



### LETTER FROM THE PRESIDENT

Dear Sailors and Friends,  
 I have just paid a visit to the Youth Europeans, 89 girls and 75 boys took part. It was a perfect Championship, but I was not happy to see 92 yellow flags. That is too much too much, 40 for the girls, 52 for the boys. How can that happen ? At the girls course there were given 6 yellow flags in top 20, 7 in top 30. At the boys course there were given 9 yellow flags in top 20, 17 in top 30. To me it looks like the boys are showed the yellow flag more often than the girls, and the best sailors in both groups are showed the yellow flag less than the other sailors. There might be many reasons. One might be that the last part of the fleets are the new and not-experienced sailors. Perhaps they do not know the rules 100%. It might also be that only the top-sailors are coached. I will ask everyone of you, if you are not 100% sure what is legal racing, to go to your coach and ask him/her to teach you how the rules work.

*Best regards,  
 Jan Abrahamsen, IECU President*

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### 2003 European Championship

- | **Women: Gold Medal - Siren Sundby**
- | **Men: Gold Medal - Francisco Terrasa**
- Silver Medal - Manuel Jimenez**
- Bronze Medal - Joan Salamé**



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2003 European women & men medallists”

## TECHNICAL CORNER

International Europe Class Union  
Proposals for Rule Changing 2003.  
Draft 18. 7. 2003  
Still to be confirmed by the AGM.

### General remark:

None of these proposals changes or modifies part of the boat or equipment.

### Proposal 1

#### Existing Rule:

Sail Measurement Notes 6. Second sentence.  
"Adjustable leech lines are not allowed".

#### New Rule:

Delete this sentence and enter:

"Leech lines are permitted. If fitted, they shall not be adjustable".

#### Reasons:

There aroused some discussions about the contents of the wording. It is a clearance about the intentions of the actual wording and what is common practice in the Class.

There will be no changing in the make of the sails. We follow a recommendation of the Measurement Committee.

### Proposal 2

#### Existing Rule:

Class Rules 2.6.1 Identification Marks: "Each boat shall have:"....

( iii ) "its National letter(s) and sail number engraved on the IYRU plaque or, for boats with IYRU/ISAF stickers, permanently marked on a plate or sticker below the IYRU/ISAF sticker."

#### New Rule:

Delete this sentence.

#### Reasons:

This rule is not in use in the Class.

The ISAF ICF sticker is perfect to identify the boat together with the Measurement Form.

### Proposal 3:

#### Existing Rule:

Class Rules 2.6. 4: " Each mast (at the gooseneck), boom (at mast end), centreboard (near the top), rudder blade (near the top), and rudderstock (near the top) shall have a unique identifying code impressed on the starboard side by the manufacturer.

#### New Rule:

"Each centreboard, rudder blade, rudderstock, mast and boom shall have a contrasting, permanent, identifying, at least 7 mm in height and minimum five digits long code done by the manufacturer. This code shall be clearly visible, when the boat is rigged up for racing." This rule shall apply for all materials fundamental measured after 31. 3. 2004.

#### Reasons:

Actually we have a big variety in size and forms at partly hidden places. We want to get a system, which allows easier working at measurement and aft race measurement controls.

### Proposal 4:

Simpler Forms for masts and booms.

When the actual forms were done, it was ISAF politics to be against In-house Measurement. ISAF politics now changes in favour of In-house Measurement.

So the forms could be made simpler. This in a way, that the producer only sign one time for his product and the figures entered in the Measurement Form. The today needed additional signature of an Official Measurer is only needed for those countries, where the National Authority especially ask for it.

This proposal was already entered in 2002, but the discussions about In-house Measurement were not yet precise enough at this time. Following the recommendation of the Centreboard Boat Committee the submission was then retired.

### Proposal 5

#### Existing Rule:

Class Rules 2.3.2.(iii) ..... "A certified copy of the measurement form shall be provided with the certificate and shall form part of the certification documents."

#### New Rule:

Class Rules 2.3.2.(iii) ..... "A copy of the measurement forms shall form part of the certification documents."

