



# SHIMUNI OPEN

**26.–29.9.2019.**

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# CALL FOR ENTRIES

**9. SHIMUNI KITE WIDE OPEN**



# **9<sup>th</sup> SHIMUNI KITE WIDE OPEN**

*Campsite Šimuni, Island of Pag, Croatia; 27-29 September (30 September) 2019*

## **REGATTA ANNOUNCEMENT**

### **Regatta name**

- **9<sup>th</sup> SHIMUNI KITE WIDE OPEN**

### **Organizer**

- SURFBASE ŠIMUNI Sailing Club

### **Venue and date**

- Campsite Šimuni – Island of Pag, 27-29 September (30 September) 2019

### **Disciplines**

- **Kite Twin Tip / Long Distance Slalom** (hereinafter referred to as the LONG DISTANCE); and
- **Kite Foil Race** (hereinafter referred to as the FOIL).

### **Sailing rules and instructions**

- The Regattas will be governed by the rules as defined in the World Racing Rules of Sailing 2017-2020, the Regatta Announcement and the Sailing Instructions.
- In case of any discrepancy between different rules, the Sailing Instructions and Croatian version will prevail.
- The Sailing Instructions will be posted on the official noticeboard and each competitor may request and receive a copy thereof

### **Classifications**

- The SHIMUNI LONG DISTANCE KITE SPRINT RACE is announced for men and women and, in addition to Seniors, the following age classes may apply:
  - Juniors: below the age of 19 (born in 2000 or later)
  - Master:
    - Men above the age of 40 (born in 1979 or earlier)
    - Women above the age of 35 (born in 1984 or earlier)
- At least 5 competitors must be registered for each group (class) to establish it.
- The results recorded in each group will be separated from the overall results.
- Depending on the number of participants in the Junior class, the Organizer may decide to have separate starts and to reduce the course area for Juniors.
- The SHIMUNI KITE FOIL RACE is only announced for men and women

### **Eligibility**

- An unlimited number of competitors above the age of 13 may participate in the Regatta. The competitor or his/her guardian must sign a Waiver. Each competitor must have a number on the sail – otherwise, one will be assigned to him/her by the Organizer.
- The following should be provided for registration purposes:
  - Evidence of age; and
  - Parent's or guardian's authorization for competitors below the age of 18.

## Registration

- Registrations are received from noon on 9 September 2019 up to noon on 25 September 2019 and should be completed using our online form. The Organizer may accept late registrations subject to an extra charge equaling 50% of the entry fee at the Regatta Office up to 11 p.m. on Friday 27 September 2019. Each registration must be personally confirmed at the Regatta Office no later than 11 p.m. on 27 September 2019.
- **Online Registration Form:**

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## Fees (entry fee)

- HRK 250 per competitor for the first discipline
- HRK 50 per competitor for each additional discipline
- Payable to:
  - Jedriličarski klub Surfbase Šimuni,
  - Šestinski trg 5, 10000 Zagreb,
  - OIB: 19960896157
  - IBAN: **HR6723400091110529325**
- Payment purpose: "Kitesurfing Regatta 2019"
- The payment form must include the competitor's full name. The payment receipt should be forwarded to [windsurfing@camping-simuni.hr](mailto:windsurfing@camping-simuni.hr)

## Schedule of competition

- **Friday: 27 September 2019**
  - 9:30 p.m. competitors' meeting
- **Saturday: 28 September 2019**
  - 7 a.m. first possible start
  - 6:30 p.m. last possible start
- **Sunday: 29 September 2019**
  - 7 a.m. first possible start
  - 2 p.m. last possible start
  - Prize-giving
- **Monday: 30 September 2019**
  - Spare day
- The competitors' meeting will take place according to the Regatta Schedule.

