

U.I.M. WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPSFor classes O-125, S-550 and JT-250



RIVO JÕÕRAS MEMORIAL EVENT

10.-12. July 2009, Lake Harku, Tallinn, Estonia

Advance Program

Organiser

Tallinna Veemotoklubi, Sõudebaasi tee 23, 13517 Tallinn, Estonia. Officer of the Day is Vahur Joala, Deputy Officer of the Day is Ahto Aaslav-Kaasik. Championships are sanctioned by the Estonian Powerboating Union and Union Internationale Motonautique (U.I.M.).

Date and Venue of the Race

10.th – 12.th of July 2009, Lake Harku, Tallinn, Estonia.

Races are held under the U.I.M. Rules.

Entries

There will be no entry fee. Entries to be sent before the 1-st of July 2009 to Sõudebaasi tee 23, 13517 Tallinn, Estonia, tel/fax +3726575335, e-mail evl@veemoto.ee.

Minimum and maximum ages

For categories O-125 and S-550 the minimum age to compete is 16 years, for JT-250 the age to compete is 10 to 16 years.

Publicity on the Boats

The organiser reserves rights for advertisements on the boats as regulated in U.I.M. Rules 203.051.

Insurance

All drivers must present their personal accident Insurance Policy. If the Incurances are included on some National Autorities Drivers Licences, they must be drawn up in English.

Racing Cources

Racing cources are three buoy cources. For classes O-125 and S-550 the lenght is 1500 m, for JT-250 the lenght is 850 m as per U.I.M. Rule 302.1.

<u>Click here</u> to open the picture of the racing courses.

Boat Classes and Race Format

Classes O-125, S-550, JT-250 have four heats, three best are scored according to the U.I.M. scoring system. O-125 heats consists of 5 laps, S-550 and JT-250 heats consists of 8 laps. If the number of entered drivers exceeds 24, qualification heats will be run per U.I.M. Rule 304.03. Each qualification heat will consist of 4 laps.

Starts and Restarts

All heats will have a dead engine start per U.I.M. Rule 307. The start remains open until the first racer has made three laps.

Buoys Damages

Any buoy destruction entails a payment of 1600.-EEK / 100.-EUR for the driver.

Prizes and Prizegiving Ceremony

The prizegiving ceremony will take place at the race site after the technical inspections of hulls and engines. The Champions will receive a gold Medals, 2-nd places silver Medals and 3-rd places bronze Medals. First six places will also receive Cups.

Jury

The Jury will be made up of representatives from participating countries per U.I.M. Rule 402.01.

Protests

All protests must be lodged by the competitor within 30 minutes of posted results in a written form in English and must be accompanied by a fee of 1250.-EEK / 80.-EUR

Noise Reductions

Every driver is responsible that his engine does not exceed noise levels at all times as specified in U.I.M. Rule 504.

Fuel

Every driver must provide own fuel and is responsible for using fuel as specified in U.I.M.

Rules 508.

Environment Protections

Every driver is responsible to take care of the environment - an absorbent carpet to avoid any spillage to the ground must be used according the U.I.M. Rules 703.

Transport Facilities

No compensation for travel costs or for starting in the race will be paid.

Boat Park

Boat park is closed and guarded area. During night hours from 22.00 to 07.00 the Boat park is closed and staying there is not allowed. It is strictly forbidden to prepare meals with camping equipment in the boat park.

All drivers and crew members have to wear respectable clothing. Closed shoes on the starting grid are mandatory.

Every team get area 4x5 metres per boat.

Accommodation

Accommodation is left to the participants. Participants and quests can choose the nearest hotels from the attached hotels page.

<u>Click here</u> to open the list of the hotels.

Lodging and Board

Participants and quests are invited for lodging in the Camping area near the Boat park with their motor-homes, home-trailers, tents etc. No lodging fee. Participants and quests can buy food in the canteen which will be opened near to the Camping area.

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Time schedule

FRIDAY 10.7.2009

10.00 – 16.00 Reception and technical inspection

15.30 – 16.00 Drivers meeting, mandatory for practice

16.00 – 17.00 Free practice JT-250

17.00 – 18.00 Free practice S-550

18.00 – 19.00 Free practice O-125

20.00 – 21.00 Organizers meeting with UIM Commissioner

SATURDAY 11.7.2009

08.00 – 08.20 Drivers meeting

08.30 - 09.00 Free practice JT-250

09.00 - 09.30 Free practice S-550

09.30 - 10.00 Free practice O-125

10.30 – 12.30 Time trials or qualification heats (if necessary)

13.00 – 13.20 Opening Ceremony

14.00 – 14.20 1.Heat JT-250

14.30 - 14.50 1.Heat S-550

- 15.00 15.20 1.Heat O-125
- 16.00 16.20 2.Heat JT-250
- 16.30 16.50 2.Heat S-550
- 17.00 17.20 2.Heat O-125
- 19.00 20.00 Open-Air Welcome Party

SUNDAY 12.7.2009

- 09.30 09.50 Drivers meeting
- 10.00 10.30 Free practice JT-250
- 10.30 11.00 Free practice S-550
- 11.00 11.30 Free practice O-125
- 12.00 12.20 3.Heat JT-250
- 12.30 12.50 3.Heat S-550
- 13.00 13.20 3.Heat O-125
- 14.00 14.20 4.Heat JT-250
- 14.30 14.50 4.Heat S-550
- 15.00 15.20 4.Heat O-125
- 15.20 15.30 Non-offical Prize Giving Ceremony
- 18.00 18.30 Closing Ceremony