



1st World Championship Sea Float Angling



1-5 October 2024

Samos Island
Greece



Δήμος Δυτικής Σάμου



The first world championship of port facilities will be held here on the beautiful island of Samos. It is a great honor for the Hellenic Federation of Underwater Activity and Sports Fishing, but of course also a great responsibility. I would like to sincerely thank the president of the World Federation Mr. Gilbert Zangerlé and the board of directors for the trust they have shown in entrusting us with this particular championship. All the institutions of the island, the District Governor, the Mayors and the Nautical Club of Karlovassi together with the volunteers will work methodically so that the Championship is crowned with complete success both organizationally and competitively. As president, we commit to do everything possible so that the experience of the athletes, attendants and officials remains unforgettable and the championship is set up to be the most successful world championship that has ever been held. In closing, I will tell you that my desire, but I believe everyone's, is to get to know the beautiful island of Samos because of these sporting events to be a special part of your life that will remain deeply etched in your memory

Yours sincerely

Dimitrios Galinas

President of the Hellenic Federation Underwater Activity and Sports Fishing (EOYDA)



It is our honor to host the 1st World Fishing Championship in Samos, an island with rich traditions, authentic culture and natural beauty. The implementation of such events strength the relations between countries, promotes sports and develops sports tourism in the region.
We are waiting for you on the island of Pythagoras for a three-day trip full of experiences.

The Governor of North Aegean Region

Konstantinos Mountzouris



Welcome esteemed fishing athletes to the 1st world championship on the beautiful island of Samos.

I extend warm greetings to each participant, eager to witness your skill and passion converge in our pristine waters. Your dedication to the art of angling embodies the spirit of camaraderie and sportsmanship. May your endeavors be marked by memorable catches and cherished moments amidst our island's breathtaking scenery. Embrace the thrill of competition, celebrate the harmony of nature, and forge lasting bonds with fellow anglers. Let the gentle waves guide you to the victory as we embark on this unforgettable journey together.

The major of Eastern Samos

Paraskeyas Papageorgiou



Dear friends of Sport Fishing in Greece and abroad. Athleticism is a timeless value, it is a social institution that reflects the given society, as it educates, develops and fulfills the human being. It is with great honor and pleasure that I welcome you to the Island of Samos where the 1st World Championship Sea float angling will be held, coorganized by the North Aegean Region, the Municipality of Eastern Samos, the Municipality of Western Samos and the Nautical Club of Karlovassi (NAOK) based in our city. Our goal is to fully meet your needs and enjoy your stay on the island of Pythagoras with unique memories.

The major of Western Samos

Themistoklis Papatheofanous



Dear friends and fellow athletes, after 12 years for me and my club, participating in the European sea float angling Championships, it's time to return the warm hospitality we have experienced in all previous events from you.

It is also our honor to organize the 1st World Championship on our island. For these reasons we have prepared a beautiful and special event, and we hope you enjoy it.

I hope for an exciting championship where we can once again have fun fishing side by side.

The president of Nautical Club of Karlovassi (NAOK)

Dimitrios Margaronis

Hellenic Federation Underwater Activity and Sports Fishing, in cooperation with Nautical Club of Karlovassi, is pleased to invite your Federation to participate in the 1st World Championship Sea Float Angling to be held in Samos Island from 1 to 5 October 2024.

The World Championship Sea Float Angling is established by the International Sea Sports Fishing Federation (FIPS-M), in conjunction with the Hellenic Sports Fishing and Underwater Activities Federation (EOYDA), relying on the organizational support of Nautical Club of Karlovassi and under the supervision of the FIPS-M Technical Committee.

WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP SCHEDULE

Tuesday, 1 October 2024

09:00 a.m.	Teams' registrations
12:00 a.m.	Captains' Meeting
05:00 p.m.	Opening Ceremony
09:00 p.m.	Dinner

Wednesday, 2 October 2024

06:00 a.m.	Breakfast
06:30 a.m.	Departure for competition site
07:00 a.m.	Bait delivery and preparation
09:00 a.m.	Start of 1st competition
01:00 p.m.	End of 1st competition
05:00 p.m.	Publication of ranking
08:00 p.m.	Dinner

Thursday, 3 October 2024

06:00 a.m.	Breakfast
06:30 a.m.	Departure for competition site
07:00 a.m.	Bait delivery and preparation
09:00 a.m.	Start of 2nd competition
01:00 p.m.	End of 2nd competition
05:00 p.m.	Publication of ranking
08:00 p.m.	Dinner

Friday, 4 October 2024

06:00 a.m.	Breakfast
06:30 a.m.	Departure for competition site
07:00 a.m.	Bait delivery and preparation
09:00 a.m.	Start of 3rd competition
01:00 p.m.	End of 3rd competition
04:00 p.m.	Publication of ranking
07:00 p.m.	Closing Ceremony
09:00 p.m.	Gala dinner

Saturday, 5 October 2024

07:00 a.m.- 09:00 a.m. Breakfast and departure of the Delegations

PARALLEL ACTIVITIES

The organizers offer, **optional and free of charge**, parallel activities to all the members of the Delegations (athletes, accompanying persons etc.). The purpose of these activities is to give the opportunity to the participants to explore the island of Samos. Parallel activities will take place provided that the registered participants are more than 30.

SCHEDULE

Monday, 30 September 2024

05:00 p.m. – 09:00 p.m. Trip to Western Samos

The transport will be held with buses from the hotel to points of interest to Western Samos with return. Tour guide will be provided.

Thursday, 3 October 2024

05:00 p.m. – 09:00 p.m. Trip to Eastern Samos

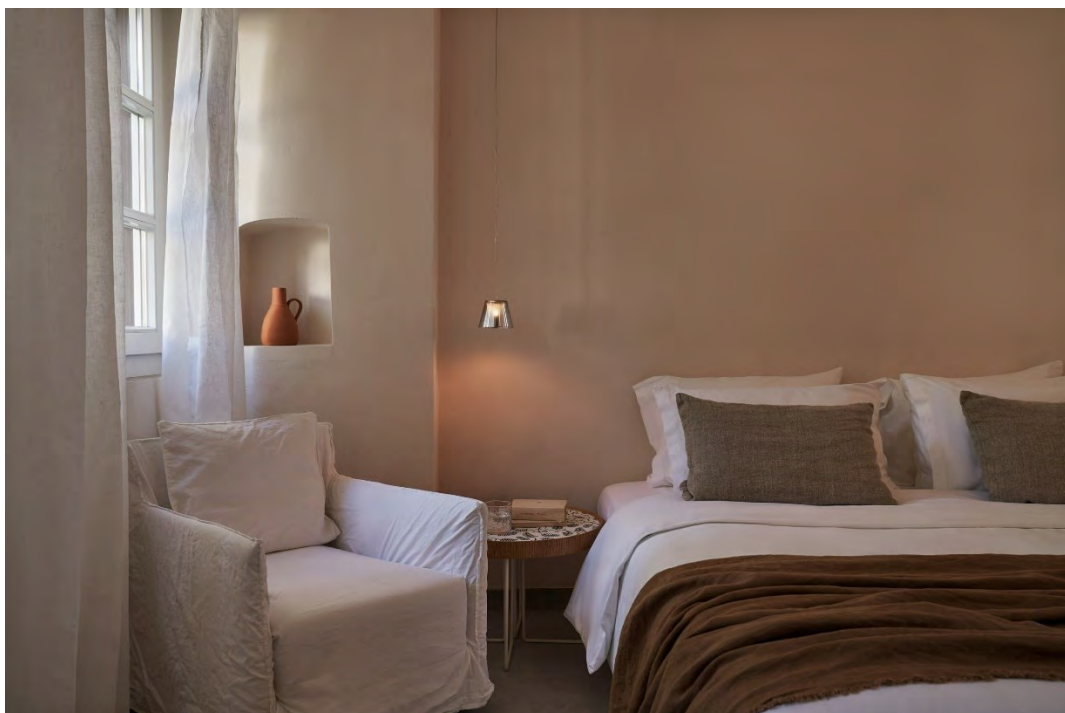
The transport will be held with buses from the hotel to points of interest to Eastern Samos with return. Tour guide will be provided.

