



# *European Va'a Race Calendar*

## *2012*

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### CHRONOLOGICAL OVERVIEW

Date	Name of Race	Location	Categories*	Distance	Organiser
March 24	Eglisauer Brücken Open	<b>SWITZERLAND</b> Eglisau	V1, V1r, V2r, S1, S2 m/w/mi	14 km	DBC Eglisau <a href="http://www.outrigger.ch">www.outrigger.ch</a>
March 31- April 1	[National Qualifying Ocean Racing]	<b>FRANCE</b> Arcachon	V1, V1r, V6, V2r, K1, K2 m/w	18 km (m + w) 7 km (juniors -16)	Comité Régional Aquitaine CK / Muriel Dantec <a href="mailto:muriel.lajuzan@laposte.net">muriel.lajuzan@laposte.net</a> <a href="http://www.aviron-arcachonnais.fr">http://www.aviron-arcachonnais.fr</a>
April 14	Rund um Scharfenberg (1st Race of the German Cup 2012)	<b>GERMANY</b> Berlin	V1, V1r, V2r, V6, Surfski m/w/mi	16,5 km 3 x 3 km (relay race)	Berliner Kanu-Club "Borussia" e.V. /1.OCC <a href="mailto:mabethke@web.de">mabethke@web.de</a> <a href="http://www.bkc-borussia.de/RuS/rus1.html">http://www.bkc-borussia.de/RuS/rus1.html</a>
April 21-22	[National Qualifying Ocean Racing]	<b>FRANCE</b> Saint Valéry sur Somme	V1, V1r, V6, V2r, K1, K2 m/w	18 km (m + w) 7 km (juniors -16)	Comité Régional Picardie / Guillaume Debeaurain <a href="mailto:kayakbaiphog@hotmail.com">kayakbaiphog@hotmail.com</a> <a href="http://kayak-somme.com">http://kayak-somme.com</a>

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April 28-29	[National Qualifying Ocean Racing]	<b>FRANCE</b> La Seyne sur mer	V1, V1r, V6, V2r, K1, K2 m/w/mi	18 km (m + w) 7 km (juniors -16)	Comité Régional Provence Alpes Cote D'Azur CK/ Jean Fioretti <a href="mailto:cnmeduse@free.fr">cnmeduse@free.fr</a> <a href="http://www.lameduse.com">www.lameduse.com</a>
May 5-6	Main-Metropolitan- Cup (2nd Race of the German Cup 2012)	<b>GERMANY</b> Frankfurt/M.	V1, V1r, V2r, V4, V6 m/w/mi Surfski, Kayak	21 km, 10 km 500 m	FKV Frankfurt <a href="http://www.metropolitan-mediterranean-cup.com">www.metropolitan-mediterranean-cup.com</a>
May 12-13	[National Qualifying Ocean Racing]	<b>FRANCE</b> Mandelieu la Napoule	V1, V1r, V6, V2r, K1, K2 m/w/mi	18 km (m + w) 7 km (juniors -16)	Comité Régional Provence Alpes Cote D'Azur CK / John Leger <a href="mailto:johnleger2000@yahoo.fr">johnleger2000@yahoo.fr</a> <a href="mailto:cov.valbonne@wanadoo.fr">cov.valbonne@wanadoo.fr</a>
May 12-13	[National Qualifying Ocean Racing]	<b>FRANCE</b> Nord Cotentin	V1, V1r, V6, V2r, K1, K2 m/w/mi	18 km (m + w) 7 km (juniors -16)	Comité Régional Normandie CK / David Szlachta <a href="mailto:cotentin.kayak@wanadoo.fr">cotentin.kayak@wanadoo.fr</a> <a href="http://cotentinkayak.free.fr">http://cotentinkayak.free.fr</a>

