



Open Swedish Championship Dragon Force 65 4th – 6th September 2020

The Organising Authority is Ljungskile Segelsällskap (LjSS)

NOTICE OF RACE

1 RULES

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing 2017 2020* (RRS). The sailing instructions will consist of the instructions in RRS Appendix S, Standard Sailing Instructions, RRS Appendix E, DF65 class rules and supplementary sa that will be published online at least three weeks prior to the event and posted onto the official notice board located beside the entréance of the clubhouse.
- 1.2 IRSA Addendum Q will apply.
- 1.3 The racing rules will be changed as follows:
 - Marks may be touched. This changes RRS rule 31. Also start and finish marks may be touched.

2 ADVERTISING

2.1 Boats and competitors may be required to display advertising chosen and supplied by the Organising Authority. If this rule is broken, World Sailing Regulation 20.9.2 applies. [DP].

3 ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

- 3.1 The regatta is open to all boats of the Dragon Force 65 class. Maximum numbers of competitors will be 42. The 20 best on the Swedish ranking by 31th July 2020 are guarenteed to compete if the entries are completed. The rest of the competitors are allowed to compete depending on the time of the entry registration. A standby-queue will apply. If the Swedish Sailing Association (SSF) will change the Corona-recommendations, the number of competitors may be changed.
- 3.2 All Swedish competitors must be a member of Dragon Force Class Association.
- 3.3 The competitor shall follow Swedish sailing federations racing license regulation for competitors. This regulation applies from the year the competitor reaches the age of 12. Competitors from other countries than Sweden are exempt from this regulation.
- 3.4 To be entitled to participate in Riksidrottsförbundets Championships, each competitor must comply with World Sailing Regulation 19. In order to be awarded the title Swedish Champion, the competitor shall be a Swedish citizen or have resided in Sweden for at least six months the last twelve months before the regatta starts.

- 3.5 Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See RRS 4 decision to race. The organising authority will not accept any liability for damage or personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with or prior to, during, or after the regatta.
- 3.6 The regatta entries are restricted to 60 boats in total where 48 will be dedicated Swedish skippers, see section 3.4, and the rest for participants from abroad until 20th April when any available spots will be filled from a waiting list.

4 ENTRIES

- 4.1 Entry shall be made not later than Aug 5th at the race site, linked on <u>www.dragonforce65.se</u> The entry fee is **SEK 600:-**
- 4.2 The entries shall include skipper name, nationality, sail number and club.
- 4.3 Swedish entries are payed the fee, not later than Aug 16th 2020, to LjSS´ account number bankgiro 867-1794 or to Swish 123 143 69 55
 For international payments use BIC / IBAN HANDSESS: SE47 6000 0000 0009 6903 9298
 Please ensure that your that your name and sail number is included in the payment reference.
 Entry to this event will not be confirmed unless cleared funds have been received by the organisation by the closing date.

5 TIME SCHEDULE

5.1	Programme		
	22/5	13.00-18.30	Registration
		17.00	Tune up
		19.00	Opening ceremony
	23/5	07.30-09.00	Registration
		09.00	Skippers Meeting
		09.30	The countdown for the first race of day will start.
		19.00	No start after this hour
	24/5	09.00	The countdown for the first race of day will start.
		15.00	No sailing round will start after this hour.
		15.30	Price giving ceremony

5.2 Six race are required for a Swedish champion to be appointed.

6 REGISTRATION AND MEASUREMENT CHECKS

- 6.1 Registrations shall be made at the race office not later than 09.00 AM 5th Sept.
- 6.2 Swedish competitors shall be able to present a valid license from Swedish Sailing Federation according to § 3.3.
- 6.3 A boat or equipment may be inspected at any time for compliance with the class rules and sailing instructions.
- 6.4 Substitution of damaged or lost equipment will not be allowed unless approved by the race committee. Requests for substitution shall be made to the race committee at the first reasonable opportunity.

7 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

7.1 The sailing instructions will be available at the regatta office at time for check in, and also posted at the official notice board.

8 RACING AREA AND COURSES

- 8.1 The racing area will be directly outside the mast crane bridge, in LiSS clubhouse area.
- 8.2 The course to be sailed will be a windward-leeward course.
- 8.3 Line starts will be used for all starts.
- 8.4 The target time for the first finisher in each race is 10-15 minutes.
- 8.5 Boats failing to finish within 5 minutes after the first boat will be scored DNF without a hearing.
- 8.6 The maximum time for the first finisher is 20 minutes.

9 PROTESTS AND PENALTY SYSTEM

9.1 IRSA Addendum Q, ver sept 2016, will apply.

10 RACE FORMAT AND SCORING

- 10.1 Group format or HMS format and scoring systems will be used.
- 10.2 The low point scoring systems of RRS appendix A will apply, modified so that every fourth completed race will be discarded, as well as the races where the competitors are supposed to rest.
- 10.3 Six races are required to be completed in each group to constitute an official championship.

11 PRIZES

Prizes will be awarded as follows:

Prizes will be given to the top ten skippers.

Prizes will be given to the top three Grand Master (+65)

Swedish National Championship plaquettes and titles will be awarded if six or more boats from at least three different Swedish sailing clubs located in more than one Swedish district have crossed the finish line in one race in the championship.

12 RULES FOR SUPPORTS PERSONS

Support persons shall follow Swedish Sailing Federation safety code.

13 FURTHER INFORMATION

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Bilaga 1 till inbjudan Svenska Öppna Mästerskapen för DF65

Vägbeskrivning

Kör av antingen det södra eller norra E6 motorvägsmotet om Ljungskile och styr mot centrum, infart till hamnområdet över motorvägsbron. Kör därefter ca 400 m till vägens slut vid det vita klubbhuset (besöksadress Strandvägen 26, Ljungskile).

Inkvartering

<u>Ljungskile folkhögskola – Hotell och Vandrarhem</u>

Dubbelrum 890 kr/natt inkl frukost, Enkelrum 690 kr/natt inkl frukost, https://www.ljungskile.org/kursokonferens/hotellet/, tfn 0522-686970, uppge kod "SM DF65"

Anfasteröds Gårdsvik

I första hand stugor, https://anfasterod.se/boendet/, tfn 0708-707270

Fler frågor om logimöjligheter? Ring turistbyrån tfn 0522-22405.

Förtäring

Med de rekommendationer (SSF) som finns idag rörande Corona, så kan vi tyvärr inte erbjuda någon förtäring. Det kommer heller inte vara någon regattafest.

Parkering

Parkering av bilar sker på skyltade platser. Dels strax innan klubbhuset, men också på grusplanen efter klubbhuset. Om ni har med er husvagn eller husbil kan denna parkeras i omedelbar närhet till klubbhuset. Meddela dock i god tid att ni önskar plats på df65@ljss.se.

Båtplats

Möjlighet finns för deltagare som vill ha med sig bobåt, att erhålla fri båtplats vid klubbhuset under tävlingshelgen. Meddela dock i god tid att ni önskar plats på df65@ljss.se.

Kort om Ljungskile

På gångavstånd, ca 10 min från LjSS klubbhus, finns bl.a. buss- och tågstation, dagligvarubutiker, apotek, vårdcentral, restauranger, café, charkuteri, färgaffärer, Outletbutik- Resteröds Trikå, gym och multisportbutik. Inom ca 20 min gångavstånd finns även tillgång till bensinstation och laxrestaurang.

Övrigt

För ytterligare upplysningar ring eller maila;

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