



**Formula Windsurfing World Championships  
May 30th - June 5th 2017  
Sylt / Germany**



**NOTICE OF RACE**

**2017 FORMULA WINDSURFING WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP**

**29<sup>th</sup> May to 5<sup>th</sup> June in Westerland, Sylt, Germany**

**Organised by ChoppyWater GmbH**

in co-operation with

Formula Windsurfing Verein Kiel e.V.

and the German Windsurfing Association

**An International Windsurfing Association sanctioned event**



## **1 RULES**

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- 1.1 The event will be governed by the rules as defined in the Racing Rules of Sailing – Windsurfing Competition Rules (WCR).
- 1.2 The International Formula Windsurfing Class (IFWC) Championship Rules shall apply, as amended by the Sailing Instructions.
- 1.3 No national prescriptions will apply.
- 1.4 If there is a conflict between languages the English text will take precedence.
- 1.5 Separate slalom and wave competitions may also take place as addition to the FW championship if suitable conditions exist for those disciplines. Formula racing will take precedence when suitable conditions exist for racing (For further details see appendix E – Handling of Other Disciplines).

## **2 ADVERTISING**

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- 2.1 Sailors may be required to display advertising chosen and supplied by the organising authority. World Sailing Regulation 20 'Advertising Code' shall apply.
- 2.2 Event branding shall be worn at all times when afloat, and as requested by the organizers during media interviews and during the prize giving.

## **3 DIVISIONS**

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- 3.1 **Gender Divisions:** Men and Women.
- 3.2 **Age Divisions:**
  - 3.2.1 A Youth shall be under the age 20 (born in or after 1998 and not later than 2002).
  - 3.2.2 A Master shall be a man over the age of 35 (born 1981 or earlier).
  - 3.2.3 A Grand Master shall be a man over the age of 45 (born 1971 or earlier).
- 3.3 **FW Weight Division:** Lightweight is a male competitor who weighs less than 75kg.
- 3.4 A minimum of 5 competitors is required to constitute a division.

## **4 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY**

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- 4.1 All competitor entries shall meet the requirements of World Sailing Regulation 19 - Eligibility Code.
- 4.2 Competitors shall be members of a National Class Association which is a paid up member of the international class association (IFWC), or of the IWA. Membership formalities can be completed on site.
- 4.3 Eligible competitors may [enter online](#) - credit/debit card or bank transfer payment required. **Online entry will close on 22<sup>nd</sup> May.**
- 4.4 An entry is not valid until it is paid.
- 4.5 The following shall be presented upon registration:
  - Evidence of valid third party insurance
  - Proof of age
  - [Parental Permission Form](#) - *for those under age of 18*
  - Deposit of 20 euro for the event lycra (*will be refunded when the lycra is returned undamaged after the prize giving*)

## **5 FEES**

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- 5.1 The required entry fee is: 190 euro; except youth is 160 euro.

- 5.2 A 30 euro discount will be deducted for entries received by **30<sup>th</sup> April 2017**.
- 5.3 Entry fees paid at registration shall be paid in cash (euro).
- 5.4 Late entries received at registration will be surcharged 20 euro.
- 5.5 Entry fees paid by bank transfer to:  
 Account Name: The International Windsurfing Association  
 Bank Details: Barclays Bank Plc, GB  
 IBAN: GB93 BARC 2008 4452 9772 99  
 SWIFTBIC: BARCGB22  
 Please include "FWWC" in your payment advice and e-mail confirmation of payment to: [iwaoffice@internationalwindsurfing.com](mailto:iwaoffice@internationalwindsurfing.com)

## **6 RACE FORMAT**

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- 6.1 The championship shall be a single discipline, **course racing**, "open entry" event.
- 6.2 Men and women may race together.
- 6.3 Competitors shall race a maximum 4 races per day, in a maximum 15 race series. Three races are required to validate the Championship.

## **7 SCHEDULE**

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|-------------------|-----------|-------------------------------|
| Sat/Sun 27/28 May |           | Arrival & Training            |
| Monday 29 May     | 1000-1600 | Registration                  |
|                   | 1800      | Opening Ceremony              |
| Tuesday 30 May    | 1100      | First possible warning signal |
| to Monday 5 June  |           |                               |
| Monday 5 June     | 1500      | Last possible warning signal  |
|                   | 1700      | Prize giving ceremony         |
| Monday 5 June     |           | Departure                     |
- 7.1 There will be a daily skippers meeting on racing days one hour before the first possible warning signal.