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May 12	4. Outrigger Event Magdeburg (3rd Race of the German Cup 2012)	<b>GERMANY</b> Magdeburg	V1, V1r, V2r, V6 m/w/mi Surfski, Kayak	12-15 km Sprint	1. OCC Magdeburg <a href="http://www.team-event-gl.de">www.team-event-gl.de</a>
May 17 - 19	Vendée Va'a Race	<b>FRANCE</b> Les Sables - St Gilles - Ile d'Yeu	V6 (9) m/w	100 km	Comité Régional Pays de Loire CK /Canoe Kayak Côte Lumière / Yves Gaborit /Denys Remy <a href="mailto:ckclumiere@wanadoo.fr">ckclumiere@wanadoo.fr</a> <a href="http://vendeevaa.fr/vaa">http://vendeevaa.fr/vaa</a>
May 19	Müritz Champion (4th Race of the German Cup 2012)	<b>GERMANY</b> Waren (Müritz)	V1, V1r, V2r, V6, Surfski, Paddelboard, Sea Kayak, SUP m/w/mi	15-20 km (depending on weather conditions)	Müritz Sportclub Waren e.V. <a href="mailto:kd@sport-direkt.info">kd@sport-direkt.info</a> <a href="http://www.mueritz-champion.de">www.mueritz-champion.de</a>
May 20	[Regional Ocean Racing Championship]	<b>FRANCE</b> Kerguelen - Plomeur	V1, V1r, V6, V2r, K1, K2 m/w	18 km (m + w) 7 km (juniors -16)	Comité Régional Bretagne / Jean Combes <a href="mailto:morbihan@ffck.org">morbihan@ffck.org</a>

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May 26	[Kayak Golfe - National Qualifying Ocean Racing]	<b>FRANCE</b> Vannes/Arradon - Golfe du Morbihan	V1, V1r, V6, V2r, K1, K2 m/w/mi	18 km (m + w) 7 km (juniors -16)	Comité Régional Bretagne CK / Corentin Menou  <a href="mailto:centre.nautique.arradon@wanadoo.fr">centre.nautique.arradon@wanadoo.fr</a> <a href="http://www.centre-nautique-arradon.com">www.centre-nautique-arradon.com</a>
May 27	[National Qualifying Va'a Sprint]	<b>FRANCE</b> Choisy le Roy	V1, V6 m/w	500 m 1500 m	Comité Régional Ile-de France / Gabriel Degrouette  <a href="http://www.crifck.org">www.crifck.org</a>
May 27-28	[National Qualifying Va'a Sprint]	<b>FRANCE</b> La Seyne	V1, V6 m/w	500 m 1500 m	Comité Régional Provence Alpes Côte d'Azur CK / Cyrille Taraufau  <a href="http://www.ruahatu-vaa.com">www.ruahatu-vaa.com</a>
June 2-3	[National Qualifying Ocean Racing]	<b>FRANCE</b> Toulon	V1, V1r, V6, V2r, K1, K2 m/w/mi	18 km (m + w) 7 km (juniors -16)	Comité Régional Provence Alpes Côte d'Azur CK / Karl Teore  <a href="mailto:manuuravaa.france@hotmail.fr">manuuravaa.france@hotmail.fr</a>
June 2-3	[National Qualifying Ocean Racing]	<b>FRANCE</b> Berck sur Mer	V1, V1r, V6, V2r, K1, K2 m/w/mi	18 km (m + w) 7 km (juniors -16)	Comité Régional Nord Pas de Calais CK / Jean Pierre Wadoux  <a href="mailto:ckc.berck@wanadoo.fr">ckc.berck@wanadoo.fr</a> <a href="mailto:jeanpierre.wadoux@sfr.fr">jeanpierre.wadoux@sfr.fr</a>

