



Notice of Race (NoR)

GKSS Vårregatta

Dates: 2022 0514 – 2022 0515

Location: Långedrag, Göteborg

Boatclass: Dragon, The regatta has a WS grade 2 classification.

Organizing authority: GKSS. Gothenburg Royal Yacht Club

1. Rules

- 1.1 The event is governed by the rules as defined in The Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS).
- 1.3 All boats may be required to display advertising chosen and supplied by the organizing authority.
- 1.4 **(DP) (NP)** RRS 40.1 will apply at all times while the boat is afloat and on the water. However, it does not apply on a keelboat when it is moored or when the competitor is below deck. A boat breaking this rule may be warned or penalized at the discretion of the protest committee.
- 1.5 **(DP)(NP)** The racing areas will be bounded by course limits. A boat passing the course limit may be warned or penalised at the discretion of the protest committee.
- 1.6 RRS P2.1 is changed so that the Two-Turns Penalty is replaced by the One-Turn Penalty.

2. Eligibility

- 2.1 All boats competing shall have a third party liability insurance.
- 2.2 The event is open class and the person in charge shall be a member of a club that is a member of the Swedish Sailing Federation or her national authority.
- 2.3 The person in charge who is a Swedish citizen shall have a competition license (Tävlingenslicens) issued by the Swedish Sailing Federation.
- 2.4 Boats, or boats with competitors, from Russia or Belarus are not allowed to participate.

3. Entry

- 3.1 Boats may enter the event by registering online at Sailarena [GKSS Vårregatta \(sailarena.com\)](http://GKSS.Varregetta(sailarena.com)) not later than May 10.
- 3.2 The entry fee is 1000 SEK and is paid in Sailarena when making the entry. If the entry is withdrawn not later than 7 days before the event, or if the boat's entry is rejected by the organizing authority, the entry fee will be refunded. Use of launching crane and mooring Sat-Sun included.

4. Registration and equipment inspection

- 4.1 Registration of the whole crew should be made in Sailarena not later than May 7.
- 4.2 The person in charge shall upon request be able to verify club membership, competition license and valid measurement certificate or similar.
- 4.3 A boat, crew or equipment may be inspected at any time. On the water the race committee or the technical committee may direct a boat to a specified site for inspection.
- 4.4 A competitor that has become ill or injured may be replaced after approval by the race committee.

5. Sailing instructions and information

- 5.1 Sailing instructions and other official information will be available on the official notice board at www.gkss.se.
- 5.2 The race committee will when possible and appropriate broadcast information regarding the course, starting times, safety etc. **on VHF channel L1**

6. Schedule

- 6.1 **Friday 13/5**
Registration 17.00 – 20.00
- Saturday 14/5**
Race Office Registration 08.00 – 10.00
Skippers meeting 10.00
First start 12.00
Simple aftersail On arrival to harbour.
- Sunday 15/5**
First start 11.00

Price Giving harbour	As soon as possible after arrival to
No races will be started after	15.00

7. Format

7.1 6 races are scheduled.

8. Venue and course

8.1 The course will be sailed either directly in connection to GKSS harbour or in the area between the main shipping lanes to göteborg harbour. Times for signals on shore will be adjusted accordingly.

8.2 The course will be a windward/leeward course as described in the sailing instructions. The finish will be downwind.

8.3 A logistics document will be published to give guidance for trailer parking and so on.

9. Protests and penalties

9.2 RRS appendix T will apply.

10. Scoring

10.2 The race committee will make no changes to the results 24 hours after the last race as provided for in RRS 90.3e.

10.3 RRS A2.1 is changed so that with three or less races, no score will be excluded. After more than three races one score will be excluded.

11. Prizes

11.1 One prize per 5 starting boats.

Date: Göteborg April 20 2022