

Nacra 17

World Championships Information

La Grande Motte, France
2nd to 10th September 2017

The Course

For the Opening Series (Qualifying and Final Series) the course will be windward/leeward with an offset mark at the windward end and a gate at the leeward end of the course.
The same course will be used in the Medal Race with NO boundaries.

Format of Racing

The Championship will be in three series:

1. Qualifying Series
2. Fleet Racing Series
3. Medal Race

1. **Qualifying Series** (Days 1, 2 and 3)

- The fleet will be split into groups of approximately equal numbers of boats. The Qualifying Series will consist of a maximum of TEN races and a minimum of SIX races. THREE races are scheduled each day. If SIX races have not been completed by all fleets by the end of Day 3, the Qualifying Series will continue.
- The Qualifying Series points will be carried forward into the Final Series

2. **Fleet Racing Series** (Days 4, 5 and 6)

- The top half of boats based on their final Qualifying Series scores, rounding up if there are odd number of participants, will race in the Gold fleet.
- The remaining boats will be sail in the Silver fleet
- THREE races are scheduled per day for each fleet. Target times 30 minutes
- Day 6, TWO fleet races are scheduled for the Gold fleet, Silver fleet and C-Foil fleet.

3. **Medal Race** (Day 6)

- There will be a single Medal Race for the top 10 boats overall, if time allows. ONE race, target time 20 minutes, double points scoring, as per Rio 2016

There will be a separate C-Foil fleet who will race in a single series with THREE races per day.

Rules

Racing will be governed by the Standard Racing Rules of Sailing and NOT the High Speed Test Rules