

# 2009 South American FE Championship



**Maragogi, AL – October 30<sup>th</sup> and 31<sup>st</sup> – November 01<sup>st</sup> and 02<sup>nd</sup> of 2009**

## Notice of Race

### 1- EVENT

The South American Formula Experience Championship will be held from Friday 30<sup>th</sup> October to Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> November.

### 2- ORGANISER

The championship will be organized by WR Windsports, City Hall of Maragogi and Federação Alagoana de Vela e Motor, under ABWS supervision.

### 3- VENUE

**3.1** The event will be based on Maragogi beach. Maragogi is a touristic town in the northeast Brazil with the green sea with white sand beaches and palm trees everywhere. The reefs outside keeps the water flat and warm near the beach.

**3.2** Conditions to be expected: winds 10-20 knots, side shore and onshore; water temperature 25° C and air temperature 30° C

### 4- RULES

The competition will be governed by ISAF Windsurfing Competition Rules (WCR), Class Rules and, National Authority prescriptions. If there is a conflict between languages, the English text will take precedence.

### 5- ADVERTISING

**5.1** The ISAF Regulation 20- Advertising Code – shall apply.

**5.2** Competitors may be required to carry advertising for event sponsors – both on their sails and on a lycra vest, if supplied by the organizer.

### 6- ELEGIBILITY AND ENTRY

**4.1.** The championship will be disputed for sailors of Formula Experience Class on divisions **OPEN, JUNIOR U15, JUNIOR U17, SENIOR, MASTER, GRAN MASTER, WOMEN, LIGHT WEIGHT OPEN e HEAVY WEIGHT OPEN**. Formula Windsurfing is an invited category and there are no divisions for this class.

**4.2.** **The competitors Racing on Formula Experience class** shall be registered on National Windsurfing Association with 2009 fee paid.

**4.3.** **Until October 15th 2009** the entry fee could be paid with discount: R\$ 120,00. The entry should be confirmed by e-mail with Form A filled and bank transfer.

**4.4.** Entries made on site shall be made in cash only (Real currency). The fee after October 15th will be R\$ 150,00.

**4.5.** To confirm na entry the sailor should provide the documents as follows:

- Form A filled and signed by the competitor or his legal responsible;
- Form B to be filled by the responsible of the sailor under the age of 18.

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### 5. SCHEDULE

| Date  | Time                            |                                                                                   |
|-------|---------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 30/10 | 12h às 18h<br>13h às 16h<br>20h | Equipment inscription / measurement<br>Practice races<br>Welcome Party / Briefing |
| 31/10 | 10h<br>11h às 17h               | Skippers Meeting<br>Races                                                         |
| 01/11 | 10h<br>11h às 17h<br>20h        | Skippers Meeting<br>Races<br>Party – Reginaldo Rossi's concert                    |
| 02/11 | 10h às 16h<br>16:30             | Races<br>Prize giving                                                             |

### 6. EQUIPMENT INSPECTION

**6.1.** It is the responsibility of each competitor to ensure that his/her board and equipment conforms to its Class Rules, and an Equipment Inspection Form is returned to the Event Equipment Inspector before the start of competition.

**6.2.** Equipment checks may be made throughout the event.

### 7. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

The 'Championship SIs' will be available at registration, as well as the Event Program scheduling social events.

### 8. RACING AREA

The event will be based at Maragogi beach, in front of Golfinho restaurant.

### 9. COURSES

Courses shall be as prescribed in the Championship Rules or in the Sailing Instructions.

### 10. SCORING

Scoring will be in accordance with WCR Appendix A, as amended by the Championship Rules, and using the "Low Points Scoring System."

### 11. BUOYANCY

11.1 If personal buoyancy is prescribed every competitor and support boat crewmember shall wear, above the waist, a jacket harness or vest with a minimum buoyancy of 4kg un-inflated in fresh water. The buoyancy shall be tested with a ferrous metal weight of 4kg, which shall remain supported for a minimum of 5

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minutes.

11.2 Personal buoyancy is mandatory for all competitors under 17 years of age.

### 12. PRIZES

- 1st to 5th place Open.
- 1st to 3rd place Senior, Master and Gran Master
- 1st to 3rd place junior U15 and U17
- 1st to 3rd place Women
- 1st place Heavy and Light weights
- 1st place Team (each country team will be represented by its sailors)
- 1st to 3rd place FW invited class

Para que haja uma categoria, terá que ter no mínimo 3 inscritos.

### 14. DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

14.1 Competitors take part in all races at their own risk. The organizer, IWA, FEC, IFWC and ABWS or any of their officials or representatives or the sponsors or their officials or representatives are not responsible, under any circumstances, for any damage, loss or injury either ashore or on the water either to persons or equipment, which may result.

14.2 Participation in this event, supporting events and in each race in them is at the sole discretion of the sailor and at his/her own risk. Notice is drawn to RRS 4.

### 15. TELEVISION AND MEDIA

In registering for the event, competitors automatically grant to the Organizing 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 Championship as defined in the Notice of Race and Sailing Instructions in which he/she participates without compensation.



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### FORM A

### ENTRY FORM

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Class: (\_\_\_\_) FE (\_\_\_\_) FW  
(\_\_\_\_) Junior 15 (\_\_\_\_) Junior 17  
(\_\_\_\_) Senior (\_\_\_\_) Master (\_\_\_\_) Gran Master

Date of birth: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ Weight: \_\_\_\_ Kg

Address:

\_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_ ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

Country: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Club / Fleet:

\_\_\_\_\_

National Association:

\_\_\_\_\_

Sail Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Responsible (if competitor under 18):

\_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

I accept to follow the rules of sailing and all other rules that govern this event.

Competitor's Signature:

\_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

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### FORM B

#### **RESPONSIBLE AUTHORIZATION**

I, as his/her legal responsible, authorize the sailor \_\_\_\_\_ to compete at the 2009 South American Formula Experience Championship. I declare to hold total responsibility for any harm, injury or damage caused during the event exempting of any responsibility the Organizers, Sponsors and other person involved on the organization and promotion of this Championship

Place and date:

\_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_ de \_\_\_\_\_ de \_\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name / Signature of the legal responsible