#### Reasons:

National Authorities and sailors practically do not apply this rule.

To enforce and to control this rule would create an enormous work for National Authorities or the "authorities" certifying the measurement forms.

This work is not needed to maintain a control about the market and the equipment used in racing.

### Proposal 6:

#### Existing Rule:

Class Rules 3.4.5.(iv) "The fittings to connect the rudderstock to the hull shall be made so that every rudderstock fits every hull." Rudder Fittings Measurement Diagram, see drawing

#### New Rule:

Enter in the Rudder Fittings Measurement Diagram a max thickness requirement of 5 mm for the upper fitting. This rule shall apply for all rudderstocks fundamental measured after 31. 3. 2004.

#### Reasons:

The today drawing fits the actual existing two systems of rudderstocks. (Resting on both top surfaces or resting on the top surface of the upper and the underside of the lower fitting at the hull) Now there is a third system having just slits to fit the fittings. It is an elegant system, but to eliminate uncertainties at measurement this thickness requirement for the upper fitting would be helpful.

*Niki Nocke*

International Europe Class Union

Class Chief Measurer

7. 8. 2003

## Statistics - 2003 European Championship

### Sailors Physics

X = places 1 – 10, 0 = gold fleet

	Hull	Centre board	Rudder	Rudder stock	Mast	Boom	Sail
Winner	137				2		
Finessa	32	32	38	48		43	
Osis	16						
Oerresen	6	1	1	1			
Phileas	3						
Lenam	2						
Indeurope	2						
SCS		75	86	96	180		
E + V		115	104				
Bloodaxe		14	13	12			
Teboertmann		12	8	2			
FD - NI		5	5	90			
Frederiksen				13			
Cailldh				2	61		
Tropical				5			
Schuette				2			
Dinghy Spars						60	
Proctor						112	
Holt Allen						7	
Needle Spars						2	
Green							133
Wib							108
North							47
Joni Tio							48
Victory							25
Russo							10
Nova							6
Altmann							2
Le bilhan							2
Others or unidentified	5	6	8	3	2	4	7
Total	205	261	264	267	252	228	388

### Sailors Physics

X = places 1 – 10, 0 = gold fleet

Men	kg	Ladies
	55	0
	56	X
	57	0
	58	X0000
	59	0
0000	60	000
	61	0
0000	62	X0000000
0	63	000000
0	64	X00
00	65	X00000000
0	66	XX00
000	67	0000
0000XXXX	68	X00
000	69	X0000
0XXXX	70	00
	71	
0000X	72	0
000X	73	00
0	74	
	75	X
00	76	
	77	
	78	
	79	0
0	80	
	81	
	82	X
	83	
	84	
	85	0

### Height Distribution

### Sailors Physics

X = places 1 – 10, 0 = gold fleet

	2003	2002	2001	2000	1999	1998	1997	1996	1995	Elder	Total pieces	Average age
Hull	29	52	48	22	15	16	12	5	2	4	205	3.5
Centre board	49	58	54	34	19	31	6	7	1	2	261	3.3
Rudder	46	69	51	35	27	23	7	1	3	2	264	3.2
Rudder stock	51	63	56	32	28	16	8	2	4	2	267	3.1
Mast	58	49	52	26	23	26	8	5	4	1	252	3.3
Boom	18	61	59	41	19	16	4	4	2	4	228	3.5
Sail	199	130	39	12	6	1				1	388	1.7

Note: 2003 is considered one year old, 2002 two years old and so on.