## **8 EQUIPMENT & EQUIPMENT INSPECTION**

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- 8.1 An **Equipment Inspection Form** which will also be available at registration, shall be returned to the Event Equipment Inspector by the end of registration.
- 8.2 Equipment inspections may be made at any time during the event
- 8.3 Unless otherwise directed by the organising authority, boards and equipment shall be launched and retrieved from the designated area at the event site.

## **9 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS**

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The sailing instructions (SI's) will be available upon registration. Any changes to the SI's shall be approved by the Class Representative at the event.

## **10 COURSES**

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Courses will be as described in the sailing instructions.

## **11 INTERNATIONAL JURY**

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An International Jury may be appointed in accordance with WCR Appendix N. There shall be no appeal from their decisions in accordance with WCR 70.5.

## **12 SCORING**

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Scoring will be according to the WCR Appendix A except as amended by the relevant class championship rules.

## **13 COACHES & SUPPORT BOATS**

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Coaches and support boats shall be registered with the organiser. Support boat drivers shall have a valid boat licence and third party liability insurance.

## **14 SAFETY**

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Support boat crewmember, and, if conditions require it, competitors, shall wear a personal flotation device that shall conform to the minimum standard of ISO 12402-5 (level 50).

## **15 PRIZES**

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- 15.1 Prizes may be awarded to the first three competitors of each properly constituted division.
- 15.2 The first man or woman will be declared - **“2017 Formula Windsurfing World Champion”**.
- 15.3 There shall be a prize fund of **10,000 euro** (net of taxes) which shall be distributed according to IFWC Rules.

## **16 OFFICIAL CEREMONIES**

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Competitors are requested to attend the event’s social functions; including the opening and closing ceremonies. **Prize winners may forfeit prizes for non attendance at the prize giving ceremony.**

## **17 DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY**

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Competitors participate in the event entirely at their own risk, see WCR 4 - Decision to Race. The organising authority or any of their officials or representatives or the sponsors or their officials or representatives will not accept any liability for material damage or personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with or prior to, during or after the event.

## **18 INSURANCE**

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Each participating competitor shall be insured with valid third party liability insurance with a minimum cover of 1,000,000 euro per event or the equivalent.

## **19 RIGHT TO USE NAME AND LIKENESS**

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In registering for the event, competitors automatically grant to the Organising Authority the right in perpetuity to make, use and show from time to time at their discretion, any motion pictures, still pictures and live, taped or filmed television and other reproduction of them, taken during the period of the event, for the said Event as defined in the Notice of Race and Sailing Instructions in which he/she participates without compensation.

## **20 FURTHER INFORMATION**

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20.1 Registration will be in the race office at the event site.

20.2 For further information please contact:

Choppy Water GmbH, Brammersoll 2, 24235 Stein, GERMANY

Tel: **+49 (0) 4343 / 4946420** Email: [event@choppywater.de](mailto:event@choppywater.de)

## **ADDITIONAL INFORMATION SHEET**

The following information is not part of the rules for the Event.

### **A TRAVEL & TRANSFER**

See Travelling & Accommodation Info

### **B ACCOMMODATION**

See Travelling & Accommodation Info

### **C PREVAILING CONDITIONS**

Wind: 5 to 35 knots; Air temperature: 15<sup>0</sup>C to 25<sup>0</sup>C; Water temperature: 16<sup>0</sup>C

