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MicroClass FRANCE

Membre de l'International Micro Cupper Class Association Reconnue par World Sailing Classe affiliée FFVoile www.mc18.fr

Micro Class Country Report

Country: FRANCE Year: 2018

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Resources: Annual

N° of boats: 70 Micro are active participants in the class association

N° of new boats built in the present year and certificate: 0

Average price of complete new boat without sails (Euro):

No Micro builder in France

Number and list of Micro Regatta, location, participants:

17 Tour de France regattas, part of which 5 are "Classic Tour"

Average participation per Tour de France regatta:

17 Micro, with a max of 37 Micro at Vassiviére

Overall: 58 Regattas with 5 or more Micro on 2017

226 Micro have participated, at least at one regatta with 5 or more Micro on 2017

Euro Micro, location, participants:

Strasbourg 15 Micro overall, 1 from Germany, 1 from Russia on 2017

Annecy on September 8th - 9th 2018

World Championship, location, participants:

Annecy 68 Micro overall and 44 Micro from France: 10 Countries and 2 Continents were represented.

Świnoujście, 7 French Micro participate.

Main actions of the year:

15 Tour de France regattas with 2 regattas with more then 30 boats (Vassivière and FFVoile Championship)

Prepare French Européenne Micro in Annecy on September 8th - 9th.

Neptune 5.50 still very popular as 30 boats are racing.

Flyer 5.50 fleet is now of 11 boats and a class association Flyer Class France is in progress. Microsail Class has been renewed and will promote the Microsail with 20 active boats.

Next year projects:

20 Tour de France Regattas, including 4 Classic Tour and 1 Micro National Championship. Micro National Championship in lake of Vassivière (near Limoges) from 18 to 19 of May. After Annecy test, we could propose Euro Micro regattas for 2019.

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Future Micro WC:

France to be candidate for either 2021 or 2022

A regulation for organizer has been written covering all key points and especially information on windy spot.

Has been send to different French sailing club:

Méditerranée sea: Istres, Séte, Saint Raphael, La grande Motte

Atlantic sea: Hourtin, Cazeaux, La Rochelle, Quiberon

Renew of IMCCA board:

Philippe Benaben and Jean Louis Hayes are candidate.

Regis Mitonneau to continue to be web Master, and will appreciate as his role to receive information to be dispatched as countries are in charge of creating these information.

Technical Committee:

Clarify text on carbon features authorized / some French crew did not exactly understand the text.

Boat sail number (asked by World Sailing and Regis). Each boat should have a unique and specific Identification Number on Sails.

Identification of a boat is done through: Builder identification plaque, ISAF plaque and Sail number

On line certificate: all measurements certificate to be digitalized; already done for France This will allow all national measurers to have access to an unique database.

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