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June 9-10	OC Race (Dragon Boat Festival)	<b>SWITZERLAND</b> Meilen	V1, V1r, V2r, V6 m/w/mi	21 km 2000 m	Drachenboot Club Meilen <a href="http://www.drachenboot-meilen.ch/">www.drachenboot-meilen.ch/</a>
June 16-17	[National Qualifying Ocean Racing]	<b>FRANCE</b> Chatelaillon	V1, V1r, V6, V2r, K1, K2 m/w/mi	18 km (m + w) 7 km (juniors -16)	Comité Régional Poitou Charentes CK / Pierre-Yves Chevalier <a href="mailto:poitoucharentes@ffcanoe.asso.fr">poitoucharentes@ffcanoe.asso.fr</a>
June 16-17	Femina Va'a Cup	<b>FRANCE</b> Le Grau du Roi	V1, V1r, V6 w only	15 km 1000 m	Kayak Club Canoe Kayak Grau du Roi - Terre de Camargue <a href="mailto:clubkayakgrau@free.fr">clubkayakgrau@free.fr</a> <a href="http://feminavaacup.free.fr">http://feminavaacup.free.fr</a>
June 16	La Roquebrunoise Va'a	<b>FRANCE</b> Roquebrune - Cap Martin	V1, V1r, V6, Surfski, Kayak m/w/mi	25 km	Comité Régional Poitou Charentes CK / Vai Nui Va'a - Tuahati Manutahi <a href="mailto:jean-claude.dechambenoy@orange.fr">jean-claude.dechambenoy@orange.fr</a>
June 16	Hawaiian Sports Festival  (5th Race of the German Cup 2012)	<b>GERMANY</b> Rerik	V1, V1r, V2r, V6 m/w/mi  Surfski, Paddleboard, Sea Kayak, SUP m/w	10 km 15 km 300 m  (15 km - DC 2012)	Hawaiian Sports Club <a href="mailto:info@hawaiiansportsfestival.com">info@hawaiiansportsfestival.com</a> <a href="http://www.hawaiiansportsfestival.com">www.hawaiiansportsfestival.com</a>

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June 23	11. Hiddensee Marathon (6th Race of the German Cup 2012)	<b>GERMANY</b> Stralsund	V1, V1r, V2r, Surfski m/w/mi	70 km	Stralsunder Kanu – Club e.V. <a href="http://www.stralsunder-kanu-club.de/kanuwoche/">www.stralsunder-kanu-club.de/kanuwoche/</a>
July 7	Orofero Challenge	<b>FRANCE</b> Toulon	V1, V1r, V2r, m/w Surfski, K1, K2	35 km (m) 21 km (w)	Manu Ura Va'a / Karl Teore <a href="mailto:manuuravaa.france@free.fr">manuuravaa.france@free.fr</a> <a href="http://www.manuura-vaa.com">www.manuura-vaa.com</a>
July 7	Roxy Va'a Cup	<b>FRANCE</b> Toulon	V6 w only	24 km 10 km	Manu Ura Va'a / Gisèle Teore <a href="mailto:manuuravaa.france@free.fr">manuuravaa.france@free.fr</a> <a href="http://www.manuura-vaa.com">www.manuura-vaa.com</a>
July 7	Bever-Outrigger-Race (2nd Race NRW-Cup; 7th Race of the German Cup 2012)	<b>GERMANY</b> Bever-Talsperre, Hückeswagen	V1, V1r, V2r, Surfski m/w/mi	12 km Sprint	Regattaverein Wuppertal <a href="http://www.outriggercanoe.de">www.outriggercanoe.de</a> <a href="http://www.dragattack.info">www.dragattack.info</a>

