

# J70 VIGO WINTER SERIES 2017-2018

## LINDE – SOGACSA SERIES

7th Series (17 - 18 March 2018)

### NOTICE OF RACE

The Organizing Authority of this 5th Series is the Royal Nautic Club of Vigo in conjunction with the Spanish J/70 Owners Association.

#### 1.- RULES

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by
- The rules as defined in The Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS 2.017-2020)
  - The rules of the International J/70 Class
  - Addendum Q adapted to this regatta and J70 class
  - Notice of Race of the J70 Vigo WINTER SERIES and Notice of Race of each Series
  - The Sailing Instructions may contain changes to other rules
- 1.2 If there is a conflict between Notice of Race and Sailing Instructions, the Sailing Instructions will take precedence.
- 1.3 If there is a conflict between languages the Spanish text will take precedence.

#### 2.- ENTRIES

- 2.1 The boats must present a sticker/card class, measuring certificate and crew members have a sport license 2018.
- 2.2 The regatta is open to all boats of the J/70 class
- 2.3 A copy of the boat's liability insurance must be submitted and proof of payment of the registration fees in the race.
- 2.4 The number of crew members cannot be changed in each Series. In the event that it is detected by the judges, umpires or officers any boat infringing this rule, it will be automatically penalized with a point in each of the racings in which it has been observed infringing the rule.
- 2.5 Registration (confirmation of crew members at this Series) shall be mandatory.
- 2.6 Entry form should be sent to

[regatas@rcnauticovigo.com](mailto:regatas@rcnauticovigo.com) e [info@desmarque.es](mailto:info@desmarque.es)

**At least 24 hours before the beginning of the first racing of the Series**, using the official entry form, **or personally in the racing secretary on Saturday 17 March 2018** from 11:00 to 12:00 hours, using the generic entry form provided for the organization

Once a boat is registered at a Series, for the following series he should only report if he makes any changes to the crew

The boat which does not confirm its crew in any of the above forms before 12:00 hours on Saturday, 17 March 2018, shall be considered non-participant at this stage for all purposes. The Organizing Committee reserves the right to extend the period of confirm.

- 2.8 For any enquiry or extension of information send e-mail to [info@j70spain.com](mailto:info@j70spain.com)

### 3.- SCHEDULE

Date	Hour	Action
Saturday 17 March	From 11.00 to 12.00 hours...	Opening sailing office Registration (deadline) Sailing Instructions delivery
	11.45 hours .....	Skippers briefing ( <b>Sail Office-Sport building first floor</b> )
	13.30 hours .....	Warning signal 1st race
	No later than 18.30 hours ...	Last start of the day (Limit)
Sunday 18 March	10.00 hours .....	Warning signal 1st race
	No later than 14:00 hours ..	Last start of the day (Limit)

### 4.- EVENT FORMAT. SCORING

- 4.1 All boats will sail as one fleet.
- 4.2 The low-point scoring system RRS, will apply, and:
- 4.2.1 In each Series, when 6 or more races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores, excluding her worst score.
- 4.2.2 for general WINTER SERIES, one will be exclude every seven (7) valid race completed
- 4.3 A maximum of 4 races on any day may be sailed, except if the race Committee deems it appropriate to do more races.

### 5.- INSPECTION AND MEASUREMENT – RADIO COMMUNICATION

- 5.1 Only one set of Sails may be used at each regatta and must be controled for to the race Committee to signed.
- 5.2 An additional SPI, sealed, can be carried at boat..
- 5.3. All boats may be weighed before going down to the water.

5.4. At the end of each racing, the race committee will be able to check the first three classified in the sea, and when arriving at the shore, to which they are indicated by draw.

5.5 Radio Communication Channel **71** VHF.

## 6.- THE COURSES

The courses to be sailed will be windward / leeward, described in the sailing instructions

## 7.- PRIZES

This race will be scored to J70 VIGO WINTER SERIES, LINDE - SOGACSA Trophy.

Prize giving of this Winter Series TROFEO LINDE - SOGACSA that ends with this series, will be held in a special event with all the Authorities and Sponsors coinciding with the inauguration of the new ramp and sports dock for nautical events, most likely in the second half of April.

## 8.- DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

Royal Nautic Club of Vigo and the Spanish J/70 Owners Association, 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. Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See rule 4, Decision to Race.

## 9.- ADVERTISING

9.1 Advertising shall only be displayed in accordance with Regulation 20 – World Sailing Advertising Code

9.2 Boats shall be required to display advertising chosen and supplied by the Organizing Authority (OA), in accordance with World Sailing Regulation 20 and J/70 Class rules. If provided, flags, stickers and decals shall be displayed from the close of check-in through the end of the regatta. Bow numbers, stickers and flags will be supplied to each boat by the OA.

10.- This Notice of Race may be changed by the organization if necessary.

VIGO, March 2.018  
Organizing Authority  
ROYAL NAUTIC CLUB VIGO