### Weight Distribution

Men	cm	Ladies
	155	0
	162	0
	163	X000
	164	00
	165	XX000000
	166	
	167	000
0	168	000
00	169	X000
000	170	000000
	171	000
0	172	X000
0	173	000
0	174	X0000
00X	175	X000
0	176	X0
00	177	XX0
000XXX	178	0
	179	
000000XX	180	
	181	0
0	182	00
0XX	183	0
0	184	
00	185	
	186	
00X	187	
	188	
	189	
00	190	
	191	0

### Sailors average physics

Results Places 1 – 10

	Ladies	Men
Min weight kg	56	69
Average weight kg	64,9	69,7
Max weight kg	75	72
Min height m	1,63	1,75
Average height m	1,71	1,80
Max height m	1,77	1,87
Min kg x m	92,4	121
Average kg x m	111,6	125,5
Max kg x m	129	133,6
Min age years	20	16
Average age years	22,6	20,8
Max age years	25	33

### Sailors Physics

X = places 1 – 10, 0 = gold fleet

Men	M x kg	Ladies
	80 -	
	85 -	0
	90 -	XX00
	95 -	00000
0	100 -	X000000000
000	105 -	XX0000000000
000000	110 -	X00000000000
0000	115 -	XX0000
000000X XXXX	120 -	X0000
XXXX000	125 -	X000
00000X	130 -	00
00	135 -	0
0	140 -	
	145 -	
0	150 -	

### Sailors Age

X = places 1 – 10, 0 = gold fleet

Men	Age	Year born	Ladies
0	35	1967	
	34	1968	
X	33	1969	00
	32	1970	
	31	1971	
	30	1972	0
	29	1973	00
	28	1974	00
00	27	1975	00
	26	1976	000
0	25	1977	X000
	24	1978	XXX000
oX	23	1979	X00000
00	22	1980	XXX00000
0XX	21	1981	00000
000X	20	1982	XX00000
000XX	19	1983	000
X0000000X	18	1984	000
00000	17	1985	0000
000X	16	1986	000
00	15	1987	

# Calendar

	Date	Name/Club	Entry Address
ESP	2.11. 9.11.	MENS 2003 World Championship Cadiz	www.cadizworlds2003.com/
ESP	3.11. 9.11.	Women Open Week Cadiz	www.cadizworlds2003.com/
	18.09.	+ESP Cadiz	11.09. Women's Worlds www.cadizworlds2003.com/
		NO EUROPEANS 2004	
POR	22.07. 29.07.	Youth European Championship Vilareal	
ITA	4.07. 17.07.	World Championship Cagliari	
		European Championship	- not decided yet.
NOR	8.08. 14.08	Youth European Championship Tonsberg	
CHI		World Championship Rizhao	-Dates to be confirmed... end August, early september

## O'NEILL World Sailing Rankings



Europe – Women's Single Handed Dinghy Issue Date: 6 august 2003

Pos	Name	Nation	Previous Pos	Points
1	Siren SUNDBY	NORWAY	2	4454
2	Sari MULTALA	FINLAND	1	4452
3	Petra NIEMANN	GERMANY	5	4370
4	Carolijn BROUWER	NETHERLANDS	3	4254
5	Signe LIVBJERG	DENMARK	7	4223
6	Lenka SMIDOVA	CZECH REPUBLIC	4	4203
7	Trine Julie ABRAHAMSEN	DENMARK	8	4112
8	Maria COLEMAN	IRELAND	6	4099
9	Christiane PETZKE	GERMANY	10	4068
10	Sarah BLANCK	AUSTRALIA	13	4032
11	Min DEZILLIE	BELGIUM	12	3987
12	Doris WETZEL	GERMANY	9	3986
13	Sarah MACKY	NEW ZEALAND	11	3959
14	Monika BRONICKA	POLAND	14	3900
15	Meg GAILLARD	USA	16	3838
16	Ditte JUUL CHRISTENSEN	DENMARK	15	3822
17	Weronika GLINKIEWICZ	POLAND	17	3787
18	Solene BRAIN	FRANCE	22	3566
19	Manon BORSI	FRANCE	23	3518
20	Neus GARRIGA-TURON	SPAIN	18	3512

More results for ISAF Ranking list at: [www.sailing.org/rankings](http://www.sailing.org/rankings)

