



NOTICE OF RACE

OPEN DUTCH CLASS CHAMPIONSHIPS 2020 WINDSURFING FREESTYLE

Organised by:

ZEIL & SURFCENTRUM BROUWERSDAM

in conjunction with the

Nederlandse Vereniging van Wedstrijdsurfers

Under the auspices of the Royal Netherlands Yachting Union (RNYU)

**One racing day in the periode from april 4th till
November 29th**

The racing of racing will be depending of the wind and wave conditions and will be published 24 hours before the first warning signal on www.wedstrijdsurfen.nl and www.facebook.com/brouwersdam.

A pre-warning will be given 48 hours before the first warning signal

1 RULES

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS)*.
- 1.2 The 'Rules for Championships Sailing, Windsurfing and Kiteboarding' will apply.
- 1.3 De Championship Rules for Expression of the IFCA class apply.
- 1.4 If there is a conflict between languages in the text the English language will take precedence.
- 1.5 Every competitor who has his domicile in the Netherlands shall have the appropriate license.

2 ADVERTISING

Boards may be required to display advertising chosen and supplied by the organizing authority. If this rule is broken, World Sailing Regulation 20.9.2 applies.

3 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 3.1 The regatta is open to all boats of the following class(es) and division(s):
 - a. Freestyle Men
 - b. Freestyle Women
- 3.2 The following subdivision apply
 - a. Youth Under 21 (born in 2000 or later)
 - b. Junior Under 17 (born in 2004 or later)
 - c. Junior Under 15 (born in 2006 or later)
- 3.3 A minimum of 8 competitors are required to constitute a division
- 3.4 A minimum of 5 competitors are required to constitute a subdivision
- 3.5 The following shall be presented upon registration:
 - a. Evidence of valid third party insurance
 - b. Proof of age
 - c. Racing licence
- 3.7 Eligible boards may enter on the location by completing an official registration form.

4 FEES

- 4.1 Required fees are € 20,-- and can be paid on the location.

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6 SCHEDULE AND RACING FORMAT

- 6.1 The racing of racing will be depending of the wind and wave conditions and will be published 24 hours before the first warning signal on www.wedstrijdsurfen.nl and www.facebook.com/brouwersdam
- 6.2 Racing will be on Saturdays or Sundays
- 6.3 Registration on the confirmed day of racing from 08.30 till 09.15
- 6.4 First possible warning signal on the confirmed day of racing 10.00
- 6.5 Number of racing days
There will be a maximum of one racing day
- 6.6 Number of races:
There will be a maximum of 4 eliminations per day
- 6.7 The skippers meeting will be 30 minutes before the first possible warning signal of that day.
- 6.8 RACING FORMAT:
The racing format is freestyle with eliminations

7 MEASUREMENTS

- 7.1 Every board shall have a unique World Sailing registration number.

8 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

The sailing instructions (SI's) will be available at the registration office at time of registration and on the website www.wedstrijdsurfen.nl

9 VENUE

9.1 The race office is located at the following address: Zeil & Surfcentrum Brouwersdam, Ossenhoek 1, 3253 MH Ouddorp (NED)

10 THE COURSES

Courses will be as described in the sailing instructions or as published on the Official Noticeboard.

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12 SCORING EN JUDGING

12.1 To constitute a championship it is required to complete one elimination including the A-final and B-final

12.3 JUDGING:

12.3.1 Judging of the competitors is based on:

- a. Difficulty: Each trick is graded according how difficult it is to execute
- b. Diversity: The number of different types of tricks performed.
- c. Technical skills: The quality of the execution of a move or trick
- d. Choreography: Do the tricks flow together smoothly and gracefully?
- e. Showmanship: Are you a crowd pleaser?
- f. Overall Routine

12.3.3. The number of tricks, the number of categories to be counted towards the result, the multiplication factor of each category and the priority category shall be decided by the Head Judge and posted on the Official Noticeboard at least 20 minutes before the heats concerned;

12.3.4. When there is a tie in total points awarded by a judge the tie will be broken in favour of the competitor who has the higher single score in the priority category as specified by the head judge on race days. If the tie remains the heat shall be resailed

13 SUPPORT BOATS

Support boats shall register at the regatta office

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16 SAFETY

16.1 Support persons in support boats shall wear a personal flotation device that shall conform to the minimum standard ISO 12402-5 (Level 50).

16.2 If personal buoyancy is prescribed every competitor shall wear a personal flotation device that shall conform to the minimum standard ISO 12402-5 (Level 50).

17 RADIO COMMUNICATION

Except in an emergency a board shall neither make radio transmissions while racing nor receive radio communications not available to all boats. This restriction also applies to mobile telephones.



18 PRIZES

18.1 The competitor with the winning board in the class Freestyle division Men and Women will be awarded "Dutch Class Champion" and receive the Blue Pennant and the accompanying medal of the RNWA.

19 DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

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.

20 INSURANCE

Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum cover of Euro 1.000.000 per event or the equivalent

21 RIGHTS TO USE NAME AND LIKENESS

By participating in this event, competitors automatically grant to the organizing authority and the event sponsors the right, in perpetuity, to make, use, and show, at their discretion, any photography, audio and video recordings, and other reproductions of them made at the venue or on the water from the time of their arrival at the venue, until their final departure, without compensation.

22 FURTHER INFORMATION

Camping is only allowed in designated camping areas. Camping in campers or vans on the streets or in parking lots is not allowed

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