

Candidacy to host the

Finn World Masters Championship 2018



EL BALÍS
CLUB NÀUTIC
Barcelona







A veteran, experienced club... with nice people!

- Founded on 1966
- 3.500 members



World top level sailors

- ▶ **Jose Maria Van der Ploeg**
 - ▶ J80 class: 2011 Worlds, silver medal; 2012 Worlds, gold medal; 2014 Europeans, bronze medal.
 - ▶ **Finn class:** Gold medalist in Barcelona'92
- ▶ **Carlos Robles & Florian Tittel**
 - ▶ 29er class: 2012 World Champions, 2011 and 2012 ISAF YOUTH World Champions; 2011 European Champions
- ▶ **Florian Tittel**
 - ▶ Kitesurf: bronze at the World Cup, silver medal at the European Championship, Champion of Spain





World top level sailors

▶ David & Alex Charles

- ▶ 420 class: 2012 World Champions; 2012 ISAF YOUTH World Champions
- ▶ 470 class: 214 4th Youth World Championship

▶ Barbara Cornudella & Sara López

- ▶ 470F 2013 bronze Youth European Championship and 4th at the Youth World Championship; 2014 Youth European Champions

▶ Albert Gelpí

- ▶ Optimist 2013 Team Racing European Champion





CNELBALÍS

EVENT ORGANIZER



- ▶ Large experience organizing high level events

- ▶ **MedSailing Meeting (yearly)**

- ▶ International participation
- ▶ Among 500 sailors per edition
- ▶ 5 Racing areas

- ▶ **29er EuroCup #1 - Velanium Trophy**

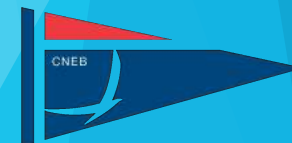
- ▶ 2013 - 43 boats; 10 countries
- ▶ 2014 - 56 boats; 16 countries
- ▶ 2015 - 61 boats; 12 countries

- ▶ **J80 European Championship (2014)**

- ▶ **Europe Class Spanish Cup (2015)**

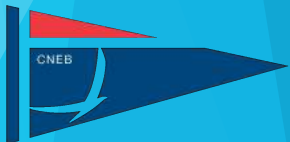
- ▶ **420 Spanish Nationals (2016)**

+ 1.300
SAILORS
every
YEAR!!



CN El Balís: an environmentally friendly sailing club

- Blue flag
- Rising awareness of the valuable seagrass meadows and the ecosystem services they provide



Certificado

ISO 14001 - Environmental Management

Nº registro certificado 3.00.13159

TÜV Rheinland Ibérica Inspection, Certification & Testing S.A.
certifica:

Titular del certificado:



