



Organizing Authority

NOORD LIMBURG MAAS

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Limburg Dragon Cup

October 15, 16 and 17, 2021

NOTICE OF RACE

All times in this notice of race are in Belgian summertime GMT+2 24-hour format.

1. RULES

- 1.1. The event is governed by the rules as defined in the “Racing Rules Of Sailing” (RRS)
- 1.2. The prescriptions of the Belgian Sailing Federation can be found on;
<https://belgiansailing.be/wp-content/uploads/2020/08/Prescriptions-Belgian-Sailing-RRS-2021-2024-ENG.pdf>
- 1.3. RRS Appendix T, Arbitration applies.
- 1.4. RRS Appendix P applies.
- 1.5. [DP] All competitors and support persons must adhere to the COVID-19 rules of the Belgian government see;
<https://www.infocoronavirus.be/en/>
https://mobiliteit.belgium.be/nl/scheepvaart/covid_19_coronavirus
- 1.6. [DP] Competitors and support persons shall comply with any reasonable request from an event official. Failure to comply may be misconduct. Reasonable actions by event officials to implement COVID-19 guidance, protocols or legislation, even if they later prove to have been unnecessary, are not improper actions or omissions.
- 1.7. Every competitor who has his domicile in Belgium shall have the appropriate license.
- 1.8. RRS 90.3(e) applies with a time limit of 48 hours. This changes RRS 90.3e.
- 1.9. If there is a conflict between languages the text in the English language will take precedence.

2. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

- 2.1. The sailing instructions will be available at least 3 days before the start of the event, on the website
<https://www.noordlimburgmaas.be/nl/zeilwedstrijden>

3. COMMUNICATION

- 3.1. The official notice board is located at the window of the clubhouse.

4. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 4.1. The regatta is open to all boats of the International Dragon Class.
- 4.2. Eligible boats may enter at the online registration page.
<https://form.jotform.com/212505424103339>
- 4.3. To be considered an entry in the event, a boat shall complete all registration requirements and pay all fees.
- 4.4. Late entries will be accepted under the following conditions: Late entry fee: € 120,00.
- 4.5. Each sailor shall be current members of their National Class.



5. FEES

- 5.1. Required fees are as follows: € 100,00.
- 5.2. Other fees, late entry fee: € 120,00 (after 8th of October 2021, 23:59 hours)
- 5.3. Craning: € 30,00.

6. CREW LIMITATIONS

- 6.1. There shall not be more than 4 persons on board while racing. A boat shall compete with the same number of crew throughout the event.

7. ADVERTISING

- 7.1. Boats shall display advertising chosen and supplied by the organizing authority. See World Sailing Advertising Code 20.

8. SPARE

9. CHEDULE

9.1.

Day	Time	Event
Thursday 14th October	19:00 - 21:00	Regatta office open
	09:00 - 12:00 / 13:00 - 17:00	Craning
Friday 15th October	09:00 - 12:00	Regatta office open
	09:00 - 12:00	Craning
	11:30	President NLM Welcome Competitors briefing
	12:55	First Warning Signal of that day
Saturday 16th October	08:30 - 09:00	Regatta office open
	9:55	First Warning Signal of that day
	19:00	Captain's diner
Sunday 17th October	08:30 - 09:00	Regatta office open
	9:55	First Warning Signal of that day

- 9.2. When more than one race will be held on the same day, the warning signal for each succeeding race will be made as soon as practicable.
- 9.3. Number of races: Friday: max. of 3 races
Saturday: max. of 4 races
Sunday: max. of 3 races
- 9.4. On the last day of racing, no warning signal will be given after 14:55.



10. EQUIPMENT

- 10.1. Each boat shall produce a valid measurement certificate.
- 10.2. Boats may be inspected at any time.

11. SPARE

12. VENUE

- 12.1. The race office is located at the following address: Maasdijk 1 bus 4 – 3640 Ophoven/Kinrooi
- 12.2. Attachment A shows the location of the regatta office, clubhouse.
- 12.3. Attachment B shows the location of the racing area.

13. THE COURSES

- 13.1. The course to be sailed will be as follows:

<u>Class</u>	<u>Course</u>
Dragon	Windward - Leeward

14. SPARE

15. SCORING

- 15.1.3 Valid races are required to validate the championship.
- 15.2. When fewer than 5 races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores.
- 15.3. 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.

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21. DATA PROTECTION AND MEDIA RIGHTS

- 21.1. By entering this event, you allow the Organizing Authority to display your name, birthdate and the name, type and sail number of the registered boat on online and printed entry lists, positions during racing, results, articles in press and social media.
- 21.2. By entering this event, you allow the Organizing Authority and their sponsors the right in perpetuity to make, use and show, from time to time at their discretion, any motion pictures and live, taped or filmed television and other reproductions of the athlete during the period of the competition without compensation.



22. RISK STATEMENT

22.1. RRS3 states: 'The responsibility for a boat's decision to participate in a race or to continue to race is hers alone.' By participating in this event each competitor agrees and acknowledges that sailing is a potentially dangerous activity with inherent risks. These risks include strong winds and rough water, sudden changes in weather, failure of equipment, boat handling errors, poor seamanship by other boats, loss of balance on an unstable platform and fatigue resulting in increased risk of injury.

Inherent in the sport of sailing is the risk of permanent, catastrophic injury or death by drowning, hypothermia or other causes.

23. INSURANCE

23.1. Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum cover of € 1.500.000 per event or the equivalent.

24. PRIZES

24.1. There will be prizes for the podium places.

25. FURTHER INFORMATION

25.1. For further information about the city of Kinrooi, route, hotels, visit <https://www.noordlimburgmaas.be/nl/zeilwedstrijden>

25.2. Social events: Friday welcome drinks, Saturday gastronomic dinner. Details to be announced on the event website.



ATTACHEMENT B