## IECU World Ranking List for Men 2003

Best 2 results + Worlds (x2)	Régate de Noel Hyeres / FRA	Princesa Sofia Mallorca / ESP	Kiel GER	WORLDS Cadiz/ESP	TOTAL
1 SWE 60 SVENSSON Fredeik	2	1	71	-	3
2 FRA 5577 BORSI Vincent	3	16	2	-	5
3 FRA 11 LEBRUN Valerian	1	13	5	-	6
4 DEN 55 Risor, Michael	71	6	4	-	10
5 NOR 307 KARLSEN Joakim	6	9	71	-	15
6 FRA 5579 PREVEAUX Antoine	11	71	6	-	17
7 NOR 303 HUSER Alexander	14	4	71	-	18
8 FRA 5479 BOURDAIS Mathieu	4	71	14	-	18
9 GER 3 Bast, Karsten	71	17	8	-	25
10 GER 77 SCHWILL Sebastian	23	71	3	-	26
11 DEN 1615 Bjerre, Troels	71	15	13	-	28
12 ITA 1130 MAGNAGHI Pietro	5	71	28	-	33
13 GER 1469 DONNAY Karsten	24	71	9	-	33
14 DEN 1576 Damsgaard, Rasmus	71	23	16	-	39
15 GER 100 STADEL Riky	31	25	71	-	56
16 ITA 1103 MAGNAGHI Jose Antonio	33	71	34	-	67
17 AUT 123 Raderbauer, Armin	71	48	24	-	72
18 DEN 2 Soeren Johnsen	71	71	1	-	72
19 SWE 44 Claeson, Oscar	71	2	71	-	73
20 ESP 433 Salamé Domínguez, Joan	71	3	71	-	74

Please check the complete list at IECU's web site [www.europeclass.org](http://www.europeclass.org)

Remember that the top 10 sailors in the IECU World Men's Ranking list after Kiel 2003

will grant 1 extra place for their National Class Association to participate at the Men's Worlds in CADIZ/ESP.





2003 European women medallists



## SIREN'S IMPRESSIONS OF THE EUROPEAN CHAMPIONSHIP

“Winning the European Championship is the greatest performance I have ever done as an athlete. This was my first big win ! After beating everybody, including the boys, -which was quite fun, in the Open Week, I did worry if I had guts and motivation left. But fortunately I had ! The Organization Committee did a great job, the sun was shining every day, the wind conditions were perfect. My equipment was in good shape, and the same with me. The circumstances fitted me well. At the first final day, after three days of qualification, Sari Multala and I had a close fight far in front of the rest of the fleet. I thought this was how the rest of the final races were going to look like. But no. In the next race I put a discard-race, and Sari did not. It started to be too exciting for me ! Before the last day's two races, Sari was two points ahead. All my supporters said that -you can do it !- To be honest I was unsure, but I was positive and had in mind all the times I have been sailing great finals keeping my head clear, when everybody else has become too nervous. Except for a good first race, I lost my head big-time the last day. But fortunately Sari did too. Clearly we are both human beings. The last day it looked like we were fighting about “who was NOT going to win the gold medal”. I pulled the longest straw ! Lucky me. I am still smiling back home in Norway. My motivation is already on the plane to Athens. See you there. I am looking forward to another good fight ! Best wishes. Siren Sundby, NOR-6”

Thank you Siren. ☺ On behalf of the Europe family congratulations to our new 2003 European champion.

## 2003 EUROPEAN CHAMPIONSHIP

- Club Marítimo San Antonio de la Playa  
- Can Pastilla - Mallorca - Spain

Last July from 4th to 13th took place the Europe Class' European Championship in the Club Marítimo San Antonio de la Playa in Mallorca, Spain.

210 sailors representing 26 countries were there. The Championship has been largely followed as the Internet daily visits summed up more than 60.000.

On days 4 and 5: sailors registration and measurement.

On Sunday 6: Practice race and finishing the day took place the Opening Ceremony which gave as well the opportunity to taste and discover for some of us the typical Majorcan products.

On Monday 7, the first racing day, the weather allowed us to realize the two scheduled races.

On Thursday 8 as well the two scheduled races could be sailed. In the Men category the wind's low intensity helped the spanish

sailors who occupied the three first positions. In the women category Siren Sundby took the first position.

