



Notice of Race

Event: Swedish Master Laser Championship 2021

Classes: Laser Standard, Laser Radial and 4,7 ladys

Date: 7 - 8 August 2021

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 organizations.
- 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 organizing 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 2 2021 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 EurLCA with euros 4
- NSS,s costs for the sailing event

3.4 Late entry fee after August 2 is 1200 SEK and shall be paid via NSS BG 5938-9817

No entry can be done after August 6

3.5 The whole entry fee will be paid back if cancellation is made before the closing date August 2 2021

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 7 2021 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 close to the NSS clubhouse

4.4 Substitution of damaged or lost equipment will not be allowed unless 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 the written permission of the race committee.

4.6 Valid insurance shall be presented at registration

4.7 Supplementary Sailings Instructions will be handed out at registration

5. Time schedule

5.1 Programme

Friday August 6

17.00-20.00 Registration, possibly equipment inspection

Saturday August 7 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

Sunday August 8 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 harbor



8. The course

- 8.1 Trapezoid course 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 months the last twelve months before the event starts.
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.
There will be gold, silver and bronze plaque 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.

Date: 2021-02-15

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Version: 1.1

Attachment to notice of race

Local Driving directions

Norrköpings Segelsällskap, since 136 years active, and now in it's old mansion house in Arkosund, just as old as the club itself. You will find us at the far eastern end of road 209 starting in Norrköping.

Local Facilities

You will be welcomed by our parking hosts as off Aug 6th. They will show you directions to mooring places, parking and other for you important places, as well as our clubhouse and piers. E.g. ramps, free parking for cars and trailers close to the harbor.

Coach ribs are to be placed at NSS club piers as long as we have room.

At the large common pier in the harbor we have unlimited places for your Lasers. On the clubhouse area you will find showers, toilets and café. A small kiosk and restaurant facilities are found within 100 meters from the club area. Parking is provided close by.

Registration

Registration and hand out of NoR will be provided in the race office at the club area.

Average wind & 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 very rare.

Accommodation

There will be accommodations to all kind of needs within close range, and to an acceptable price level.

For those that prefer hotel please contact: **Arkösunds Hotell** +46 125 20003, right in the harbor, **Mauritzbergs Slottshotell** +46 125 50100, 30 km away or **Stegeborgs Trädgårdshotell** (Booking.com) also approx 30 km from Arkösund.

Sköldviks Hostel +46 125 20289 / +46 73 364 22 80 is situated 2 km from NSS with their own sandy beach close to the racing area.

Arkösunds camping +46 125 20101 approx 10 minutes walking from the pier. They have facilities for camping of all kinds.

Private cabins and smaller houses can be found on NSS web site, nss.nu as soon as they are reported available. Lease contract will be made directly with the owner.

Food

Restaurants and bars are found at the hotel, by the camping and central in the village. There is also a shop with acceptable supplies of food and drinks. Alcohol beverages has to be ordered 3 days ahead. Contact the shop on +46 125 20032

At NSS you can enjoy our home made sandwiches and cakes as well as our magnificent wievs over the archipelago

Recreation

Why not staying another few days in the area. Try the Skargardslinjen, a boat trip to the outskirts of the famous archipelago, a trip to the close by golf courses Mauritsberg or Braviken or why not a visit to the huge outdoor zoo, Kolmardens Djurpark, the latter a must to the family.

GP's office, dentist, mail office and further shops are to be found in Ostra Husby, 25 km away with a daily bus connection.

Feel most welcome to Arkösund and Norrköpings Segelsällskap