



NOTICE OF RACE

TECHNO 293 EUROPEAN CHAMPIONSHIPS

20th to 27th October 2018

TO BE HELD AT

Vari – Varkiza Athens Greece

<http://europeans2018.techno293.org>

Organized by:

Nautical Athletic Club Vari – Varkiza

in co-operation with the

Hellenic Sailing Federation (E.I.O.)

An International Windsurfing Association sanctioned event including

2018 TECHNO 293 JUNIOR (UNDER 15) EUROPEAN CHAMPIONSHIPS

2018 TECHNO 293 YOUTH (UNDER 17) EUROPEAN CHAMPIONSHIPS



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1 RULES

- 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 Techno 293 Class Rules and Championship Rules will apply.
- 1.3 No national prescriptions will apply.
- 1.4 If there is a conflict between languages the English text will take precedence.
- 1.5 If there is a conflict between the Notice of Race and the Sailing Instructions the Sailing Instructions shall take precedence.
- 1.6 **Every competitor will be required to carry on their person, not attached to their equipment, a tracking device supplied by the organisation during every race.**

2 ADVERTISING

Boards may be required to display advertising chosen and supplied by the organizing authority. World Sailing Regulation 20 'Advertising Code' shall apply.

3 DIVISIONS

- 3.1 The participating divisions shall be:
 - 3.1.1 Techno 293 - Junior Boy & Girl.
A Junior shall be under 15 years of age (born in 2004 and not later than 2007).
 - 3.1.2 Techno 293 – Youth Boy & Girl.
A Youth shall be under 17 years of age (born in 2002 and not later than 2005).
- 3.2 A minimum of 5 competitors is required to constitute a division.

4 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 4.1 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 relevant international class association, 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. On-line entry will close 13th October 2018.
- 4.4 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*
- 4.5 Support personnel may [register online](#) - credit/debit card or bank transfer payment required).
The following shall be presented upon registration:
 - Boat Driving Licence (if applicable)
 - Evidence of valid third party insurance

5 ENTRY FEES

- 5.1 The required fees are: 180 euro.
- 5.2 Competitor entry fees paid by **20th September** shall receive a **30 euro discount**.
- 5.3 Late entries accepted at registration and unpaid entries shall pay 200 euro.
- 5.4 A fee of 50 euro is required for support personnel.

- 5.5 Entry fees paid at registration shall be paid in cash - Euros.
- 5.6 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 "T293EC" in your payment advice and e-mail confirmation of payment to: iwaoffice@internationalwindsurfing.com

6 RACE FORMAT

- 6.1 The Championship shall be a *racing*, "open entry" event.
- 6.2 Boys and girls may race together depending upon entry numbers.
- 6.3 Competitors shall race a maximum 3 races per day, in a maximum of 12 race event.
- 6.4 Three races are required to validate the championship for each division.

7 SCHEDULE

7.1

Thursday/Friday 18/19 Oct		Arrival & training
Saturday 20 October	10:00 – 17:00 19:00	Registration Opening Ceremony
Sunday 21 October	10:00 - 13:00 15:00 18:00	Registration Practice Race Support Personnel meeting
Monday 22 Oct to Saturday 27 Oct	10:00	First possible warning signal
Saturday 27 October	15:00 19:00	Last possible warning signal Prize Giving Ceremony
Sunday 28 October		Departure

- 7.2 The first possible warning signal will be made each day at 10:00hrs, except for the practice race on 21st when it will be made at 15:00hrs.

8 EQUIPMENT & EQUIPMENT INSPECTION

- 8.1 An Equipment Inspection Form shall be completed and returned to the Event Equipment Inspectors by the close of registration.
- 8.2 Equipment inspections may be made at any time during the event.
- 8.3 Upon completion of registration and until the end of the event, at all times when ashore except when launching and retrieving from the designated area, all equipment shall be kept in their assigned places at event site. Removal of any equipment from the event site requires prior written approval from the race committee. Access to equipment in the storage area during certain hours, including hours of darkness may be restricted.

- 8.4 **Each racing day every competitor will be issued with a tracking device, which shall be returned to the distribution desk at the end of each day.**

9 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

The sailing instructions (SI's) will be available no later than event registration. Any changes to the SI's shall be approved by the Class Representative at the event.

10 COURSES

Courses will be as described in the sailing instructions.

11 INTERNATIONAL JURY

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

Scoring will be according to the WCR Appendix A. Championship Rules apply when Group Racing within divisions.

