

#### **NOTICE OF RACE**

## **SWEDISH and NORDIC CHAMPIONSHIP FOR DRAGON**

### June 12th – 14th 2020

Organizer: Marstrands Segelsällskap (MaSS)

## 1. Rules

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in the Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS), including the prescriptions of the Nordic Sailing Federation, (abbreviated NordicSF) and these rules for Nordic Championships.
- 1.2 The sailing instructions will consist of Standard Sailing Instructions, and supplementary sailing instructions that will be on the official notice board located close to the H-jetty.
- 1.3 International Dragon Association (IDA) class rules will apply.
- 1.4 Boats may be required to display advertising chosen and supplied by the organizing authority. If this rule is broken, World Sailing Regulation 20.9.2 applies. [DP]
- 1.5 Competitors shall when afloat wear personal flotation devices. This rule does not apply to short-term replacement or adjustment of clothing or personal equipment. Wet suits and dry suits are not personal flotation devices. This changes RRS 40. A boat that breaks this rule may be warned or penalized at the discretion of the protest committee (*DP*).
- The competitor that is in charge on board shall follow Swedish Sailing
   Federations racing license regulation for competitors.
   This regulation applies from the year the competitor reaches the age of 12.
   Competitors from other countries than Sweden are exempt from this regulation.





# 2. Eligibility requirements

- 2.1 All competitors (including crew members) shall be members of a club affiliated to its World Sailing national authority and all Swedish competitors (including crew members) shall be members of Svensk Drakklubb and helmsman must hold a license for competitions provided by Svenska Seglarförbundet.
- 2.2 Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third party liability insurance.
- 2.3 Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See RRS 4, Decision to Race. The organising authority will not accept any liability for material damage or personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with or prior to, during, or after the regatta.
- 2.4 If less than 8 participants, the organization reserves the right to cancel the regatta.

# 3. Requirements on Competitors and Boats

- 3.1 The **Nordic Championship** is open to boats from outside Group G. Such boats may win the title of Nordic Champion.
- 3.2 To constitute a **Nordic Championship** the event shall have
  - at least 15 competing boats and
  - competing boats from at least three countries in Group G or if there are only two countries, there shall be at least three boats from each.
- 3.3 To be entitled to participate in Riksidrottsförbundets championships, each competitor must comply with World Sailing Regulation 19.
- 3.4 In order to be awarded the title **Swedish Champion** (SM) the competitors shall be Swedish citizens or have resided in Sweden for at least six months the last twelve months before the regatta starts.





- 3.5 At championships with more than one competitor per boat, a majority of the crew (more than 50%) shall comply with the rule regarding the title Swedish Champion. If so, the entire crew will be awarded the title Swedish Champion.
- 3.6 Championship plaquette and titles may be awarded if six or more boats from at least three different clubs located in more than one district have crossed the finish line in one race in the championship.
- 3.7 To constitute a **Swedish Championship** the event shall have at least 15 competing boats.

### 4. Entries

- 4.1 Entry and payment shall be made not later than 1<sup>st</sup> June 2020 at www.sailarena.se see 4.3 or as described in 4.4.
- 4.2 The entry shall include the following:

Skipper's surname and first name

Cell Phone

E-mail

Postal address

City

Country

Yacht Club

Name of the boat

Sail number

Insurance company

Name, Crew 1

Name, Crew 2

(Name, Crew 3)

4.3 The entry fee is 2.900 SEK and shall be paid via <a href="www.sailarena.se">www.sailarena.se</a> upon entry. Late entry fee, after 1<sup>st</sup> June, is 3.900 SEK.





4.4 If there are problems for non-Swedish participants to enter via Sailarena, you can transfer the fee to the account of MaSS.

Bank: Handelsbanken

IBAN: SE20 6000 0000 0003 8425 8018

BIC: HANDSESS

You must in this case notify the organization your entry (according to 4.2) by mail to <a href="mailto:race@marstrandsss.se">race@marstrandsss.se</a>

- 4.5 The whole entry fee will be paid back if cancellation is made before the closing date 1<sup>st</sup> June.
- 4.6 The entire entry fee will be refunded if the championship is cancelled due to too few participants.
- 4.7 The fee includes harbor fee from 12/6 14/6 at the H-jetty.
- 4.8 The fee includes after sail, launching and retrieving.

## 5. Registration and measurement checks

- 5.1 Registrations shall be made at the MaSS race office at Strandverket on Marstrand island between 08.00 10.00 on Friday 12<sup>th</sup> June.
- 5.2 Measurement certificates shall be presented prior to racing.
- 5.3 A boat or equipment may be inspected at any time for compliance with the class rules and sailing instructions. On the water, the race- or/and the technical committee can instruct a boat to proceed immediately to a prescribed location for inspection.
- 5.4 Exchange of damaged or lost equipment will not be allowed unless approved by the race committee. Requests for exchange shall be made to the Race committee at the first reasonable opportunity.
- 5.5 A competitor may not be substituted without the written permission of the race committee.





5.6 Competitor that is in charge onboard, according to §1.6 shall be able to present a valid license for competitor.

# 6. Time schedule

Wednesday 10 <sup>th</sup> June	
14.00 – 17.00	Launching*
Thursday 11 <sup>th</sup> June	
14.00 – 17.00	Launching*
Friday 12 <sup>th</sup> June	
08.00 - 10.00	Registration
08.30 - 10.00	Launching*
09.00 - 10.30	Random equipment and safety inspection
10.30	Skippers briefing at Strandverket
12.55	First warning signal
17.00 approx.	After-sail
Saturday 13 <sup>th</sup> June	
09.55	First warning signal
16.00 approx.	After-sail
19.00	Regatta dinner
Sunday 14 <sup>th</sup> June	
09.55	First warning signal
	No race will start after 15.00

Prize giving ceremony as soon as the last race has been finished and most participants are gathered at location TBA.





\* Contact Marstrands Dyk & Skeppshandel, +46 72 320 61 00 to book your launching time slot.

It is of **utmost importance** that the boats crews will tow away their own trailer to the trailer parking area as quickly as possible after launching.

## 7. Race format

- 7.1 The regatta will be implemented as fleet racing in a straight series.
- 7.2 Minimum 7 races are scheduled.
- 7.3 It is permitted to use VHF.
- 7.4 Except in an emergency, a boat that is racing shall not make voice or data transmissions and shall not receive voice or data communication that is not available to all boats. Race Committee will use VHF radio to communicate to all boats.

# 8. Racing area

8.1 The racing areas will be on the Marstrand fiord (west of the Marstrand island).

## 9. The course

9.1 Windward-leeward.

# 10. Protests and penalty systems

10.1 Amending RRS §44.1 and §44.2changes the two-turn penalty ton one-turn penalty.





# 11. Scoring

- 11.1 The low point scoring system of RRS Appendix A will apply, modified so that when three or fewer races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores.
- 11.2 3 races are required to be completed to constitute a championship.

## 12. Prizes

- 12.1 Nordic Championship plaquettes in Gold, silver and bronze and titles may be awarded to the best three crews.
- 12.2 Swedish Championship plaquette and titles may be awarded if six or more boats from at least three different Swedish clubs located in more than one Swedish district have crossed the finish line in one race in the championship.

# 13. Rules for support persons

13.1 Support persons shall follow Swedish Sailing Federation safety code.

### 14. Attachments

14.1 Approx. race area. Launching and retrieving area and trailer park attachment A

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# **ATTACHMENT A**



