

PRESS RELEASE

BARCOLANA51 PRESENTED BY GENERALI – FINAL NUMBER OF ENTRIES IS 2015

OTHER REGATTA RESULTS

Trieste, 12 October 2019 – The final number of entries for Barcolana51 Presented by Generali is 2015 registered boats. Having exceeded the 2000 entries threshold, the great sailing celebration will go on all night long in Trieste until the start of the regatta, scheduled for tomorrow morning at 10.30 am.

“Like in past editions, – stated the chairman of the sailing club Società Velica di Barcola e Grignano, Mitja Gialuz – over 2000 boats have registered. Let me thank all the shipowners that have reached Trieste to participate in this edition of Barcolana. But most of all, let me thank everyone who’s worked with us, the members of the sailing club Società Velica di Barcola e Grignano, the consultants and employees that have worked for a year to outnumber the success of the 2018 edition. Barcolana50 + 1 is even more crowded and more beautiful than last year’s edition. Long live Barcolana and Trieste”.

BARCOLANA CLASSIC: RESULTS – Regattas were raced at a very slow pace on the eve of Barcolana. The day started with the parade of Barcolana Classic and continued with a slow-motion regatta, raced with almost non-existent wind. The boats that ranked first for each category are the following:

Passere class: 1) Koala (Andrea Bernardi) Triestina della Vela

Classici A: 1) Naif (Ivan Gardini) CV Ravennate

Classici B: 1) Stella Polare (F.lli Cumbo) YC Adriaco

Sob A: 1) Kookaburra II (Maurizio Vecchiola) YC Europa

Sob B: 1) Maj Britt (Juergen Grohmann) Muenchener RSV

Sciarrelli A: 1) Chica Boba II (Giovanni Gasparini) Comp. Vela Pesaro

Sciarrelli B: 1) Attica (Maila Zarattini) Triestina della Vela

Epoca (Vintage): 1) Ciao Pais (Massimo Fonda) Triestina della Vela.

BARCOLANA BY NIGHT – Almost no wind also during Barcolana By Night, raced alongside the tallship Vespucci. Maria Vittoria Marchesini, at the helm of Goofy owned by Pietro and Marco Perelli won a slow but tactical race. It was a neck and neck race between Goofy and Cattivik on the first leg of the course with Goofy in the lead for the entire competition, while Bandito was tagging them closely behind. Cattivik owned by Gianni De Visintini crossed the finish line behind Goofy, whereas Bandito by Chicca Tuniz arrived third. Don Chisciotte scored a fourth place and Canaglia came fifth.

Before sunset, the small Meteor class boats had raced on the same course before a crowd cheering them along Molo Audace and the Rive seafront. Very light wind for them too: 1) Perkoranera (D. Sampiero) CVD Erix; 2) Meteor 101 (F. Piccarreta) CN Pesaro; 3) Gatto Nero (A. Zurlo) Portodimare; 4) Zefiro (E. Negri) Luino; 5) Barkino (M. Mandler) Sistiana 89. There were 32 small hulls at the start line in total.