Wednesday 9, third day of the championship the spanish boys still are leading and the sailing program was fulfilled. After the races, everyone could degust the roasted meat ( 200 kg !!) and enjoy the entertainment.

On Thursday 10, the wind was not as stable as before and the Race Committee had to realize various changes of course.

On Friday 11, last day of the championship, the prognostics were fulfilled and the balearic sailor Francisco Terrasa (Club Náutico Ibiza) was proclaimed 2003 European Champion. Silver Medal was Manuel Jiménez (Real Club Náutico La Coruña) and Bronze medal Joan Salamé (Club Náutico Masnou). In the ladies fleet, the Nordic teams raised the first positions Siren Sundby (Norway) was proclaimed 2003 European Champion, the Silver Medal went to Sari Multala (Finland) and the Bronze to Trine Abrahamsen from Denmark. Following the Prize Giving Ceremony all the sailors, coaches and committees could enjoy a meal. The evening party lasted late at night.

**Europe trim guide**

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## 17TH VETERAN WORLD CUP EUROPE CLASS 2004

The Burgenländischer Yacht-Club (BYC) in conjunction with the Austrian Europe Dinghy Class Association (ÖSV) like to inform you about the 17th Veteran World Cup Europe Class 2004. More information you may find in the Notice of Race. The event website: <http://veteran.byc.at> will be launched soon, and of course, if you have any questions, don't hesitate to contact me or Mr Helmut Czasny. We would be pleased much to be allowed to welcome you at our high-level racing and party event! I hope to see you soon in Biscarrosse - France. Peter Styblo

### Extracts from the Notice of Race

The Veteran World Cup 2004 shall rank as Category C - ISAF Regulation 20. The Veteran World Cup 2004 is open male and female sailors, with an age limit of 30 years for female and 35 years for male sailors and for boats of the International Europe Dinghy Class, which are conformed to the Class Rules and insured with a valid third part insurance. The ISAF Eligibility Code shall apply.

Fist start: Thursday, August 26, 14:00 h.

Last start possibility: Sunday, August 29, 13:00 h.

Entry address: Burgenländischer Yacht-Club (BYC)

Ruster Bucht 130, A-7071 Rust

Fax: +43 2685 6465

e-mail: [regatta@byc.at](mailto:regatta@byc.at)

<http://veteran.byc.at/>

Entry fee: EUR 54,00.- payable cash at the registration.

Entry close: Monday, August 16, 2004. Late entries are possible till the end of the registration with an additional charge of EUR 15,00.-

Registration: Wednesday, August 25, 15:00/18:00 h - Thursday, August 26, 10:30/12:30 h. at the race office, BYC-Clubhouse.

8 races will be sailed. All the information (Accommodation, club restaurant, berth, social events, etc) is at: <http://veteran.byc.at/> Event head: Helmut Czasny - Tel: +43 6991 6624447 - Fax: +43 2685 6465 - e-mail: [regatta@byc.at](mailto:regatta@byc.at) - <http://www.byc.at>

## OLYMPIC AND INVITED CLASSES REGATTA

**Sail Melbourne International Regatta**  
Sandringham Yacht Club - January 12-17, 2004

The Sail Melbourne Olympic & Invited Classes Regatta is the only annual ISAF Grade 1 event in the Southern Hemisphere and will be used by the Australian Yachting Federation as the final selection trials for the 2004 Australian Olympic Sailing Team. Held on Port Phillip Bay's 2,000sq kilometres of deep open water with regular breezes averaging 15 knots, water temperature of 20C and daily air temperature between 25C and 30C, it is the best place to sail in Australia. Combined with competitive warm up events and the full Sail Down Under series in Sydney, Brisbane, and Auckland and there is a whole series just waiting for you. The Sail Melbourne Management team understands the needs of international sailors wanting to compete in an overseas event and can provide support towards freight, short term insurance cover, help with charter boats and plenty of accommodation options - making it easier for you to take part in the best sailing regatta in Australia. Hot competition, perfect sailing conditions and one hell of a venue... all in an Olympic year! That's what makes the Sail Melbourne International Regatta the best sailing around next January 2004. Take a look at the Sail Melbourne site: [www.sailmelbourne.com.au](http://www.sailmelbourne.com.au) download the NOR and tell your mates because this is one event you don't want to miss!



