

MINUTES OF C.I.V. MEETING

Web Meeting – May, 3rd 2020

Attendance list:

Femke Yntema (NED), Femke Spek (NED), Tone Perez Castro (ESP), Roberto Francini (ITA), Maurizio Raffaelli (CIV pres. /ITA), Thibault Vandrot (FRA), Nacho Campos (ESP), Jean-Jaques Girard (CIV vice pres./FRA), Yves Prince (BEL), Alexandre Appert (FRA), Francesco Zampacavallo (CT pres /ESP), Ugo Zappi (CT/FRA), Peter Lakshmanan (CIV sec /GER)

The meeting followed the agenda as described by the following minutes.

1 Registration and President's Opening

The CIV web meeting is opened at 15:15 hrs by CIV President Maurizio Raffaelli.

2 Minutes of Meeting 2019 in Cachan

The minutes of the previous meeting are approved unanimously.

3 Decisions about the World Championship in 2020 and the following years

Alexandre Appert explains the current situation concerning the 2020 Vaurien World Championship in France. Due to the severe restrictions of the COVID-19 crisis, it will not be possible to hold the 2020 World Championship in France. International regattas in France are forbidden until the end of July. Alex Appert proposes to postpone the World Championship in France to 2021. He asks the approval especially of ESP and SVK.

The proposal is approved unanimously. Therefore, the schedule for future Vaurien World Championships is as follows:

2020	cancelled due to COVID-19
2021	Le Havre, France
2022	Vigo, Spain
2023	Slovakia
2024	Italy
2025	Uruguay, to be decided soon (EUR in Germany)
2026	Netherlands or TUN or ESP (to be discussed during the next meetings)

4 Proposal to waive the 2020 CIV fee for National Associations

The treasurer proposed to waive the 2020 CIV fees for National Associations. The reason is that the COVID-19 crisis prevents sailing and may cut into the budget of National Vaurien Associations, while the CIV may have reduced costs for 2020.

After a short discussion, the proposal is amended such that National Associations shall pay only 50 % of the 2020 fee to CIV.

France, originally supposed to pay no fee in 2020 because of the World Championship, will also pay the 50-% fee, but will have no fee to pay in 2021.

The proposal is agreed unanimously.

5 Clarification on the age limit for Juniors

Currently, the age limit is defined in the Vaurien Class rules and in the Vaurien Championship rules. Moreover, the definitions differ, being 18 years in the VCR and 21 years of age in the VWCR. It is proposed to have the definition in the Class Rules only, where it shall be changed to 21 years. The VWCR shall have only a reference to the Class Rules definition.

The proposal is agreed unanimously.

6 Regulation for testing Mylar Jib

The regulation for the testing of headsails made from Mylar materials as attached to these minutes shall be used. The testing time is extended to include the 2021 season. Approved unanimously.

7 Any other business

Maurizio Raffaelli together with Vaurien sailors from Spain proposed to organize a kind of Vaurien eSailing championship. ITA and FRA report good experience with this kind of digital event. CIV will go forward and organize a Vaurien eSailing Championship. Details will be distributed soon.

The meeting is closed at 16:25 hrs.



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