## Venue

- The course areas will be provided in Maun Bay.
- A sketch of the SHIMUNI LONG DISTANCE KITE SPRINT RACE course area is provided in Appendix 1.
  - Start - Buoy 1 - Finish
- The course area for the SHIMUNI KITE FOIL RACE is a windward/leeward course
  - Start - Windward Buoy - Finish

## Prizes and titles

- The aggregate prize money for the SHIMUNI LONG DISTANCE SPRINT RACE is HRK 15,000. The competitors will receive their prizes according to the prize-giving schedule to be made available on the official noticeboard before the start of the competition. The Organizer may present additional prizes
- In case the SHIMUNI LONG DISTANCE KITE SPRINT RACE is not held due to bad weather, the Organizer may choose to reallocate part of the prize money to the SHIMUNI KITE FOIL RACE if at least 7 competitors start the race.
- Medals will be given to the first three competitors in both disciplines in each of the men's and women's competitions.
- The Organizer will reward the relevant competitors in each age group with medals if at least 5 competitors start the race in each age group.
- **The recipients of prizes are required to attend the formal prize-giving ceremony – otherwise, they will forfeit their medals and prize money.**

## Competition format

- The SHIMUNI LONG DISTANCE KITE SPRINT RACE and the SHIMUNI KITE FOIL RACE are open competitions.
- 6 races (START – BUOY 1 – FINISH) are planned in both disciplines. There will be no elimination starts.
- Two races must be completed for the competition to be valid.
- All six starts in both disciplines with a pause of at least 2 hours after the end of the first discipline may be held in one day.

## Scoring

- The scoring will be as per Appendix A to the RRS – Alternative Low Point System.
- Order of scoring
  - By age group (minimum achieved)
  - By category (M, F)
  - First                    0.7 points
  - Next                    place = number of points
  - DNF                    number of competitors + 2 points
  - DNS                    number of competitors + 5 points
  - DSQ                    number of competitors + 10 points
- Exclusion of worst score
  - 1 after 3 races
  - 2 after 5 races

## Equipment and inspection of equipment

- The permitted equipment for the Long Distance is Twin Tip boards.
- Equipment may be inspected at any time before, during or after the competition.

## Identification

- Each competitor must wear a Lycra, shirt or vest showing his/her personal number when competing – in absence of such number, one will be assigned to the competitor by the Organizer.

- Each competitor must display an advertisement as required by the Organizer.
- **In case the number is invisible, unclear or ambiguous, it will not be classified.**

### **Sailing courses**

- The sailing courses are as established in the Sailing Instructions or as posted on the noticeboard.

### **Advertising**

- Each competitor must display an advertisement as required and to be supplied by the Organizer.

### **Support boats**

- Coaches and support boats/boards must be registered by the Organizer. Each operator of a support boat must hold a valid license to operate it and third-party liability insurance.

### **Safety**

- **All FOIL Regatta competitors are required to wear helmets.**
- If the required use of personal flotation devices is signaled, each competitor and the support boat crew must wear such personal flotation device, at least according to ISO 12402-5 (Level 50).

### **Official events**

- The competitors are required to attend official events. However, the Organizer may remove them from such events if their conduct or attire is not consistent with the nature of the affair.
- The recipients of prizes may forfeit them if they fail to attend the official prize-giving ceremony.

### **Waiver**

- Each competitor participates in the competition (Regatta) at his/her own risk and on his/her own responsibility. Neither the Organizer nor any other party involved in the organization of this Regatta assumes any liability for any loss, damage, injury, death or accident which may be caused to any persons or equipment, both onshore and offshore, as a result of participating in this Regatta.
- The Organizer will not be responsible for any costs incurred as a result of failure to accept a registration or potential cancelation of the Regatta.
- By signing the Registration Form, the owner or his/her representative accepts these terms and conditions. The competitors are reminded of WS Fundamental Rule 4: The responsibility for a board's decision to participate in a race or to continue racing is hers alone.

### **Media rights**

- The competitors, board owners and their guests assign to the Organizer all rights to use photographs and videos of persons and preparations before, during and after the Regatta in media, including advertisements, press materials for any promotional activities or press releases.
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## Appendix 1



Šimuni, 29 August 2019

### **Additional information – Not part of the REGATTA ANNOUNCEMENT**

- If you need any further information, please contact: Kristina Dominić +385 (0) 4550200, Igor Kecerin +385 (0) 91 4637539
- Weather information is available at <http://meteo.hr/Maslenica>, <https://www.windguru.cz/Šimuni>
- The Croatian Cup Competition Rules are available at [www.hukjd.hr](http://www.hukjd.hr)