STAR CLASS WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP
MALCESINE
June 26 - July 7, 2014

NOTICE OF RACE
1. **Rules**

The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in The Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS) and the rules of the International Star Class Yacht Racing Association (STCR). The Organizing Authority is the Fraglia Vela Malcesine in conjunction with the International Star Class Yacht Racing Association (ISCYRA). The host fleet is Garda.

1.1. Decisions of the International Jury will be final in accordance with RRS 70.5.

1.2. RRS Appendix P will apply.

1.3. The prescriptions of the national authority, Italian Sailing Federation, do not apply.

1.4. RRS 32 will be changed to provide that courses will not be shortened.

1.5. RRS 33b will not apply.

1.6. RRS 35 will be changed to provide that boats not finishing within 60 minutes after the first boat to finish will be scored “Did Not Finish” without a hearing.

1.7. RRS 62.2 and 66 will be changed to shorten the time for requesting redress and the requesting that a hearing be re-opened on the last day of racing.

1.8. RRS A4.1 will be changed to provide that a boat failing to check in prior to the warning signal will be scored the same as a boat not starting in that race without a hearing.

2. **Advertising**

Boats may be required to display Event Advertising on the forward part of the hull. Advertising for tobacco products is strongly discouraged.

3. **Eligibility and Entry**

3.1. Entries eligible in accordance with STCR 21, 26, 29 and 30 may compete. Qualifications are Log plus two. Please see the following documents for clarification of Log plus two: [http://www.starclass.org/artman/publish/article_698.shtml](http://www.starclass.org/artman/publish/article_698.shtml) and [http://www.starclass.org/artman/publish/article_697.shtml](http://www.starclass.org/artman/publish/article_697.shtml)

3.2. Entries shall be submitted on the Official Online Entry Form not later than May 31, 2014. Event website is [www.fragliavela.org](http://www.fragliavela.org) [www.starworld2014.com](http://www.starworld2014.com) online since 15 march 2014

3.3. Only skippers and crew eligible to compete under the ISAF Eligibility Code shall be eligible to compete in this regatta.

3.4. For the purpose of RRS Appendix A Scoring: A competitor is not considered an entry until: (a) All fees are paid and (b) Measurement is completed.

4. **Fees**

The entry fee includes boat and trailer parking, launching, hauling and invitations to social events for skipper and crew. The entry fee must be paid in full by May 31, 2014 and is non-refundable after this date. The entry fee is $800 US.
5. **Schedule**


5.4. Reserve days Sunday and Monday July 6 – 7, 2014 as per STCR 27.1.

5.5. The schedule time of the warning signal for the first race each day is 1230.

5.6. No warning signal will be made after 1600 on Monday, July 7, 2014. (See STCR 27.1)

6. **Measurement**

6.1. Measurement will take place at the Fraglia Vela Malcesine. Each participating boat shall have a valid Measurement Certificate in the current owner’s name, and Weight Certificate. Only boats that have completed registration, paid all entry fees, and passed the prescribed measurement check procedure by 1730 on Saturday, June 28, 2014 are entitled to race. The International Jury may order that a boat be rechecked during the regatta.

6.2. Crew shall demonstrate compliance with crew weight limits in accordance with STCR 31.1.3 prior to 1730 on Saturday, June 28, 2014. Crews may be re-weighed during the event at the discretion of the Organizing Authority.

6.3. Each boat shall show the sail number and national letters as indicated on the Official Entry Form and approved by the Measurer.

6.4. Bow numbers will be assigned and given to each participating boat. They shall be affixed to the hull according to the Sailing Instructions.

7. **Sailing Instructions**

The Sailing Instructions will be available during registration and will be posted on the event website.

8. **Venue**

Racing will be conducted on the lake Garda in front of Fraglia Vela Malcesine.

9. **Courses**

Courses will be according to STCR 34.

10. **Scoring**

Six (6) races are scheduled, of which six (6) races shall be completed to constitute a series.
11. Berthing
Boats shall be at the Fraglia Vela Malcesine commencing at Saturday, June 28, 2014 until the conclusion of racing. Details are specified in the sailing instructions.

12. Haul-Out Restrictions
The Organizing Authority may impose haul-out restrictions.

13. Team and Private Support Boats
A yacht shall receive no outside assistance from support boats or otherwise once she has left the dock for the day until the finish of the last race of the day, except in the case of emergency and/or towing supplied by the organizer and available to all participants.

14. Prizes
14.1. Perpetual Trophies will be awarded according to STCR 24.
14.2. Series prizes will be awarded to the skipper and crew finishing first through fifth.
14.3. Other awards for first place skipper and crew in the following categories: Master (aged 50-59), Grand Master (aged 60-69), Exalted Grand Master (aged 70 and older), Junior (under age 25), Women, Classic (<7300).
14.4. Prizes will be awarded to the skipper and crew finishing first through third for each day.

15. Disclaimer
The Organizing Authority shall require each competitor to sign a waiver for loss, damage or injury to persons or property occurring in conjunction with the regatta or on the property of the Fraglia Vela Malcesine. The organizing Authority, their members, employees, officers, and/or agents shall not be responsible for any loss, damage or injury that may occur to person or property whether ashore or at sea as a consequence of the participation of any boat.

16. Insurance
Boats sailing in this regatta must be adequately insured (1,500,000 €) against third party liability for racing risks. Proof of same may be requested.

17. Information
Visit the club website at www.fragliavela.org
Visit the regatta website at www.starworld2014.com, online since 15 March 2014.