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Certificado

ISO 9001 - Quality Management

Nº registro certificado 0.04.13401

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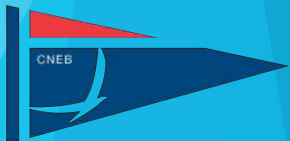
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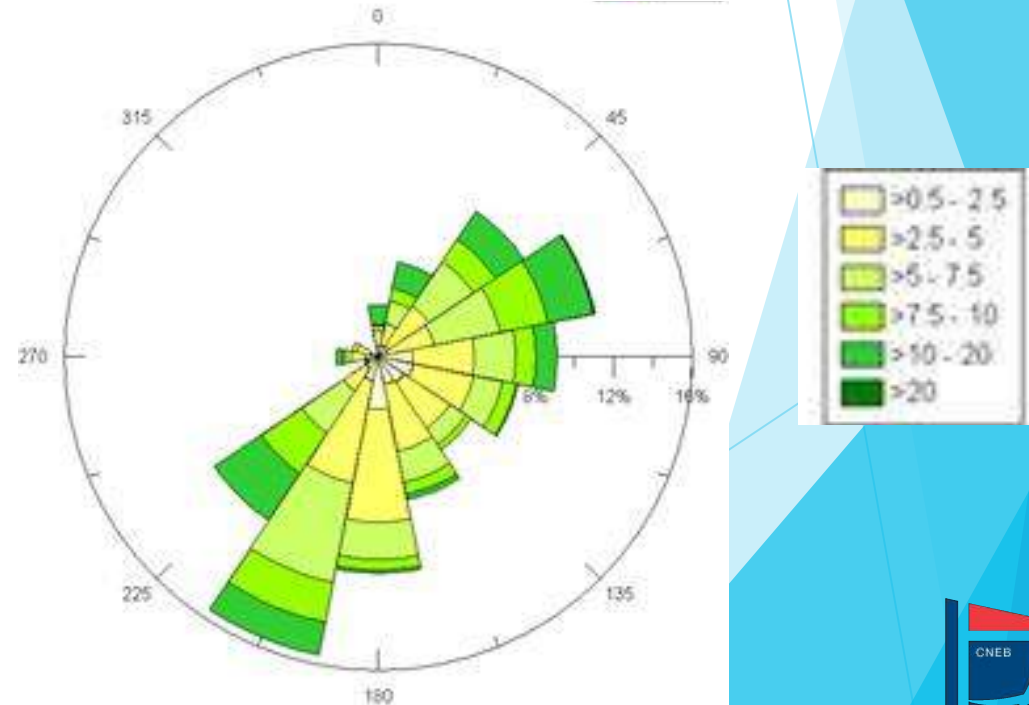
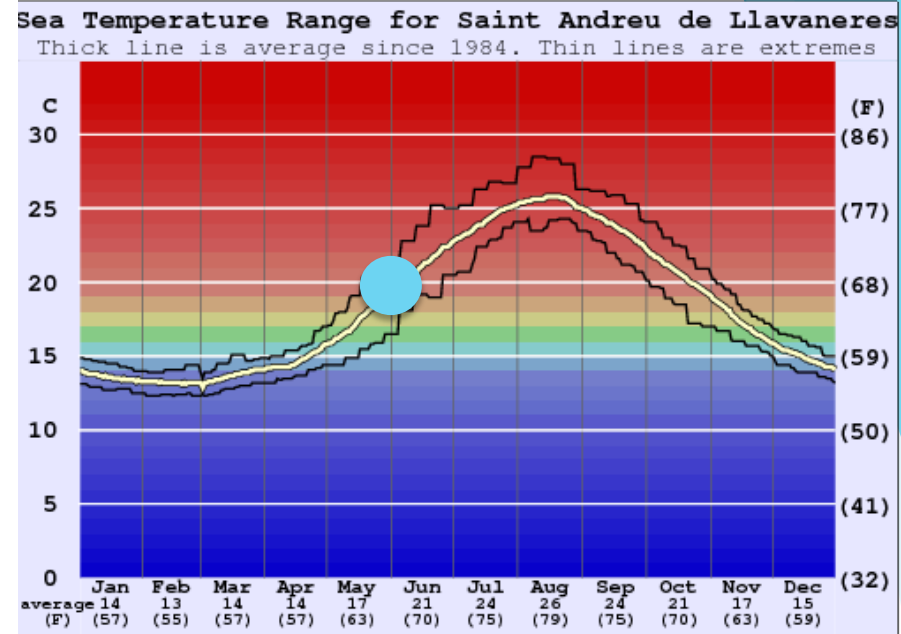


Technical aspects



Sailing and weather conditions

- ▶ Prevailing wind direction S-SW, thermal winds
- ▶ Average intensity **Beaufort 2/4**
- ▶ Average air temperature (May-June): **20°C**
 - ▶ Maximum - 22°C
 - ▶ Minimum - 16°C
- ▶ Sea surface temperature (May-June) 19°C
- ▶ 95% Probabilities of sunny weather
- ▶ Tidal conditions: **INEXISTENT** - there are no regular tidal or current conditions over racing area.