2003 EYE - Girls medallists

## 2003 EYE



2003 EYE - Boys medallists



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## TAKE NOTE

### OPEN DUTCH CHAMPIONSHIP WOMEN

Will take place on October 10-12 at Medemblik. Entry closing date: 1st of October. All information at: [www.opendutchsailing.org](http://www.opendutchsailing.org)

## THE FINNISH CHAMPIONSHIP 2003

August 8-10. The Finnish Championship was held in Lahti at Lake Vesijärvi.

The Championship had gathered a nice crowd of participants: many beginners and junior sailors had a tough time fighting for the junior medals in the strong winds during Saturday. During two or three days medium wind conditions were prevailing. We were especially glad to see Tytti Petäjä, Sari Multala's previous sparring partner, making her come-back after 5 years and finishing as Silver Medal winner among the women. Sari Multala was following the races from a coach boat since her own Europe dinghies were abroad, and thus making space for others on the podium.

Women and men sailed in the same fleet competing for the over all trophy.

Andrea Borenus, women's Gold Medal winner, and Kaius Heinilä, the male champion had a very tight fight for the over all victory. Before the last race out of a total of nine races Andrea and Kaius had the same score. Andrea, however had to give in to Kaius, who finished first in the last race and thus winning the regatta price.

The medalists were:

Men:

Gold Kaius Heinilä  
Silver Matti Haapiainen  
Bronze Jouni Koko

Women:

Gold Andrea Borenus  
Silver Tytti Petäjä  
Bronze Nina Ramm-Schmidt

Juniors:

Gold Matti Haapiainen  
Silver Jukka Norrgard  
Bronze Miikka Ylikoski

## 2003 YOUTH EUROPEAN

Kalovig Yacht Club - Denmark  
7.25/8.02

### BOYS

A total of 75 young men registered representing 14 countries: AUT, BEL, CZE, DEN, ESP, FIN, FRA, GER, ITA, NED, NOR, POL, SLO and SWE.

Final Results:

1. FRA 5530	Mathieu Derand
2003 Youth European Champion	
2. DEN 1630	Kim Braad Carlsen
Silver Medal	
3. SWE 3495	Anton Dahlberg
Bronze Medal	
4. DEN 5	Mikkel Bonde
5. BEL 899	Yannick Laumans
6. DEN 24	Jakob Ege Friis
7. FRA 5568	Emmanuel Taine
8. SWE 33	Christian Arby
9. SWE 3485	Victor Cukierman
10. FRA 5586	Jean-Christophe Gache

### GIRLS

89 young ladies were representing 17 countries: AUT, BEL, CRO, CZE, DEN, ESP, FIN, FRA, GER, ITA, NED, NOR, POL, POR, RUS, SLO and SWE.

Final Results:

1. BEL 92	Marie Amandine Vande Ghinste
2003 Youth European Champion	
2. NED 4	Merel Witteveen
Silver Medal	
3. FRA 5	Mathilde Geron
Bronze Medal	
4. SWE 16	Sandra Sandqvist
5. SWE 3504	Karin Svensson
6. BEL 4	Evi van Acker
7. NED 757	Renée Groeneveld
8. CRO 799	Mateja Petronijevic
9. NED 761	Marieke Jongens
10. POR 227	Sara Carmo

## 2003 EUROPEAN CHAMPIONSHIP

### MEN'S FLEET

83 sailors entered the 2003 European Championship representing 14 countries: AUT, BEL, CZE, DEN, ESP, FIN, FRA, GER, ITA, NED, NOR, POR, SLO and SWE.  
FINAL RESULTS

1. ESP 436	Francisco Terrasa
2003 European Champion	
2. ESP 250	Manuel Jiménez
Silver Medal	
3. ESP 433	Joan Salamé
Bronze Medal	
4. ESP 666	Jesús Rogel
5. SWE 60	Fredrik Svensson
6. SWE 6	Sebastian Östling
7. FRA 5530	Mathieu Derand
8. DEN 2	Soren Johnsen
9. ITA 1116	Stefano Menoni
10. NOR 307	Joakim Karlsen

