



KORNATI CUP 2026 NOTICE OF RACE

OeSV-Regatta number: 18332

Date: April 25th to April 30th 2026

Organiser on Land: Pitter d.o.o. in cooperation with Pitter Yachtcharter

Organiser on Water - Regatta: YC Kornati Murter / YK KUN

Event Management: Pitter Yachtcharter, Marin Katičin, Ante Brzić, Iris Hirschböck

Competition Management: Sailnet, Alen Kustić (IRO/IJ)

Race Comity and Protest Comity: YC Kornati Murter / YK KUN

Estuary: Croatian coast in front of Biograd, Murter and the Kornati islands (Kornati National Park)

Preamble:

The notation [NP] in a rule means that a boat may not protest another for breaking that rule.

RULES

The 25th Kornati Cup is governed by the rules as defined in The Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS). These include in particular the rules of the ORC and the Sailing Instructions. For safety, the legal requirements in Croatia apply.

The minimum requirement for personal flotation devices is ISO standard 12402-5 (or equivalent).

The provisions of the World Sailing Anti-Doping Regulations and the Austrian Federal Anti-Doping Act apply. Athletes suspended or banned for doping as well as support persons are not allowed to participate in the event.

For the one design classes the rules for OeSV One design classes shall apply.

RRS Appendix T (Arbitration), will apply.

SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

Sailing instructions will be handed out at registration and will be available on the event homepage approximately one week prior to the event.

COMMUNICATION

The official announcements are available online on the event website. On the water, official announcements can be given to participants via VHF.

As a service, all announcements will also be sent in a chat-group.

ELIGIBILITY

Open for all slup rigged monohulls from 30 feet and with a minimum APH of 445. Monohulls bigger than 57 feet require individual approval from Pitter Yachtcharter.

All yachts must have a valid regatta vignette from HJS for 2026 and provide the number to Pitter Yachtcharter no later than March 30th 2026.

[NP] All monohulls must have a valid ORC-certificate for 2026. The ORC-certificate must include the exact sails with which the yacht will participate in the event. Yachts starting without spinnaker/gennaker need an ORC certificate "NON Spinnaker". These must be sent to Pitter Yachtcharter by March 30th 2026 at the latest. This does not apply to the one design classes. The participant has to pay for possible costs of certificate changes (according to current price list OeSV/HJS).

All yachts in the Pitter Charter classes (with and without SPI) may use only one furling genoa during the entire event, except for a storm jib. No other headsails are allowed.

All yachts in these two classes must have a bow thruster (non-retractable one), which must not be locked.

The rigging of the genoa with the spinnaker pole is not allowed for the Pitter Charter class without SPI.

In the Pitter Charter class with SPI only ONE spinnaker sail (asymmetric or symmetric) is allowed.

The removal of furniture, doors, and equipment is not permitted. Yachts that use devices such as trapeze or outriggers to position the weight of crew members outboard are not permitted.

[NP] All skippers must meet the legal requirements for operating yachts in Croatia. The skipper must be a registered member for the year 2026 in a national association or in a club affiliated to the national association. The membership number must be entered in the registration system of the event no later than April 10th 2026. All yachts must be adequately insured against liability damage.

REGISTRATION REGULATIONS

The registration must be made via the online reporting system.

There is a registration limit of 90 yachts.

In addition, 5 green cards can be granted to sponsor boats.

The current registration status is visible online at www.pitter-regatten.at.

The order of acceptance of entries will be based on receipt on entries or payments.

The registration deadline is March 30th 2026.

EVENT PACKAGES:

EVENT PACKAGE PER YACHT

Monohull up to 50ft € 345,00

Monohull from 51ft € 475,00

Overall organization and handling, race committee, protest committee, evaluation of races and preparation of daily results as well as final results, provision of a sailmaker, provision of a technical service team, provision of a diver, escort boats.

Mooring fees in the marinas from Sunday, April 26th to Friday, May 1st 2026, entrance ticket to the Kornati National Park, administrative registration with authorities and port captain.

EVENT PACKAGE PER PARTICIPANT

€ 485,00 (At least three people are to be paid)

Varied social program, use of marina facilities, Kornati Cup polo shirt, registration of participants, press support, reporting on the web and in social media, professional team of photographers – the pictures will be provided to each participant for private purposes upon request. Multi-member organization team on site to take care of concerns. Emergency medical team.

