

Notice of Race

IOM-Nordic Championships 2020

Saturday 29th and Sunday 30th of August 2020

1. Organizing authority

The 2020 IOM Class Nordic Championship is organized by Kivenlahden Venekerho (KLV) and Finlands RC-Seglare r.f.

All communication about the Nordic Championship and the Championship registration contact riku.lindstrom@gmail.com

2. Venue

The championship will be held at Espoo, Finland. The racing area will be located outside the club harbor of KLV. Address: Marinsatamantie 3, 02320 Espoo (about 20 km west of Helsinki).

3. Rules

3.1 The event will be governed by the rules as defined in the Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS), as amended 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 (ERS).

3.2 In case of umpired fleet racing, IRSA Addendum Q shall apply.

3.3 If the fleet is divided into two heats Heat Management System 2016 shall apply.

3.4 The Sailing Instructions shall prevail in case of conflict with this Notice of Race.

4. Eligibility requirements

4.1 To be entitled to participate in championships each competitor shall comply with ISAF Regulation 19.

4.2 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.

5. Entries

5.1 The number of competitors is limited to 36. Each Nordic NCA is allocated 8 places according to actual NCA ranking order. Non Nordic entries are allocated 4 places.

5.2 Entries, according to actual NCA ranking order, shall be submitted by each Nordic NCA by mail to Riku Lindström, riku.lindstrom@gmail.com no later than Tuesday July 12th 2020. Each entry shall include Name, Sail Number, Club, e-mail address and mobile telephone number.

5.3 Finnish competitors register to riku.lindstrom@gmail.com no later than Sunday, July 12th. 2020.

5.4 The organizer will publish all competitors on the site www.rc-purjehdus.net that meets the stage 1 allocation criteria and the total limit of max 36 participants. The organizer will take into account the submitted NCA listing and previous results in Finnish and Nordic Championships.

5.5 The entry fee is 60 euro.

5.6 Each competitor shall no later than Sunday July 26th confirm their participation by making their registration to riku.lindstrom@gmail.com and by paying the entry fee to Suomen RC-Purjehtijat ry account FI5120011800171962 Each entry will only be valid subject that the entry fee is paid on time.

5.6 After stage 1, if remaining places are still available, additional competitors can register and pay the entry fee. The latest date for these entries and payments is Sunday August 9th 2020.

5.7 Late entries are possible to register by August 23rd at the latest. The entry fee is then raised to 100 euro.

6. Schedule

Sunday, July 12th

Closing date for entries submitted from each NCA. Competitors list is then directly published on the site www.rc-purjehdus.net

Sunday, July 26th

Final closing date for participant registration and entry fee payment, please confirm your registration to riku.lindstrom@gmail.com

Sunday, August 9th

Final closing date for additional entries. Late entries possible until August 23rd at a higher fee.

Friday, August 28th

The organizer will see to that competitors can practice during the late Friday afternoon.

Saturday, August 29th

9:00 – 11.30 Registration and measurement

11:30 Skippers meeting and briefing

12.00 First warning signal

Lunch break when suitable

17:00 No heat will be started after this time

Sunday, August 30th

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

6.1 Lunch and refreshments during both days of the event are included in the entry fee.

7. Registration and measurement checks

7.1 Boats together with their valid measurement certificates shall be presented for registration before 11.30 on August 29th 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 has passed event measurement. Any boat can be checked at any time during the event.

8. Sailing instructions

8.1 Sailing instructions will be published by August 15th.

9. Race format and scoring

9.1 The Racing system will be HMS 2016. Fleet racing will be considered as an option whenever fewer than 20 boats are starting at any race scheduled.

9.2 3 races are required to be completed to constitute a championship.

10. Frequencies

10.1 Permitted frequencies are: 27MHz, 40MHz and 2.4GHz. Bring at least two frequencies if you are using 27MHz or 40MHz (Not applicable for 2.4 GHz users).

11. Prizes

11.1 Prizes will be given by a total number equal to one for every five competitors having started in the regatta.

11.2 Nordic Championship plaque and titles will be awarded to Nordic competitors. Welcome to Espoo and Finland and an exciting racing weekend!

March 15th 2020

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