13 SUPPORT BOATS

Support boats shall be registered at the race office. For coach boat charter please contact :

Mr. Pawel Hlavaty, H14 Performance Ribs, charter@h14.pl, or visit the relevant page on the event website. Charters are dealt with on a first come, first served basis

Support boat drivers shall have a valid boat licence and 3rd party liability insurance. All support boats shall be berthed in Vari-Varkiza harbor – see appendix. Charter is available and may be applied for via the [event website](#).

14 SAFETY

- 14.1 Personal buoyancy is mandatory for every competitor and support boat crew member.
- 14.2 Every competitor and support boat crew member shall wear a personal flotation device that shall conform to the minimum standard of ISO 12402-5 (level 50), or as specified in the SI's.

15 PRIZES

- 15.1 Prizes will be awarded to the first three competitors of each constituted division.
- 15.2 The first Junior boy and girl shall be known as the – **2018 Techno 293 Junior European Champion.**
- 15.3 The first Youth boy and girl shall be known as the – **2018 Techno 293 Youth European Champion.**
- 15.4 **European titles shall only be awarded to competitors from a European country.**

16 OFFICIAL CEREMONIES

Competitors are requested to attend the event's social functions; however, the organising authority may refuse entry to those whose standard of attire is not commensurate with the occasion. **Prize winners may forfeit prizes for non attendance at the prize giving ceremony.**

17 DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

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

Each participating board 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

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

- 20.1 Registration will take place at the venue registration desks.
- 20.2 For further information please contact **by email:** europeanT293@naovv.gr
- 20.3 Each team is kindly requested to bring its own National Flag (100cm x 150cm) and the National Anthem recorded in Digital form.
- 20.4 There are no medical precautions that need to be taken entering Greece

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

A EARLY ARRIVALS

Competitors arriving early are advised that support from the organizers can be arranged, in advance, from the 15th October.

B EQUIPMENT FOR CHARTER

A limited amount of charter equipment is available. No later than 15th August 2018 please contact : t293@internationalwindsurfing.com

C TRAVEL & TRANSFERS

Airport: Athens International Airport - <https://www.aia.gr/traveler/>

Airport transfers can be arranged and details will be published on the event website.

D ACCOMMODATION

- STEFANAKIS HOTEL & Apartments - <http://www.stefanakishotel.gr>
- APOLONIA HOTEL Apartments - <http://www.apolloniahotel.gr/?lang=el>
- Hotels, Hostels and Apartments at airbnb.com and booking.com
- Towns to choose : Vari, Varkiza Vouliagmeni, or Glyfada
- Varkiza Beach Camping - <https://www.gtp.gr/AccommodationDetails.asp?ID=62019>
- Further information will be posted on the event website as it become available.

E GEOGRAPHICAL DATA

Type of location: Beaches under Ministry of Environment Inspection, Blue Flag 2008, Blue Flag 2009, Blue Flag 2010, Blue Flag 2011, Blue Flag 2012, Blue Flag 2013, Blue Flag 2014, Blue Flag 2015, Blue Flag 2016, Blue Flag 2017, Blue Flag 2018

(<https://www.gtp.gr/LocPage.asp?id=71813>)

Postal Code: 16672

Tel +30 210

Longitude: 23° 48' 21.46" E

Latitude: 37° 49' 11.42" N

F HARBOUR

https://www.marinetraffic.com/en/ais/details/ports/17269/Greece_port:VARKIZA

Latitude / Longitude: **37.81725° / 23.80225°**

G SAILING CONDITIONS – WIND FORECAST

- Meteo - http://www.meteo.gr/cf-en.cfm?city_id=90
- Windguru - <https://www.windguru.cz/49206>
- Poseidon - http://www.poseidon.hcmr.gr/weather_forecast.php?area_id=gr

H CHANDLERY & REPAIRS

Chandlery and repairs will be available on site.

- Sail Repairs - <http://saildoctor.gr/>
- Sails & Boards Repairs - <https://el-gr.facebook.com/doctorwindsurfing>

I CONDITIONS IN OCTOBER

MONTHLY CLIMATOLOGICAL SUMMARY for OCT.