ACCOMONDATION

For the accommodation needs of the 1st World Championship Sea float angling, a 5-star hotel, like **Doryssa Seaside Resort**, is a nice option that will make your stay more pleasant.



At Doryssa Seaside Resort, you will be experiencing an authentic stay made of island dreams. The modern 5-star seaside resort in Samos is located next to the picturesque Pythagoreio.





Set on a magnificent beach, Doryssa Seaside Resort is a place to both experience and explore.

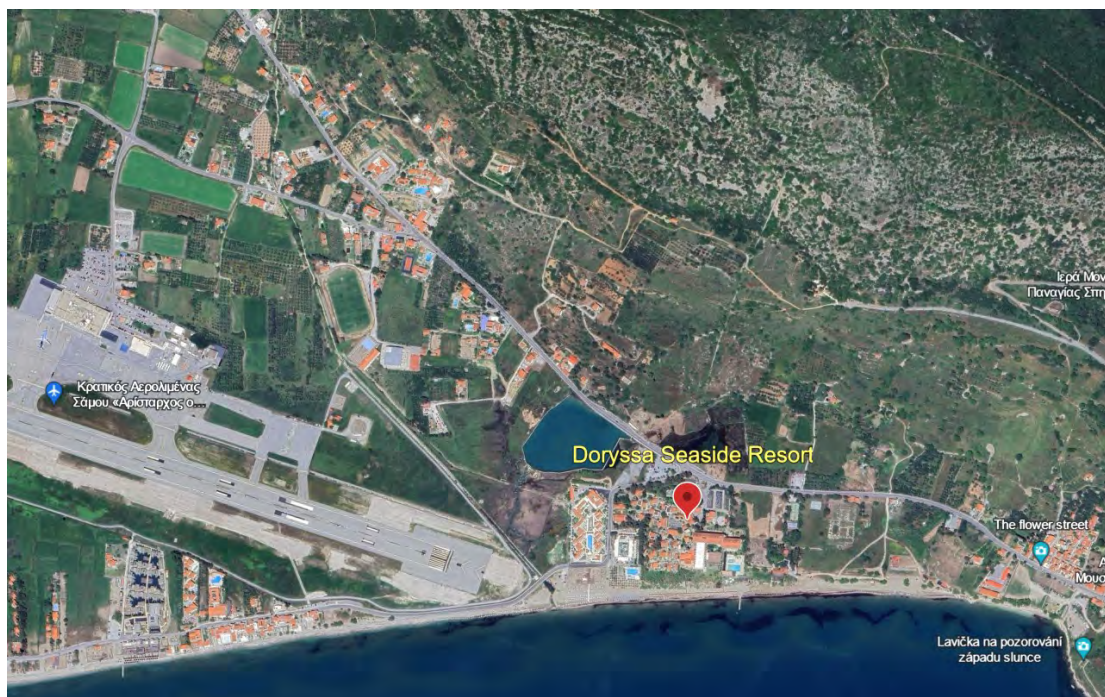


You will find a superb environment made of environmentally friendly materials, energy saving policies, minimal interiors, and pure linen upholstery throughout for creating a soothing, elegant atmosphere that will characterize your stay.



The hotel provides free of charge use of the gym.

The location of the Hotel is near the Airport of Samos near Town of Pythagoreio.



