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## NOTICE OF RACE

# OPEN DUTCH CHAMPIONSHIPS 2018 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)

Date	Location	Venues
May 5 <sup>th</sup> – 6 <sup>th</sup>	Grevelingenmeer	<u>Zeil- &amp; Surfcentrum Brouwersdam</u>
June 9 <sup>th</sup> – 10 <sup>th</sup>		
September 8 <sup>th</sup> – 9 <sup>th</sup>		
September 22 <sup>nd</sup> – 23 <sup>rd</sup>		

## 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

Boats 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. Slalom Men
  - b. Slalom Women
  - c. Slalom Youth (born in 1998 or later)
- 3.2 The following subdivision apply
  - a. Junior Under 17 (born in 2002 or later)
  - b. Junior Under 15 (born in 2004 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 every location by completing an official registration form.

## 4 FEES

- 4.1 Required fees are as follows:

Senior member of the NVW	€ ....	per weekend
Youth and Junior member of the NVW	€ ....	per weekend
Senior not a member of the NVW	€ ....	per weekend
Youth and Junior not a member of the NVW	€ ....	per weekend

## 5 SPARE

## 6 SCHEDULE AND RACING FORMAT

- 6.1 Registration:

Date	Hours
May 5 <sup>th</sup>	09.30 – 10.30
June 9 <sup>th</sup>	09.30 – 10.30
September 8 <sup>th</sup>	09.30 – 10.30
September 22 <sup>nd</sup>	09.30 – 10.30

- 6.2 Dates of racing:

Date	First possible warning signal	Last possible warning signal
May 5 <sup>th</sup>	11.30	
May 6 <sup>th</sup>	10:30	16:30
June 6 <sup>th</sup>	11.30	
June 7 <sup>th</sup>	10:30	16:30
September 8 <sup>th</sup>	11.30	
September 9 <sup>th</sup>	10:30	16:30

September 22 <sup>nd</sup>	11.30	
September 23 <sup>rd</sup>	10.30	16.30

- 6.4 Number of races:  
There will be a maximum of 4 eliminations per day
- 6.5 The daily skippers meeting will be [60] minutes before the first possible warning signal of that day.
- 6.7 RACING FORMAT:  
The racing format is freestyle with eliminations

## 7\* MEASUREMENTS

- 7.1 Every board shall have a unique ISAF 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](http://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:
- Wave riding
  - Jumping
  - Difficulty: Each trick is graded according how difficult it is to execute
  - Diversity: The number of different types of tricks performed.
  - Technical skills: The quality of the execution of a move or trick
  - Choreography: Do the tricks flow together smoothly and gracefully?
  - Showmanship: Are you a crowd pleaser?
  - Overall Routine
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- 12.3.2 The best [redacted] tricks on each tack will count
- 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.

## 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 boat 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**

The competitor with the winning board in the class Slalom division Men, Women and Youth will be awarded "Dutch Champion" and receive the Blue Pennant and the accompanying medal of the RNWA.  
Competitors who are placed second and third receive also medal(s) 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 1.500.000 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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