



RC 44 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

14th – 18th November

Organizing authority:

The RC44 Cascais Cup 2018 will be organised by Clube Naval de Cascais in co-operation with the RC 44 Class Association.

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| Chief umpire: | Mercuriali Marco | ITA | IU | NJ |
| Umpires: | Gerard Bosse | FRA | IU | IJ |
| | O'Hara Bill | IRL | IU | IJ |
| | Miguel Allen | POR | IU | IJ |

PRINCIPAL RACE OFFICER: Peter Reggio (USA)

Abbreviations:

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| PC – protest committee | RC – race committee |
| OA – organizing authority | NA – national authority |
| RRS – racing rules of sailing | NoR – notice of race |
| IJ – International Jury | SI – sailing instructions |
| MR SI – RC 44 match race SI | FR SI – RC 44 fleet race SI |

1 RULES

- 1.1 The event will be governed by
- the 'rules' as defined in the RRS,
 - the Equipment Rules of Sailing will apply,
 - the RC 44 Event Calls
 - national authority prescriptions will not apply

In addition, only for the Match Racing Series, by

- the Appendix C as altered by the MR SI,
- the RC 44 Match Racing SI Vs 2018_02,

In addition, only for the Fleet Racing Series, by

- the RC 44 Fleet Racing SI Vs 2018_02,
- the Addendum RC44 (see attached to the FR SI) will apply as altered by the FR SI, approved by World Sailing.

- 1.2 An IJ will be appointed, in accordance with RRS Appendix N, and the right of appeal will be denied in accordance with RRS 70.5.

2 SCHEDULE OF RACES AND BRIEFINGS

2.1 PRACTICE & MATCH RACING SERIES

- 2.2 Match Racing & Practice fleet racing is scheduled on November 14th, 2018.
- 2.3 Skippers shall attend the first briefing, which will be at 10h30 on November 14th in the Yacht Club.
- 2.4 The first meeting with the umpires will be at the same time.
- 2.5 The intended time of the first attention signal on November 14th is 12h00.

2.6 Skippers shall be available for media requests, 30 minutes after the end of the last race each day.

2.7 FLEET RACING SERIES

2.8 The racing days are scheduled from November 15th through November 18th, 2018.

2.9 Skippers shall attend the first briefing, which will be at 10h30 in the Hospitality Area on November 15th.

2.10 The intended time of the initial warning signal is 12h00.

2.11 On November 16th to November 18th, briefing will be at 10h30 and warning signal at 12h00.

2.12 On November 18th, No Warning Signal will be made after 15h30.

3 RACING AREA

See appendix B

4 DESCRIPTIONS OF MARKS

4.1 MATCH RACING SERIES

The RC boat may be identified by RC 44 Class Association flag

Marks W and the Gate marks will be orange.

Change marks used in accordance with SI M14 will be yellow or red as signalled.

The starting and finishing mark will be yellow.

4.2 FLEET RACING SERIES

Windward-leeward

Marks W, WI and WO will be orange.

The Gate marks will be orange.

New mark, as provided in instruction F14.1, will be red.

The starting and finishing mark will be yellow.

5 Radio communication

Race information will be given by VHF radio on channel 72.

Appendix A

Match Race Pairing List

Appendix B

Racing Area, will be posted on the Official Notice Board