Address: Pythagorio,Samos 83103

Phone.: +30 2273 088300 e-mail: info@doryssa.gr

<https://www.doryssa.gr/>

If you wish to book days prior to the event, you can use the online registration platform or contact Nautical Club of Karlovassi using the following contact details until 31/7/2024:

NAOK - E mail: naoksamos@yahoo.gr Phone: +30 6977203306

Contact person: Margaronis Dimitris

Half-board in double room per person (Breakfast + dinner) €105

Full-board in double room per person (Breakfast + lunch + dinner) €135

Half-board in triple room per person (Breakfast + dinner) €90

Full-board in triple room per person (Breakfast + lunch + dinner) €120

Half-board in single room per person (Breakfast + dinner) €160

Full-board in single room per person (Breakfast + lunch + dinner) €190

OPENING CEREMONY

The opening ceremony will take place at Pythagoras' square at Town of Samos



CLOSING CEREMONY

The closing ceremony will be held in the Central square of Karlovassi.



GALA DINNER

The gala dinner will take place at Samian Mare hotel at Karlovassi

<https://www.samianmare.com/restaurants-bars/>



The restaurant of Samian Mare Hotel

The transport from the Doryssa Seaside Resort hotel to Karlovassi for the Closing ceremony and the Gala dinner, will be held by buses, **with no charge for all the participants**

HOW TO REACH SAMOS ISLAND

Samos island is located at Northeast Aegean Sea, in the North Aegean Region. You can easily reach Samos by plane or ship.

By plane: Samos International Airport - SMI (also known as Aristarchos of Samos) is the only available airport in the island with daily flights from Athens and Thessaloniki. Also, international flights from many European cities are available during the summer season (April to October).

The teams can send their fishing gear by cargo. The transportation from Athens to Samos and return, of **2** euro-pallets with maximum height 2m is **free of charge for each team**. The pallets can be delivered at the hotel also for free.

Travel times

By plane:

Athens ATH (Eleytherios Venizelos Airport) - Samos: about 40 minutes

Thessaloniki SKG (Macedonia Airport) – Samos: about 1.30 hours.

By ship: Samos has two main ports, Karlovassi and Vathy. Ferry routes are available from Piraeus and Kavala/Thessaloniki.

The organizers have arranged a **special discount 40%** for the participants of the Championship from the company “Bluestar Ferries”. The discount is also valid for cars. Single bed and Lux cabins are excluded from the discount program.

By ship:

Peiraeus port – Karlovassi Port: about 10 hours

Kavala port – Vathy Port: about 15 hours

For ferry tickets booking with discount or cargo transportation, contact Nautical Club of Karlovassi using the following contact details until 31/7/2024:

NAOK - E mail: naoksamos@yahoo.gr Phone: +30 6977203306

Contact person: Margaronis Dimitris



RENT A CAR

The organizers have arranged a **special discount 20%** for the participants of the Championship wishing to rent a car from the rental company “ARAMIS” - www.aramis.gr (Samos)

Available car options

B category (suzuki celerio , nissan micra)

C category (suzuki swift , citroen c3 , toyota yaris)

J category (nissan juke , dacia duster , mitsubishi outlander 7 seats)

F category (nissan evalia 7 seats , fiat talento 9 seats)

Bookings must be done by contacting “ARAMIS” through email on the following address: samos.aramis@gmail.com.

To receive the special discount, during the booking the participants must mention the World Championship Sea Float Angling as the purpose of the booking.

COMPETITION SITE

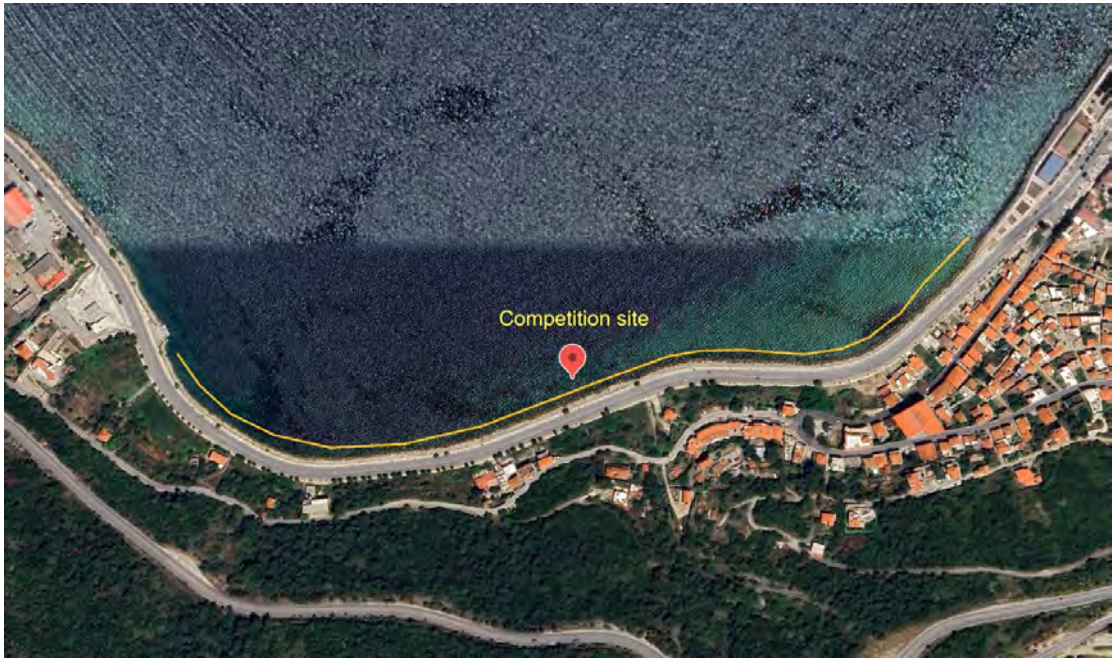
The event will be held in the coast line of Samos Town as displayed at the map below:



Samos town position



Competition site position



The competition site



The surface of the fishing pegs

SPORTS EQUIPMENT

1. Rods	Only one rod may be used for this specialty, although other rods may be mounted up to the swivel. The maximum rod length is 8m. The rods without a reel is not obligatory to have rings.
2. Reels	Possibility for fishing with reel or without reel
3. Floats	The use of float, whether fixed or sliding, capable of supporting at least the weight of the ballast and bait, with free attachment to the line is mandatory.
4. Hooks	The Fips-m will provide stewards with an official caliber to check the minimum size of hooks used by competitors. If the hook fits into the caliber, it will be considered too small and will not be allowed, while if it does not fit into the caliber, it will be allowed to be used. Double or triple hooks as well as INOX hooks, and other hooks made of non-corrosive materials shall not be allowed.
5. Keepnet	Each participant must have at least one keepnet to keep the catch alive.
6. Platform	A fishing platform for installing the seat box will be helpful but not obligatory
7. Trolley	The athletes will not need trolleys for transporting their fishing gear. They will have the opportunity to unload and load the gear from their car beside the fishing peg. After unload and during the competition the cars should be not near the fishing pegs.

The FIPS-M regulations can be downloaded from the link:

<https://www.fips-m.org/statutes-rules-gb>

SCORE

The score for the ranking of competition results will be based on one point being awarded for each GRAM of weight resulting at check and weighing operations, without considering the minimum size of each species (Greek legislation allows catch to be kept in the keepnet until the end of the competition). After weighing, all catch will be released into the sea for the preservation of fish species.



BAITS

The organizers will provide the necessary baits for the competition.

The following types of bait will be provided each day for each contestant; 1 box of Korean worms, 100 gr bread, 250 gr of shrimps, 1kg salt, 2 kg of whole sardines, 400gr of maggots and 2 kg of groundbait.

















Baits in desired quantities can be reserved for training days.

