

Notice of Race

Event: Para-Nordic Sailing Championships 2017
in classes: 2.4mR, Hansa 2.3, Hansa 303 and WETA

Date: 9-10 September 2017

Organizer: Royal Swedish Yacht Club, KSSS

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 outside KSSS Club house, Saltsjöbaden.

1.2 The Rules for Nordic Championship will apply.

1.3 Class rules for 2.4mR, Hansa 2.3 and Hansa 303, and WETA will apply.

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.

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.

1.6 The competitor that is in charge on board shall follow Swedish Sailing Federations racing license regulation for competitors. This regulation applies from the year the competitor reach the age of 13. Competitors from other countries than Sweden are exempt from this regulation.

2. Eligibility requirements

2.1 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.

2.2 The championship is open also to boats from countries outside Group G.

2.2 Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third party liability insurance.

2.3 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.

3. Entries

3.1 Entry shall be made not later than August 25th 2017 online at the KSSS website www.ksss.se. Entries may be accepted until September 7st. Such entries require acceptance by the Race Committee.

3.2 The advance entry shall include the following: need for special assistance.

3.3 The entry fee is:

2.4mR	Euro 50
Hansa 2.3	Euro 50
Hansa 303	Euro 50
WETA	Euro 100

The entry fee is paid via the entry form online www.ksss.se

4. Registration and measurement checks

4.1 Registrations shall be made at the race office not later than September 9th at 09:00 hrs.

4.2 Competitor that is in charge onboard, according to 1.6 Swedish sailor shall, according to Swedish Sailing Federations prescription in AppSF 1, 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.

4.5 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.

5. Time schedule

5.1 Friday September 8th

10:00 – 20:00	Race office open
10:00 – 20:00	Registration
12:00 – 17:00	Open Training Clinic by Skota Hem
18:30	Opening Ceremony

Saturday September 9th

08:00 – 18:00	Race Office open
08:00 – 09:00	Registration
09:30	Skippers meeting
11:25	First warning signal
~16:00	After Sail

18:00 Regatta Dinner

Sunday September 10th

08:00 Race Office open

10:25 First warning signal

Prize Giving Ceremony

There will be no warning signal given after 15:00 on the last day of the regatta.

5.2 6 races are scheduled.

6. Race format

6.1 The regatta is executed as fleet racing in a series.

7. Racing area

7.1 The racing area will be at Baggensfjärden Saltsjöbaden. The course area is located close to the harbour.

8. The course

8.1 Windward-leeward course will be sailed.

9. Protests and penalty systems

9.1 RRS Appendix P may 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 Medals will be awarded to the top 3 boats of each Paralympic event.

11.2 Championship plaque and titles may be awarded if (a) at least 10 competing boats in Paralympics classes and (b) competing boats from at least three countries in Group G or if there are only two countries, at least three boats from each have crossed the finish line in one race in the championship.

11.3 KSSS prizes in each class according to the number of boats entered in the class: one prize for every five boats or part of five up to eight prizes per class.

12. Rules for support persons

12.1 Support person shall launch, moor and take up his vessel (coach-boat) according to the instructions from the organizer.

13 June 2017

Håkan Andersson
Race Director

Attachment to notice of race.

All further information regarding travel, accommodation, hire of boats, services etc. will be available at Para Nordic Sailing Championships 2017 site on Facebook. Or you can contact:

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