



# 2020 Open Dutch Sailing Championships

## Notice of Race

### Open Dutch Championship for the following classes:

Laser Standard, Laser Radial (Men and Women), Finn, Contender, 29er, 49er, 49erFX(open), RS-Feva, Nacra15, F18, F16, Dart 18, J22, SB20 and Yngling.

### Class event for:

Laser 4.7, Etchells

## IJsselmeer, Medemblik

Friday 18, Saturday 19 and Sunday 20, September 2020

(for F16 and RS Feva class: Saturday 19 and Sunday 20 September 2020)

### Organizing authority:

The Royal Netherlands Yachting Union (RNYU) in conjunction with RYC Hollandia and TIGSports.

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[DP] denotes a rule for which the penalty is at the discretion of the Jury

### 1 RULES

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing* (RRS).
- 1.2 The prescriptions of the RNYU will apply. (see <http://www.sailing.org/41717.php>)
- 1.3 The 'Rules for Championships Sailing, Windsurfing and Kiteboarding' will apply.
- 1.4 The Sailing Instructions may contain changes to the rules.
- 1.5 If there is a conflict between languages the English language will take precedence.
- 1.6 Every person on board who has his domicile in the Netherlands shall have the appropriate license.
- 1.7 [DP] Competitors shall wear personal flotation devices at all times while afloat, except briefly while changing or adjusting clothing or personal equipment. This changes RRS 40.
- 1.8 For SB20 only: The following rule will be changed in accordance with RRS 86.1(b) and 90.2(c): The Race Committee will use VHF radio for communication. Failure to make broadcasts or failure to hear the broadcast shall not constitute grounds for granting redress. This changes RRS 62.1. The Sailing Instructions will provide more details on the procedure.
- 1.9 For Nacra15 only: The use of a helmet (EN1385 standard) is mandatory.
- 1.10 RRS Appendix T applies.
- 1.11 All competitors and support persons must adhere to the corona rules of the Dutch government for the for the rules see <https://www.government.nl/topics/coronavirus-covid-19/tackling-new-coronavirus-in-the-netherlands/basic-rules-for-everyone>

### 2 [DP] ADVERTISING

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.

### 3 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 3.1 The regatta is open to all boats of the above-mentioned classes. Competitors in the Laser Standard or Laser Radial who reach the age of 35 or competitors in de Finn who reach the age of 40 during 2020 will compete also in the Master Open Dutch Championship.
- 3.2 For the Laser Standard Master and the Laser Radial Master fleet the rules of "The Laser Class" (see: [www.thelaserclass.com](http://www.thelaserclass.com)) will apply. This means that master sailors who



participate with an "ILCA dinghy" which are not approved by The Laser Class, will not be eligible for the Laser Masters Open Dutch Championship and will only be ranked for the Laser Open Dutch Championship.

- 3.3** Eligible boats may enter by registration with the organizing authority at the website [www.opendutchsailing.org](http://www.opendutchsailing.org). The entry is only completed once payment of complete entry fee has been received and the Parent/Guardian Consent and Declaration Form are accepted.
- 3.4** Online entry for all classes is open from Friday July 31<sup>st</sup> 2020, 2400 (local time) and closes on the Wednesday September 9<sup>th</sup>, 2020, 2400 (local time) or on the date and time when the maximum limit of entries that have been confirmed for a class is reached as mentioned in NOR 3.9. After the online entry closes due to reaching the maximum number of allowed entries, the Organizing Authority (OA) will start a waiting list and competitors will be advised that they are on a waiting list.
- 3.5** Competitors on the waiting list for online entry shall only be accepted, after written approval of the OA, and only for classes that have not reached their maximum number of allowed entries.
- 3.6** Competitors that have entered after the Wednesday September 9<sup>th</sup>, 2020, shall only be accepted after written approval of the OA and only for classes that have not reached their maximum number of allowed entries (see NOR 3.9).
- 3.7** Competitors can request a cancellation of their entry by sending the OA an email to [info@opendutchsailing.org](mailto:info@opendutchsailing.org). In case such request is made before Wednesday September 9<sup>th</sup>, 2020, 2400 (local time) and is accepted by the OA, the entry fee will be reimbursed after deduction of an administrative fee of €15.00.
- 3.8** Competitors are responsible for the correct information they provide in the entry form. It is strongly recommended that competitors check their entry information once published on the event website. Changes in the name, gender, sail number and/or national letters SHALL be made online.
- 3.9** The following restrictions to the number of boats apply:

