Runns Segelsällskap invites all OK Dinghy sailors to Falun and 2015 Open Swedish Championships

We are very pleased to welcome the OK sailors to Falun and Lake Runn.

I promise that my experienced and positive staff will do their best to perform professional races as well as a nice and welcoming atmosphere. Just because they love sailing and racing.

This year the event will be a co-event with the Finn Swedish Championships.

Very welcome to Falun in August.

Mikael Lindell

Race Officer (and former OK sailor, S-1552 & 2329)





Notice of Race

Event: Open Swedish OK Dinghy Championship

Date: 2015-08-13 to 2015-08-15

Organiser: Runns Segelsällskap, Falun (Lake Runn Yacht Club)

1. Rules

- 1.1 The event will be governed by the rules as defined in the Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS).
- 1.2 International OK Dinghy class rules will apply for OK-dinghy.
- 1.3 Swedish competitors shall when racing follow the licensing rules for advertising as decided by the Swedish Sailing Federation.
- 1.4 Boats shall be required to display advertising and bow numbers, chosen and supplied by the organizing authority.
- 1.5 Competitor who left port must wear personal flotation devices. This rule does not apply to short-term replacement or adjustment of clothing or personal equipment, or when the competitor is in port or under deck. Wet suits and dry suits are not personal flotation device. This changes RRS 40.
 A boat that violates this rule may be warned or penalized at the discretion of the Protest Committee.

2. Eligibility requirements

- 2.1 To be entitled to participate in Swedish Sports Confederation championships, each competitor must comply with ISAF Regulation 19. In order to obtain the title Swedish Champion (SM) the competitors must be a Swedish citizen or has resided in Sweden for at least six months the past twelve months before the competition starts.
- 2.2 Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third party liability insurance.
- 2.3 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 material damage or personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with or prior to, during, or after the regatta.

3. Entries, meals included and Regatta dinner

3.1 Entry shall be made no later than 2015-07-26 and should be done at <u>IdrottOnline</u> Link available also from the event homepage at <u>www.russ.se</u>. If you get problems with the online entry please email <u>mikael.lindell@lmstrategi.se</u>.

- 3.2 The entry shall include the following: Your name, sail number, club, nationality, year of birth, hull fabrication year, phone number and e-mail.
- 3.3 The entry fee is 1.000 SEK and to be paid to Bg 5225–0040 no later than 2015-07-26. Mark the payment with name, sail number and club. Late entry the fee is 1 300 SEK. International participants are welcome to pay the entry fee cash at registration. 1.000 SEK if entry is made according to 3.1, otherwise 1.300 SEK.
- 3.4 Meals included: Thursday-Saturday Saturday evening Breakfast, lunch box (DIY) and after sail (light meal) Anniversary Dinner (drinks excluded)
- 3.4 Regatta/Anniversary Dinner At Saturday evening all participants, VIP's and guests are invited to the Regatta and Anniversary Dinner. For participants the price is included in the entry fee (drinks excluded). Time and place will be announced later.

4. Registration and measurement checks

- 4.1 Registration shall be made at the race office not later than 2015-08-13 10:00 AM
- 4.2 Measurement certificate shall be presented prior to racing.
- 4.3 Each competitor shall complete and sign a competitor's declaration form and present the form at registration. The form can be loaded from the regatta homepage, <u>www.russ.se</u>

5. Sailing Instructions

5.1 The sailing instructions will be handed out upon completion of the registration.

6. Time schedule

6.1 Programme

Registration, Measurement, Safety inspectionWednesday 12/816:00-20:00Thursday 13/808:00-10:00

Skippers meeting and opening ceremony Thursday 13/8 10:30

Race daysThe warning signal for the first race is:Thursday 13/812:55Friday 14/810:55Saturday 15/810:55No warning signal after 15:00Prize giving ceremony will be held at the Regatta/Anniversary Dinner.

6.2 Nine (9) races are scheduled

7. Race format

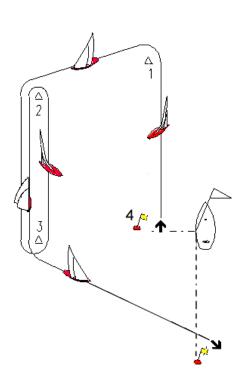
7.1 If the number of participating boats exceeds 50 the boats will be divided into smaller fleets for a series of qualifying races, the results of which determine each boat's assignment to two fleets for the final series. Details will be described in the sailing instructions.

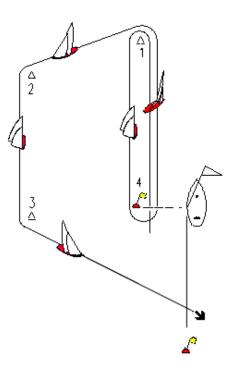
8. Racing area

8.1 The racing area will be at Roxnäsfjärden, 1 nautical mile east of the Yacht Club.

9. The course

9.1 Trapetz course with inner- and outer loop will be used to separate the fleets, since it's a co-event with the OK Dinghy Swedish Championship.





Outer loop: Start-1-2-3-2-3-Finish

Inner loop: Start-1-4-1-2-3-Finish

10. Protests and penalty systems

10.1 RRS P will apply.

11. Scoring

- 11.1 The low point scoring system of RRS A will apply, modified so that when three or fewer races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores.
- 11.2 3 races are required to be completed to constitute a championship.

12. Prizes

12.1 The three first Swedish sailors (according to 2.1) will be awarded the plaquet of Swedish Sports Confederation. Prizes also to every fifth sailor.

Date: 2015-05-06

Attachment to notice of race.

Useful information - Service and accomodation

- <u>RSS</u> harbour area incl cranes (maximum load 3500 kg) and ramps, car and boat trailer parking. Club house incl showers, toilet and sauna. Road description at <u>www.russ.se/om-rss/hitta-hit/</u>
- Also trailer parking (limited number), incl 220V connection.
- <u>STF:s Youth Hostel</u>, Hälsinggården, distance 500 m from RSS. +462310560
- <u>Clarion Hotels Bergmästaren</u>, +4623701700 (in city, 5 km away)
- <u>Scandic Hotel Falun</u>, +46236692200 (at Lugnet stadium, 6 km away)
- First Hotel Grand, +4623794 880 (in city, 5 km away)
- <u>Främby udde</u>, trailer camping and cottages, +462319784 (opposite to RSS harbour, 2 min by boat, 10 min by car). We will provide a free shuttle service.
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More useful visiting info at www.visitsodradalarna.se