Harbour facilities

- Meeting rooms, WIFI
- Sailing school
- Petrol station 24h open
- Showers & changing rooms
- Crane, slipways
- Bars & restaurants (11)
- Supermarket 24h
- Mechanical services
- Chandlery and complements
- Diving Centre
- Gym, pool, paddle





Security and Safety above all!!

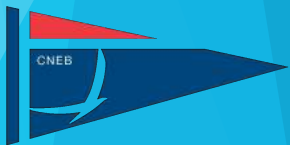
- Privat Video Control 24 h
- Access control 24 hours/day
- And for the regatta... **Pro-Activa**
- Pro-activa is a company with extensive experience in offshore, coastal, sport, tourist and sociocultural services.





PORT BALÍS FACILITIES

Possible boat park areas





2x4 Wood Floating Slipways -
2 of them dedicated to Legends
and Super Legends

An example...



Ribs



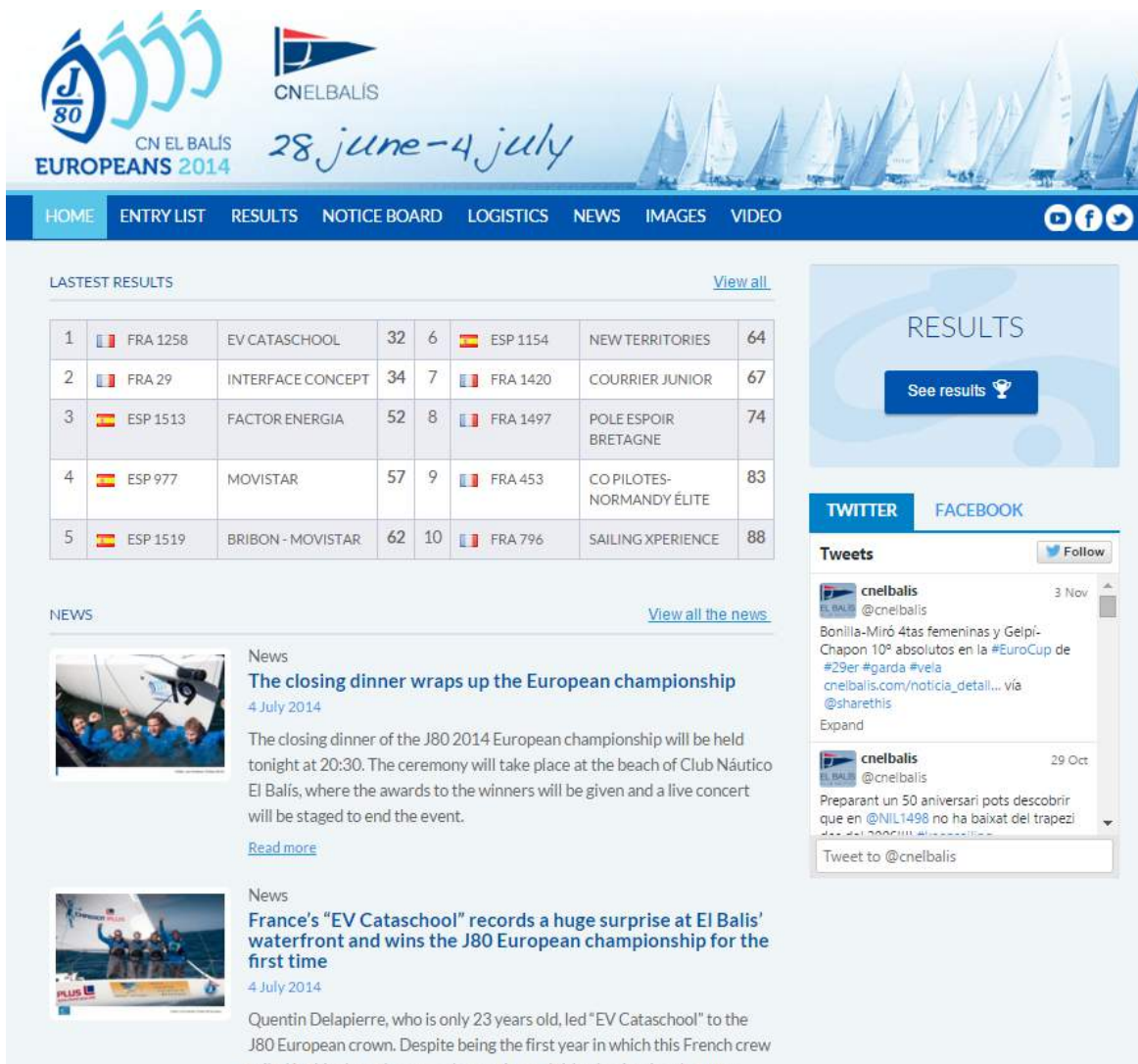
Boats



Motorhomes



COMMUNICATION: Dedicated web site and social networks



The website for the El Balis J80 Europeans 2014 features a blue header with the event logo, CNELBALIS branding, and the dates 28 June - 4 July. A navigation bar includes links for HOME, ENTRY LIST, RESULTS, NOTICE BOARD, LOGISTICS, NEWS, IMAGES, and VIDEO. The 'LASTEST RESULTS' section displays a table of race results, and the 'RESULTS' section has a 'See results' button. A 'NEWS' section on the left contains two articles, and a 'TWITTER' sidebar on the right shows recent tweets from @cnelbalis.

LASTEST RESULTS [View all](#)

1	FRA 1258	EV CATASCHOOL	32	6	ESP 1154	NEW TERRITORIES	64
2	FRA 29	INTERFACE CONCEPT	34	7	FRA 1420	COURRIER JUNIOR	67
3	ESP 1513	FACTOR ENERGIA	52	8	FRA 1497	POLE ESPOIR BRETAGNE	74
4	ESP 977	MOVISTAR	57	9	FRA 453	CO PILOTES-NORMANDY ÉLITE	83
5	ESP 1519	BRIBON - MOVISTAR	62	10	FRA 796	SAILING XPERIENCE	88

RESULTS [See results](#)

NEWS [View all the news](#)