<b>Class</b>	<b>Maximum number of competitors</b>
Finn	60 boats
Laser 4.7	35 boats
Laser Standard	45 boats, including a maximum of 30 Masters
Laser Radial	50 boats, including a maximum of 20 Masters
RS Feva	30 Boats
All other classes	20 boats

#### **4 FEES**

- 4.1** Fees are stated in Euro and include any local taxes. Entries including payment received before Wednesday September 9<sup>th</sup>, 2020 2400 (local time) will qualify for the Early Entry fee.

<b>Class</b>	<b>Entree fee</b>	<b>Early Entry fee</b>
Single handed classes	115 Euro	90 Euro
Double handed classes	145 Euro	120 Euro
Keel boats	160 Euro	135 Euro
RS Feva, F16 (only Saturday and Sunday)	105 Euro	80 Euro

The entry fee is only payable online.



## 5 SCHEDULE OF RACES AND EVENTS

**5.1** The race office will be open on Thursday September 17<sup>th</sup>, 2020 from 1700 till 2100 and on racing days from 0800 on.

There will be no on-site registration.

Crew weighing for F18, J22 and SB20 class will take place on Thursday September 17<sup>th</sup>, 2020 from 1800 till 2100 and on Friday September 18<sup>th</sup> from 0800 till 1000.

**5.2**

Class	No of scheduled races
Laser Standard, Laser Radial, Laser 4.7, Finn	8
SB20, J22, Yngling, Etchells, Contender	9
29er, 49er, 49erFX, Nacra15	15
RS Feva (Only Saturday and Sunday)	10
Dart18, F18	11
F16 (Only Saturday and Sunday)	8

**5.3** The following classes will race together in one fleet:

- Finn class: Finn and Finn Master class
- Laser Standard class: Laser Standard and Laser Standard Masters
- Laser Radial class: Laser Radial Men, Laser Radial Women and Laser Radial Masters

**5.4** On Wednesday September 9<sup>th</sup>, 2020 the Draft Schedule of Races will be published at the web site [www.opendutchsailing.org](http://www.opendutchsailing.org).

**5.5** On Friday September 18<sup>th</sup>, 2020 no first warning signal will be made before 1000 (Saturday September 19<sup>st</sup> for RS Feva and F16).

**5.6** No warning signal will be made after 1600 on the last day of the regatta.

**5.7** A meeting for all class representatives is scheduled for 1930 on Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> upstairs in the Regatta Office.

## 6 MEASUREMENT

**6.1** For classes where the Class Rules require a valid measurement certificate for racing, measurement certificates may be checked during the event.

**6.2** During the regatta any boat and its equipment may be subject to inspection at any time.

**6.3** Classes can organize measurement of equipment inspection. This will be announced in the Sailing Instructions.

## 7 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

The Sailing Instructions are available on the event website from Wednesday September 9<sup>th</sup>, 2020. No hardcopy will be handed out.

## 8 VENUE

**8.1** Addendum A shows the location of the regatta harbour.

**8.2** Addendum B shows the approximate location of the racing areas. Races will be as close to the harbour entrance as possible

## 9 THE COURSES

The courses to be sailed will be Olympic Trapezoid, or Upwind Downwind, or variations on these courses.

## 10 TARGET TIMES

Class	Target Time of a Race
49er, 49erFX, 29er, Nacra15, RS Feva	30 min
Laser Standard, Laser Radial, Laser 4.7, Finn Contender, Dart18, F18, F16, Yngling	45 min
SB20, J22, Etchells	50 min



## **11 PENALTY SYSTEM**

**11.1** Appendix P of the Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS) will apply.

**11.2** For the Yngling, J22, SB20, Etchells, 49er, 49erFX, 29er, Nacra15, RS Feva, Dart18, F18 and F16 classes RRS 44.1 and Appendix P2.1 are changed so that the Two-Turns Penalty is replaced by the One-Turn Penalty.

