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RS 500 WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP

2-6 AGOSTO 2021
COLICO | ITALY



NOTICE OF RACE

1. ORGANIZING AUTHORITY

Under delegation of FIV, the race is organized by

- PerSport SSD, via Provinciale 20, 22013 Vercana (CO); base nautica Lungolaro Polti 29 Colico – email info@per-sport.it
- GEAS-NBC Vela Colico ASD, v.le Marelli 79, 20099 Sesto San Giovanni (MI); Base Operativa: Lungolaro Polti 27/29 Colico 23823 (LC).

Official race website: www.rs500worlds.it

2. LOCATION AND PROVISIONAL RACE SCHEDULE

The race will be sailed in the stretch of water in front of Colico, with the following schedule:

- 1 August, Sunday
9:00 Sailing Instructions available on the Official race website
10:00 - 18:00 Registration
18:00 - 20:00 Opening Ceremony
- 2 August, Monday
10:00 All crews and boats must be present at the venue
10:00-12:00 Registration
12:30 Skippers meeting (with Race Committee)
14:00 First Warning Signal
- 3 August, Tuesday
13:00 Racing
- 4 August, Wednesday
13:00 Racing
20:00 Competitors Dinner (Pizza on the beach at "Lido di Colico")
- 5 August, Thursday
13:00 Racing
20:30 Music Entertainment at Piazza Garibaldi
22:00 Live Music at "Lido di Colico"
- 6 August, Friday
13:00 Racing
18:00 Prize giving and Closing Ceremony - BEER FESTIVAL (Green Pass could be needed to enter the Festival)



3. RULES

The event is governed by the Rules as defined in The Racing Rules of Sailing. This NoR, the Sailing Instructions and the official communicates that will be posted at the official notice board are considered Rules. If there is a conflict, Sailing Instructions and following Communicates will take precedence (Mod. RRS 63.7).

Add to rule 61.1 (a): *"Protesting boat shall inform the Race Committee about the identity of the boat/boats intend to protest immediately after arriving"*.

4. ADVERTISING

Advertising is free as stated in the Class Rules (Regulation 20 WS). Boats may be required to display advertising chosen and supplied by the organizing authority as stated in Regulation 20 WS. Boats displaying individual advertising will be asked to show their National Authority advertising license.

5. ELEGIBILITY and INSURANCE

The event is open to Italian boats with a FIV 2021 membership card, medical prescription and Class membership card. Foreign boats shall be compliant with their National Authority Rules. All boats, in order to take part in the event, must be members of the International RS 500 Class.

Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum cover of € 1.500.000 or the equivalent.

6. ENTRY

The registration to the championship will be managed through the manage2sail.com portal.

Payments shall be done through wire transfer.

Bank account number 14187X55 at "Banca Popolare di Sondrio - Como"; account name PerSport SSD.

IBAN **IT922056961090000014187X55** – BIC/SWIFT **POSOIT22XXX**

Please login to the portal using the link: the correct page will directly open

<https://www.manage2sail.com/en-US/event/628454db-9f31-4af6-889f-8234aea91119/>

The registration opens on the 20th of April.

The entry fee is **€280,00/boat** up to the 1st of June; **€350,00/boat** up to the 15th of July; **€390,00/boat** up to the 1st of August.

If the race must be cancelled because of the pandemic situation, **at least** 50% of the fee will be refunded.

When finalizing registration all boats shall show: Insurance or FIV Plus card – Advertising license (if needed). Class membership card and category (Junior, Senior, Master...) will be checked.

Underage competitors must present the registration with the signature of a parent, tutor or support person who consent the respect of rules (RRS 3.1(b)) and who, during the event, assume responsibility to let him/her sail.

Before the event start and **every racing day before 11.00 am** all competitors shall MANDATORILY fill in the COVID-19 form provided by organizing authority.

7. EQUIPMENT INSPECTION

No preventive equipment inspection is planned. Competitors shall sail with boats, sails and equipment previously measured. No change of sails is permitted unless by written authorization by Technical Committee or Race Committee. Boats may be inspected after each race.



8. NUMBER OF RACES

If possible 15 races will be sailed. No more than 3 races per day will be sailed.

9. SCORING

The scoring system will be applied as stated in RRS Appendix A (Low Point System).

When fewer than 4 races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores. When from 4 to 8 races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score.

When 9 or more races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her two worst scores.

10. COACHES, PARENTS AND SUPPORT PEOPLE [NP]

All Support People shall register by filling up the form provided by Organizing Authority, including:

- 1) description of their Support Boat;
- 2) approval of "rules for support people and boats" as stated in the Sailing Instructions;
- 3) names of people and number of boats supported.

Registered Support People shall observe instructions of Race Committee and of Protest Committee who, in case of infringement, shall act as stated in RRS 64.4

11. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

The sailing instructions will be available online after 9.00 am the day before the first race and, upon request, at the Race Office.

12. PRIZES

Double prize to the first five boats in the general Ranking.

Other prizes for categories with more than 3 boats registered.

13. RISK STATEMENT

RRS 3 states: 'The responsibility for a boat's decision to participate in a race or to continue to race is hers alone.' By participating in this event each competitor agrees and acknowledges that sailing is a potentially dangerous activity with inherent risks. These risks include strong winds and rough seas, sudden changes in weather, failure of equipment, boat handling errors, poor seamanship by other boats, loss of balance on an unstable platform and fatigue resulting in increased risk of injury. Inherent in the sport of sailing is the risk of permanent, catastrophic injury or death by drowning, trauma, hypothermia or other causes.

14. IMAGE RIGHTS

Competitors allow Organizing Committee to publish and/or broadcast by any media, photo and video of boats and people taken during the event, including but not only, TV commercials and any other written and broadcasted support.

15. CAR, TRAILERS AND BOAT PARKING

Cars, trailers and boats will be hosted in the area provided by the Organizing Committee.

16. AFTER RACE PARTY

After racing a small refreshment will be offered to all competitors.



17. ANTI COVID 19 MEASURES

The organizing committee and all participants shall respect all the "COVID rules and restrictions" enforced by the Italian government and by the Italian Sailing Federation at the time of the race.

18. NOTATION

[DP] notation means that the penalty for the breaching of a rule may, at discretion of the protest committee, be less than disqualification.

[NP] notation in a rule of the sailing instructions (SIs) means that a boat may not protest another boat for breaking that rule. This changes RRS 60.1(a)

19. SUGGESTED ACCOMMODATIONS

- **Camper/caravan area** close to the Club.
Price per night per RV is 10,00 euro.
- **Camping Lido di Colico** – in front of the club - <https://www.lidocolico.it>
- **B&B Eldorado** – Dorio - <http://www.eldorado.it/>
- **B&B DaDi** - Via Bassana, 19, 23823 Villatico - Colico (LC)
0341 940064 <http://www.da-di.it/>
- **B&B La Fiorita** - Via Borgonuovo, 6 23823 - Colico (LC)
3383989262 <http://www.agriturismolafiorita.com/>
- **Marina Apartments** - Piazza G.Garibaldi, 5, 23823 Colico (LC)
328 0207312 www.marinaapt.com
- **Hotel Risi**, Via Lungolaro Polti, 1 – Colico (LC) www.hotelrisi.it
raggiungibile a piedi dalla sede del circolo organizzatore.

More detailed info at www.rs500worlds.it -> accommodation

Il Comitato Organizzatore

