

United for the Concession

FRAN RIPOLL'S TEAM

Important Information for CN El Balís Members

On November 16th, a **new election** will be held to choose the Board that will lead CN El Balís for the next four years. This period will **embrace the most important moment for this Club** since its founding 60 years ago.

The Moment of Truth

Since June 3rd, 2022, we have been operating the port under a **Management Authorization** granted by the Generalitat de Catalunya. **Since then, we are no longer the owners of the port**, although we do manage its services, resources, and internal relationships with all the port's businesses.

When Does This Period End?

On June 3rd, 2026, this **Management Authorization** will expire, and by law, it cannot be extended. Early that same year, the bidding process for the new **administrative concession** will begin, and CN El Balís will apply along with other companies.

What Will Happen to CN El Balís Without the Concession?

This is a **critical matter**, as Port Balís is a clear target for several commercial companies ("marinas") whose primary and legitimate motivation will be to generate profit-driven activities. **If we lose the concession, CN El Balís will cease to be what it is today.** Remember that CN El Balís is a **non-profit organization** with guidelines focused on the redistribution of resources across activities, **seeking budgetary balance that supports the sporting and social mission of CN El Balís.**

Why Are We the Best Option?

Fran Ripoll and Toni Peris joined Jordi Parés's team, which, for the first time, focused on the new concession. **For the last 12 years, we have been working closely with the main stakeholders** (Generalitat de Catalunya, Ajuntament de Llavanes, ACPET, FCV...) to achieve an optimal position for the process that will begin in about a year. CN El Balís is represented in ACPET and FCV, where **Fran Ripoll chairs the Commission of Ports Clubs.** This ongoing work and dialogue are influential in the Regulations that will govern the next concession. **We believe this is a huge advantage we cannot afford to overlook.**

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We are at a pivotal moment for our future, and your participation is essential. We appreciate your support, but what truly counts is your vote. Let's decide **united!**

**VOTE UNITED FOR THE CONCESSION
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