News
The closing dinner wraps up the European championship
4 July 2014
The closing dinner of the J80 2014 European championship will be held tonight at 20:30. The ceremony will take place at the beach of Club Náutico El Balis, where the awards to the winners will be given and a live concert will be staged to end the event.
[Read more](#)

News
France's "EV Cataschool" records a huge surprise at El Balis' waterfront and wins the J80 European championship for the first time
4 July 2014
Quentin Delapierre, who is only 23 years old, led "EV Cataschool" to the J80 European crown. Despite being the first year in which this French crew

TWITTER **FACEBOOK**

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cnelbalis @cnelbalis 3 Nov
Bonilla-Miró 4tas femininas y Gelpi-Chapon 10º absolutos en la #EuroCup de #29er #gorda #vela
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cnelbalis @cnelbalis 29 Oct
Preparant un 50 aniversari pots descobrir que en @NIL1498 no ha baixat del trapezi
[del 2007!!! @sharethis](#)
Tweet to @cnelbalis



The Facebook page for El Balis J80 Europeans shows a cover photo of sailors celebrating. The page includes a navigation bar with links for Cronologia, About, Fotos, M'agrada, and Vídeos. The main content area features a post from July 11, 2014, reporting on the Spanish TV coverage of the event. The page also displays a grid of photos and a list of visitors.

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J80 Europeans report on the Spanish TV. Thanks again to all of you for coming to Club Náutico El Balis and for having such an exemplary behaviour during the whole championship. It has been a pleasure for us to share this event with all of you.