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July 14-15	4. Lightcom Cup (8th Race of the German Cup 2012)	<b>GERMANY</b> Schwörstadt	V1, V1r, V2r, Surfski m/w/mi	20 km	WSV Schwörstadt Rheinstrom e.V. <a href="http://www.wsvschwuerstadt.de">www.wsvschwuerstadt.de</a> <a href="mailto:Martin.Baeumle@nok.ch">Martin.Baeumle@nok.ch</a>
July 18	[Ocean Racing]	<b>FRANCE</b> Baie de Douarnenez / Rade de Brest	V1, V1r, V6, V2r, K1, K2 m/w	18 km (m + w) 7 km (juniors -16)	Comité Régional Bretagne / Alexandre Carallec <a href="mailto:ckbrest@free.fr">ckbrest@free.fr</a>
July 21	Course des Iles et du Monoi	<b>FRANCE</b> Marseille - Plage du Prado	V6 m/w	35 km (m) 14 km (w)	Manu Ura 13 Marseille <a href="mailto:ericvanech@voila.fr">ericvanech@voila.fr</a>
July 21	OC-Ostseecup (Open Regional Championship Mecklenburg-Vorpommern; 9th Race of the German Cup 2012)	<b>GERMANY</b> Rostock- Warnemünde	V1r, V2r, Surfski m/w	20 km	OUTRIGGER SHARKS (SV-BREITLING Rostock e. V.) <a href="mailto:Sven.schleiff@schleiff-haus.de">Sven.schleiff@schleiff-haus.de</a> <a href="mailto:oc-sharks@freenet.de">oc-sharks@freenet.de</a> <a href="http://www.oc-sharks.de">www.oc-sharks.de</a>

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July 28	Bodensee Challenge (10th Race of the German Cup 2012)	<b>GERMANY</b> Lake Constance	V1, V1r, V2r, Surfski, Kayak, Sea Kayak m/w/mi	14 km	Kanu Sport im VfB Friedrichshafen <a href="http://www.bodensee-challenge.eu/">www.bodensee-challenge.eu/</a>
July 28	La Porquerollaise	<b>FRANCE</b> Toulon	V6 (9) m/w/mi	67 km	Ruahatu Va'a / Cyrille Taraufau <a href="http://porquerollaise.free.fr">http://porquerollaise.free.fr</a>
August 4	La Tahitienne Va'a Nice - Lou Giro Niro	<b>FRANCE</b> Nice	V1, V1r, V6, V2r, K1, K2 m/w/mi	23 km	Comité Régional Provence Alpes Côte d'Azur / Laurent Campana <a href="mailto:crck@wanadoo.fr">crck@wanadoo.fr</a> <a href="mailto:vaanice@gmail.fr">vaanice@gmail.fr</a> <a href="http://www.canoepaca.com">www.canoepaca.com</a>
August 11	Guethary Ocean Outrigger Canoe Race	<b>FRANCE</b> Guethary	V1r, V2r m/w/mi	10-12 km	Ludovic Dulou <a href="http://www.ocean-outrigger.com">www.ocean-outrigger.com</a>
August 18	Geiseltalpassage (11th Race of German Cup 2012)	<b>GERMANY</b> Großkayna	V1, V1r, V2r, Surfski, Kayak, Sea Kayak m/w/mi	21 km	SV Großkayna 1922 e.V. <a href="mailto:info@geiseltalpassage.de">info@geiseltalpassage.de</a> <a href="http://www.geiseltalpassage.de">www.geiseltalpassage.de</a>

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August 18-21	ICF Canoe Sprint World Championships	<b>HUNGARY</b> Szeged	Para Canoeing (V1) m/w Kayak, Canoe	[200m/500 m]	
August 30 - September 1	[French Championship Ocean Racing]	<b>FRANCE</b> Palavas les Flots	V1, V1r, V6, V2r, K1, K2 m/w/mi	18 km (m + w) 7 km (juniors -16)	Comité Régional Languedoc Roussillon CK / Yvon Carluer <a href="mailto:contact@palavaskayakdemer.com">contact@palavaskayakdemer.com</a> <a href="http://www.palavaskayakdemer.com">www.palavaskayakdemer.com</a>

