



## Notice of Race (NoR)

### Swedish International Moth Championship GKSS Skiffregatta for Waszp

**Dates:** September 16<sup>th</sup> -18<sup>th</sup>

**Location:** Långedrag, Sweden

**Boatclass:** Moth Open, Waszp Open

**Organizing authority:** Royal Gotheburg Yacht Clubb, GKSS

#### 1. Rules

- 1.1 The event is governed by the rules as defined in The Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS).
- 1.2 The Class Rules will apply except for any that are altered by the Notice of Race or the Sailing Instructions.
- 1.3 All boats may be required to display advertising chosen and supplied by the organizing authority.
- 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.
- 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 boats competing shall have a third party liability insurance.
- 2.2 The event is open class and the person in charge shall be a member of a club that is a member of the Swedish Sailing Federation or her national authority.
- 2.3 All Swedish competitors shall be paid up members of the Swedish Moth Association (Svenska Mothförbundet).
- 2.4 The person in charge who is a Swedish citizen shall have a competition license (Tävlingslicens) issued by the Swedish Sailing Federation.
- 2.5 A competitor shall be at least twelve years old the same year this event takes place.

## **3. Entry**

- 3.1 Boats may enter the event by registering online at Sailarena [GKSS Skiffregatta 2022 \(sailarena.com\)](https://sailarena.com) not later than September 10th.
- 3.2 The entry fee is 1.400 SEK of which 500 SEK is a fee to Swedish Moth Class Association. The fee is payed in Sailarena when making the entry. If the entry is withdrawn not later than September 10, or if the boat's entry is rejected by the organizing authority, the entry fee will be refunded with a deduction for administration cost of 150 SEK.
- 3.3 Late registration is possible in Sailarena but not later than September 16 with an extra fee of 200 SEK.

## **4. Registration and equipment inspection**

- 4.1 Registration of the whole crew should be made in Sailarena not later than September 16 at 4:00 pm.
- 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 Sailing instructions and other official information will be available on the official notice board at Sailarena [GKSS Skiffregatta 2022 \(sailarena.com\)](https://sailarena.com)

## 6. Schedule

6.1	Friday 16 <sup>th</sup> September	15:00	Regatta Office Open
	Friday 16 <sup>th</sup> September	16:00	Skippers briefing
	Friday 16 <sup>th</sup> September	17:00	First warning signal, SailGP course Racing (4 races) non-championship counting
	Friday 16 <sup>th</sup> September		BBQ After Sail (Food included in entry fee, drinks to buy at site)
	Saturday 17 <sup>th</sup> September	13:25	First warning signal, Championship Racing (4 races)
	Saturday 17 <sup>th</sup> September		After Sail ASAP after racing (Included in entry fee)
	Sunday 18 <sup>th</sup> September	12:55	First warning signal, Championship Racing (4 races)
	Sunday 18 <sup>th</sup> September		Prizegiving ASAP after racing

6.2 On Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> September there will be no warning signal after 17:00.

## 7. Format

7.1 On Friday, 4 SailGP course races are scheduled. More information will be available in the supplementary sailing instructions. SailGP racing will not count towards championship scoring for Moth's or regatta scoring for Waszp's.

7.2 8 races are scheduled in the championship serie for Moth's and the regatta serie for Waszp's.

## 8. Venue and course

8.1 The regatta will be held at Royal Gothenburg Yacht Club in Långedrag, Sweden.



8.2 The SailGP course on Friday, September 16<sup>th</sup>, will be a reaching start, downwind and upwind gate and reaching finish (same start and finish line, 2 laps) further described in supplementary sailing instructions.

8.3 The championship course will be a winward/leeward course as described in the sailing instructions.

## 9. Protests and penalties

9.1 RRS appendix P will apply.

9.2 RRS appendix T will apply.

9.3 RRS 44.1 and RRS P2.1 are changed so that the Two-Turns penalty is replaced by a One-Turn penalty.

## **10. Scoring**

- 10.1 When fewer than 4 races are completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores.
- 10.2 When 4 or more races are completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score.
- 10.3 RRS A2.1 is changed so that with three or less races, no score will be excluded. After more than three races one score will be excluded.
- 10.4 Three races are required to constitute a championship.
- 10.5 The 'Grand Prix' (Lapped Finish) procedure will be used. This procedure will be described in full in the Sailing Instructions.

## **11. Prizes**

11.1 The following prizes will be awarded for the Moth Class:

- First 3 overall
- 1st Swedish sailor overall: National Champion
- 1st Place in SailGP racing on Friday

11.2 The following prizes will be awarded for the Waszp Class:

- First 3 overall
- 1st Place in SailGP racing on Friday

11.3 Additional prizes may be awarded and criteria will be outlined in the sailing instructions.

## **12. Media Rights**

- 12.1 Competitors automatically grant to the Organising Authority and their sponsors without payment the right in perpetuity to make, use and show any motion pictures, still pictures and live, taped or filmed television of or relating to the event.
- 12.2 Competitors may be required to be interviewed during the regatta.
- 12.3 Boats may be required to carry cameras, sound equipment or positioning equipment as specified by the Organising Authority.

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