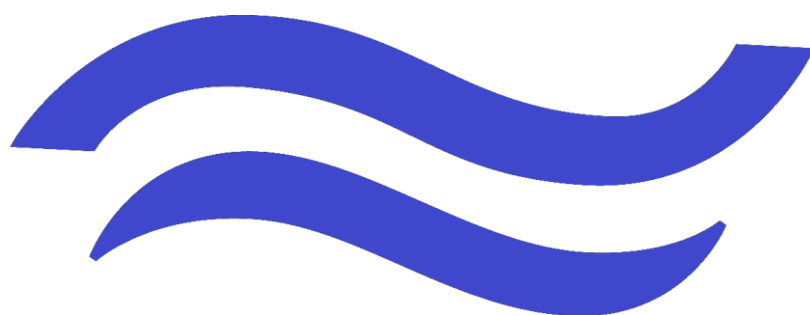




Iate Clube do Rio de Janeiro

SOUTH AMERICAN CHAMPIONSHIP FINN CLASS



**November 18th to 22nd,
2026**

**ORGANIZING AUTHORITY:
IATE CLUBE DO RIO DE JANEIRO**





International Club de Rio de Janeiro

NOTICE OF RACE

1. RULES

- 1.1. The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in The Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS) 2025/2028, World Sailing.
- 1.2. RRS Appendix T will apply.
- 1.3. The first sentence of RRS 40 is deleted and replaced by: "Each competitor shall wear a personal flotation device in accordance with class rules, properly secured at all times while on the water, except briefly while changing or adjusting clothing."
- 1.4. For all event rules:
 - 1.4.1. The notation **[NP]** in a rule means that a boat may not protest another boat for breaking that rule. This changes RRS 60.1.
 - 1.4.2. The notation **[SP]** means that a standard penalty for a breach may be applied by the Race Committee or Technical Committee without a hearing. This changes RRS A5.
- 1.6. International Finn Class Rule C.6.2 "Limitation" shall apply.

2. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

- 2.1. The Sailing Instructions will be available on the ICRJ website <https://icrj.com.br/vela/> and on the Online Official Notice Board in the WhatsApp group by November 17th, 2026.

3. COMMUNICATION

- 3.1. All notices to competitors will be electronic and will be posted on the online official notice board in the WhatsApp group **"QA FINN SOUTH AMERICAN"**.
- 3.2. [DP] Sailors and/or support personnel appointed by them must have a device with WhatsApp access, join the group mentioned in item 3.1, and have data capacity to monitor that group on event days from 08:00 to 21:00 and internet access.
- 3.3. [DP] Except in an emergency, from the warning signal of the first race of the day until the end of the last race of that day, a boat shall neither make nor receive data or voice transmissions that are not available to all boats, including mobile phones.

4. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRIES

- 4.1. The event is open to eligible sailors as per the Finn Class regulations, in good standing with their respective National Federations and National Finn Class Associations.
- 4.2. Eligible sailors shall enter by completing the form at: <https://forms.gle/D6ZdsxaEfqNwtFbr9> by 11:00 on November 18th, 2026.

5. FEES

- 5.1. Entry fees and payment deadlines:
 - ✓ Payment Until October 31st, 2026 – R\$ 200,00 per boat,
 - ✓ Payment From November 1st to 11:00 on November 18th, 2026 - R\$ 300.00 per boat.
- 5.2. The entry fee shall be paid via PIX (33.646.654/0001-46) or by credit card or charged to the member account for ICRJ members.
- 5.3. After payment, proof of payment must be sent by e-mail to vela@icrj.com.br to the Championship secretary.

6. [DP] ADVERTISING

- 6.1. Boats may be required to display bow numbers and advertising chosen and supplied by the Organizing Authority.





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7. SCHEDULE

7.1. Registration

Date	From	To
18th	09:00	11:00

7.2. Race Dates

Date	Time	Activity
18th	13:00	Races
19th	13:00	Races
20th	13:00	Races
21st	13:00	Races
22nd	13:00	Races

7.3. Number of Races

Scheduled Races	Races per Day	Max Races per Day
10	2	3

7.4. The scheduled time for the warning signal of the first race each day is 13:00.

7.5. On the last scheduled day of racing, no warning signal will be made after 16:00.

8. EQUIPMENT INSPECTION

8.1. Each boat shall produce or verify the existence of a valid measurement certificate.

8.2. [DP] Boats shall be available for equipment inspection from 09:00 on November 18th, 2026.

8.3. Boats may be inspected at any time.

8.4. [DP] Boats shall also comply with RRS 78.1 when presented for inspection.

9. CLOTHING AND EQUIPMENT

9.1. [DP] A competitor's clothing and equipment shall not weigh more than 10 kg, as permitted by RRS 50.1(b).

10. EVENT VENUE

10.1. The event will be hosted by Iate Clube do Rio de Janeiro, located at Av. Pasteur, 333, Urca, Rio de Janeiro, RJ.

10.2. The Racing Area will be in Guanabara Bay, preferably in the areas comprising the Escola Naval and Praia do Flamengo courses.

11. COURSES

11.1. The courses to be sailed will be: Windward-Leeward and Triangle.

12. SCORING

12.1. 4 races are required to constitute the championship.

12.2. When 4 or fewer races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores.

12.3. When 5 or more races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score.

13. SUPPORT PERSON VESSELS

13.1. [DP] Support person vessels shall be registered at <https://forms.gle/8jzhzf8kVHoNAUch7> and identified with an identification number, provided by the organizing authority, which shall be clearly displayed on the respective vessel throughout the event.

13.2. It is recommended that each vessel be equipped with a VHF radio capable of operating on channel 74 to receive on-water communications from the Race Committee.

14. BERTHING

14.1. [DP] Boats shall be kept in their assigned places in the event venue, at the location designated by the organizing authority.





15. DATA PROTECTION

15.1. By participating in this event, competitors automatically grant the organizing authority and the event sponsors the right to make, use, and show, at their discretion, any photograph, audio and video recording, and other reproductions of them made at the venue or on the water from the time of their arrival at the venue until their final departure, without compensation.

16. RISK STATEMENT

16.1. RRS 3 states: 'The responsibility for a boat's decision to participate in a race or to continue racing is hers alone.' By participating in this event, each competitor agrees and acknowledges that sailing is a potentially dangerous activity with inherent risks. These risks include strong winds and rough seas, sudden changes in weather, failure of equipment, boat handling errors, poor seamanship by other boats, loss of balance on an unstable platform and fatigue resulting in increased risk of injury. Inherent in the sport of sailing is the risk of permanent, catastrophic injury or death by drowning, trauma, hypothermia or other causes.

16.2. The Organizing Authority will not accept any liability for material damage, personal injury, or death sustained in conjunction with or prior to, during, or after the regatta.

17. PRIZES

17.1. Prizes will be awarded to:

- 1st to 5th – Overall classification;
- 1st place for each age category: Master (40-49), Grand Master (50-59), Great Grand Master (60-69), Legend (70+).

17.2. The Prize Giving Ceremony will be on November 22nd, soon after racing, at a location to be posted on the Online Official Notice Board in the WhatsApp group.

18. FURTHER INFORMATION

18.1. Iate Clube do Rio de Janeiro - Avenida Pasteur, 333, Botafogo, Zip Code.: 22290-240, Rio de Janeiro, RJ, Phone: +55 21 3223-2270 and +55 21 3223-7214, e-mail: vela@icrj.com.br, WhatsApp: +55 21 99660 7402 WebSite: www.icrj.com.br

