

Notice of Race (NoR)

Svenska Mästerskapen IQ foil and Formula foil

Dates:	26-28 juni 2024
Location:	Lögarängen SM-Veckan Västerås
Tävlingens nivå:	Röd
Boatclass:	IQ foil (male) IQ foil (female) Formula foil (open)
Organizing authority:	Jollekappseglarna Västerås

The city of Västerås, Swedish Sailing federation and Jollekappseglarna Västerås is proudly inviting all IQ foil and Formula foil sailors to SM veckan 2024. This is an extraordinary event gathering more than 20 different sports that all compete in different Swedish championships and the national broadcasting company SVT is here to broadcast. Read more: smveckan.se/vasteras-2024

The city of Västerås will also organize a big city festival with pop/rock music and cultural life. Read more: vasterascityfestival.se

1. Rules

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in the Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS) and with appendix S.
The sailing instructions will consist of the instructions in RRS Appendix S, Standard Sailing Instructions, and supplementary sailing instructions that instructions that will be on the official notice board (ONB)
- 1.2 RRS Appendix B will apply, however RRS B5 61.1(a) and B8.A8 are deleted.
- 1.3 All boats may be required to display advertising chosen and supplied by the organizing authority.
- 1.4 All competitors may be required to carry a tracking device, further details to be found in supplementary sailing instructions
- 1.4 RRS 40.1 will apply at all times while the boat is afloat and on the water. A boat breaking this rule may be warned or penalized at the discretion of the protest committee. Wet suits and dry suits are not personal flotation devices
- 1.5 When the water temperature is below +14°C a competitor shall wear clothes that prevents from hypothermia, i.e., wetsuit or drysuit.

2. Eligibility

- 2.1 All boards competing shall be insured so that the person in charge is covered for liability claims up to at least 5 million Swedish kronor.
- 2.2 Every competitor shall be a member of a club that is a member of the Swedish Sailing Federation or her national authority. A person in charge, who is a Swedish citizen, shall have a competition license (Tävlingslicens) issued by the Swedish Sailing Federation.
- 2.3 A competitor shall be at least sixteen years old the year the event takes place
- 2.4 Youth sailors are allowed to register in Male or Female class with the sail size regulated in the class rules for youth sailors
- 2.5 Boats with ownership or registration in Russia or Belarus, or boats with competitors that are Russian or Belarusian citizens are not allowed to participate in the event

3. Entry

- 3.1 Boats may enter the event by registering online at Sailarena.se not later than June 8th
- 3.2 The minimum number of entries in all classes are 8, to ensure a separate start group. If the number of entries does not reach the minimum number until June 8th 2024, the class/event may be cancelled by the Organizing Authority or combined with another class to form a start group
- 3.3 The entry fee is 1.000 SEK to be paid in Sailarena when making the entry. If the entry is withdrawn not later than June 8th, or if the boat's entry is rejected by the organizing authority, the entry fee will be refunded except for an administration fee of 100 SEK
- 3.4 Early registrations done before April 21st 2024 has a reduced entry fee of total 800SEK
- 3.5 Late entry is possible until June 25th 2024 with an entry fee of 1.400SEK

4. Registration and equipment inspection

- 4.1 Registration should be made in Sailarena not later than 12.00 June 26th
- 4.2 The person in charge shall upon request be able to verify club membership, competition license and valid measurement certificate or similar.
- 4.3 A boat, crew or equipment may be inspected at any time. On the water the race committee or the technical committee may direct a boat to a specified site for inspection.

5. Sailing instructions and information

- 5.1 Supplementary sailing instructions and other official information will be available on the official notice board at www.sailarena.com/sv/se/club/jkv/sm-veckan-2024
- 5.2 The race committee will when possible and appropriate broadcast information regarding the course, starting times, safety etc. on VHF ch 72

6. Schedule

Wednesday June 26th

	<u>Framnäs (JKV)</u>	<u>Lögarängen (beach)</u>
09-12.00	Race Office Open Registration, measurements and security checks	
12.00	Skippers briefing	
13-18		Race Office Open
13.55		Time for first warning signal
19.00		No start will take place after 19.00 on Wednesday June 26 th
19-21	Race Office Open	
20.00	Regatta dinner (separate information)	

Thursday June 27th

	<u>Framnäs (JKV)</u>	<u>Lögarängen (beach)</u>
08.30	Gate open	
09-19		Race Office Open
10.00	Gate closed	Skippers briefing
11.00		Time for first warning signal

Friday June 28th

	<u>Framnäs (JKV)</u>	<u>Lögarängen (beach)</u>
08.30	Gate open	
09-19		Race Office Open
10.00	Gate closed	Skippers briefing
11.00		Time for first warning signal
17.00		Time for warning signal Medal race (Live broadcasted in SVT)

Prizegiving ceremony at official stage Lögarängen, directly after the Medal race has been completed

7. Format

- 7.1 16 races are scheduled followed by one Medal race (Live broadcasted)
- 7.2 The event will consist of a ground serie of races with all boats in the same class in the same fleet
- 7.3 The original race-schedule will include a short lunchbreak at Lögarängen each day

8. Venue and course

- 8.1 The racing area will be at Inner Västerås
- 8.2 The racing committee will choose racing discipline
 - Marathon, 45-60minutes
 - Course, 10-15 minutes
 - Slalom, 5-10 minutesbased on the weather situation/forecast. The courses will be further described in the sailing instructions.

9. Protests and penalties

- 9.1 RRS T1 will apply.
- 9.2 In addition to penalties provided in RRS 64.2, the protest committee may penalize a boat in accordance with RRS 44.3c.

10. Scoring

- 10.1 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
- 10.2 The race committee will make no changes to the results 24 hours after the last race as provided for in RRS 90.3e.
- 10.3 Three races are required to constitute a championship.

11. Prizes

- 11.1 One prize per 5 boats, minimum 3 and maximum 10 prizes per class

12. Rules for support persons

- 12.1 Support person shall launch, berth and take up his craft (coach boat) as directed by the organizer.
- 12.2 Support person shall follow RRS 1, 2 and 55 and not subject a competitor to risk breaking RRS 41.
- 12.3 Support and coach boats should be registered at the race office and a support boat fee will be paid at the race office or direct at the entry for support and coach boats at ONB.
- 12.4 During the race, a support person shall not be closer to a competitor than 50 meters, except when the support person acts under RRS 1.1.

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