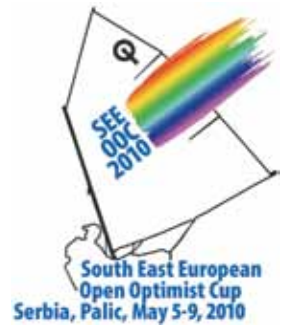


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The first day of regatta, we had sun and excellent wind, so the competitors sailed 4 races. The best sailor of the first day were Miriam Babjakova, SVK, the second was Nikola Krgović, MNE and the third Luka Tošić, SRB. In the evening of the same day, we had opening ceremony, with local folklore group.

As a part of the ceremony was prize giving for the three winners in four races of that day. Djordje Ristić, Regatta Commodore, handled medals to the sailors.



REGATTA PARTICIPANTS – SAILORS AND JUDGES



– I must remark that, comparing the situation in last two years since I have been the race officer for the first time, quality of sailing is on much higher level, especially at young sailors – *Drazen Zdelarec, International Race officer from Croatia.*

Here is the judges' opinion:

– It is already third year at SEEOOC regatta, first as a International Jury member, then as a race Officer last year and finally this year as a International Jury Chairman. This last is a great honour and acknowledgement to me. I have to give my acknowledgement to Organizing Authority for effort to attract competitors from all around the world to this interesting regatta, which gains popularity and importance among Optimist sailing community – *Miroslav Bjelajac International Judge from Croatia*

– For the second time I come at Palic, and I again find the same charming place, a lot of very friendly people working hard to set a good organisation, and what is more, they succeed. I wish a long life to SEEOOC which is a very important event for future sailing and future sailors in East Europe. Hvala, Palic – *Abel Bellaguet, IJ France*

– It's the first time for me to be in Serbia. To tell the truth I had no idea about Lake Palic. After having followed 4 races yesterday I would say: It's a good area for sailing and especially for Optimists. It's great that kids from different Nations can make friends what hopefully will help that people from different Nations accept each other and can live peacefully. I got some new friends and I learned some important Serbian words as pivo, zivjeli, dorucak, da, ne. Hope that I can come again. Dovidyenja. – *Benno Loske, IJ from Germany*



Andonović, Bjelajac, Grujić (IJ secretary), Gucciardi, Bellaguet, Loske, Ristić (comodore), Volarević and Lallai

– This is my first time to be here - it was a beautiful discovery of that nice place. I found good organization, nice persons and good wind. Thank you for this new and rich experience – *Lorena Gucciardi, NJ from Italy.*

– In 2008. I was in Golubac, and we did good races on Danube near the castle. This year I changed the place to Palic. I found the same good organization, and friendly atmosphere on the beautiful lake. I hope to come back to Serbia – *Giuseppe Lallai, IJ from Italy*



– I am in Serbia for the first time, so I am a little bit nervous. However, after I came I was warmly welcomed. After a while there was a number of kids from many countries around. I was surprised that some sailors came even from Armenia and Kenya. I am happy here, we have nice food, music, strong wind and beautiful lake... I made a new friend here, Lara. I hope I could come next year again – *Sara Provaznikova, Czech Republic*

REGATTA PARTICIPANTS – TEAMS AND COACHES



Armenia: Razmik Hakobyan, Hovhannes Sukiasyan, Tigran Movsisyan

Czech Republic, Jachtklub Brno: Sara Provaznikova

Hungary: Takacsy Lilla, Varga Zsofia, Korchmaros Sara, Veenstra Csenge, Toth Marton, Wolf Szabolcs, Neszmalyi Mark, Veenstra Jelmer, Olah Gergely, Ziegler Kristof, Baticz Belian

Montenegro (Sailing club Jugole Grakalić): Vase Milojević, Nikola Krgović, Ivan Pušić, Milan Crnogorac.

Slovakia: Miriam Babjakova, Nina Bilkova, Linda Mankova, Natalia Nanistova, Richard Rexa, Adam Ferianec

Kenya: Lara Granier

JK Olimpic: Lorenza Lia Peric, Alessia Svagelj, Maj Musa Olivieri, Luka Ferencek, Matija Kocjancic, Toni Rebec

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WIND & SUN - JOIN THE FUN



We sailed and we have fun: visited Palic Zoo, had a singing competition, that won Sara Korchmaros from Hungary, (the 1st prize was motor kite fly above the lake), played football, had a lottery, driving a bike, playing cards, or just making friends...



Lottery – the best gift – Ulman Sail for Optimist won Veenstra Csenge from Hungary.



Football games between teams initiated Slovenian team. Still, Serbian team won the tournament.

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– After eight hours long journey we arrived in – paradise. The name of paradise is Palic. Our team is composed of 6 sailors, accompanied by nine parents. We have two sailing girls from Italian minority in Slovenia. We all are delighted with nature beauty and cordial welcome. Our goal is to make our sailors to become sailing lovers, participating at as much regattas as we can. This bring us a lot of joy, making friendship with pleasant people. All compliments to the people from organization stuff. We are delighted with beautiful nature of Palic and with your hospitality. We are convinced that arriving to SEEOOC regatta will become tradition of our club.
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