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September 15-16	[National Qualifying Va'a Sprint]	<b>FRANCE</b> Lac de Saint Cyr	V1, V6 m/w	500 m  1500 m	Comité Régional Poitou Charentes CK / Pierre-Yves Chevalier  <a href="http://www.chatel-vaa.fr">www.chatel-vaa.fr</a>
September 16	Ruahatu Nui - Almanarre	<b>FRANCE</b> Toulon	V1, V1r m/w	26 km	Ruahatu Va'a  <a href="mailto:ruahatu.nui@gmail.com">ruahatu.nui@gmail.com</a> <a href="http://ruahatu.vaa.free.fr">http://ruahatu.vaa.free.fr</a>
September 22	X-Paddle (3rd Race NRW-Cup)	<b>GERMANY</b> Xanten	V1, V1r, Surfski Kayak, SUP m/w/mi	15 km	Hawaiian Sport Club e.V.  <a href="mailto:g.wrede@vfkwuppertal.info">g.wrede@vfkwuppertal.info</a> <a href="http://xpaddle.hawaiiansportsfestival.com">http://xpaddle.hawaiiansportsfestival.com</a>
September 29	Translac	<b>FRANCE</b> Lac du Bourget	V1, V1r; V2r, V6 m/w/mi	5, 10, 22, 34 km	Comité Régional Rhone Alpes /Chambéry le Bourget Canoe Club / Mathieu Mangot  <a href="mailto:mathieu@mangeot.org">mathieu@mangeot.org</a> <a href="http://translac.fr">http://translac.fr</a>

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September 30	Ohana Mana Cup	<b>ITALY</b> Cagliari - Villasimius South Sardinia	V1, V1r, V2r, S1, S2 m/w/mi	12 km	A.S.D. Kauna Team Cagliari <a href="http://www.kaunateam.it/polinesiana.htm">www.kaunateam.it/polinesiana.htm</a> <a href="http://www.ohanamanacup.com">www.ohanamanacup.com</a>
October 6-7	[French Sprint Championship]	<b>FRANCE</b> Peyrolle	V1, V6 m/w	500 m 1500 m	Comité Régional Provence Alpes Côte d'Azur CK / Cyrille Taraufau <a href="mailto:ruahatu.nui@gmail.com">ruahatu.nui@gmail.com</a> <a href="http://ruahatu.vaa.free.fr">http://ruahatu.vaa.free.fr</a>
October 6	1. Outrigger Havel Challenge Potsdam	<b>GERMANY</b> Postdam	V1, V1r, V2r, S1, S2 m/w/mi	12 km 2 x 6 km (relay) 250 m Sprint	Preussen-Kanu im OSC Potsdam Luftschiffhafen e.V. <a href="http://www.preussen-kanu.de">www.preussen-kanu.de</a>
October 6	Eglisauer Brücken Open	<b>SWITZERLAND</b> Eglisau	V1, V1r, V2r, S1, S2 m/w/mi	14 km	DBC Eglisau <a href="http://www.outrigger.ch">www.outrigger.ch</a>

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## European Va'a Race Calendar 2012



Date	Name of Race	Location	Categories*	Distance	Organiser
October 19-21	Breizh Ocean Racing (International Race)	<b>FRANCE</b> St Pierre Quiberon	V1, V1r, V2r, K1, K2 m/w/mi	15-25 km	Comité Régional Bretagne CK / Philippe Blanquet <a href="mailto:morbihan@ffck.org">morbihan@ffck.org</a> <a href="mailto:phiblanquet@wanadoo.fr">phiblanquet@wanadoo.fr</a>
October 20-21	Ocean Racing	<b>FRANCE</b> Istres (Etang de Berre)	V1, V1r, V6, V2r, K1, K2 m/w/mi	21 km 14 km	Comité Régional Provence Alpes Côte d'Azur CK / Dominique Kremer <a href="mailto:kremslot@free.fr">kremslot@free.fr</a>
November 17	Eglisauer Brücken Open	<b>SWITZERLAND</b> <b>Eglisau</b>	V1, V1r, V2r, m/w/mi	14 km	DBC Eglisau <a href="http://www.outrigger.ch">www.outrigger.ch</a>

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