



2007

L  
a  
r  
e  
d  
o

# 46<sup>th</sup> Vaurien Class World Championship

19th - 28th JULY 2007  
LAREDO - SPAIN

REAL CLUB NAUTICO DE LAREDO

GOBIERNO de CANTABRIA

EXCMO. AYUNTAMIENTO DE LAREDO

# **NOTICE OF RACE**

## **46<sup>th</sup> Vaurien World Championship Laredo – Spain 19<sup>th</sup> – 28<sup>th</sup> July 2007**

### **1. Organizing Authority**

2007 Vaurien Class World Championship will be organized by Real Club Náutico de Laredo (RCNL) and the Royal Spanish Sailing Federation, under the aegis of the Spanish Vaurien Class Association, the International Vaurien Class Association, and the Cantabrian Sailing Federation.

### **2. Rules**

The championship will be governed by:

- The *rules* as defined in the Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS) 2005-2008,
- Equipment rules of Sailing,

In case, Sailing Instructions will overrule the Notice of Race.

### **3. Language**

The official language of the Championship will be English.

### **4. Amendments**

The Organizing Authority reserves the right to amend this Notice of Race. Any changes will be published on the regatta website.

### **5. Advertising**

The regatta will be classified as a Category C event, in accordance with the ISAF Regulation 20.

### **6. Eligibility**

All competitors shall be currently paid up members of a recognized National Vaurien Association.

To qualify for the Junior Championship, entrants must be born on or after January 1<sup>st</sup> 1988.

To qualify for the Master Championship, Helmsman must be born before December 31<sup>th</sup> 1967 and Crew must be born before January 1<sup>st</sup> 1988. The sum of the ages should be bigger or equal than 65 years.

The entrants in the Championship shall comply with the ISAF Eligibility Rules, as provided in the ISAF Regulation 19, and the Vaurien Class Rules.

## **7. Entry**

Entries on Official Entry Form shall be submitted to the Regatta Office by and no later than June 19<sup>th</sup> 2007, to the following address:

**REAL CLUB NAUTICO DE LAREDO**  
**Avda. Emilio Caprile Poloni, 1**  
**39770 Laredo (Cantabria), Spain**

**Phone: + 34 942 60 58 12**

**Fax: + 34 942 60 53 54**

**e-mail: info@rcnlaredo.es**

The preliminary entries must be made either by a National Federation or National Class Association.

The entry fee of 120 €/boat must be paid before June 19<sup>th</sup> 2007 to the following account:

Name of the bank:	SANTANDER CENTRAL HISPANO
Name of the account:	Real Club Náutico de Laredo
Account number:	<b>BIC/SWIFT:</b> BSCHEMM
	IBAN ES14 0049 4983 2425 1003 7438
Bank Address:	Menéndez Pelayo, 1 39770 LAREDO - CANTABRIA - SPAIN

Payment made by Credit Card (Visa / Mastercard) also available.

*\*Please mention the boat numbers of the participants*

*\*\*If the National Team of any nation is not configured yet by the 19<sup>th</sup> June, either the National Federation or the National Association must do the payment of the preliminary entry in any case.*

Please note that all transfer and bank costs are for the account of the participants.

## **8. Measurement**

All boats must be measured before competing in the Championship. Boats, spars, foils and sails may be re-measured at any time at the discretion of the International Jury or the Race Committee.

A valid measurement certificate shall be presented on registration.

## **9. Sailing Instructions**

The Sailing Instructions will be available after completing the entry procedure on registration days at the Regatta Office.