NAME: varkiza CITY: STATE:
 ELEV: 15 m LAT: 37° 49' 05" N LONG: 23° 48' 05" E

TEMPERATURE (°C), RAIN (mm), WIND SPEED (km/hr)

DAY	MEAN TEMP	HIGH	TIME	LOW	TIME	HEAT DEG DAYS	COOL DEG DAYS	RAIN	AVG WIND SPEED	HIGH	TIME	DOM DIR
1	25.8	31.2	12:50	22.0	7:40	0.0	7.4	0.0	7.2	32.2	12:10	NE
2	23.9	27.6	15:00	20.4	6:50	0.0	5.6	0.0	5.3	20.9	13:10	SE
3	25.3	28.1	15:10	23.1	0:20	0.0	6.9	0.0	9.3	37.0	23:50	WNW
4	24.6	28.3	11:10	21.7	00:00	0.0	6.3	0.0	7.2	38.6	1:10	NE
5	23.5	27.4	14:50	20.0	7:40	0.0	5.2	0.0	6.0	32.2	16:50	NE
6	24.5	27.9	14:10	21.0	0:50	0.0	6.2	0.0	10.6	40.2	13:50	NE
7	23.6	27.5	15:10	19.9	4:10	0.0	5.2	0.0	6.1	20.9	13:20	WNW
8	24.0	27.1	16:20	21.9	23:40	0.0	5.7	0.0	10.0	38.6	4:00	WNW
9	21.8	24.0	15:00	20.1	6:50	0.0	3.5	0.0	12.9	40.2	10:50	NE
10	20.4	22.0	16:30	19.4	23:40	0.0	2.1	0.0	9.3	27.4	14:40	NE
11	21.2	24.8	13:10	18.6	4:50	0.0	2.8	0.0	6.4	22.5	10:00	NNE
12	21.8	24.4	12:30	18.6	6:20	0.0	3.5	0.0	7.6	24.1	17:30	SE
13	23.6	25.6	13:30	21.6	7:40	0.0	5.2	0.0	5.3	19.3	11:50	WNW
14	23.1	25.5	13:50	20.1	3:00	0.0	4.7	2.0	8.4	43.5	20:30	SE
15	23.7	25.8	12:50	20.7	6:40	0.0	5.4	0.0	7.4	27.4	4:00	SSE
16	23.8	26.3	13:30	21.7	6:50	0.0	5.4	0.0	4.2	19.3	17:40	SE
17	24.7	28.7	15:00	22.2	5:10	0.0	6.3	0.0	4.3	30.6	9:30	WNW
18	23.9	28.4	14:30	21.0	7:40	0.0	5.6	0.0	10.0	38.6	19:40	NE
19	22.8	25.9	12:40	20.1	23:30	0.0	4.5	0.0	12.9	45.1	17:20	NE
20	21.7	25.6	14:50	17.9	6:20	0.0	3.3	0.0	10.0	43.5	14:40	NE
21	20.3	23.4	13:10	18.2	8:00	0.0	2.0	0.0	11.4	41.8	12:10	NE
22	18.8	21.8	11:40	16.8	00:00	0.2	0.7	2.8	7.6	30.6	13:30	WNW
23	17.9	20.7	14:10	16.7	8:00	0.7	0.2	4.0	7.1	35.4	14:10	WNW
24	18.5	20.8	14:40	16.9	9:40	0.4	0.5	0.6	7.7	33.8	12:50	NNE
25	18.6	22.1	15:30	16.2	7:40	0.7	1.0	0.0	6.4	29.0	12:40	NW
26	18.7	22.7	16:50	14.8	5:10	1.1	1.6	0.0	4.8	17.7	15:20	NW
27	21.1	23.9	15:20	16.7	8:10	0.2	2.9	0.0	10.1	46.7	16:10	SSW
28	23.6	24.4	17:00	22.9	2:00	0.0	5.2	0.0	19.2	49.9	10:30	SE
29	23.1	24.9	15:20	20.7	21:00	0.0	4.7	0.0	14.5	53.1	12:10	SE
30	19.7	21.6	15:10	17.6	6:50	0.1	1.4	0.0	10.3	41.8	3:30	WNW
31	19.0	23.1	14:40	15.3	6:10	0.6	1.3	0.0	4.5	16.1	1:30	NW

Source : <http://www.meteovarkiza.gr/>

Wind: 5 – 30 knots

Water temp: 18 -21 degrees

Air temp: 18 – 25 degrees

J RACING AREAS



K TRANSPORTATION

Transportation from and to Athens International Airport will be provided. Your transport booking needs to be received, together with the corresponding payment. Buses will depart from the airport <https://stefanakishotel.gr/poluteli-poulman/>

L SUPPORTERS

Help can be provided with reserving rooms for supporters.

M SOCIAL EVENTS - VENUE

To enhance the friendship between the participants and to make their stay in Varkiza more enjoyable, appropriate social events will be organised. Casual attire.

