

# NOTICE OF RACE



Watersportvereniging De Ark

**Rabobank Dutch Open Laser Masters 2010**

**Monnickendam, 13<sup>th</sup> until the 16<sup>th</sup> of May 2010**



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**Location:** "WV de Ark", [www.wsvdeark.nl](http://www.wsvdeark.nl)

**Address:** Jachthaven Hemmeland  
Monnickendam  
[www.hemmeland.nl](http://www.hemmeland.nl)

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**Entry Address:** [www.laserklasse.nl](http://www.laserklasse.nl) → Dutch Open Laser Masters → entry form

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### 1. RULES

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing*.
- 1.2 The prescriptions of the Royal Dutch Yachting Association will apply.
- 1.3 The 'Rules for Championships Sailing and Windsurfing' will apply.
- 1.4 If there is a conflict between languages the English text will take precedence.

### 2. ADVERTISING

Advertising will be restricted to Category A.

### 3. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 3.1 The regatta is open to all boats of the Laser class.
- 3.2 Competitors shall reach the following ages during 2010:  
35 to compete in the Apprentice Masters (Standard or Laser Radial)  
45 to compete in the Masters (Standard or Laser Radial)  
55 to compete in the Grand Masters (Standard or Laser Radial)  
65 to compete in the Great Grand Masters (Laser Radial)  
35 to compete in the Laser Radial Women Masters (Laser Radial)  
35 to compete in the Laser 4.7 Women Masters (Laser 4.7)



- 3.3 All responsible persons with the Dutch Nationality are required to have a Dutch starting licence and show it at registration.
- 3.4 Eligible boats may enter by completing the form on the Dutch Laser site : [www.laserklasse.nl](http://www.laserklasse.nl) (Dutch Open Laser Masters, entry form)
- 3.5 Entry closing date is 1<sup>st</sup> of May 2010.
- 3.6 Late entries will be accepted under the following conditions: Late Entry Fee: € 110,-

#### **4. CLASSIFICATION**

The ISAF Sailor Classification Code will apply.

#### **5. FEES**

- 5.1 Required fees are as follows: Entry Fee: € 95,-
- 5.2 Other fees: Late Entry Fee: € 110,-

#### **6. SCHEDULE**

- 6.1 Registration: Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> of May 19:00-20:30 hrs; Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> of May 09:00 hrs
- 6.2 Measurement and inspection: Wet clothing, measurement and equipment checks may be made throughout the Regatta at the discretion of the Class Representative, Race Committee or International Jury.
- 6.3 Dates of racing: 13<sup>th</sup>, 14<sup>th</sup>, 15<sup>th</sup> & 16<sup>th</sup> of May 2010
  - First Start: 13<sup>th</sup> of May 12:00 hrs.
  - Last possible start: 16<sup>th</sup> of May 14:00 hrs
- 6.4 Number of races: Max. 8 races

#### **7. MEASUREMENTS**

Each boat shall produce a valid measurement certificate.

#### **8. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS**

The sailing instructions will be available from the Race Office during the Registration dates and times.

#### **9. THE COURSES**

The courses to be sailed will be as follows: Trapezoid Course



## 10. SCORING

- 10.1 Low Point System according to RRS appendix A
- 10.2 Four races are required to be completed to constitute a series.
- 10.3(a) When fewer than five races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores.
- 10.3(b) When from five to eight races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score.

## 11. BERTHING

Boats shall be kept in their assigned places in the harbour.

## 12. RADIO COMMUNICATION

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.

## 13. PRIZES

- 13.1 Prizes will be given to the following categories, when complied with 13.3:
- Overall Standard;
  - Overall Radial;
  - Apprentices;
  - Masters;
  - Grand Masters;
  - Great Grand Masters;
  - Radial;
  - Ladies Radial;
  - Ladies 4.7.
- 13.2 Amount of prizes will be as follows:
- Overall Standard 1 prize including the "Wimpel"
  - Overall Radial 1 prize including the "Wimpel"
  - For each 5 competitors per category 1 prize with a maximum of 3 will be given
- 13.3 The minimum number of competitors per category is 5. In case of less competitors, the competitor(s) will compete in the next available higher class.
- 13.4 The rig chosen at the start of the event, has to be used for the whole event.

## 14. DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

Competitors participates 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.



## 15. INSURANCE

Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum cover of € 500.000 per event or the equivalent.

## 16. SOCIAL EVENTS

13<sup>th</sup> of May: Happy Hour  
14<sup>th</sup> of May: Happy Hour  
15<sup>th</sup> of May: Diner, included in entry fee additional diner tickets € 25,- each

## 17. ACCOMODATION

Camping is possible on harbour site. Therefore following event fees are applicable:

- Tents: € 20,-
- Caravans and Campers: € 25,-

Prices are including electricity and water for one person for whole event.

Each additional person: € 10,-

## 18. SPONSORING

An event like this always is in need of sponsors to create a successful event. In case you do want to sponsor this event or you know someone or a company to sponsor this event, please contact us. A lot of advertising options are possible.

## 19. FURTHER INFORMATION

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