## **12 SCORING**

**12.1** Four races are required to be completed to constitute a series.

**12.2** When five or more races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score. When eleven or more races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her two worst scores.

**12.3** Only for Contender: When nine races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race score excluding her two worst scores.

## **13 [DP] SUPPORT BOATS**

Support boats shall conspicuously display a flag or the three national sail letters with a minimum height of 200 mm of the country they represent.

## **14 [DP] BERTHING**

Boats shall be kept in their assigned places in the boat park and regatta harbour.

## **15 [DP] HAUL-OUT RESTRICTIONS**

Keel boats shall not be hauled out during the regatta except with and according to the terms of prior written permission of the race committee.

## **16 [DP] DIVING EQUIPMENT AND PLASTIC POOLS**

Underwater breathing apparatus and plastic pools or their equivalent shall not be used around keel boats between the preparatory signal of the first race and the end of the regatta.

## **17 [DP] RADIO COMMUNICATION**

Except in case of an emergency, a boat that is racing shall not make voice or data transmissions and shall not receive voice or data communications that is not available to all boats. This restriction also applies to mobile telephones. VHF will only be used for safety communication, except for SB20 (see NoR 1.8).

## **18 PRIZES**

**18.1** Helmsman and crew of the winning boat of the Dutch Championship acquire the title "Dutch Champion" and receive the accompanying medal(s) of the RNYU. The responsible person of the winning boat acquires the Blue Pennant of the RNYU.

**18.2** Prizes will be given to every member of the crew of the first, second and third ranked boat in the event. The sailing instructions may describe more prizes.

## **19 DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY**

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.

## **20 RIGHTS TO USE NAME AND LIKENESS**

By participating in this event, competitors automatically grant to the organizing authority and the event sponsors the right, in perpetuity, to make, use and show, at their discretion, any photography, audio and video recordings, and other reproductions of them made at the venue or on the water from the time of their arrival at the venue, until their final departure, without compensation.

## **21 INSURANCE**

Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum cover of Euro 1.500.000 per event or the equivalent.



**22 Regatta Center Medemblik**  
Vooroever 3, 1671 SG Medemblik  
Phone +31 (0)227 540077

**23 TRAILER PARKING, DOCKING AND CARS**  
Cars and road trailers shall be parked in the designated parking areas near the race office. No cars are allowed at the dinghy park. Please follow the beach master's and the harbour master's instructions at all times.

**24 INFORMATION**  
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## HOUSING AND ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

### CAMPERS/CARAVANS

**Reservation is required, note that only limited number of spots are available.**

Regatta Center Medemblik  
telefoon +31 (0) 227 54 77 81  
[info@regattacenter.com](mailto:info@regattacenter.com)

Regulations in the Netherlands prohibit sleeping in tents, campers and caravans parked along public roads or in public car parks. On the designated area on the premises of the Regatta Center Medemblik, sleeping in tents, caravans or camper is allowed provided a fee per night (incl. tourist tax) of  
€ 20,00 per caravan/camper or  
€ 15,00 per tent

Free use of power and access card for free use of the regatta centre's sanitary facilities are included. The fee is payable at the Harbourmasters Office, next door to the Regatta Office.

### ACCOMMODATION

Competitors shall make their own housing arrangements.  
For information on accommodation check the event website [www.opendutchsailing.org](http://www.opendutchsailing.org)



### NOTICE OF RACE ADDENDUM A

The Regatta will be held at Regatta Center Medemblik  
Address: Vooroever 3, 1671 SG Medemblik, The Netherlands

Google maps:

<https://www.google.nl/maps/place/Regatta+Center+Medemblik/@52.7691318,5.1148665,16.75z/data=!4m5!3m4!1s0x47c8b025dc38b7f5:0x6addc1059de0edec!8m2!3d52.769768!4d5.1168515?hl=en>

Venue website:

<http://www.regattacenter.com/>

Event website:

<http://opendutchsailing.org/>

### NOTICE OF RACE ADDENDUM B

Approximate location of the racing areas:

