCAJYMEC" in your payment advice and e-mail confirmation of payment to: iwaoffice@internationalwindsurfing.com

6 RACE FORMAT

- 6.1 The Championships shall be a single discipline, *slalom racing*, "open entry" event.
- 6.2 Competitors may race a maximum 4 eliminations per day.
- 6.3 One completed slalom elimination (including both A and B finals) is required to validate a championship.

7 SCHEDULE

7.1	Saturday 18 September	10:00-17:30	Registration
		19:00	Opening ceremony
	Sunday 19 September to		
	Thursday 23 September	10:00	First possible warning signal
	Thursday 23 September	17:00	Last possible warning signal
		19:00	Prize giving ceremony

Daily social events are planned and will be announced before Registration

- 7.2 There will be a daily skippers meeting 1 hour before first possible warning signal.

8 EQUIPMENT & EQUIPMENT INSPECTION

- 8.1 An **Online Equipment Inspection Form** shall be completed by each competitor and submitted before the end of registration on [Saturday September 18th](#).
- 8.2 Equipment inspections may be made at any time during the event.
- 8.3 Sail Identification Compliance. The Equipment Inspectors will pay special attention to sail identification rule compliance.

A discretionary penalty of 1 point may be imposed for every slalom elimination sailed with sail numbers that are not complying.

8.4 Use of a FOIL is not permitted - see Class Rule C.6.1

9 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

The sailing instructions (SI's) will be available upon registration. Any changes to the SI's shall be approved by the Class Representative.

10 COURSES

Courses will be as described in the IFCA Championship Rules or as prescribed in the sailing instructions or published on the official notice board (ONB).

11 INTERNATIONAL JURY

An International Jury may be appointed in accordance with WSRR Appendix N. There shall be no appeal from their decisions- WSRR 70.

12 SCORING

Scoring will be according to the WSRR Appendix A.

13 COACHES & SUPPORT BOATS

Coaches and support boats shall be registered with the organiser. Support boat drivers shall have a valid boat licence and third party liability insurance.

14 SAFETY

Every competitor and support boat crewmember must wear a personal flotation device that shall conform to the minimum standard ISO 12402-5 (Level 50).

15 PRIZES & TITLES

15.1 Trophies may be awarded to the first three competitors in each valid division.

15.2 The first competitor in the championship ranking for youth men shall be declared: "2021 IFCA Youth Men Slalom European Champion".

15.3 The first competitor in the championship ranking for youth women shall be declared: "2021 IFCA Youth Women Slalom European Champion".

15.4 The first competitor in the championship ranking for junior boy shall be declared: "2021 IFCA Junior Boy Slalom European Champion."

15.5 The first competitor in the championship ranking for junior girl shall be declared: "2021 IFCA Junior Girl Slalom European Champion".

15.6 The first competitor in the championship ranking for masters men shall be declared: "2021 IFCA Masters Man Slalom European Champion."

15.7 The first competitor in the championship ranking for masters women shall be declared: "2021 IFCA Masters Women Slalom European Champion".

16 OFFICIAL CEREMONIES

Competitors are requested to attend the event's social functions; however, the organising 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 WSRR 4 - Decision to Race. The organising 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 competitor shall be insured with valid third party liability insurance with a minimum cover of 1,500,000 euro per event or the equivalent.

19 RIGHT TO USE NAME AND LIKENESS

In registering for the event, competitors automatically grant to the Organising Authority the right in perpetuity to make, use, modify 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 be in the race office at club.

20.2 For further information please contact:

Austrian Sailing Federation
BLZ Neusiedl am See
Seegelände 10
A-7100 Neusiedl am See
christian.bayer@segelverband.at

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION SHEET

The following information is not part of the rules for the Event.

A TRAVEL & TRANSFERS

The Lake Neusiedl Region lies in the heart of Europe, in the most easterly federal province of Austria. There are a number of ways of travelling to the region – by car, rail or air. Lake Neusiedl is easy to reach from many different places.

By car

Coming from the north and west via the A4 motorway, Exit Neusiedl am See. From the south via the A2 motorway, the S4 and S31 roads to Eisenstadt, and finally the B50 to Neusiedl am See. Coming from Hungary via the frontier crossings at Nickelsdorf (A4) and Pamhagen. Please note the requirement for a pre-paid road toll label on expressways and motorways for your outward journey.

By rail

From Vienna Main Rail Station trains run to Neusiedl am See hourly. From there public buses and connections run to all the resorts. Coming from Hungary, travel by the Lake Neusiedl Railway from Fertoszentmiklos via Pamhagen (Wallern, St.Andrä/Zicksee, Frauenkirchen, Mönchhof, Gols, Weiden) to Neusiedl am See.

By air

The nearest airport, Vienna International Airport, is about 35 km from Neusiedl and destination for many international airlines and low cost carriers.

Competitors who wish to arrange an airport transfer must contact the Organizer in advance, and not later than 14.05.2021.

B ACCOMMODATION

For accommodation please visit <https://www.neusiedlamsee.at/en/tourismus/>

There will be a limited possibility of Parking with campers on the parking area and in the town (750 m from the venue) eventually without electricity.

C PREVAILING CONDITIONS

Air-Temperature: 11° – 22° C

Water-Temperature: 14° – 20° C

North wind:

Moderate to brisk wind, especially after a front has passed through until the

weather has finally improved. While the main wind direction is exactly 0 degrees, the slow gusts swing 5 to 15 degrees in both directions !! The gusts are often at least 1 Bft. stronger than the ground wind, but relatively easy to spot.

Northwest wind/westerly wind:

Brisk to stormy wind while a front is passing through. Main wind direction about 320 degrees. Fast moving, sometimes violent gusts turn mainly west (up to 15 degrees). The wind is rising by at least 1 Bft.

South wind:

Medium to strong fair weather wind. Usually from three days before a front approaches, or as a result of a sucking low pressure area in the Danube region east of Vienna. Moderately strong at the beginning, sometimes stormy immediately before the front arrives. Main wind direction in the morning / noon about 170 degrees, with the sun turning during the day up to 190 degrees. Gusts run through slowly, creating edges. Turns up to 5 degrees from the main wind direction.

East wind:

In case of sustained good weather, thermals in the morning, the short-term up to 3 Bft near the shore. Wind usually dies with daytime warming. Usually not suitable for regattas.

The Lake is very shallow, you can expect a depth of 1,1 – 1,8 m. The ground is soft mud. Water temperature can significant change within one day.

D VENUE

BLZ Neusiedl, Seegelände 10, 7100 Neusiedl am See



Racing Area

