



HSS
Downtown Sailing Week
Regatta
JUNE 9-11, 2017

Helsingfors Segelsällskap r.f
Helsinki, Skifferholmen
in collaboration with
Suomalainen pursiseura ry
Helsinki, Sirpalesaari

NOTICE OF RACE

1 RULES

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS) 2017-2020*.
- 1.2 No national authority prescriptions will apply.
- 1.3 Class rules for each class will apply.
- 1.4 RRS Appendix P will apply.
- 1.5 RRS appendix G3 will apply. A boat chartered or loaned for an event may carry national letters or a sail number in contravention of her class rules. The boat ID and sail number shall be stated at registration.
- 1.6 If there is a conflict between languages the English text will take precedence.
- 1.7 Competitors, team leaders, coaches and other support personnel must wear a personal flotation device properly secured at all times, from dock to dock except when temporarily adding or removing clothing. A breach of this instruction shall not be grounds for a protest by a boat. This changes RRS 60.1(a)
- 1.8 No drones allowed. The penalty in breach of this is disqualification of all boats associated with the owner/ operator of the drone. This does not apply to OA drones.

2 ADVERTISING

All boats may be required to display the advertising provided by the organizing authority.

3 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 3.1 The regatta is open to all boats of the Optimist, Zoom8, Laser and 29er classes. All competitors shall be member of their National Class Association.



- 3.2** In 29er class the regatta is ranked in the 29er Class EuroCup Series. Minimum of 5 boats must be registered from a minimum of 2 nations for the qualifying regatta to be scored in EuroCup Series.
- 3.3** In Optimist class all competitors shall be under 16 by the end of 2017.
- 3.4** In 29er class Regatta is open to 29er sailors who are members of the International 29er Class association. Sailors who are not current members prior to the first race of each event will not be scored. For the purpose of 29er EuroCup Series scoring, results will be based off the team's performance (both helm & crew must be consistent throughout the entire EuroCup series). Change of helm or crew will result in a separate listing.
- 3.5** Competitor's shall enter by completing the online entry form on the event website www.dtsw2017.fi. With completing the entry, competitors are required to transfer the required entry fee on the event website.
Entries must be received no later than June 2, 2017 to qualify for the early entry fee. Late entries must be received by June 8, 2017 and will be charged the late entry fee. The entry fee is non-refundable.

4 FEES

Required fees for all classes are as follows:

Early entry fee until June 2, 2017	80 €	
Late entry fee after June 2, 2017 until June 8 th , 2017		110 €

5 FORMAT OF RACING

RCO may consider to split the class of regatta to Qualifying Series and Final series if amount of boats is more than 80.

6 SCHEDULE

- 6.1** Event starts from Registration, June 8th at 15:00 and closes at June 11th when all classes protest time on that day has ended.
- 6.2** Registration:
June 8, 2017 15:00 - 20:00
June 9, 2017 08:30 - 09:30
- 6.3** Dates of racing:
All classes June 9-11, 2017
Skippers meeting earliest at 9.30 first day of race
- 6.4** Number of races:
- | <i>Class</i> | <i>Number of races</i> | <i>Races per day</i> |
|--------------|------------------------|----------------------|
| Optimist | 9 | 3-4 |
| Zoom 8 | 9 | 3-4 |
| Laser | 9 | 3-4 |
| 29er | 12 | 4-5 |
- 6.5** The scheduled time of the warning signal for the first race each day is not earlier than 10:55.
- 6.6** On the last day of the race no warning signal will be made after 15:00.

7 MEASUREMENTS

Each boat shall produce a valid measurement certificate, this must be shown on registration. Optimist class shall provide a measurement-inspection form at registration. Whenever during the event any boat and its equipment may be checked on compliance to the class rules and sailing instruction.



8 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

The sailing instructions will be provided at registration and event website prior to the competition.

9 VENUE

9.1 Race harbour HSS Liuskasaari, Helsinki

9.2 Race area

<i>Class</i>	<i>Race area</i>
Optimist	C1 (South from Liuskasaari)
Zoom 8	C2(Southeast from Liuskasaari)
29er	D (Melkki)
Laser	D (Melkki)

The Race areas are in approx. 0,5 nm distance from the race harbor except race course D which is approx. 1,5 nm from race harbor.

Attachment A shows the approximate course areas.

10 COURSES

<i>Class</i>	<i>Course</i>
Optimist	Trapezoid or IODA Trapezoid
Zoom 8	Windward-leeward
Laser	Trapezoid or windward-leeward
29er	Trapezoid or windward-leeward

11 SUPPORT BOATS

Support boats shall be registered and shall be marked by signs given by organizer. A breach of this instruction shall not be grounds for protest for by a boat. This changes RRS 60.1(a)

All support boats can be requested by the race officer to function as safety boats.

12 BERTHING

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

13 RADIO COMMUNICATION

A boat shall neither make radio transmissions while racing nor receive radio communications not available to all boats. This restriction also applies to mobile telephones.

14 PRIZES

Prizes will be given as follows:

Optimist class: Prizes shall be awarded in overall race and for young sailors (competitors under 13 by the end of 2017). Top female sailors will be awarded.

Other classes: by instruction of Finnish Sailing and Boating Federation

15 DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See rule 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.

16 INSURANCE

Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum cover of 250.000€ per event or the equivalent. The certificate will be requested to be shown at the registration.



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CHANGES

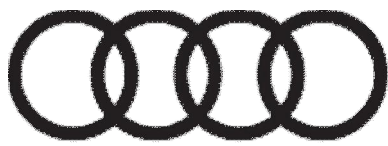
All changes to this Notice of Race will be posted prior June 1, 2017 at Helsingfors Segelsällskap r.f website: <http://www.dtsw2017.fi>

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FURTHER INFORMATION

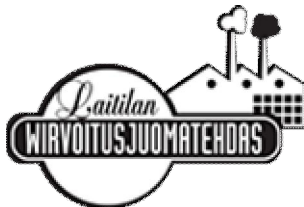
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Attachment A

Approximate course areas.

