



WARNEMÜNDER WOCHE

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Luisa, Lisa, Lena and their Laser Radial

Luisa Wanser: "The boat is like a door of a refrigerator"

Luisa Wanser is a member of the Norddeutsche Regattaverein Hamburg and is on Saturday morning on her way to rig her boat. On the second competition day she ended up on the 25th place. She just changed to the Laser Radial this year, before hand she sailed the 420. "Unfortunately, my helmsman went abroad", says the 15 year old. Luisa is the first time in Warnemünde and feels very comfortable here. She is not that familiar with the Laser Radial yet. The boat is like the door of a refrigerator for her, so white and flat and less sheets, which makes the boat less challenging." To be alone on the boat is only half as fun as to share the experience. Nevertheless she tries to become used to it and will continue with the Radial. The young and graceful sailor prefers less wind – from that perspective the Saturday had perfect conditions. On Saturday she is on the 28th place.

Lisa Fasselt: "2016 is her year!"

Lisa Fasselt (23) was not as successful as desired in the Laser Europe Cup since she only ended up on the third place. Lisa is originally from Essen and moved a while ago to Rostock because she encounters better training conditions here. At the moment she is studying physiotherapy at the Colea School in Rostock and made a solid 29th place at the World Championship (second German) in Boltenhagen in May 2012. "After the competition today I was really wasted. We were eight hours on the water and it was really cold" said Lisa. "The WARNEMÜNDER WOCHE is after Kiel and the World Championship the third big competition that I'm participating in this year. I finally really want to perform the basics without any mistakes in a big field like this. My priority is to be constant in my performance and not necessarily to be positioned first. My big goal is the Olympic Games in 2016. "Nevertheless she puts a lot of dedication in her education and her subsequent study, because she knows that there "can be a point when I won't be successful in sailing." On Saturday she is on the first place.





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Lena Haverland: "I prefer speed!"

Lena Haverland (17) has an older boat for this year's WARNEMÜNDER WOCHE: "It doesn't work that well since the trim is not ideal." Lena is already sailing the Laser Radial for three years and decided today, on the second competition day, to change her tactics. "I put more emphasis on the speed now and that worked better", said the young lady, who prefers strong wind. She wants to win a medal at the youth European Championship. Lena was positioned 15th on Saturday.

Torsten Haverland, director of the sport association of Mecklenburg-Western Pomerania, participant of the year 1996 and at the same time the father of Lena expects a lot of quality at the WARNEMÜNDER WOCHE. "The Laser is an international class, which attracts every year young sailors from several nations. Haverland hopes that the yacht harbor at Hohe Düne gets better integrated in the WARNEMÜNDER WOCHE. There are only short distances to overcome and the situation at the middle mole could be more relaxed. "The Finns where unsatisfied with the situation, since they were situated too far out on the Baltic Sea. Which is not necessary here." Haverland emphasizes that in the future it should be better evaluated which classes can sail together on one area and which not. "In general the WARNEMÜNDER WOCHE is one of the most important regattas in Germany and a sportive highlight – for the success I would like to thank the volunteers and organizers of the event."

Results of the 14th July 2012

H-Boat

Place 1 after 7 races: Michel Peulen, Hans Peulen and Bastian Migge from the Netherlands

J 24

Place 1 after 7 races: Daniel Frost & Team from the Joersfelder Sailing-Club

Skippi 650

Place 1 after 7 races: Andrzej Wegner & Team from Poland





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Streamline

Place 1 after 7 races: Hansi Feil & Team from the Seebrucker Regatta-Verein

2.4mR

Place 1 after 7 races: Lasse Klötzig from the Potsdamer Yachtclub

Hobie Cat 16

Place 1 after 6 races: Ingo Delius & Team from the Sailing-Club Kellenhusen

Hobie Cat 14

place 1 after 6 races: Tanja Rindt from the Segelsportclub Bosau

A-Cat

place 1 after 6 races: Jack Benson from Australia

Laser Standard

place 1 after 5 races: Giovanni Coccoluto from Italy

Laser Radial

female place 1 after 6 races: Lisa Fasselt from the Yachtclub Ruhrland Essen

male place 1 after 6 races: Christian Guldborg Rost from Denmark

Laser 4.7

female place 1 after 3 races: Judith Engberts from the Netherlands

male place 1 after 3 races: Marko Radman from Slovenia

Shortened track for the „Mecklenburgische Bäderregatta“

They cut down the track at the "Mecklenburgische Bäderregatta" since the wind was not strong enough. The "One4All" with the helmsman Matthias Horstmann won the sherry barrel of the hanseboot. The "One4All" sailed the fastest time on the track to Kühlungsborn. The best yacht according to the fastest calculated time of the ORC is "die Gleitzeit" with the helmsman Martin Buck. The best yacht according to yardstick and calculated time is the "Esther of Hamble" from Stephan Jurcok. The "Raptor" from Ralf





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Zimlich got the challenging cup as the best participant of the WSC according to calculated time.

Dragon boat races ran very smoothly

The dragon boats in China are already known for about 500 years before Christ. The first race took place in Duisburg. Since then one can literally view the introduction of the boats with the head of a dragon as a triumphant success in Germany and Europe. This reflects also in the 17th dragon boat race in the context of the WARNEMÜNDER WOCHE.

This runs very smoothly. All the 18 team members, except the man or woman at the drums and steering rudder, need to move simultaneously in order to proceed with the boat.

Toralf Bumann and Ben Rohloff are on the stage and manage with their team the races. The organizer on the second Saturday of the WARNEMÜNDER WOCHE is the LT-Cup. Preliminary round, semi final, final. Twelve boats are available, 79 teams are participating in 76 races. In order to man the vessels the organization needs to work smoothly. There are 1.400 participants and loads of visitors in the southern part of the Alter Strom that don't want to wait too long. That explains why every once in a while the speakers need to ask: "Helmsman and drummers to the quay please!" Professional teams have their own boats but the hobby-clubs are glad to get the opportunity to lease the boats. The speed of the organization provides benefit: The starts in front of the cruces at the end of the Alter Strom proceed rapidly. The positioning fights on the distance of 280 meters are tough. The best boats need a little more than one minute. The acknowledgement by the audiences is enormous, even in the intermediary rounds. Also the organization is worth credit. Crossing of the finishing line, get to the quay, suck the water out of the boat, next team in the boat and on the way to the start.

All results and photos of the event can be found under www.warnemuender-woche.com

Preview of tomorrow:

Preview (selection) of the onshore program for tomorrow, Sunday the 15th July 2012

9:00 a.m. – 3:15 p.m. „Markt am Meer“ (local product market) yacht harbor Hohe Düne





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10:20 a.m. procession of traditional clothing and dance groups from Alter Strom to the stage of the lighthouse

1:00 p.m. The bet: 777 handcrafted Optis on the water, Alter Strom

from 3:00 p.m. Award ceremony (laser classes, Skippi 650, 2.4mR, H-boats, J/24, Streamline), hanseboot event area

from 3:30 p.m. Award ceremony (Hobie Cats, A-Cat), NDR/OZ-Medienzelt

Preview (selection) of the offshore program for tomorrow, Saturday the 15th July 2012

11:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. 17th Dragonboat festival, Alter Strom

11:00 a.m. Start sailing regatta (among others Skippi 650, Hobie Cats, 2.4mR)

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