### **D VENUE - RACING AREA**

See event website

### **E HANDLING OF OTHER DISCIPLINES**

Details to follow



# SUMMER OPENING SYLT

## Reiseinfo

30. Mai - 05. Juni  
2017

FORMULA WINDSURFING WM



**CHOPPY WATER**  
EVENTMANAGEMENT



German  
Windsurfing  
Association



World Sailing

Deutscher Segler-Verband



## Unterkunfts- und Reiseinformation

### Summer Opening Sylt

Datum: 30. Mai – 05. Juni 2017

#### 1. Unterkünfte und Übernachtung

##### 1.1. Fahrerlager

Die Organisatoren stellen ein Fahrerlager zur Verfügung. Hier können alle Teilnehmer kostenlos in ihren Autos oder Wohnmobilen übernachten. Das Fahrerlager ist ca. 1 km vom Eventgelände entfernt (Uthlandstraße, siehe Bild). Über Tag ist das Parken (mit Parkschein) auf dem Brandenburger Platz möglich. **ACHTUNG! Ab 20:00 Uhr ist auf dem Brandenburger Platz das Übernachten in Fahrzeugen, sowie das Parken von Fahrzeugen, die eine Übernachtungsmöglichkeit darstellen, strengstens verboten. Dies wird von einem Sicherheitsdienst überwacht.** Fehlverhalten kann mit Strafen bis EUR 100,- sowie weiteren Disziplinarmaßnahmen bis hin zum Ausschluss von der Regatta geahndet werden.



## Travelling- and Accomodationinfo

### Summer Opening Sylt

Date: May 30th – June 5th 2017

#### 1. Sleeping and Accomodation

##### 1.1. Competitors Camp

The organizer provides a competitors camp (Uthlandstraße, see picture). Competitors have a special permission to sleep in this area in their cars during the nights free of any charge. Showers and toilettes are provided at the event area. The distance from the competitors camp to the event venue is about 1km. During the day the participants may park their cars on the „Brandenburger Platz“. **But during the night it is absolutely forbidden to park on this place with vehicles, which have the option to sleep in. This will be enforced by guards.** Every offence may result in a monetary penalty of 100,- € or a disqualification of the regatta.



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## 1.2. Unterkünfte

Es wird empfohlen ein Hotel oder Appartement zu buchen. Die Insel Sylt bietet eine große Auswahl an Übernachtungsmöglichkeiten in verschiedenen Preissegmenten.

### **Insel Sylt Tourismus Service**

Tel.: +49 (0) 4651 / 9980

Mail: [urlaub@insel-sylt.de](mailto:urlaub@insel-sylt.de)

Webseite: <http://www.westerland.de>

## 1.2. Accommodation

It is recommended to book apartments or hotel rooms. Westerland offers many hotels and apartments in different price ranges.

### **Island Sylt Tourism Service**

Phone: +49 (0) 4651 / 9980

Mail: [urlaub@insel-sylt.de](mailto:urlaub@insel-sylt.de),

Website: <http://www.westerland.de>

## 2. Materiallager & Parken

2.1. Die Organisatoren stellen ein Materiallager direkt am Strand von Westerland zur Verfügung. Über Nacht (21:00 – 09:00 Uhr) wird das Material von einem Sicherheitsdienst überwacht.

2.2. **Achtung!** Das Befahren der Promenade mit Fahrzeugen ist grundsätzlich nicht gestattet.

2.3. Tagsüber können alle Teilnehmer ihre Fahrzeuge auf dem Brandenburger Platz parken. **Achtung!** Das Übernachten auf diesem Platz ist nicht gestattet.

2.4. Fehlverhalten kann mit Strafen bis EUR 100,- sowie weiteren Disziplinarmaßnahmen bis hin zum Ausschluss von der Regatta geahndet werden.

## 2. Equipment Storage & Parking

2.1. There is an equipment storage area directly at the beach in which the participants can drop off their equipment for the event. During the nights (21:00 until 9:00) guards will watch the area.

2.2. **Attention!** Access to the event area with vehicles is strictly forbidden.

2.3. During the days, the cars of the participants may be parked on the „Brandenburger Platz“. **Attention!** It is strictly forbidden to sleep at the „Brandenburger Platz“. A separate competitors camp is provided by the organizer.

2.4. Every offence may result in a monetary penalty of 100,- € or a disqualification of the regatta.

## 3. Verpflegung

3.1. Auf dem Eventgelände wird eine Riders Lounge zur Verfügung gestellt. Dieser Bereich ist nur für die Teilnehmer zugänglich. Zur täglichen Verpflegung findet ihr hier ein Angebot an Wasser und Obst.

3.2. Im Rahmen der Einschreibung werden Verzehr- und Getränk Gutscheine verteilt. 1x Verzehr gutschein für Gosch (Wert 10,-€) pro Tag und je 2 Getränk Gutscheine pro Tag.

## 3. Catering

3.1. There will be a Riders Lounge on the event area. Only competitors have the permission to enter this area. The Riders Lounge offers a daily amount of water and fresh fruits.

