



YACHT CLUB COSTA SMERALDA



**INVITATIONAL SMERALDA 888**

**NOTICE OF RACE  
PORTO CERVO, 8<sup>th</sup> - 10<sup>th</sup> JULY 2011**

SMERALDA 888





## 1. ORGANISING AUTHORITY

The Invitational Smeralda 888 is organised by the Yacht Club Costa Smeralda.

For information please apply to:

Yacht Club Costa Smeralda

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E-Mail: [secretariat@yccs.it](mailto:secretariat@yccs.it) - Website: [www.yccs.com](http://www.yccs.com)

## 2. VENUE

The venue will be in Porto Cervo - Italy.

## 3. ENTRIES

Only Teams invited by the Organising Authority (O.A.) are eligible for the event.

YCCS will assure free moorings and support for hauling and launching the boats.

Some Smeralda 888 and sails will be provided by the YCCS.

For boats provided by the YCCS, the skippers are required to pay a damage deposit of Euro 500 prior to the start of the races. The deposit will be reimbursed at the end of the event.

## 4. ENTRY FORMS AND ENTRY FEE

Entry forms (attached) shall be submitted to the YCCS Race Office, Tel. +39/0789/902200 - Fax +39/0789/91213 - E-Mail: [secretariat@yccs.it](mailto:secretariat@yccs.it) no later than 20<sup>th</sup> June 2011 together with the non refundable entry fee of Euro 600 per boat.

The entry fee covers race-related costs, insurance and some social functions. The entry fee can be paid by Credit Card (VISA or MASTERCARD) or by bank transfer. If the payment is made by bank transfer, a copy of the transfer confirmation is to accompany the entry form. Please make the transfer payments to:

Yacht Club Costa Smeralda

Banca di Credito Sardo - Filiale di Arzachena

IBAN: IT92 D030 5984 9011 0000 0000 071

BIC - SWIFT: BCITIT3C

\*Please specify as object : INVITATIONAL SMERALDA 888 – REGISTRATION QUOTE-  
Name of the boat

## 5. RULES

The races will be governed by the Racing Rules of Sailing 2009-2012 (RRS), including the Notice of Race and the rules of the Smeralda 888 Class Association, except as modified by this Notice of Race and the Sailing Instructions when issued.

All Competitors are solely responsible for the safety of his/her boats and themselves and the decision whether or not to start or to continue to race is each team member's responsibility and not that of Yacht Club Costa Smeralda or any other individual or entity.

## 6. RACES

Teams will race together in fleet races, scheduled for Friday 8<sup>th</sup> , Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> and Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> July. Three races per day may take place. A maximum of 8 races will be raced. Three races are required to validate the event.

## 7. BOATS AND CREWS

7.1 The number of crew (including the skipper) shall be maximum 5 with a limit of maximum weight of 380 kilograms. Only one Group 3 (ISAF Classification Code) is allowed on board and in any case the Group 3 is not allowed to helm the boat. The Crew List shall be received by YCCS no later than 20<sup>th</sup> of June to allow the O.A. the related controls on the Classifications of crew members with ISAF.

7.2 When a registered skipper is unable to continue in the event the Jury or Organising Authority may authorise an original crew member to substitute.  
When a registered crew member is unable to continue in the event, the Jury or Organising Authority may authorise a substitute, a temporary substitute or other adjustment.

7.3 The registered skipper shall helm the yacht at all times while racing, except in an emergency.



## 8. PROGRAMME

- Thursday, 7 <sup>th</sup> July	Arrival of participants, Registrations
- Friday, 8 <sup>th</sup> July	9.30 – 11.00 Registrations 11.30 Briefing at the YCCS Upper Terrace 14.30 Race (s)
- Saturday, 9 <sup>th</sup> July	12.00 Race (s) 20.30 Dinner at the YCCS Clubhouse
- Sunday, 10 <sup>th</sup> July	12.00 Race (s) Immediately after the races Prize Giving at the YCCS Clubhouse

## 9. PRIZES

The YCCS will award prizes to the 1st , 2nd and 3rd Classified Team.

## 10. RACING AREA

The racing area will be in the waters outside the Marina of Porto Cervo.

## 11. BORROWED BOATS

Every effort shall be made to avoid damage to hulls, rigging and sails. Any damage not covered by insurance will be the responsibility of the skipper. Deductibles may be the responsibility of the skipper of the boat determined to be at fault; either by accepting a penalty or by finding of the jury.

## 12. SPINNAKERS

Spinnakers and genoas may be excluded by the Race Committee according to weather conditions or other causes.

## 13. COURSES

Courses will be Windward-Leeward and Coastal courses.

## 14. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

The sailing instructions will be available at the YCCS Race Office upon final registration.

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