### LADIES FLEET

122 ladies entered the 2003 European Championship representing 29 countries: AUS, AUT, BEL, BLR, CAN, CRO, CZE, DEN, ESP, FIN, FRA, GBR, GER, GRE, ITA, IRL, JPN, MEX, NED, NOR, NZL, POL, POR, RUS, SLO, SUI, SWE, TUR and USA.  
FINAL RESULTS:

1. NOR 6	Siren Sundby
2003 European Champion	
2. FIN 7	Sari Multala
Silver Medal	
3. NZL 115	Sarah Macky
4. DEN 11	Trine Abrahamsen
Bronze Medal	
5. GER 14	Christiane Petzke
6. AUS 57	Sarah Blanck
7. GER 34	Petra Nieman
8. DEN 3	Signe Livbjerg
9. GBR 383	Laura Baldwin
10. FRA 6	Solenne Brain

## 2003 OPEN WEEK

151 sailors entered the OPEN WEEK preceding the European championship representing 25 countries: AUS, BEL, CAN, CZE, DEN, ESP, FIN, FRA, GBR, GER, ITA, IRL, JPN, MEX, NED, NOR, NZL, POL, POR, RUS, SLO, SUI, SWE, TUR and USA.  
FINAL RESULTS:

1. NOR 6	Siren Sundby
2. DEN 2	Soren Johnsen
3. NOR 889	Christopher Gundersen
4. FIN 7	Sari Multala
5. SWE 60	Fredrik Svensson
6. DEN 55	Michael Risor
7. NZL 115	Sarah Macky
8. DEN 3	Signe Livbjerg
9. FRA 5530	Mathieu Derand
10. AUS 57	Sarah Blanck.

# WinnerBoats Europe Class Results 2003

- World Champion 2002 - Women's fleet.
- World Champion 2002 - Men's fleet.
- European Champion 2002 - Women's fleet.
- European Champion 2002 - Men's fleet.
- 18 sailors on Top 20 in the ISAF World Ranking List 8/5/2003



Many unbeatable results, World Champion consecutively 93/94/95/96/97/98/99/00/01

**Winner. WORLD CHAMPION 2002 - CAN**  
**On the ladie's fleet. Sara Blanck (AUS) is the**  
**World Champion 2002 with a Winner.**  
**9 of Top 10 used a Winner. ( 1, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8, 9,**  
**10) 89 % of Gold Fleet used a Winner!**

- |                  |     |               |
|------------------|-----|---------------|
| 1. Sara Blanck   | AUS | <b>WINNER</b> |
| 2. Siren Sundby  | NOR |               |
| 3. Petra Niemann | GER | <b>WINNER</b> |
| 4. Sari Multala  | FIN | <b>WINNER</b> |
| 5. Lenka Smidova | CZE | <b>WINNER</b> |

**On the men's fleet. Soren Johnsen (DEN) is**  
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|------------------|-----|---------------|
| 1. Soren Johnsen | DEN | <b>WINNER</b> |
| 2. Gerard Mari   | ESP | <b>WINNER</b> |
| 3. Pablo Arandia | ESP | <b>WINNER</b> |

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## EUROPEAN CHAMPION 2002 - BEL

**On the ladie's fleet. Sari Multala (FIN) is the**  
**European Champion 2002 with a Winner,**  
**she won 7 out of 10 races!**

**9 of Top 10 uses Winner. 1, 2, 3, 5, 6, 8, 9, 10.**

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|----------------------|-----|---------------|
| 1. Sari Multala      | FIN | <b>WINNER</b> |
| 2. Trine Abrahamsen  | DEN | <b>WINNER</b> |
| 3. Sarah Macky       | NZL | <b>WINNER</b> |
| 4. Siren Sundby      | NOR |               |
| 5. Christiane Petzke | GER | <b>WINNER</b> |