The brand and the type of the groundbait which will be used will be announced until

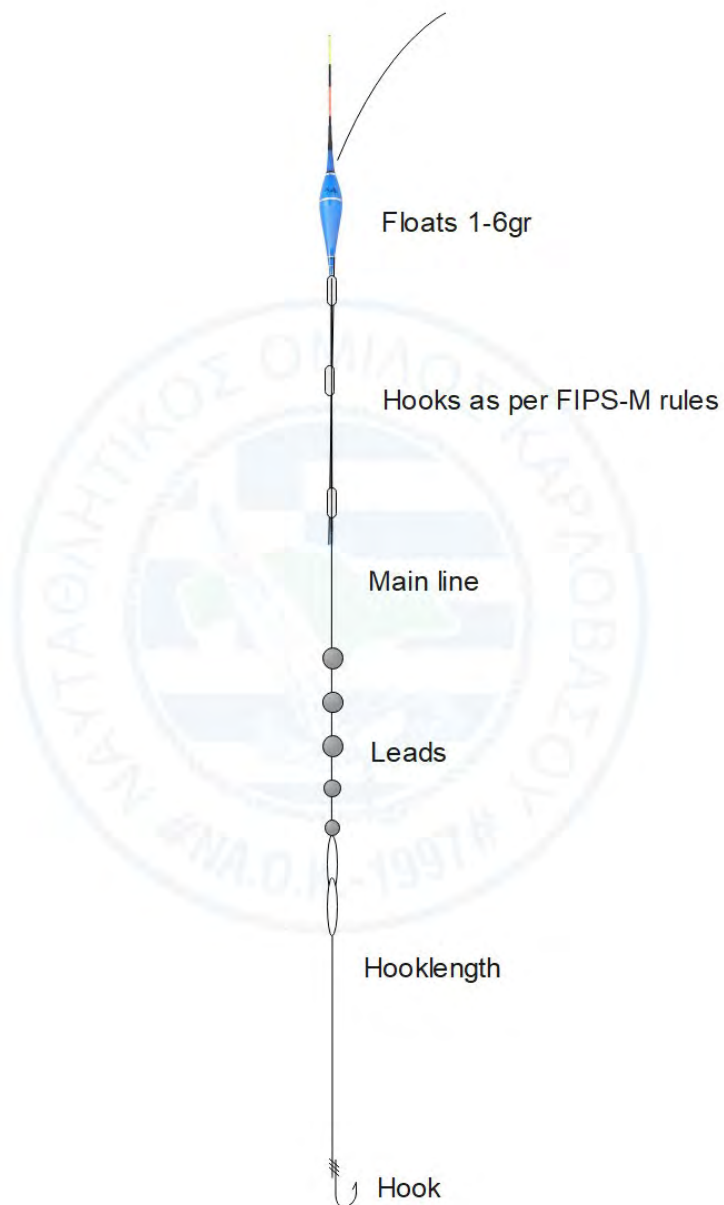
FISH SPECIES OF THE MEDITERRANEAN ZONE

(Aegean Sea)

	Horse Mackerel
	Greater Weever
	Leerfish Star
	Saddled Seabream
	White Seabream
	Gilthead Seabream
	Bogue
	Striped Seabream
	European Seabass
	Sea perch
	Mullet
	Blenny Goby

	<p>Salema Porgy</p>
	<p>Parrotfish</p>

SUGGESTED FISHING RIG



REGISTRATION

2024 will be the **first year** that registration process will be able to be completed **via online platform**. The link of the online platform is: **sportfishing-registrations.com/wcsfa2024**

The online registrations will be available from **15/03/2024**.

The registration should be completed by the federation of each country by using the official federation contact email.

The organizers **prefer** the electronic registration process because the online system provides faster and more extensive information. Nevertheless, the registration can still be completed by filling the traditional registration forms.

