



WV Randmeer

Open Dutch Championship Finn Master 2015

and

Randmeerrace 2015

August 28 – 30, 2015

NOTICE OF RACE

Organizing Authority:

Watersport Vereniging Randmeer in conjunction with the Royal Netherlands Watersport Association (RNWA) and the Finn Club Holland.

Class: Finn Class.

Location: Veluwemeer near Harderwijk.

Information: www.wvrandmeer.nl

1 RULES

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing* (RRS) 2013- 2016.
- 1.2 The prescriptions of the Royal Netherlands Yachting Union will apply.
- 1.3 The 'Rules for Championships Sailing, Windsurfing and Kiteboarding' will apply.



- 1.4 The "National Anti Doping Regulations for Dutch Sport" will apply.
- 1.5 The ISAF Finn Class Rules.
- 1.6 Appendix P, Special procedures for rule 42, will apply.
- 1.7 RRS P2.3 will not apply and RRS P2.2 is changed so that it will apply to any penalty after the first one.
- 1.8 If there is a conflict between languages the English text will take precedence.

2 ADVERTISING

Boats may be required to display advertising chosen and supplied by the Organizing Authority.

3 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 3.1 Only competitors born in 1975 or before will be eligible for the Open Dutch Championship Finn Master 2015. The Randmeerrace 2015 is open to all competitors.
- 3.2 Competitors must be current members of an IFA recognized National Finn Association.
- 3.3 Eligible boats may enter by completing the Entry Form on the website of the Finn Club Holland: www.finn-sailing.nl under "Wedstrijden – Inschrijven – Serie: ONK Masters en Randmeerrace 2015"
- 3.4 **Entry closes on August 25th at 24:00 hrs.** Late entries will be accepted at an additional fee of Euro 10.00
- 3.5 Competitors have to possess an International Finn Class Measurement Form and a valid third-party Liability Insurance. They may be requested to be shown at Registration.

4 FEES

- 4.1 The required fee is Euro 60.00 to be *paid in cash* at Registration. Fee for a guest attending the BBQ is € 17.50
- 4.2 The fee includes five beverages and the BBQ for the sailor on Saturday evening.

5 SCHEDULE

- 5.1 Registration: All competitors are required to register their boat on August 28 2015 between 09:00 and 11:00 hrs. at the Race Office.



5.2 Dates, numbers of races and approx. time of warning signal:

Date	Scheduled number of races per day	Approx. time of first warning signal
Friday August 28 2015	2	12:55 hrs.
Saturday August 29 2015	3	10:25 hrs.
Sunday August 30 2015	2	10:25 hrs.

One extra race per day may be sailed.

5.3 On the last day of the regatta no warning signal will be made after 15:00 hrs.

6 QUALIFYING AND FINAL SERIES

No qualifying series will be held.

7 MEASUREMENTS

Each boat shall produce a valid Measurement Certificate.

8 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

The Sailing Instructions will be available after 09:00 hrs. on August 28 2015 at the Race Office.

9 VENUE

9.1 Attachment A shows the location of the regatta harbor.

9.2 Attachment B shows the location of the racing area.

10 COURSES

The courses to be sailed will be as follows: Olympic Triangle or Upwind Downwind (Gate).

11 SCORING

11.1 The Low Point system, RRS App. A, Rule 4.1 will apply.

11.2 Four races are required to be completed to constitute a Championship / Randmeerrace.

11.3 (a) When fewer than five races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores.

(b) When from five to seven races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score.

11.4 Beside the overall scoring there will be an Open Dutch Championship Finn Master 2015 scoring for participants born 1975 and before, in according with the International Finn Association Master Rules.

11.5 A race with an average wind strength exceeding 20 knots will not be scored for the Open Dutch



Championship Finn Master 2015. Wind strength to be measured at deck level on the open water. The authority to start or continue a race in this respect remains with the Race Committee.

12 SUPPORT BOATS

Not applicable.

13 BERTHING

Boats shall be kept in their assigned places in the boat park near the clubhouse.

14 HAUL-OUT RESTRICTIONS

Not applicable.

15 DIVING EQUIPMENT AND PLASTIC POOLS

Not applicable.

16 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. VHF will only be used for safety communication.

17 PRIZES

The winning boat of the Open Dutch Finn Masters 2015 acquires the title "Dutch Champion", the medal and the Blue Pennant of the RNYU.

Other prizes will be given as follows:

- Open Dutch Championship Finn Master 2015: eight prizes
- Randmeerrace 2015: three prizes.

18 DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See RRS, 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.

19 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.



20 CARAVANS. CAMPERS, TENTS

Facilities for camping are available at the site of the event at Flevostrand (www.flevostrand.nl info@flevostrand.nl). Please register upon arrival at the reception desk of Flevostrand.

21 FURTHER INFORMATION

For further information please contact:

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Attachment A: Location of the harbour

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tel. (Reception): +31 (0)320 - 288 480



Attachment B: Location of the racing area

Beware: The waterski area, marked in red on the map and separated by yellow stakes in the water, is an *Obstruction*. Entering this area will result in a DSQ without a hearing.



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