



Notice of Race

Event: Swedish Master Laser Championship 2020

Classes: Laser Standard and Laser Radial

Date: 8 - 9 August 2020

Organizers: Norrköpings Segelsällskap (NSS)

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 will be on the official notice board located at the club house.
- 1.2 Laser class rules from 1st January 2020 will apply.
- 1.3 We specially will inform of changes in the Laser class rules:
 - Rule 22, compasses, Electronic Equipment and Timing Devices modified to allow use of digital compasses that are not GPS enabled
 - New Rule 28 Added to allow boat or body mounted cameras.
 - Rule 3(f) modified to remove restriction on the attachment points of the shock cord inhaul.
 - Rule 17(c) modified to allow for the addition of one cleat and one turning point in the hiking strap support line that are not attached to the hull or hiking strap.
- 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, or when competitors are in the harbor or under deck. 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 and license shall be paid.
This regulation applies from the year the competitor reaches the age of 12.
Competitors from other countries than Sweden are exempt from this regulation.
- 1.7 If there is a conflict between languages, the English text will take precedence.

2. Eligibility requirements

- 2.1 To be entitled to participate in Riksidrottsförbundets championships, each competitor must comply with WS Regulation 19.
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 event starts.
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.
- 2.2 The regatta is open to all boats of the Laser Standard and Laser Radial classes and whose skipper is a member of the International Laser Class Association.
- 2.3 The competitor that is in charge on board the boat shall be a member of his/her Member National Authority or one of its affiliated organisations.
- 2.4 Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third party liability insurance.
- 2.5 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.
- 2.6 When the water temperature is below +14°C clothing given a good protection against cooling in water shall be worn – wet suit, dry suit or similar.
- 2.7 If less than 10 participants in a class, the organization reserves the right to cancel the regatta for that class.

3. Entries

- 3.1 Entry shall be made not later than August 3 2020 in the **registration module** at the website: www.NSS.nu



3.2 The advance entry shall include the following:

ISAF No -acquired via: www.isaf.org (Sailor-Id)

Nationality -identification on Sails according to RRS appendix G

Sail No. -which will be sailed

Competitors name -first and last name

Year of birth: -YYYY

Class Standard; Apprentice 35-44, Men

Standard, Master 45-54, Men

Standard, Grand Master 55-64, Men

Standard, Great Grand Master 65-74, Men

Radial, Apprentice 35-44, Men

Radial, Apprentice 35-44, Women

Radial, Master 45-54, Men

Radial, Master 45-54, Women

Radial, Grand Master 55-64, Men

Radial, Grand Master 55-64, Women

Radial, Great Grand Master 65-74, Men

Radial, Great Grand Master 65-74, Women

Radial, Legend 75-, Open

Club -for club abbreviations

Phone No. -where you can be reached during the regatta

E-mail -for contacts before and after the regatta

Contact person -name/e-mail/phone (in case of emergency)

3.3 The **entry fee** is 975 SEK and shall be paid via NSS BG 5938-9817

The entry fee includes:

- Regatta dinner Saturday
- Trailer park
- Car park
- competition fee to Swedish Sailing Association with 50 SEK
- fee to the Laser Association with 50 SEK
- fee to EurILCA with euros 4
- NSS costs for the sailing event



3.4 Late entry fee after August 3 is 1200 SEK and shall be paid via NSS BG 5938-9817
No entry will be accepted after August 7.

3.5 The whole entry fee will be refunded if cancellation is made before the closing date August 3 2020.

3.6 The entire entry fee will be refunded if the championship is cancelled due to too few participants, see point 2.7.

4. Registration and measurement checks

4.1 Registrations shall be made at the race office not later than August 8, 2020 at 09.00 o'clock.

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

4.3 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.
This location will be the boat yard, close to the NSS club house.

4.4 Substitution of damaged or lost equipment will not be allowed unless it is approved by the race committee. Requests for substitution shall be made to the Race committee at the first reasonable opportunity.

