



BMW Dragon Gold Cup 2010

Marstrand, Sweden
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Royal Gothenburg Yacht Club

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NOTICE OF RACE

1 Organising Authority

The Organising Authority (OA) is the Royal Gothenburg Yacht Club (GKSS). The Club recognises the assistance provided by the Swedish Sailing Federation, the Swedish Dragon Association, the International Dragon Association and the Clyde Yacht Clubs' Association.
The venue: The event will taken place at Marstrand, Sweden.(POS see point 8)

2 Rules

Races will be governed by the ISAF Racing Rules of Sailing RRS the International Dragon Class Rules, The Dragon Gold Cup Rules, this Notice of Race and the Sailing Instructions. In the event of conflict the Sailing Instructions shall prevail.

The official language of the Regatta is English.

The prescriptions of the National Authority that will apply will be notified on the Official Notice Board

3 Advertising

Advertising is permitted under ISAF Regulation 20. However, in accordance

with ISAF Regulation 20.5.1 no competitor advertising may be displayed pursuant to ISAF regulation 20.3.2.1.

4 Eligibility

Persons in charge of boats shall be up to date members of their National Dragon Association.

5 Entries and Registration

5.1 The maximum number of entrants will be 120 boats. All entries will be recorded in order of the entry fee payment.

5.2 A formal entry from each boat shall be submitted by post, fax or e-mail on the enclosed entry form, or online at www.gkss.se/dragongoldcup .

5.3 The entry fee is 7.500 SEK.

5.4 Mooring fee in the harbour of Marstrand for a coachboat (Rib < 10 m) is from August 4th - 14th, 1.500 SEK and paid together with the entry fee.

Mooring fee in the harbour of Marstrand for a coachboat (Rib > 10 m) is from August 4th - 14th 2000 SEK and paid together with the entry fee.

5.5 Payments can be made by credit card on the online registration or by bank transfer to:

Bank name: SEB

Account no: 5001-10 239 45

Account holder: Royal Gothenburg Yacht Club GKSS, Sweden

Bankgiro no: 162-5912 GKSS, Sweden

IBAN: SE3450000000050011023945

Swift code: ESSESESS

5.6 With payment include: Dragon Gold Cup 2010, name and sail number. All charges relating to transfer of the entry fee shall be paid by the remitter. The fee includes launching, recovery, berthing, regatta dinner and participation in the Regatta.

5.7 Entries will not be confirmed until full payment is received. Entries, including the entry fee, shall be received prior to 1st June 2010. Later entry fees are 9.500 SEK. Forms not completed at www.gkss.se/dragongoldcup shall be sent to:

Royal Gothenburg Yacht Club, GKSS

Att: Dragon Gold Cup 2010

Box 5039

426 05 V. Frölunda, Sweden

Phone no: + 46 (0) 31 29 90 40

Fax no: + 46 (0) 31 69 00 48

6. Measurement and Equipment Inspection

6.1 Measurement and equipment inspection of yachts and sails will take place prior to the commencement of racing on August 5th from 09.00 to 20.00 and August 6th from 08.30 to 18.00 according to the stipulations of the IDA Technical Committee.

6.2 Yachts shall not present any unmeasured sails for registration and measurement.

6.3 No more than eight sails per yacht may be submitted -.

6.4 Yachts shall not use any sail(s) other than the eight sails submitted for measurement except with the prior written permission of the International Jury, and then only in exceptional circumstances.(Appendix N2).

6.5 Registration and crew weighing will take place in the Race Office located at GKSS´club house on Marstrand island.

7 Race Schedule

Day	Date	Race	1 st Warning Signal Time
Saturday	0708	Practice Race	14.00 hours
Sunday	0808	Race 1	12.00 hours
Monday	0908	Racing	12.00 hours
Tuesday	1008	Lay day	
Wednesday	1108	Racing	12.00 hours
Thursday	1208	Racing	12.00 hours
Friday	1308	Racing	12.00 hours

7.1 The organisers reserve the right to change the schedule. Starting times may be brought forward and races per day may be added to complete a full regatta. If changed, the new schedule will be posted no later than 19:00 on the day prior to the affected race. On at least one day there will be 2 races.

7.2 On Friday August 13th, no warning signal will be made after 15:00.

8 Courses

Races will be windward/leeward courses located on the Marstrand fjord.

Marstrand harbour POS: 57° 53.103 ´N - 11° 35.115 ´E

Swedish chart no 931 (932)

9 International Jury

An International Jury will be appointed in accordance with Appendix N2, RRS 89.2(b) from which there shall be no appeal, RRS 70.5.

10 Trophy and Prizes

10.1 The winning helmsman shall have temporary possession of the cup for a period of one year.

Prizes will be presented to the helmsman and crew of the first, second and third placed yachts.

10.2 The Borge Borresen Memorial Trophy will be awarded to the winner of the race one of the Dragon Gold Cup.

10.3 The Nations Cup will be Awarded to the best placed boat in the last race from the winning three boat National Team and shall keep the Cup up to the next Gold Cup.

10.4 A new Trophy in the Series will be awarded to the best Corinthian crew and the crew shall keep the Cup up to the next Gold Cup. The Corinthian Trophy will be awarded only to the best yacht where all persons on board are ISAF Sailor Classification Group 1.

10.5 Other prizes may be awarded.

11 Sailing Instructions

Sailing Instructions and a list of competitors will be given to each entrant on registration.

12 Disclaimer of Liability

Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk.

See Rule 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.

13 Insurance

Each participating yacht shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum cover of 1,000,000 Euro per event or the equivalent.

14 Other information

14.1 It is not allowed to take any cars, trucks or trailers by the ferry over from Koön to the Marstrand island.

14.2 Support Boats (cruisers) shall, on arrival, at the harbour of Marstrand register at the Port Authority for berth allocation. Owners of Support boats shall be responsible for all fees.

14.3 Coachboats shall be marked with a flag with National letters and the participant yacht bow number . Coaches and other support personnel will be required to register on the Race Office at GKSS Club house before 18.00 August 6th and to comply with the coachboat regulations defined in the Sailing Instructions.

14.4 Regatta dinner tickets are included in the entry fee for participating crew. There will also be a limited number of tickets available for accompanying

persons to the Regatta dinner (Thursday August 12th). First come, first served. Regatta dinner is 900 SEK per person which you will pay cash or by credit card at Race Office at Marstrand.

15. Travel and Accommodation

For accommodation please visit: www.gkss.se/dragongoldcup

Information about Marstrand: www.marstrand.se

Nearest airports: www.landvetter.com (70 km to Marstrand, 1 hour and 10 minutes by car.
www.goteborgcityairport.se (47 km to Marstrand, 51 minutes by car.

Ferries: www.stenaline.se
www.scandlines.dk
www.hhferries.se
www.dfsseaways.se

16. Information Requests

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