

Class Annual Report: International Finn Association Inc.

Year: 2017



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Technical representative for WS:	Paul Mckenzie		
Names of Official Measurers:	August Atz ITA, Andre Blasse AUS, Alain Bujeaud FRA, Dimitris Dimou GRE, Peter Hinrichsen CAN, Vasily Kravchenko RUS, Klaus Lutkus GER, Paul Manning GBR, Miklos Németh HUN, Marcin Owczarkiewicz POL, Jüri Saraskin EST.		
Names of International Measurers:	Juri Saraskin (EST), Klaus Lutkus (GER), Vasily Kravchenko (RUS), Shigery Fujii (JPN), Dimitris Dimou (GRE), Andre Blasse (AUS), August Atz (ITA)		
Number of International Measurers:	7		
Class Equipment Inspection Seminars:	Latest:	Next (if known):	
	Trained at Major Finn events:		
	Gold Cup, Euros Silver Cup		
Builders			
Average price (ex VAT,E):	£ 10,118.00		
Builder's name:	Devoti Sailing	Pata	Petticrow
Hull Quoted Price (ex VAT,local currency):		11400euros	Blueblue Poland 10000euros
Equivalent in £:	£10,990.00	£10,032.00	£10,650.00
Including:	only hull	only hull	only hull
website:	http://devotisailing.com/finn/	http://www.patafinn.hu	http://www.petticrows.co.uk
Average number of set of sails allowed competition:	2		
Average price per new set of sails (ex VAT,E):	£1,000.00		
Average Price Boat inscribed in big event. (including all allowed set of sails)	£13,740.00 Includes hull, mast, sail.		
Total new built:	75		
Built over past 5 years:	470		
Boats world wide:	6000		
Explanation on how number is justified:	80 years x 75 boats/yr. In reality there were a lot of years where many more boats were built but a lot of boats have been lost over the years too.		
Members			
National Class Associations that paid previous year:	ARG, AUS,AUT, BEL, BER, BLR, BRA, BUL, CAN, CRO, CHI, CHN, CZE, DEN, ESP, EST, FRA, FIN, GBR, GER, GRE, HUN, HKG, ITA, IRL, IND, IRN, JPN, LTU, MON, NED, NAM, NOR, NZL, POR, POL, RSA, RUS, SBR, SEY, SLO, SVK, SWE, SUI, TUR, TUN, UKR, URU, USA, VEN,		
total number:	50		
WS minimum criteria	Country	Number	
	GER	325	
	AUS	50	
	USA	75	
	CHN	50	
	RSA	20	
World Championships			
Total Number of titles awarded:	3		
Open:			
Men:	Finn Gold Cup (Worlds)		
Women:			

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Youths men:	Silver Cup (U23 Worlds)		
Youths women:			
Other:	Masters (over 40)		
Event Details			
Name of Title:	Finn Gold Cup (Worlds)	U23 Worlds	Masters
Venue:	Lake Balaton	Lake Balaton	Barbados
Website:	https://www.2017finngoldcup.org	http://2017.finnsilvercup.org/	https://www.finnworldmaster.com
Results website:			
number of boats:	113	45	137
Countries represented:	ARG, AUS, AUT, BER, BRA, CAN, CRO, CZE, DEN, ESP, EST, FRA, FIN, GBR, GER, GRE, HUN, ITA, IRL, IRI, NED, NOR, NZL, POL, RUS, SLO, SVK, SWE, SUI, TUR, UKR, USA	FIN, ARG, IRL, GBR, NOR, USA, CZE, SWE, FRA, GER, ITA, RUS, ESP, POL, SUI, SLO, AUS, CAN, UKR, TUR, EST, HUN, BUL	RUS, FRA, ESP, SUI, CZE, NZL, GBR, GER, CHI, FIN, USA, SWE, BRA, NED, SVK, DEN, AUS, RSA, AUT, MON
Total number of countries represented:	32	23	20
Continents Represented:	Europe, South America, North America, Oceania, Asia	Europe, South America, North America, Oceania	Europe, South America, North America, Oceania, Africa
Total number of continents represented:	5	4	5
number of races held (Incl. MR):	8	6	7
Any boats supplied : If so by who?:	Yes Class & builders Max Salminen SWE	Yes Class & builders Oskari Muhonen FIN	Yes Class & builders Vladimir Krutskikh RUS
Name and nationality of World Champion(s):			
Name of principal race officer:			
Name of WS International Judges:			
Names and Nationality of non-WS Jury members:			
Name of event chief measurer:	Andre Blasse AUS	Juri Saraskin EST	Klaus Luttkus GER
Organization quality grade:			
Venue good points:			
Recommendations for future World Championship events- Venue:	Excellent club organisation. Sailing conditions were also excellent during the event.	Excellent club organisation. Sailing conditions were very difficult during the late summer period.	Good hospitality and sailing conditons.
Recommendations - Generally in terms class logistic of running a World Championship? Next major venues (worlds and continental):			
	event	date	Venue
	Open Europeans	9-17 March	Cadiz, Spain
	Finn World Masters	18-25 May	El Balis, Spain
	Finn Gold Cup (World Sailing Championships)	30 July to 10 August	Aarhus, Denmark
	Finn Silver Cup (U23 Worlds)	25-31 August	Koper, Slovenia