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# International 14 Worlds 2016

French Proposal



## 2016 Worlds: French Proposal



The French 14 sailors are delighted to invite the 14 fleet to a World Championship to be held in the fabulous sailing waters of Quiberon Bay, Southern Brittany, France

## 2016 Worlds Location: Carnac

The venue would be Carnac, which is to the North of the Bay. The area is on the Atlantic coast of north-western France, but sheltered from the ocean swell by the long Quiberon peninsula - creating a superb sailing location, familiar to many 14ers from previous regattas and Europeans in the area



The location is a major French holiday venue, with accommodation of all types readily available, and with plenty of beaches, activities for non-sailors, and great food! It is also an area of great history, settled since ancient times and famous for the Neolithic standing stones found throughout the area



## 2016 Worlds: an experienced host club

The Carnac Yacht Club has operated since 1960 and has a long history of managing major events. Please see their separate presentation which will give you a good idea of their experience and expertise. Recent examples include::

- Europeans for various RS classes in 2006, 2009 and 2011;
- 18 Foot Skiffs 2006, 2007, 2009
- 30 local, national and international events in 2012
- 2013 events include Dart 18 Worlds, OK Euros, Fireball French Nationals

CYC is also the venue for the RS Feva Worlds 2014



## 2016 Worlds: Organisation and logistics

**Organisation:** the event will be organised by Carnac YC, with the support of French 14ers

**Location:** The club is in the beach area (Carnac Plage) of the town of Carnac, within a short distance of the various accommodation options, shops, bars, restaurants, etc

**Transport:** the area is well served by public transport, with trains (to Auray) from Paris or London, and flights to local airports (Rennes, Nantes, Lorient) again from Paris or London, Car hire is of course the alternative, while for European sailors driving down is straightforward.

**Weather:** northern Europe so variable but the region is generally warm and sunny in summer

## 2016 Worlds: More information

The French 14 fleet are really enthusiastic to hold the event, and very much hope the class will accept this invitation.

For more information, please see the Carnac Yacht Club presentation, and links to various other sources listed on the class website at [www.international14.org](http://www.international14.org) (follow “International Events” then “Worlds after Geelong”)

We hope to see you all in France in 2016!

