

**NOTICE OF RACE**  
**SNIPE CLASS INTERNATIONAL RACING ASSOCIATION**  
**Snipe World Masters Championship 2010**  
**Id Crook Memorial**

**IATE CLUBE DO RIO DE JANEIRO – RIO DE JANEIRO – BRAZIL**

**19-26 September 2010**

**ORGANIZING AUTHORITY:**

Fleet 159, the Iate Clube do Rio de Janeiro and Confederação Brasileira de Vela e Motor, in co-operation with the Snipe Class International Racing Association.

**RULES:**

The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in the Racing Rules of Sailing.

The SCIRA Rules of Conduct for Conducting National and International Championship Regattas, and the Deed of Gift will apply.

No national prescriptions will apply. In case of a conflict between the Notice of Race and the Sailing Instruction, the Sailing Instructions shall prevail.

If there is a conflict between languages the English text will take precedence.

**ADVERTISING:**

Advertising is permitted per Snipe Class rules.

Boats may be asked to display advertising chosen and supplied by the organizing authority

**ENTRY AND ELIGIBILITY:**

This regatta is open to SCIRA registered boats and Class Member skippers and crews who are in good standing with SCIRA for the current year. Skipper to be at least 45 years of age in the year of the regatta. Combined age of skipper and crew must be at least 80 years in the year of the regatta.. No skipper or crew shall be eligible to enter any Class championship race unless they possess and present a current Class Membership Card, or its SCIRA-issued equivalent or shows as current member in the SCIRA Official Online Database..

**REGISTRATION:**

Entries should be sent to [vela@icrj.com.br](mailto:vela@icrj.com.br) using the attached form up to 18<sup>st</sup> September 2010. The entry fee is R\$ 550,00 (about USD 300,00) per boat and includes trailer parking and invitations to social events for skipper and crew. The payment must be made at the Sailing Office up to 19<sup>th</sup> September 12:00. Support boats will be required to register with the Organizing Authority and pay a USD 50 fee for boats up to 5 meter and USD 75 for boats bigger than 5m.

**SCHEDULE:**

(1) registration: All entries should be confirmed up to 19<sup>th</sup> September 12:00 at the Sailing Office.

(2) measurement: from 10 am to 6 pm of 19 and 20th September.

(3) racing:

21st September – 10:00 – two races – *Brazilian Barbecue*

22nd September - 10:00 – one race – *Samba at Lapa*

23rd September - Lay Day – *City tour*

24th September 10:00 – two races – *Caipirinha's day*

25th September – 10:00 – one race

26th September - 10:00 – one race – *Prize Given*

7 races are scheduled, 3 races shall constitute a regatta; drop race allowed after 5 races completed. No more than two races per day.

**MEASUREMENT:**

- (1) all boats shall produce a valid measurement certificate and are subject to measurement at any time at the reasonable discretion of the Class or Race Committee.
- (2) all boats are required to have a current Class decal properly displayed.
- (3) all boats are required to attend the measurement as scheduled.

**SAILING INSTRUCTIONS:**

- (1) the regatta Sailing Instructions will be available upon final registration completed on 19<sup>th</sup> September 2010.

**COURSES:**

- (1) the courses to be sailed are the Class approved courses for World Championship regattas as published in the current SCIRA Official Rulebook and SCIRA web site.

**BLACK FLAG:**

- (1) RRS Rule 30.3 shall not be used in this regatta

**SCORING:**

The ISAF scoring system will be used.

**SUPPORT BOATS:**

Support boats shall be credit to Organizing Committee that will assign an identification flag.

**CHARTER BOATS:**

There is a limited number of Snipe boats to charter, on first arrived first served basis, available for foreign crews. Please contact Felipe Canepa [felipe@diagonalinvest.com.br](mailto:felipe@diagonalinvest.com.br) for more information.

**RADIO COMMUNICATION:**

Except in an emergency, a boat shall neither make radio transmissions while racing nor receive radio communications not available to all boats. This restriction also applies to mobile telephones.

**DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY**

Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See rule 4, Decision to Race. The organizing authority will not accept any liability for material damage or personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with or prior to, during, or after the regatta.

**PRIZES:**

3 division of medals will be presented for top three places in the following divisions :  
Apprentice master division ( 45 –54 Years )  
Master division ( 55 –64 Years )  
Grand master division ( 65 Years and over )  
Overall Master World Champion will be top placing team.

**SOCIAL:** Brazilian Barbecue, Night at Lapa (samba house), City tour and lot of fun every day. Some social events may be charged.

**SCIRA REPRESENTATIVE:** To be defined in the Sailing Instructions

**REGATTA CONTACT:**

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