

NOTICE OF RACE Open Dutch Championship RS Feva 2018 Open Class Championship RS 500 Class Event RS Aero 7

September 15th and 16th, 2018

Venue: The event will be sailed on the Grevelingen off Bruinisse (Netherlands)

Organizing Authority: The races will be organized by Zeilclub Kurenpolder (ZCK) and Aquavitesse, in conjunction with the Dutch RS Feva Class Organization, the Dutch RS 500 Class Organization and the Dutch RS Aero Class Organization, under the auspices of the Royal Netherlands Yachting Union (RNYU).

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 an Kiteboarding" will apply.
- 1.3 The Sailing Instructions may change some RRS-rules. The changes will appear in full in the sailing instructions.
- 1.4 If there is a conflict between languages the English text will take precedence.
- 1.5 Every person on board who has his domicile in the Netherlands shall have the appropriate license. The licences will be checked before or upon registration.
- 1.6 RRS Appendix T, Arbitration, applies.

2 ADVERTISING

- 2.1 Advertising is permitted in accordance with the class rules.
- 2.2 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.
- 2.3 Boats may be required to carry cameras and/or tracking equipment as specified by the Organizing Authority.

3 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 3.1 The regatta is open to all boats of the:
 - RS Feva Class (Open Dutch Championship)
 - RS 500 Class (Open Class Championship)
 - RS Aero 7 Class (Class Event)
- 3.2 Eligible boats may enter before August 30th 2018 by registration and full payment with the organizing authority as follows:

RS Feva at the website www.sportinschrijving.nl

Foreign boats, not able to register via www.sportinschrijving.nl, may contact the RS Feva Class Organization by email (penningmeester@rsfeva-klasse.nl) to receive subscription and payment instructions.

RS 500 at the website www.rs500.nl.

RS Aero 7 at the website www.rsaero.nl.

3.3 Entries after August 30th 2018 may be accepted but an additional fee will be charged.

4 FEES

4.1 The entry Required fees are as follows:

Class Fee

- RS Feva: € 80 per boat. - RS 500: € 80 per boat.

- RS Aero 7: € 60 per boat.



- 4.2 For entries after Thursday August 30th but before Saturday September 15th an additional charge of €25 will apply.
- 4.3 For entries on Saturday September 15th 2018 an additional charge of €50 will apply.

5 SAFETY REQUIREMENTS

- Personal flotation devices (PFD) shall be worn at all times while afloat.
- All sailors must have a whistle attached to the outside of their PFD This changes RRS 40.

6 SCHEDULE

- 6.1 Registration shall take place on Friday 14th September 2018 between 18.30 and 20.00 hours and Saturday 15st September 2018 between 08.00 and 08.45 hours at the regatta office.
- 6.2 Each boat shall confirm its entry for the regatta at the regatta office before the start of the first race at the regatta office.
- 6.3 The official opening and competitors briefing will be held at the venue Aquavitesse on Saturday 15st September 2018 at 09.00 hours.
- 6.4 The races are scheduled as follows:
- 6.4.1 Saturday 15th September 2018 the scheduled time of the warning signal for the first race is 10.55 hours, 4 races are scheduled (back to back).
- 6.4.2 Sunday 16th September 2018 the scheduled time of the warning signal for the first race is 9.55 hours, 4 races are scheduled (back to back).
- 6.5 A full starting schedule will be included in the Sailing Instructions.
- 6.6 Each day succeeding races will be started as soon as practicable after the finish of the previous race.
- 6.7 On both race days there will be no break ashore between races.
- 6.8 On the last day of the regatta no warning signal will be made after 15.00 hours.

7 MEASUREMENTS

- 7.1 Each boat shall produce a valid measurement certificate.
- 7.2 Measurement checks may be made at registration.

8 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

The Sailing Instructions will be available from August 15th 2018 on the websites of the Class Organizations (www.rsfeva-klasse.nl, www.rs500.nl and www.rsaero.nl) and can be downloaded. The Sailing Instructions will also be published at the notice board at the regatta office.

9 VENUE

9.1 The race office is located at the following address:

Aguavitesse, located at Jachthaven Bruinisse:

Jachthavenweg 74

4311 NC Bruinisse

The Netherlands

Phone: +31(0)111 482 039

- 9.2 Attachment A shows the location of the regatta harbour.
- 9.3 The races will be held at the Grevelingen off Bruinisse (Netherlands). Attachment B shows the location of the racing area.

10 THE COURSES

The courses to be sailed will be Trapezoid Courses. They will be described in detail in the Sailing Instructions.

11 PENALTY SYSTEM

For the RS Feva class and the RS 500 class RRS 44.1 and P2.1 are changed, so that the Two-Turns Penalty is replaced by the One-Turn Penalty.



12 SCORING

- 12.1 Four (4) races are required to be completed to constitute a series.
- 12.1.1 When fewer than 5 races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores.
- 12.1.2 When 5 or more races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score.

13 SUPPORT BOATS

- 13.1 All support boats shall comply with local and event regulations.
- 13.2 Kill cords shall be worn whilst engines are running.
- 13.3 Support boats are required to register at the Regatta Office. The Bruinisse Marina mooring fee (incl. usage of launching site) of € 16,50 will have to be paid at registration.

14 BERTHING

Boats shall be kept in their assigned places in the boat park while ashore, unless instructed otherwise.

15 SPARE

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17 RADIO COMMUNICATION

17.1 Except in case of 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. VHF will only be used for safety communication.