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| 1. Soren Johnsen     | DEN | <b>WINNER</b> |
| 2. Patrick Johansson | SWE |               |
| 3. Oscar Claeson     | SWE |               |

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## Eurolymp 2002 Christmas – Palamos - ESP

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|----------------------|-----|---------------|
| 1. Petra Niemann     | GER | <b>WINNER</b> |
| 2. Neus Garriga      | ESP | <b>WINNER</b> |
| 3. Christiane Petzke | GER | <b>WINNER</b> |

## Régatte de Noel 2002 MEN - Hyeres - FRA

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|---------------------|-----|---------------|
| 1. Valerian Lebrun  | FRA |               |
| 2. Fredrik Svensson | SWE | <b>WINNER</b> |
| 3. Vincent Borsi    | FRA | <b>WINNER</b> |

## Régatte de Noel 2002 WOMEN - Hyeres - FRA

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|---------------------|-----|---------------|
| 1. Doris Wetzel     | GER | <b>WINNER</b> |
| 2. Blandine Rouille | FRA | <b>WINNER</b> |
| 3. Manon Borsi      | FRA | <b>WINNER</b> |

## Sail Melbourne 2003 – Melbourne - AUS

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|---------------------|-----|---------------|
| 1. Lenka Smidova    | CZE | <b>WINNER</b> |
| 2. Carolijn Brouwer | NED | <b>WINNER</b> |
| 3. Sarah Blank      | AUS | <b>WINNER</b> |

## Sail Auckland 2003 – Auckland - NZL

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|---------------------|-----|---------------|
| 1. Carolijn Brouwer | NED | <b>WINNER</b> |
| 2. Sarah Macky      | NZL | <b>WINNER</b> |
| 3. Jo Dikkenberg    | AUS | <b>WINNER</b> |

## Rolex Miami OCR 2003 – Miami - USA

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|--------------------|-----|---------------|
| 1. Lenka Smidova   | CZE | <b>WINNER</b> |
| 2. Meg Gaillard    | USA | <b>WINNER</b> |
| 3. Georgia Chimona | GRE | <b>WINNER</b> |

## Eurolymp 2003 – Athens Week - GRE

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|---------------------|-----|---------------|
| 1. Sari Multala     | FIN | <b>WINNER</b> |
| 2. Trine Abrahamsen | DEN | <b>WINNER</b> |
| 3. Manon Borsi      | FRA | <b>WINNER</b> |

## Barcelona Olympic Sailing Week 2003 – -ESP

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|------------------|-----|---------------|
| 1. Shen Xiaoying | CHN | <b>WINNER</b> |
| 2. Lenka Smidova | CZE | <b>WINNER</b> |
| 3. Lu Chunfeng   | CHN | <b>WINNER</b> |

## Princess Sofia Trophy 2003 – Mallorca – ESP

### MEN'S FLEET

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|--------------------|-----|---------------|
| 1. Fredrik Svenson | SWE | <b>WINNER</b> |
| 2. Oscar Claeson   | SWE |               |
| 3. Joan Salamé     | ESP | <b>WINNER</b> |

## Princess Sofia Trophy 2003 – Mallorca – ESP

### WOMEN'S FLEET

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|---------------------|-----|---------------|
| 1. Sari Multala     | FIN | <b>WINNER</b> |
| 2. Carolijn Brouwer | NED | <b>WINNER</b> |
| 3. Siren Sundby     | NOR | <b>WINNER</b> |

## Eurolymp 2003– SOF – Hyeres - FRA

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|-----------------|-----|---------------|
| 1. Siren Sundby | NOR | <b>WINNER</b> |
| 2. Sari Multala | FIN | <b>WINNER</b> |
| 3. Sarah Macky  | NZL | <b>WINNER</b> |

## Eurolymp 2003 – SPA REGATTA – NED

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|--------------------|-----|---------------|
| 1. Sari Multala    | FIN | <b>WINNER</b> |
| 2. Wiebke Schroder | GER | <b>WINNER</b> |
| 3. Siren Sundby    | NOR | <b>WINNER</b> |

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