

1/8th Off Road Buggy: Section Chairman

Carlos Gomez Ambrosio C/ Lezeaga, 8 -6° D 48002 BILBAO SPAIN

Phone (Priv): +34 94 427 76 11, Mobile: +34 629 840 268, Email: eight.buggy@efra.ws

## EUROPEAN FEDERATION OF RADIO OPERATED MODEL AUTOMOBILES

Carlos Gomez, C/ Lezeaga, 8 - 6º D, 48002 BILBAO, Spain

Bilbao, 5th May 2017

## Entries / Events news for EFRA 1/8 Buggy Section

My dear sportfriends:

Our 2017 season has already started and normally we were meant to be involved in the Entry Form process for both Euros A & B . But that is past. EFRA needs to get our sport into the new century, not to live in the past. Consequently there <u>is a NEW WAY of handling the entries</u>.

This NEW WAY requires from the *EFRA Member Countries Responsibles* to do your homework <u>ELECTRONICALLY AT THE EFRA WEBSITE</u>. The procedure is easy, although you may think it is not, done twice you can do it easily 20 times more, its is more mechanical than any other thing.

Basically is to do the same thing you were meant to do with the old Excel EFRA Entry Form, but at a webpage and registering each driver individually. Truly, I AM SURE ALL OF YOU CAN DO IT.

But, due to our special situation in the class with waiting list at all the events, I am going to ask you an extra favour: If by any chance you are certain that your country is not goin to fill all the allocated spots, **please let me know it BY EMAIL a.s.a.p.** (as soon as possible), then I will be able to release an open spot to drivers at the waiting list for those that need to book holidays, planes & hotels.

Sincerely: MANY THANKS for your kind help & collaboration.

There is a temporary EFRA manual of how to do the registration process on the administration and registration pages on the website. The final new version of the manual is nearly ready, please check your email box and the EFRA Website for updates.

Our Season key events will be 4.

We are going to start with the XIV EC-B in Réding, France, nearby Strasbourg, in the heart of Europe from 7 to 9 July 2017. We have already been there for the Warm-up, EFRA International Race, and have talked about all improvements with a very collaborative club and Federation, we are confident they are going to give us, EFRA, its Member Countries Associations and all the participants an excellent event.

The web site of the club http://www.ABCReding.fr will help you in order to find information.

Next will be our main event of the year, the 37th (XXXVII) EFRA European Championship 1/8th IC Buggy Off Road at Eskilstuna, Sweden from 1 to 5 August 2017. We are going to be there within 10 days to check all facilities, but based on the club experience we are quite confident as well

Mobile: +32 477 947 109

E-mail: secretary@efra.ws

Fax: +32 15 241 470

Skype: willy.wuyts1

The website is <a href="http://www.mkeskil.se/wordpress/en/start-en/">http://www.mkeskil.se/wordpress/en/start-en/</a>

www.efra.ws

## www.efra.ws

Following in our calendar order we are going to visit Croatia for the growing and attractive Open EC (probably our last time at this format) This is going to be on the very first weekend of September, from 1 to 3 September, at Velika Gorika, by the Zagreb Airport.

The warm-up of this event is meant to be next 9-11 June 2017 and the web site with all the information is <a href="http://www.v-max.hr/">http://www.v-max.hr/</a>

Beware, this event and the next one: DRIVER REGISTRATION IS TO BE DONE DIRECTLY WITH THE CLUB.

Last in our calendar is our Over 40 Open Entry European Championship at Castelnuovo Calcea in Italy, not far from Milano, this event is going to be 29 September to 1st October, and will be an excellent oportunity to enjoy fair racing in the classic style, meeting friends all over Europe.

The website of the organizer is <a href="http://www.dracerc.com/">http://www.dracerc.com/</a> and they are going to have a good race to practice soon.

As usual I am at your dispossal for whatever you may need, let me help you by helping me.

Mobile: +32 477 947 109

E-mail: secretary@efra.ws

Fax: +32 15 241 470

Skype: willy.wuyts1

With my best regards Yours in the sport

Carlos Gomez, EFRA 1/8<sup>th</sup> Off Road SECTION CHAIRMAN