The event package also includes the entry fee to the Croatian organizer Yacht Club Kornati in the amount of € 13,00.

TERMS OF PAYMENT

A deposit of € 500,00 is to be paid within 14 days of the registration. Boats, whose deposit is not paid within 14 days of registration will be erased from the registration list, as to allow other participants to register.

The rest is due by March 30th 2026.

CANCELLATION POLICY

Cancellation of the participation before March 30th 2026 the deposit will be forfeited.

Cancellation of participation after March 30th 2026 the deposit on the event package (€ 500,00) will be forfeited; furthermore, the conditions for cancellation of individual participants apply.

Cancellation of individual participants after March 30th 2026, € 100,00 per person will be forfeited. The rest of the money paid will be refunded in form of a credit note.

Any cancellation fees of charter yachts are in no case to be charged to the organizers.

MARKETING

Advertising space on sails, hulls and railings is allowed only with the consent of Pitter Yachtcharter. According to its statute, the Croatian Sailing Federation may charge a fee for this event, which is to be paid by the participant.

Any other PR event or advertising during the event is subject to the approval of Pitter Yachtcharter.

[DP] [NP] On the participating yachts the following advertising areas are to be kept free for advertising of the organizer: 20% of the hull in the bow area, flags on the backstay, parts of the main boom.

REGISTRATION

Registration hours:

Saturday, April 25th 2026, 12:00 to 18:00 hrs

Sunday, April 26th 2026, 08:00 to 10:00 hrs and 16:30 to 17:30 hrs

FIRST BRIEFING

Monday, April 27th 2026, 9:30 hrs

START OF THE FIRST RACE COURSE

Monday, April 27th 2026, 11:00 hrs - planned

RACE COURSE

Courses are sailed around buoys and landmarks with no length limit and no time limit. A course shortening is possible.

SCORING

5 races are planned. If 4 races are scored, the score of a boat's series will be equal to the sum of its scores in the races, excluding its worst score. If less than 4 races are scored, the series score of a boat will be equal to the sum of its scores in the races.

Prizes will be awarded even if only one race is sailed.

Scoring of the one design classes will be without handicap.

Scoring of monohulls according to ORC - Performance Curve.

CLASSES

EHK Bavaria Cruiser 46 with Gennaker

EHK Dufour 41 performance with Gennaker

Pitter-Charterclass with SPI

Pitter-Charterclass without SPI

Mixed class ORC

Subgroups of 5 boats or more can follow.

The organizer has the right to decide whether or not a boat is eligible for Pitter-Charterclasses.

Classes under five boats can be combined with other classes.

Participation in the one design classes (EHK) is only possible with yachts booked through Pitter Yachtcharter. Owner boats need the approval of Pitter Yachtcharter.

The class must be indicated at the registration and can be changed until March 30th 2026.

Class changes after March 30th 2026 need the approval of the organizer.

The boats of the one design classes will be assigned after receipt of the entry.

PRICES

1.- 3. price EHK Bavaria Cruiser 46 with Gennaker

1.- 3. price EHK Dufour 41 performance with Gennaker

1.- 3. price Pitter-Charterclass with SPI

1.- 3. price Pitter-Charterclass without SPI

1.- 3. price Mixed class ORC

Prices for the winners of individual races in all classes

Blue ribbon for the fastest yacht over all

Additional prizes may be awarded

AUSTRIAN OFFSHORE TROPHY

The Kornati Cup is part of the regatta series of the Austrian Offshore Trophy.

PRIVACY POLICY

The processing of personal data (e.g. name, address, e-mail address or telephone number) is carried out in accordance with the guidelines of the Data Protection Regulation (DVGGO) and the applicable Data Protection Act (DSG).

[Privacy Policy](#)

MEDIA AND PRESS RECORDINGS

Participants agree that recordings may be made of the participating yachts and persons on the water and on land and that these may be broadcast or printed and published on various social media channels and print magazines without restriction in image, video and sound.

LIABILITY

Participants sail at their own risk (WRS 3). The organizers and all those entrusted with the organization are not liable for any loss, damage or injury that may occur to persons, yachts or anything else. This applies on the water and on land.