18 PRIZES

RS Feva:

- Prizes will be awarded to the helmsman and crew of the first 5 boats, both aged 18 or under on the 31^{th} December 2018.
- Helmsman and crew of the winning boat of the championship acquire the title "Dutch Champion" and receive accompanying medals of the RNYU.

The responsible person of the winning boat acquires the Blue Pennant of the RNYU.

Helmsman and crew of the boats that are placed second and third acquire also medals of the RNYU.

- Prizes will be awarded to the helmsman and crew of the first 3 complete female crews, both aged 18 or under on the 31st December 2018.

RS 500:

- Prizes will be awarded to the helmsman and crew of the first 3 boats.
- Helmsman and crew of the winning boat of the championship acquire the title "Class Champion".

The responsible person of the winning boat acquires the Red Pennant of the RNYU.

- A prize will be awarded to the helmsman and crew of the best student team in a student association boat . Helmsman and crew must prove to be registered with a school for secondary or higher vocational education or a university.

RS Aero 7:

- Prizes will be awarded to the first 3 boats.
- A prize will be awarded to the first female boat.
- The responsible person of the winning boat of the class event acquires the title "Winner of the Class Event".



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 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.

21 INSURANCE

Each participating boat, including support boats, shall be insured with a valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum cover of \in 1.500.000,- per event or the equivalent.

22 CHARTER BOATS

<u>RS Feva</u>: there is a number of charter boats available for competitors traveling from abroad. Please inform Aquavitesse (phone $+31\ 111\ 482\ 039$) as soon as possible about your interest to make use of a charter boat. These are Club rigged RS Feva's (i.e. no race pack, kicker etc. or race jib). The charter boat needs to be booked at Aquavitesse at the same time as entering. They will be allocated on a first come first served basis. The cost will have to be payed to Aquavitesse.

RS 500: no charter boats are available.

RS Aero 7: no charter boats are available.

23 FURTHER INFORMATION

RS Feva Class:

For further information be advised to follow the websites of the Class Organization (www.rsfeva-klasse.nl) or contact the secretary of the Dutch RS Feva Class at: secretaris@rsfeva-klasse.nl.

RS 500 Class:

For further information be advised to follow the websites of the Class Organization (www.rs500.nl).

RS Aero 7 Class:

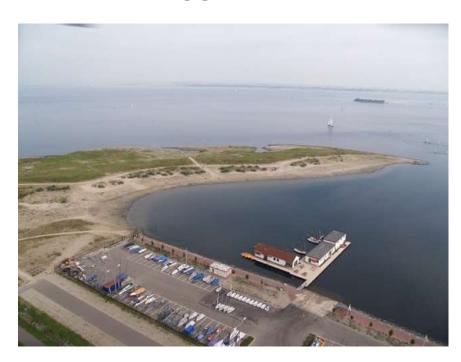
For further information be advised to follow the websites of the Class Organization (www.rsaero.nl).



ATTACHMENT A - LOCATION OF THE REGATTA HARBOUR

Aquavitesse BV

Jachthaven Bruinisse Jachthavenweg 74 Bruinisse-Netherlands



Route direction to Aquavitesse:

For setting the navigation system, this is the address:

Location: Bruinisse

Address: Jachthavenweg 74

Netherlands

Region Zeeland, municipality Schouwen Duiveland

From Rotterdam/Bergen Zoom/A29:

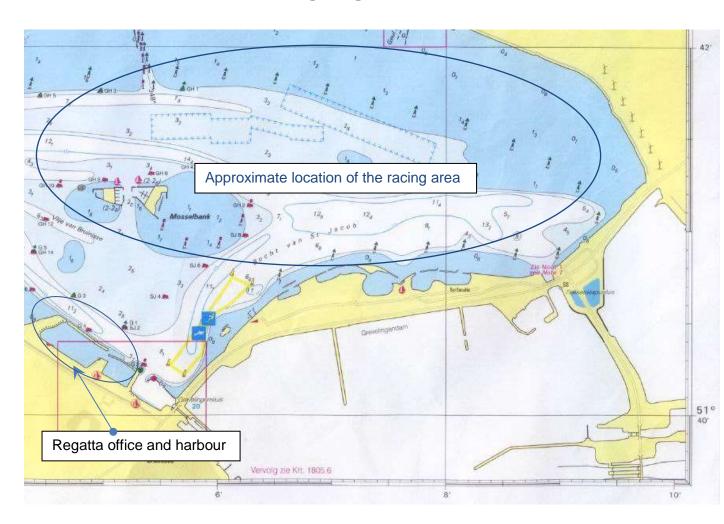
- Follow the A29 to Zierikzee
- Take the exit at junction Hellegatsplein to Zierikzee N59
- After 24 km turn right at the roundabout towards Aquadelta / Marina Bruinisse
- Drive straight ahead at the end of the road, cross straight over the crossroads, the road directly goes left over the dike to the marina
- From here you find the signs Aquavitesse
- After driving between the big red and green buoy, turn left
- Follow the road until the end, here is a public car park where you can park
- From there you can walk directly to the Reception of Aquavitesse

From Goes/Zierikzee:

- Follow the N59 towards Rotterdam
- Take the left exit on the roundabout towards Aquadelta / Marina Bruinisse
- Drive straight ahead at the end of the road, cross straight over the crossroads, the road directly goes left over the dike to the marina
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ATTACHMENT B – APPROXIMATE LOCATION OF THE RACING AREA



This chart is not suitable for navigation. Positions of buoys may be incorrect.