



# Notice of race

# IOM open Swedish Championship 2013

Dates: Saturday 28th and Sunday 29th of September 2013

Location: Lidingö or as an option Frihamnen, Stockholm

Organisers: SRSS (Stockholms RadiosegelSällskap) and SWE-NCA

#### 1. Rules

- 1.1 The event will be governed by the rules as defined in the Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS). as changed by the RRS Appendix E, this Notice of Race (NoR), the Sailing Instructions (SI), the International IOM Class Rules and The Equipment Rules of Sailing.
- 1.2 In case of umpired fleet racing, IRSA Addendum Q shall apply.
- 1.3 If the fleet is divided into two or more heats Heat Management System 2007 shall apply.
- 1.4 The Sailing Instructions shall prevail in case of conflict with this Notice of Race.

## 2. Eligibility requirements

- 2.1 To be entitled to participate in championships sanctioned by the Swedish Sports Federation, each competitor shall comply with ISAF 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.
- 2.2 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.
- 2.3 The number of competitors is restricted to 36.

#### 3. Entries

- 3.1 Entry shall be submitted electronically, not later than Monday, September 16<sup>th</sup> 2013, via <a href="www.srss.se">www.srss.se</a> under the section: "Anmälan" where you choose the event and press the icon under "Registrering" to get access to the entry form.
- 3.2 The entry fee is SEK 450.- and shall be paid latest by Friday, September 20<sup>th</sup> 2013 to: *From Sweden:*

SRSS PG konto: 39 22 98-6

From abroad:

Stockholms Radiosegelsällskap SRSS IBAN: SE57 9500 0099 6034 0392 2986 BIC-kod (SWIFT-address): NDEASESS

- 3.3 Lunch and refreshments during both days of the event are included in the entry fee.
- 3.4 Each entry will only be valid subject that the entry fee is paid on time.
- 3.5 The entries will be allocated places as follows:

#### Stage 1:

Swedish entries are allocated 26 places which will be allocated as per the Swedish "Rankinglista" valid at September 16<sup>th</sup> 2013.

Foreign entries are allocated 10 places which will be awarded by the discretion of the organisers who shall take into account previous results in Swedish and Nordic Championships.

#### Stage 2:

Remaining places if still available will be awarded on a "first come first service" based on the time/date of entry.

#### 4. Registration and measurement checks

4.1 Boats, together with their valid measurement certificates shall be presented for registration before 09:30 on September 28th However, the Race Committee may extend the time for registration and event measurement if there is a valid reason to do so. No boat shall be eligible for racing until it has been registered and and has passed event measurement.

#### **5. Sailing Instructions**

5.1 The sailing instructions will be published on <a href="www.srss.se">www.srss.se</a> and also sent by email to the registered competitors no later than Sept. 21st 2013.

#### 6. Time schedule

# Sat Sept 28<sup>th</sup>

08:00-09:30 Registration and measurement.

10:00 Skippers meeting and briefing.

10:30 First warning signal

Lunch break when suitable.

17:00 No heat will be started after this time

#### Sun Sept 29th

09:00 First warning signal

Lunch break when suitable.

15:00 No heat will be started after this time

Price giving ceremony will commence as soon as possible after the results are calculated and presented.

# 7. Race format and scoring

- 7.1 The Racing system will be HMS 2007. Fleet racing will be considered as an option whenever fever than 20 boats are starting at any race scheduled.
- 7.2 3 races are required to be completed to constitute a championship.

# 8. Racing area

8.1 The racing area will be chosen and published on <a href="www.srss.se">www.srss.se</a> by the organisers latest on Thursday, September 26<sup>th</sup> 2013.

## 9. Frequencies:

9.1 Bring at least two frequencies if you are using 27MHz or 40MHz. Not applicable for 2.4 GHz users.

#### 10. Prizes

- 10.1 Prices will be given by a total number equal to one for every four competitor having started in the regatta.
- 10.2 Championship plaquette and titles may be awarded if six or more boats from at least three different Swedish clubs located in more than one Swedish districts have crossed the finish line in one race in the championship.

Welcome to Stockholm and an exciting racing weekend!

Stockholm August 22<sup>nd</sup> 2013

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