



Sailing Instructions

RS Aero, Swedish Open Class Championship 2019,

4th – 6th August 2019

1 RULES

- 1.4 If there is a conflict between the Notice of Race and these Sailing Instructions, the Sailing Instructions will prevail.
- 1.5 If there is a conflict between languages the English text will take precedence.

2 NOTICE TO COMPETITORS

Notices to competitors will be posted on the official notice board located at the seaside wall of the clubhouse.

3 CHANGES TO SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

Any change to the sailing instructions will be posted before 09.00 on the day it will take effect, except that any change to the schedule of races will be posted by 20.00 on the day before it will take effect.

4 SIGNALS MADE ASHORE

- 4.1 Signals made ashore will be displayed on the official flagpole situated at the clubhouse.
- 4.2 When flag AP is displayed ashore, '1 minute' is replaced with 'not less than 60 minutes' in the race signal AP.

5 SCHEDULE OF RACES

The races will take place as soon as possible after the last of the Tera-boats have finished the last race of the day. See below the Tera schedule. Note that the maximum finish time for Teras are 20 minutes after the first finisher. No later than five minutes before the warning signal for Aeros a orange flag will be hoisted at the starting vessel.

5.1 TIME SCHEDULE FOR TERAS:

Day	Date	First warning signal	Number of scheduled races
Sunday	Aug 4	15.00	Practice race
Monday	Aug 5	11.00	3
Tuesday	Aug 6	11.00	4

- 5.2 Change of schedule may occur for any reason decided by the race committee and will be announced on notice board before 20.00 the day before. Any change of schedule given under this paragraph will not be ground for redress. This changes rule 62.1 (a).

6 CLASS FLAG

The class flag will be flag "K".

7 RACING AREA

In the case of using the eastern race area (i.e. east of Ulvön island) the "E" flag will be displayed on the official flagpole no later than 60 minutes prior to the first warning signal of that day.

8 THE COURSE

- 8.1 See Attachment A, RS Aero, Swedish Open Class Championship 2019

9 MARKS

- 9.1 Marks M1a, M2a and M2b will be yellow cylinders.
Mark M1b will be a red buoy.

10 THE START

- 10.1 Races will be started by using rule 26.

To alert boats that a race or sequence of races will begin soon, the orange starting line flag will be displayed with one sound five (5) minutes before a warning signal is made.

- 10.2 The starting line will be between a orange flag on the starting vessel and a orange flag displayed on the starting mark at the pin end.
10.3 A boat starting later than 5 minutes after her starting signal will be scored DNS Did Not Start without a hearing. This changes rule A4 and A5.

11 CHANGE OF THE NEXT LEG OF THE COURSE

To change the next leg of the course, the race committee will move the original mark (or the finishing line) to a new position. Failure in complying with RRS 33(a) or 33(b) shall not be grounds for redress, this changes RRS 62.

12 THE FINISH

The finishing marks will be between the starting vessel flying a blue flag and a buoy with a blue flag.

The finish line must be crossed in direction from the gate (M2a+M2b)

13 TIME LIMITS AND TARGET TIMES

- 13.1 The target time for the first finisher is 30 minutes.
The maximum time for the first finisher is 60 minutes.
Boats failing to finish within 15 minutes after the first boat will be scored DNF without a hearing this changes RRS 35, A4 and A5.

14 SAFETY REGULATIONS

- 14.1 RRS 40 changed so that RRS 40 applies at all times while afloat but flag Y will not be displayed.
14.4 A boat that retires from a race shall notify the race committee as soon as possible.

15 OFFICIAL BOATS

- 15.1 Race Committee boat will display the burgee of Ljungskile Segelsällskap
15.2 Jury boats will display a flag with "J" or "JURY" in capital letters

16 TRASH DISPOSAL

Trash may be placed aboard support or official boats.

17 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.

18 RIGHTS AND COPYRIGHT

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