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Visitors [...](#)

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Getting around and social aspects



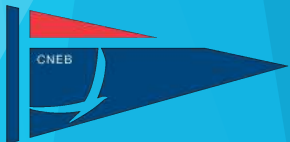


Distances from the harbor

CN El Balís to:

- Barcelona- 35 km
- Barcelona airport - 56 km
- Girona airport - 55 km
- French border - 122 km
- Railway station - 100 mt
 - 40' to Bcn City Center
 - 4€/ride; every 20'

Barcelona Airport is connected with Port Balís with just 1 transfer in Barcelona. Smooth, easy, and cheap!



Accommodation

LLAVANERES - Port Balís location

Houses Barcelona Coast
Inexholidays S.L.
Finques Vives
Luxury services



MATARÓ - 8km to harbor
Just 5' by train. 2€/ride;
Every 10'



Hotel Atenea Port
Hotel Ibis Barcelona Mataró
Hotel Castell de Mata
...among many others!!
And, of course Airbnb!!



Alberg Municipal Can Soleret

CALDES D'ESTRAC - 2 km to harbor - [Biking distance](#)

Resort & Spa Hotel Colón
Kalima
Best western Hotel Jet
Romaní
Hotel Estrac



Eurostage

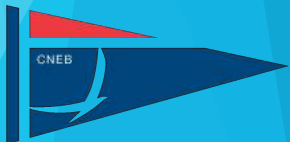


CAMPINGS

Camping & Bungalows Barcelona
1 km to harbour - [Biking distance](#)
Camping Bona Vista
Calella



6 campings 15 km around the harbour



Partners programme (form 1h to 1-day trips)

- ▶ **Cultural:** (Barcelona, Mataró, Figueres, Cadqués...)
 - ▶ Gaudí's architecture
 - ▶ Dalí's & Picasso museums
 - ▶ Marimurta - botanical garden of Blanes
 - ▶ Opera house, Concert halls
 - ▶ Barcelona Walking Tours and Hop in/off bus
 - ▶ Montserrat Monestry
- ▶ **Great shopping:** Barcelona, Mataró, La Roca Village...
- ▶ **Gastronomy:**
 - ▶ Best restaurant of the world (Girona) but... many others
 - ▶ Vineyards & wineries (Penedés, Alella)
- ▶ **Sports for all the family:** (great beaches all around)
 - ▶ Diving, kajaking, paddle surfing, sailing (all in Balis)
 - ▶ Hiking, biking, running, Paddle (Balis), tennis



Surrounded by beautiful beaches; all awarded with the BLUE FLAG



Excellency in gastronomy, within the club, adjacent villages, and Barcelona.

Fishermen harbor restaurant in Arenys de Mar;
biking distance from Balís.



