



## Challenge Prince Albert II 2019 European Coastal Rowing Regatta

**A new look has been created for the annual meeting of Monegasque Coastal Rowing!**

**For its 14<sup>th</sup> edition, the Organising Committee is innovating and refreshing its famous regatta. From its origins as a simple regional competition just a few years ago, the Challenge Prince Albert II has now evolved into an international event, with the aim of becoming the premier end-of-season coastal rowing meeting hosted by the “Société Nautique de Monaco”, in the legendary sporting capital, the Principality of Monaco.**

Inaugurated in 2005, the regatta, named after our Honorary President, has become one of the major competitions of the season over recent years. Following on from the success of the 2016 World Coastal Rowing Championships, the “Société Nautique de Monaco” will again present a regatta of highest standard of competition, organisation and conviviality.

Coastal Rowing in Monaco is a magical experience throughout the whole year and, in early December, its normally enjoys hours of sunshine and mild temperatures.

So, the transformation is underway!

A new designation: Challenge Prince Albert II, European Coastal Rowing Regatta,

A new date: first week-end of December,

A new format: qualifying sessions followed by finals, over 2 days of competition.

Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
Registration Training Sessions Briefing	Qualifying Sessions: Group A / Group B	Finals Group A / Group B Rowers Party	Reserve Day

Boat categories admitted :

- ✓ Women: Solo (CW1x), Double (CW2x), Quad (CW4X+),
- ✓ Men : Solo (CM1x), Double (CM2x), Quad (CM4X+),
- ✓ Mixed (crew composed by 50% of women and men, excluding cox): Mixed Double (CMix2X), Mixed Quad (CMix4X+).

The Challenge Prince Albert II is modernising without losing its DNA. The regatta will be held on the same historic harbour as previous editions and where the 2016 WRCC took place. Its organisation, its enthusiastic volunteers and its friendly atmosphere are guaranteed, with the highlight of the week-end the Saturday Night Rowers Party which concludes the event.

We look forward to welcoming you from the 28<sup>th</sup> November to 1<sup>st</sup> December 2019 for the new Challenge Prince Albert II!

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