3.2. Every competitor will receive catering vouchers within the inscription. There will be one voucher for food and two vouchers for drinks per day. The voucher for food is valid at the Gosch stand and has a maximum value of 10 €.



## 4. Anreise (Preise/Daten unter Vorbehalt)

Für die Anreise gibt es zwei verschiedene Optionen. Einerseits kann man die Syltfähre von Dänemark aus nutzen oder andererseits mit dem Syltshuttle von Niebüll aus fahren. Durch Kooperationen mit beiden Verkehrsanbietern werden den Teilnehmern Rabatte geboten.

### 4.1. Anreise mit der Syltfähre (Römö-List)

Fahrplan: <http://www.syltfaehre.de/fahrplan/>

Jeder Teilnehmer erhält ca. zwei Wochen vor der Veranstaltung einen Rabattcode für die Syltfähre. Jeder kann vorab über das Callcenter einen Überfahrtsplatz reservieren. Am Schalter erhält man durch den Rabattcode dann einen vergünstigten Preis.

Hin- und Rückfahrt mit:

- **PKW:** 49,- € (bis 6m Länge)
- **LKW/Transporter/Anhänger:** 20 % Rabatt auf Listenpreis

### 4.2. Anreise mit den Syltshuttle (Niebüll – Westerland)

Fahrplan: <https://www.syltshuttle.de/syltshuttle-de/start/fahrplaene/>

Jeder Teilnehmer erhält ca. zwei Wochen vor der Veranstaltung einen Rabatt-Code für den DB Bahn Sylt Shuttle per E-Mail zugesendet. Dieser Code ist individuell zugeordnet und kann nicht übertragen werden. Er ist vom **25. Mai – 15. Juni 2017** gültig.

- **PKW** (bis 6m) **66,-€**
- **LKW** (bis 6m) **81,-€**
- **LKW** (bis 8m) **115,-€**
- **LKW** (bis 10m) **145,-€**
- **LKW** (bis 15m) **215,-€**
- **LKW** (bis 21m) **286,-€**

## 4. Arrival (prices can change)

For the arrival every competitor has two options. You can travel by ferry from Denmark or use the Syltshuttle from Niebüll/Germany. Because of our event cooperation with both, we can offer special deals for every competitor.

### 4.1. Arrival by the ferry (Römö-List)

Timetable: <http://www.syltfaehre.de/fahrplan/>

Every competitor receives a discount code for the Syltferry via E-mail about two weeks before the event. With this code you can reserve a place by calling at the Syltferry Call-Center and get the discounted price.

return fare:

- **car:** 49,- € (up to 6m length)
- **trucks and trailer:** 20% discount

### 4.2. Arrival by the Syltshuttle (Niebüll - Westerland)

Timetable: <https://www.syltshuttle.de/syltshuttle-de/start/fahrplaene/>

Every competitor receives a discount code for the DB Bahn Sylt Shuttle via E-mail about two weeks before the event. This code is individual and can't be transferred. The Code is valid from **May 25th - June 15th 2017**.

- **car** (up to 6m) **66,-€**
- **truck** (up to 6m) **81,-€**
- **truck** (up to 8m) **115,-€**
- **truck** (up to 10m) **145,-€**
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## 5. Weitere Informationen

### 5.1. Anfahrtsadresse

**Brandenburger Platz  
Westerland, Sylt**

5.2. Tägliche News, Fotos und Ergebnisse können auf der offiziellen Website [www.windsurfcup.de](http://www.windsurfcup.de), [www.summeropeningsylt.de](http://www.summeropeningsylt.de) und [www.facebook.com/deutscherwindsurfcup/](http://www.facebook.com/deutscherwindsurfcup/) gefunden werden.

### 5.3. Kontaktadresse

**Choppy Water GmbH**  
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Internet: [www.choppywater.de](http://www.choppywater.de)

## 5. Further Information

### 5.1. Travel address

**Brandenburger Platz  
Westerland, Sylt**

5.2. Daily news, photos and results can be found on the official websites [www.windsurfcup.de](http://www.windsurfcup.de), [www.summeropeningsylt.de](http://www.summeropeningsylt.de) and [www.facebook.com/deutscherwindsurfcup/](http://www.facebook.com/deutscherwindsurfcup/).

### 5.3. Contact address

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