## **10. Schedule**

### Junior Championship

19 <sup>th</sup> July 09:00 to 20:00	Measurement - Registration
20:00	Opening Ceremony ( <i>Junior</i> )
20 <sup>th</sup> July 12:00	Races
21 <sup>st</sup> July 12:00	Races
22 <sup>nd</sup> July 12:00	Races
20:30	Prize Giving Ceremony ( <i>Junior</i> )

### Overall Championship (Master + Senior + Women + Junior)

22 <sup>nd</sup> July 09:00 to 20:00	Measurement – Registration
23 <sup>rd</sup> July 09:00 to 20:00	Measurement – Registration
20:30	Opening Ceremony
24 <sup>th</sup> July 12:00	Races
25 <sup>th</sup> July 12:00	Races
26 <sup>th</sup> July 12:00	Races
27 <sup>th</sup> July 12:00	Races
28 <sup>th</sup> July 12:00	Races
20:00	Prize Giving Ceremony

For Junior Championship 9 races are programmed, of which 4 will be completed to validate the championship.

For Overall Championship 15 races are programmed, of which 4 will be completed to validate the championship.

## **11. Liability**

A participant is a helm, a crew, a boat owner.

The organizers are the organizing authority, the race management team, patrol craft crews and anyone helping to run the event.

By signing the entry form, participants confirm they are entirely responsible throughout the event for themselves and their boats on land at sea.

Nothing done or not done by the organizers will relieve participants of their responsibilities for any harm to a competitor or boat however caused.

By launching participants imply the suitability of their boat and competence of its helm and crew for any likely conditions. The provisions of security guards or patrol craft do not relieve participants of their responsibilities.

Competitors shall have a third party insurance cover of at least 300.000 EURO for the duration of the Championship.

## **12. Courses**

The course to be sailed is in accordance with the Vaurien World Championship Rules, when possible.

## **13. Scoring**

The Low Point System, Appendix A of the RRS, will apply.

## **14. International Jury**

An International Jury will be constituted for the World Championship in accordance with the Appendix N of the RRS and the decisions of the Jury will be final in accordance with RRS rule 70.4. The right of appeal will be denied.

## **15. Support boats**

All support boats are required to register at the Race Office. An exclusion zone for all support boats and spectator vessels will be operated during racing.

## **16. Prizes**

Prizes will be awarded as follows:

- Vaurien Class World Champion 2007.
- Vaurien Class Junior World Champion 2007.
- Vaurien Class Woman World Champion 2007.
- Vaurien Class Master World Champion 2007.

Other prizes to be awarded will be announced.

## **17. Further information**

Laredo is located in the north coast of Spain, as shown in the picture below:



For further information please visit the regatta website at:

<http://vaurien2007.rcnlaredo.es>



# 46<sup>th</sup> Vaurien Class WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP

## 2007

REAL CLUB NAUTICO DE LAREDO, 19<sup>th</sup> – 28<sup>th</sup> July  
S P A I N

### ENTRY FORM

(Please use capital letters or typewriter)

Nationality code and sail number .....

Women   
Senior   
Junior   
Master

Helmsman's name \_\_\_\_\_

Helmsman's Address \_\_\_\_\_

Helmsman's, town and country \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Nr., \_\_\_\_\_ E-Mail \_\_\_\_\_

Crew \_\_\_\_\_

I agree to be bound by the Racing Rules of Sailing and the conditions of entry as laid down in the Notice of race.

Date \_\_\_\_\_ Signature \_\_\_\_\_

The Entry Fee is 120 € per boat, to be paid before June 19<sup>th</sup> 2.007.

I enclose my bank transfer receipt.

**BIC/SWIFT:** BSCHESMM  
**IBAN:** ES14 0049 4983 2425 1003 7438

Please debit my credit card with the sum of \_\_\_\_\_ € (Visa  Mastercard  )

Card Nr.  Exp.date /

Entries are to be send to:

**Real Club Nautico de Laredo**  
Avda. Emilio Caprile Poloni, 1  
39770 Laredo - SPAIN  
Phone: +34 942 605812  
Fax: +34 942 605354  
Web Site: <http://vaurien2007.rcnlaredo.es>  
Email: [info@rcnlaredo.es](mailto:info@rcnlaredo.es)