

BRITISH INTERNATIONAL 420 CLASS ASSOCIATION

Selection Notice for the 2017 420 TEAM RACING WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP (V0.2)

1. Introduction

The 420 Team Racing World Championship will be held between 23rd and 26th August 2017 at Campione del Garda, Brescia, Italy. The UK class has decided to submit entries for two teams. This selection notice describes the process the class will use to select the teams to be submitted.

2. Selection Process

Selections for the Teams will be made by an Independent Selection Committee. Decisions of the selection committee are final.

The selectors will nominate a single team which will be entered in the international event on the basis that we get one team accepted. The selectors will also nominate an additional team which will be put forward to the international event if do get a second team accepted.

For the avoidance of doubt and notwithstanding any other provision in the Selection Process, the Independent Selection Committee reserves the right to revoke a nomination once made or choose to nominate less than 2 full teams.

3. Eligibility

To be eligible for selection a team must satisfy the following criteria:

3.1. No sailors are born before 1st January 1997.

3.2. The team contains no more than four sailors of the same gender.

3.3. A minimum of 3 members of the team must have been members of the British International 420 Class Association at some time between 1st Jan 2014 and 30th April 2017.

(Note that this is an amendment of the details published earlier on the class website.)

4. Selection Event

The selection event for the teams will be held at Spinnaker SC on 1st July and will consist of a team racing competition sailed in Fireflies. All teams wishing to be considered for the Garda event must enter the Spinnaker event. The top two teams at the selection event will normally be selected.

If the selection event cannot be completed, for whatever reason, the selectors will make a decision based on the previous experience and performance in team racing and 420 events of those entered for the selection event.

5. Selectors

The independent selection committee appointed by the class is:

David Campbell-James (Chairman); Willis Fuller (Secretary); Roy McCubbin (RYA Double-Handed Pathway Manager)

Should you wish to correspond with the selectors you can do so in writing via the secretary, at willis.fuller@btinternet.com.

6. Costs

All costs for the Garda event and for all travel will be met by the teams. (See NOR on the event website).

7. Substitution of Competitors

Substitution of competitors once teams are selected will not be allowed without the approval of the selectors, which will only be given in exceptional circumstances.