



SM I DRAKE
MARSTRAND
22-23 AUGUSTI 2020

NOTICE OF RACE

SWEDISH CHAMPIONSHIP FOR DRAGON

August 22nd – 23th 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).
- 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*).
- 1.6 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.





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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 To be entitled to participate in Riksidrottsförbundets championships, each competitor must comply with World Sailing Regulation 19.
- 3.2 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.
- 3.3 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.
- 3.4 Championship plaque 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.





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4. Entries

4.1 Entry and payment shall be made not later than 15th August 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 900 SEK and shall be paid via www.sailarena.se upon entry. Late entry fee, after 15th August until closing date 18th August is 1.200 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 race@marstrandsss.se

4.5 The whole entry fee will be paid back if cancellation is made before the closing date 18th August





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- 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 21st – 23rd August at the H-jetty.
It is of utmost importance, that boats and crew spread out on the jetty, to avoid eventual infection of Covid 19
- 4.8 The fee includes docking, launching, and retrieving.

5. Registration and measurement check

- 5.1 Registrations shall be made at the MaSS race office at Strandverket on Marstrand island between 12.00 – 20.00 on Friday 21st August.
Only one person from each participating party can register the competing boat and crew
- 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.





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6. Time schedule

Friday 21st August	
12.00 – 20.00	Registration
12.00 – 20.00	Launching *
12.00 – 20.30	Random equipment and safety inspection
Saturday 22nd August	
09.00	Skippers briefing at Strandverket *
10.25	First warning signal of the day
Sunday 14th June	
10.25	First warning signal No race will start after 15.00

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Only one representative from each competing party can come to the briefing according to the recommendations from the Swedish Health Ministry

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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.

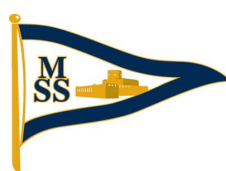
Prize giving ceremony:

Only one representative from each competing party can come to the prizegiving according to the recommendations from the Swedish Health Ministry

Place for prize giving will be informed at the skippers briefing

7. Race format

7.1 The regatta will be implemented as fleet racing in a straight series.





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But due to the covid-19 situation participants will randomly be divided into 4 groups.

E.g. Yellow, Green, Blue, Red

On the final day, to be able to get the results for the Swedish Championship, the participants will be divided into two groups so that the upper half of the overall result list from the 6 or 12 races will compete for the medals and the lower half of the list will compete for remaining position

- 7.2 Minimum of 6 races or maximum of 12 races with 2 groups in every race are scheduled for Saturday. 6 Final races in two groups will be sailed on Sunday
- 7.3 It is mandatory to use VHF. The race committee will inform every start sequence or other information on channel 72*.
* Channel can be changed at skippers briefing
- 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 Trapezoid course
- 10. Protests and penalty systems**
- 10.1 Amending RRS §44.1 and §44.2 changes 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 6 or 12 races races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores.
- 11.2 6 races are required to be completed to constitute a championship.





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12. Prizes

- 12.1 Swedish Championship plaque 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 Launching and retrieving area and trailer park attachment A

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ATTACHMENT A

