WASZP Family Prize

WASZP International Class Association

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Application and eligibility

This policy applies when invoked by an event's Notice of Race. The WASZP Family Prize recognises the best combined championship performance of two sailors from different generations of the same family, competing in the same or different rig sizes at an event.

Both sailors shall start at least one race and appear in their rig-size championship results. A championship shall be constituted for each represented rig size under the event's rules.

The prize will only be awarded at events where at least 3 eligible pairs nominate.

Nomination

Each family may nominate one pair to the organising authority before registration closes. Each sailor may belong to only one pair. A family with more than two eligible sailors shall select its pair by that deadline. No substitution is permitted.

Calculation and ranking

Each sailor's percentage score is calculated as follows:

Percentage score = 100 × (P − 1) ÷ (N − 1)

P is the sailor's final championship place. N is the total number of boats listed in that rig size's final championship results. First place scores 0%; last place scores 100%. If only one boat is listed, its score is 0%.

- For single fleets, use the overall championship ranking. For fleet split into gold and silver, use the whole-rig championship ranking combining Gold and Silver fleets, not the place within either fleet. If a championship tie remains unresolved, P is the average of the places occupied by the tied boats.
- Add the two sailors' percentage scores. The pair with the lowest total wins. Use unrounded values for all calculations, rankings and tie-breaks.
- If totals are equal, compare the higher individual percentage score in each pair. The pair with the lower of those scores ranks ahead. If still tied, the pairs share the placing and prize.

Examples / explanation

*Tie break; A pair scoring 20% and **30%** beats a pair scoring 10% and **40%**.*

Score calculation; 11th of 101 and 6th of 51 each score 10%...

*The formula measures how far down their fleet a sailor finishes, with **first place at 0%** and **last place at 100%**:*

Score = (finishing place − 1) ÷ (number of boats − 1) × 100

11th out of 101 boats:** (11 − 1) ÷ (101 − 1) × 100 = **10%

6th out of 51 boats:** (6 − 1) ÷ (51 − 1) × 100 = **10%

*Both sailors finished **one-tenth from first to last**, so they receive the same score despite competing in different-sized fleets.*