4.5 A competitor may not be substituted without a written permission from the race committee.

4.6 Valid insurance shall be presented at registration.

4.7 Supplementary Sailing Instructions will be handed out at registration.



5. Time schedule

5.1 Programme

Friday August 7	
17.00-20.00	Registration, possibly equipment inspection
Saturday August 8	3 races are scheduled
08.00-09.00	Registration, possibly equipment inspection
09,30	Skippers briefing
11,00	First warning signal
19.00	Regatta dinner, casual
Sunday August 9	3 races are scheduled
10.00	Warning signal
ASAP after the regatta is completed.	Price giving ceremony outside race office

5.2 On the last scheduled day of racing no warning signal will be made after 15.00

5.3 6 races are scheduled for each class

6. Race format

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

7. Racing area

7.1 The racing areas will be SE from the NSS harbour, approx. 2 nm.

8. The course

8.1 Trapezoid courses will be sailed.





9. Protests and penalty systems

9.1 RRS Appendix P will apply.

9.2 RRS Appendix T1 will apply.

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 3 races are required to be completed to constitute a championship.

11. Prizes

11.1 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 of the last twelve months before the event starts.

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 of the championship.

There will be gold, silver and bronze plaquette for the overall result in Laser Master Standard and Laser Master Radial for Swedish competitors.

11.2 Laser Master prizes.

11.3 Possible sponsor prizes.

11.4 Club prizes to 20 % of the participants in each class as mentioned in point 3.2

12. Rules for support persons

12.1 Support persons shall follow Swedish Sailing Federation safety code.

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Attachment to notice of race

Local Driving directions

Norrköpings Segelsällskap, a club of age 133 years, situated in a large mansion house built in the early 1900, placed in Arkösund at the far east end of road number 209.

Local Facilities:

You will be welcomed at the entrance of Arkösund by NSS parking hosts and guides from August 7 and onwards. They will direct you to the dingy yards and launching facilities at the pier and NSS club area. Several ramps are available in the harbour

Free parking space for cars and trailers will be shown to you. This on short walking distance to the harbour.

Coach dingies and similar will be placed at NSS private piers.

In the large guest harbor there are numerous of places for larger boats, and to a discounted price.

In the club house you will find showers, toilets and café facilities. Kiosks, grocery shop, restaurants and bars are found within 200 metres from the club house.

Registration

Registration and distribution of sailing instructions is taking place in the regatta expedition at the club house.

Average wind and weather conditions

At this time of the year, the Swedish east coast normally provides medium winds, normally from south west to south east with moderate contribution of sea breeze effects.

Winds outside the 5-25 knots bracket is, at this time of the year, are rare.

Accommodation

B&B, cabins, cottages and hotels are available at all price levels in short distance to the race village
Listed below are a variety of possible accommodations

Arkösunds Hotell 0125-20003 (in the harbour), **Mauritzbergs Slottshotell 0125 50100** and

Stegeborgs Trädgårdshotell (Booking.com) (approx 25 km from Arkösund). **Sköldviks**

vandrarhem B&B 0125 20289/ 073 364 22 80 (approx 2 km from the harbour) **Arkösunds camping 0125 20101** (approx 10 minutes walking from the club house)

Private cottages and cabins will be advertised at NSS web site as soon as they are announced available to the race administration.

Food

Several restaurants and bars are open in the heart of Arkösund as well as ice cream kiosks and cafe`s. In the club house there will be served lighter dishes, coffees, the and beverages. Here you will also over view the harbour and all the action in Arkösund.

Recreation

Take the chance and stay another day or two in Arkösund, to see the famous archipelago of S:t Anna or play a round of golf at Mauritzberg or Bråviken GK. The zoo in Kolmården is a "must" for the family.

A GP`s office, dentist, a larger grocery shop and post office are situated in Östra Husby only 25 km away.

Feel most welcome to Arkösund and Norrköpings Segelsällskap