Restaurant Sangiovese, creative cuisine in Mataró;
5' by train from Balís

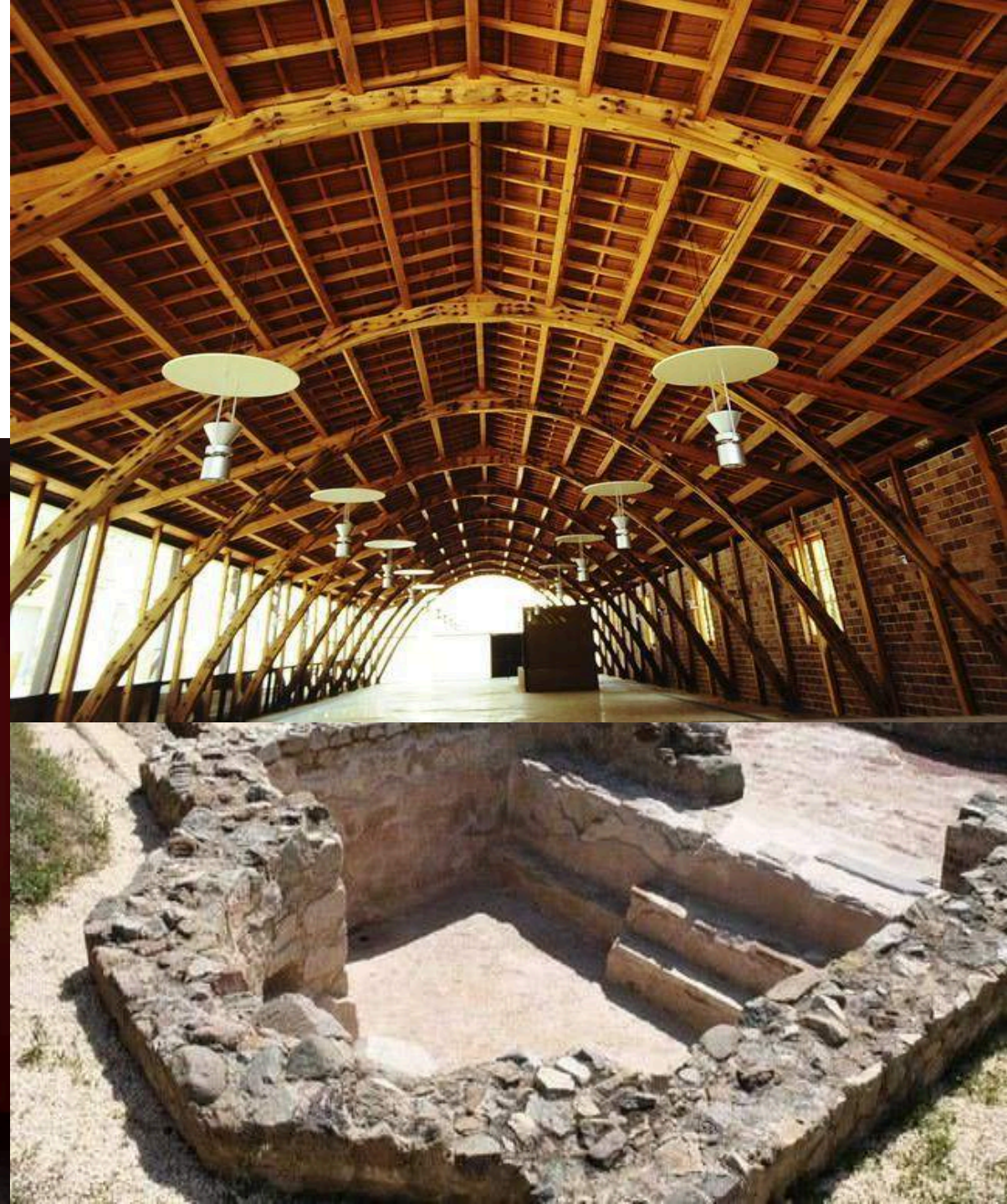


Alella vineyards, just 10' away by train from Balís

Visits to the wineries + tapas lunch + wine
tastings will be organized



Mataró, Roman & Modernist
City: just 5' away from Balís by
train (every 10'; just 2€/ride!)



Barcelona, a 'must visit'!

Just 40' from Balís by train



Great social events and ceremonies



J80 Opening ceremony and party



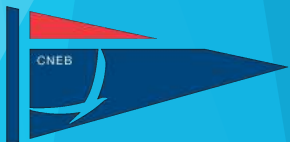
Daily prizegiving & after sail parties



On beach lunch & dinner



Exclusive gifts and trophy design

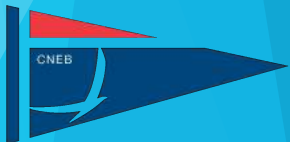


Great facilities for the ANNUAL MASTERS MEETING

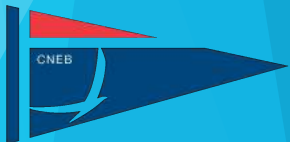
¡Enjoy the lounge!



The example of the annual meeting of the Balís Cruise Masters Fleet



An image is worth more than a thousand words!



We are looking forwards to welcoming you!!

Finn World Masters 2018

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