



Open Finn Gold Cup 2022

Fraglia Vela Malcesine

May 15 to May 21 2022

PRELIMINARY NOTICE

This notice is not a notice of race but does give competitors the information they require to enter the event. The notice of race will be released shortly following final approval from the federation.

"PROCEDURE FOR REGULATION OF ACTION TO FIGHT AND CONTAIN THE SPREAD OF COVID-19 IN AFFILIATED SPORTS CLUBS AND ASSOCIATIONS", current version - hereafter referred to as the "PROTOCOLLO". The event will adhere to the rules outlined in the relevant version of the "PROTOCOLLO" at the time. Breaches of the "PROTOCOLLO" may be subject to penalties.

Organizing Authority and Venue

The 2022 Finn Gold Cup will be held from May 15 to May 21, 2022 in Malcesine, Italy.

On behalf of Italian Sailing Federation (FIV) the Organizing Authority is the Fraglia Vela Malcesine in conjunction with the International Finn Association and the Italian Finn Class Association.

1 Communications

The event official notice board will be online at

<https://fragliavela.sailti.com/en/default/races/race/text/FinnGoldCup-CampionatodelMondoclassifinn-it>

2 Eligibility and Entry

- 2.1 Eligible competitors shall be current members of an IFA recognised National Finn Association. They shall complete the registration online, sending by email all the documentation requested prior to 13 May 2022.
- 2.2 The entry quota of Part C "Entry System for IFA Official Championships" of the IFA Constitution will not apply.
- 2.3 Entry is open and is restricted to **200 boats**. Entries shall be accepted in the order that they are received. If some member nations cannot enter early due to travel restrictions, then a number of places will be reserved until three months prior to the championship.
- 2.4 Entries shall be submitted online prior to 13 May 2022, unless extended by the Organizing Authority. The entry form is available at 2022.finngoldcup.org
<https://fragliavela.sailti.com/en/default/races/race/text/FinnGoldCup-CampionatodelMondoclassifinn-it>
- 2.5 A valid measurement certificate for the boat entered shall be sent by email at race@fragliavela.org prior to 13 May 2022.

3 Entry fee

- 3.1 The Entry Fee is EUR 350 (including €50 to be paid to the IFA) and shall be paid in full by 15 April 2022 as detailed on the entry form. Entries received after 15 April 2022 shall be considered late and the late entry fee is €425. Entry fee can be paid by bank transfer or with Paypal (Bank fees and paypal fee shall be paid by entrant).
- 3.2 An entry is not complete until any entry fees have been paid, the entry has been accepted by the Organizing Authority and the International Finn Association, registration and any required equipment inspection before the first race, has been completed.
- 3.3 Support boats will be required to register and pay a fee of EUR 70, be insured and comply with local regulations to be permitted to use launching and berthing at the venue. Registration may be completed on line through the event website (<https://fragliavela.sailti.com/en/default/races/race/text/FinnGoldCup-CampionatodelMondoclassefinn-it>). Payment is required by 14 May 2022.
- 3.4 Cancellation policy: For registration annulation before the 15th of April the 90% of the entry fee paid will be refunded. For notifications after the 16th of April and before the 10th of May 50% of the entry fee paid will be refunded. After the 11th of May no entry fee will be refunded.

4 Competition Format

- 4.1 Ten races are scheduled.
- 4.2 This format may be changed with the approval of the IFA and will be specified in the Sailing Instructions.
- 4.3 The Race Committee in conjunction with the IFA may decide to divide the fleet series into groups. The method of division will ensure groups of approximately equal size and ability and will be detailed in the Sailing Instructions.

5 Event Schedule

- 5.1 The event schedule may be changed with the approval of the IFA and will be specified in the Sailing Instructions, however, the days allocated for racing will not be changed.

Date	Event	Time	Location
Sun, 15 May	Equipment Inspection/Registration	10.00 – 12.00 and 14.00 18.00	Fraglia Vela Malcesine headquarter
Mon, 16 May	IFA AGM	10.00	Fraglia Vela Malcesine headquarter
	Equipment Inspection/Registration Competitor's Meeting	17.00	Fraglia Vela Malcesine headquarter
Mon, 16 May	Opening Ceremony	18.30 - TBC	TBD
Tues, 17 May	Racing (2 races scheduled) First Warning Signal	13.00	
Weds, 18 May	Racing (2 races scheduled) First Warning Signal	TBD	
Thurs, 19 May	Racing (2 races scheduled) First Warning Signal	TBD	
Fri, 20 May	Racing (2 races scheduled) First Warning Signal	TBD	
Sat, 21 May	Racing (2 races scheduled) First Warning Signal Closing Ceremony & Prize Giving	TBD After races	Fraglia Vela Malcesine

6 Schedule of Races and Attendance at Ceremonies

- 6.1 Two races are scheduled for each day of racing.
- 6.2 An additional race may be scheduled on any day to enable the full number of scheduled races to be sailed. A maximum of three races per day will be sailed. This schedule may be changed to fit with any changes to NOR 4 and 5 permitted by the IFA.

- 6.3 Succeeding races will be started as soon as practicable after the finish of the previous races.
- 6.4 No warning signal will be made after 15.00 hours on Sat, 21 May.
- 6.5 All participants are requested by the International Finn Class and the Organizing Authority to attend the Opening and Closing Ceremonies.

7 Insurance

Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum cover of €1,500,000 or the equivalent thereof in any other currency for any one incident. By entering the event each competitor declares that they hold such insurance and a proof of it shall be sent by email at race@fragliavela.org prior to 13 May 2022.

8 Prizes

- 8.1 The Finn Gold Cup will be awarded to the overall winner.
- 8.2 The Organizing Authority will provide prizes for the top 10 boats overall and top 3 Under 23.

9 Further information, hospitality and early arrival

- 9.1 For further information, please contact Fraglia Vela Malcesine: race@fragliavela.org.
- 9.2 Free hospitality at the Club: starting from Friday 13th May, until Sunday 22nd May.
- 9.3 **Training At Fraglia Vela Malcesine:**
- 9.4 Any competitor that plans to use the club facilities before 13 May shall email race@fragliavela.org to book a slot. There is a fee for bookings outside of the free days listed in 9.2 above. (Special price per boat: €10/day or €60/week or €150/month)
- 9.5 Campers are not allowed in the parking area of the Yacht Club (both during the day and the night).
- 9.6 For trailers, it is compulsory to enter by the NORTH GATE (please call to advise the club just before your arrival: +39 3371080580).

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