



NOTICE

- ☐ Organizing Authority
☐ International Jury
☒ Race Committee
☐ Technical Committee

Event:

2026 ILCA 6 Women's World Championship

Organizing Authorities:

National Yacht Club

Royal St George Yacht Club

ILCA

Venue:

Dun Laoghaire, IRL

Date:

2026-09-04

Notice

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NOTICE TO COMPETITORS

PRACTICE RACE VAKAROS TESTING

A practice race for each fleet (Yellow & Blue) is scheduled on Sunday 6th September 2026 with the first warning signal for the Yellow Fleet at 14:00. D flag will be displayed at 12:00.

These practice races will be used to test the Vakaros system and confirm that competitors Devices are fully operational for the Championship.

Vakaros registration must be completed by 12:00 for the practice race. The fleet assignments for the practice race will be published by 12:00 on Sunday morning.

Note: That may not be the final assignments for racing on Monday!

Competitors shall launch from their assigned club slipway and should display the coloured band (mast sleeve) corresponding to the fleet they are assigned.

N flag will be signalled after the first start of each Fleet in order to test the system and give competitors the opportunity to see the OCS feature in operation.

In the practice race, competitors are requested to:

1. Prior to the first warning signal, check in with the race committee signal vessel at the starting area if your Device is not working.
2. Only start in your assigned Fleet – i.e. follow the time on your Vakaros.
3. If OCS, return to the start side of the line to clear the OCS message.
4. Treat the 2nd start as a real race – i.e. try not to be OCS.

Your co-operation is appreciated,

Race Committee