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ENTRY FORM

FEDERATION _____

NATION _____

ADDRESS _____

COUNTRY _____

PHONE _____

EMAIL _____

CONTACT PERSON _____

PHONE _____

DATE _____ SIGNATURE _____

The Organizing Committee must receive the completed entry form and receipt of payment of the entry fee by 31 July 2024 at the latest. Payment must be made to:

HELLENIC FEDERATION OF SPORT FISHING AND UNDERWATER ACTIVITIES

IBAN: GR170110080000008048057395

BIC/SWIFT: ETHNGRAA

Reason for bank transfer: Fee WC Float Angling Samos

Phone: +30 210 9819961

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**OFFICIAL REGISTRATION FORM
NATIONAL FEDERATION**

Competitors First name and last name	
1	Athlete
2	Athlete
3	Athlete
4	Athlete
5	Athlete

6	Reserve
7	Captain

Registration for a 5-competitor team on a full-board basis (€ 630 per person) */**	3.150,00 €
Registration for Captain and Reserve on a full-board basis (€ 550 per person) */**	1.100,00 €
Registration for a 5-competitor team without accommodation (€ 220 per person with Gala Dinner) *	1.100,00 €
Registration for Captain and Reserve without accommodation (€ 165 per person with Gala Dinner) *	330,00 €
Cost of closing banquet	60,00 €
Total	

*Extra charge for one-bed room: € 50 per day per person

**Lunchboxes will be delivered to all the participants during the competition with
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REGISTRATION FORM FOR FAMILIES AND ACCOMPANYING PERSONS

Type of registration	First name and last name	Remarks

Accompanying person on a full-board basis per person	550,00 €
Gala dinner (Banquet) extra charge	60,00 €
TOTAL:	

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Bait request form for practice days

NATIONAL FEDERATION: _____

	Number of packs - date 28/10/2024	Number of packs - date 29/10/2024	Number of packs - date 30/10/2024	Number of packs - date 1/10/2024
Korean (50gr/box)				
Bread (100gr)				
Shrimps (250gr)				
Salt (1kg/box)				
Sardines (2kgr/pack)				
Maggots(400gr)				
Groundbait(1kgr/pack)				

Type	Total packs	Price per pack	Total
Korean (50gr/box)		5,00€	
Bread (100gr)		2,00€	
Shrimps (250gr)		4,00€	
Salt (1kg/box)		1,00€	
Sardines (2kgr/pack)		14,00€	
Maggots(400gr)		7,00€	
Groundbait(1kgr/pack)		5,00€	
		Total	

The bait reservation form and receipt of payment must be sent by **31 July 2024** to:

Organizing club: Nautical Club of Karlovassi

Email: naoksamos@yahoo.gr Phone: +30 6977203306

Contact person: Margaronis Dimitris

Bank transfer details: IBAN IGR84014060606002002001779

BIC: CRBAGRAA

Reason for bank transfer: Baits WC Float Angling "NAME OF NATION"



ESSENTIAL ANTI-DOPING ADVICE

Athletes are reminded if they take any medication they must check it against the WADA Prohibited Substance & Methods list.

Particular attention must be paid to the use of anti- hypertensive agents, especially diuretics, which are popular in singular preparation and/or in a combination with other normally permitted drugs.

Diuretics are always forbidden.

For these reasons, it is necessary for every athlete or National Federation to check the list for prohibited substances and process a TUE as necessary. The Therapeutic Use Exemption (TUE) must be granted before taking a prohibited medication.

An application for a TUE must be requested 30 days before taking part in the championships. The application forms must be filled in carefully with your physician/doctor who must authorise the application. A physician's certificate or prescription on its own does not mean that the athlete has permission to use the prohibited substance or method.

The application should be completed either in English or French and sent directly to the office of the CIPS President.

Email: office@cips-fips.com

Every athlete has a right to clean sport

WORLD ANTI DOPING AGENCY

<https://www.wada-ama.org/>

