



HELSINKI REGATTA FOR KEELBOATS

17th - 18th June 2023

Notice of Race

The Helsinki Regatta for keelboats 2023 is an open international regatta, organized by Helsinki Sail Racing Management (HSRM). Members of HSRM are seven leading Helsinki-based sailing clubs.

1 Rules

- 1.1. The Racing Rules of Sailing.
- 1.2. If there is a conflict between languages, the English text shall take precedence.
- 1.3. RRS Appendix S (Standard Sailing Instructions)

2. Advertising

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

3. Eligibility and registration

- 3.1. The regatta is open to boats of the following classes: 8mR, 6mR, Dragon, Star, 5.5m, 5m, X-99, Albin Express, Finn Express, H-boat, Folkboat, Hai.
- 3.2. A class is opened only if, unless otherwise agreed in writing, not less than four (4) boats have registered by 11:59 pm on 12th June.
- 3.3. Eligible boats shall register by completing the registration form available on www.manage2sail.com/fi-FI and paying the entry fee not later than 11:59 pm on 16th June.
- 3.4. Several classes may be combined into one start.

5. Entry fees

Fee	Paid 12.6	Paid 16.6	Fee	Paid 12.6	Paid 16.6
8mR	130€	160€	Folkboat	80€	110€
6mR	110€	140€	Hai	80€	110€
Dragon	80€	110€	H-boat	80€	110€
5.5m	80€	110€	Albin Express	90€	120€
5m	80€	110€	Star	70€	100€
X-99	90€	120€	Finn Express	90€	120€

The entry fee is to be paid to the account of HSRM: Ålandsbanken, Bulevardi 3, 00120 Helsinki, SWIFT-BIC: AABAFI22, IBAN FI39 6601 0010 2435 25. **The boat's class and sail number shall be mentioned in the comments field.**

7. Schedule

7.1. Registration through manage2sail

7.2. Sailing schedule

Date	Classes	1 st warning signal
Sat 17 th June	All classes	10:55:00 AM
Sun 18 th June	All classes	10:55:00 AM

7.3. Number of races

Class	Races per day
8mR, 6mR, Star, Dragon	2
Other classes	3

7.4. On Sunday 18th June no warning signal will be given after 3:00 pm.

8. Measurement and Inspection

Boats and equipment may be controlled before and after the races and during the racing days.

9. Sailing instructions

The Sailing Instructions are RRS Appendix S and the additional Sailing Instructions posted on: <https://www.manage2sail.com/fi-FI> not later than 15th June. Copies of these documents may be posted on the HSS and HSK notice boards.

10. Regatta venues

The main venues for the regatta are:

HSS Liuskasaari: 8mR, 6mR

HSK: Other classes

Boats may sail directly to the racing area from their home ports.

Keelboats arriving by road may be launched at NJK or HSK. Contact persons are:

NJK: Patrick Andersson, pata_andersson(at)hotmail.com, +358 40 5404862

HSK: Kari Lehtonen, +358 400 329955

11. Course areas, courses and classes

Area K (North of Rysäkari): 5.5m, 5m, H-boat, Folkboat, Hai, Albin Express, Finn Express

Area E (Ytterskär): 8mR, 6mR, Dragon, Star.

Courses will be windward/leeward or trapezoidal.

13. Scoring

The Low Point System of RRS Appendix A will apply. No race scores will be excluded from a boat's series unless four (4) or more races are completed.

19. Prizes

Prizes are awarded as recommended by the Finnish Sailing and Boating Federation.

20. Liability disclaimer and Insurance

Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk (ISAF fundamental rules 3- 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.

Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance with adequate cover per event (min. 200.000€) and valid for racing.

22. Media release

Competitors and crew members on the competing yachts and support boats grant, at no cost to HSRM and sponsors and affiliated companies the absolute right and permission to use their name, voice.

23. Contact Information

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