



Wednesday, 15th of August, 2012

news

A turbulent start on the first day of the regatta

The wind did not quite pull evenly across the lake, as the young sailors of the Laser 4.7 European Championship met on Monday at 11:30 clock to the start of the first race day. Light and shifty winds made it difficult for the Race Committee Helmut Czasny and Martin Lehner to put the courses on the two tracks perfectly. The large field of participants was on the two paths in several groups, and distributed separately for boys and girls, which are characterized by various fleet colors.

Without a possibility to start, against 13 clock the participants had to go back to the club area. After a short delay a non-significant, but still a sufficient improvement

to wind conditions ceased to, so that was started at 15:30 clock to the first race of the day. This was a little more then expected for the young sailors on track A and bestowed a general recall and 10 disqualifications in the subsequent Black Flag start.

With continued light and shifty winds still gusting up to 11 knots, on line A, a total of two races was sailed. To ensure fair conditions for all before the entering recession at the end of the second race, this was shortened to end yet. On line B with much shallower wind only one race in the boys group was possible. Unfortunately the girls had to drive back to the port without a successful start on Monday.

Ideal Conditions - already enough races for EM

On Monday, he had probably just thrown a small eye on the Neusiedler See, but at yesterday's second race day of the Laser 4.7 European Championship the weather god was kind to the sailors. With winds from 7 to 14 knots he brought them ideal conditions. Although not the lightest, because the rotating winds with strong gusts on both race courses were difficult.



All participants have mastered these conditions but with flying colors. Despite a number of general recalls on both tracks, there were no early starters to line A. On the other hand, line B, there were eight disqualification while black flag starts in the girls' group. A total of two races was sailed in all colors. For the boys on line B even a third race was possible. Some protest hearings in the evening brought some signifi-

cant changes, even with disqualification, in the results.

For the boys with already four sailed races - from planned six - the EM foundation is already established. At the end of the day, then all present EM results are drawn from



the qualifications to divide the gold, silver and bronze fleets for the final races on Thursday, Friday and Saturday. First favorites are already emerging. For today, the weather forecasts look back a little worse with weaker wind. Race Officer Helmut Czasny still hopes on good terms. A constant wind is especially important for the girls, for these the sailing instructions were amended today to allow them a third race. Scheduled launch today is at 11:30 clock.

Have a nice day!

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Weather



morning

23°



5 km/h
NW

13°



afternoon

25°



4 km/h
NW

23°



evening

25°



4 km/h
NW

20°



night

20°



6 km/h
NW

16°

Picture of the day



What a great day!



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European championship results of the 14th of August

Boys overall (after four races)

1st place	Kevin Bonnevie from Belgium
2nd place	Jonathan Peretz from Israel
3rd place	Maximilian Kuester from Italy
4th place	Sampaio Santiago Villax from Portugal
5th place	Ryan Lo from Singapore
6th place	Rodriguez Perez Nahuel from Spain
7th place	Wagen Kilian from Switzerland
8th place	Aribas Y Doga from Turkey
9th place	Weber Alvisse from Italy
10th place	Fanti Jacopo from Italy

Girls overall (after two races)

1st place	Ng Theodora Ying Ning from Singapore
2nd place	Carlier Maite from Belgium
3rd place	Stefaniak Julia from Poland
4th place	de Wolf Astrid from Belgium
5th place	Faihs Valentina from Austria
6th place	Jakob Jana from Germany
7th place	Vrijenhoek Floor from Netherlands
8th place	Manioti Zoe from Greece
9th place	Miras Leung Irene from Spain
10th place	Mikkola Monika from Finland

Congratulations to all of the yesterdays winners!

Midweek Party

Don't be late for the beginning of the half time party after the races in the club house. A DJ will play great music, drinks are available at the bar and the right fun and humor, you bring with yourself. But don't



forgett to sleep at night to be fit for the first final races on Thursday!

Last day for embroidery

Today ist the last day for our embroidery on site. If somebody is still interestet to embroider his clothes or to get an event ja-



cket with one of the nice European Championships Designs, so visit the company on their standing position next to the club house.

Photos

