



## Open Dutch Championship and Coen Gülcher Memorial

Flying Dutchman Class  
And

## Coen Gülcher Memorial

Flying Junior Class

**organised by Koninklijke Watersport-Vereeniging 'Loosdrecht'**

under the auspices of the RNWA  
on the 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> of October 2021  
location: Loosdrechtse Plassen

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The notation '[NP]' in a rule means that a boat may not protest another boat for breaking that rule. This changes RRS 60.1(a).

### 1 RULES

- 1.1\* The event is governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS)* .  
The Prescriptions of the RNWA can be found at  
[http://www.sailing.org/documents/racingrules/national\\_prescriptions.php](http://www.sailing.org/documents/racingrules/national_prescriptions.php).
- 1.2\* The 'Rules for Championships Sailing, Windsurfing and Kiteboarding' (available at [reglement-voor-kampioenschappen-20191101-v5-docx.pdf \(watersportverbond.nl\)](http://www.watersportverbond.nl/reglement-voor-kampioenschappen-20191101-v5-docx.pdf)) will apply.
- 1.3 The sailing instructions may change other rules as well
- 1.4 Spare .
- 1.5 If there is a conflict between languages the text in the English language will take precedence.
- 1.6\* Every person on board who has his domicile in the Netherlands shall have the appropriate license.

### 2 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

- 2.1 The sailing instructions will be available at least 1 week before the starting date

### 3 COMMUNICATION

- 3.1 The Notice board will be in the hallway outside the race office.
- 3.2 While racing, except in an emergency, a boat shall not make voice or data transmissions and shall not receive voice or data communication that is not available to all boats.

### 4\* ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 4.1 The event is open to all boats of the FD and FJ classes.
- 4.2 Eligible boats are required to enter before October 3th 2021, the entry closing date, at the website ([www.KWVL.nl](http://www.KWVL.nl)).
- 4.3 Late entries will not be accepted.
- 4.4 To be considered an entry in the event, a boat shall complete all registration requirements and pay all fees.
- 4.7 The FD Open Dutch Championship and FD and FJ Coen Gülcher Regatta will be sailed in the same fleets.



## 5 FEES

5.1 Required fee must be paid during the registration by IDEAL. Required fees are as follows:

<i>Class</i>	<i>Fee</i>
Flying Dutchman	€ 30,00
Flying Junior	€ 30,00

## 6 CREW LIMITATIONS

6.1 The following crew limitations apply: *Change of crewmembers in the FD class is only allowed after written permission of the Race officer in charge.*

## 7 Spare

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## 9 SCHEDULE

9.1 Registration: Due to COVID-19 there will be no physical registration. Competitors that have entered for the event and will not attend are asked to send a 'no show' e-mail to [wedstrijden@kwvl.nl](mailto:wedstrijden@kwvl.nl).

9.2 Dates of racing:

*October 9th and 10th are racing days for both FD and FJ class.*

9.3 Number of races:

*There are 7 races scheduled for both classes.*

9.4 The scheduled time of the warning signal for the first race is 10.55 hrs on the first day and 9:55 hrs at the second day.

9.5 On the last day of the regatta no warning signal will be made after 15.00 hrs.

## 10 EQUIPMENT INSPECTION

10.1 Each boat shall produce or verify 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: Oud Loosdrechtsedijk 151, 1231 LT Loosdrecht. Phone: 035-5823363 or e-mail: [wedstrijden@kwvl.nl](mailto:wedstrijden@kwvl.nl).

12.2 Addendum A shows the location of the marina.

12.3 Addendum B shows the location of the racing areas.

## 13 COURSES

13.1 The courses will be published in the sailing instructions



## 14 SPARE

## 15 SCORING

15.1 The scoring system is as follows:

15.2\* Four races are required to be completed to constitute a championship.

15.3 For The **FD** Open Dutch Championship and **FJ** Coen Gülcher Memorial:

- (a) When fewer than 5 races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores.
- (b) When 6 or more races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score.

15.4 For The **FD** Coen Gülcher Memorial:

- (a) A boat's series score will be the total of her race scores.

## 16 SPARE

## 17 BERTHING

17.1 Boats shall be kept in their assigned places in the marina.

## 18 SPARE

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## 21 DATA PROTECTION

21.1 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.

## 22 RISK STATEMENT

22.1 RRS 3 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 seas, 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, trauma, hypothermia or other causes.

22.2 **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.**

## 23 INSURANCE

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

## 24\* PRIZES



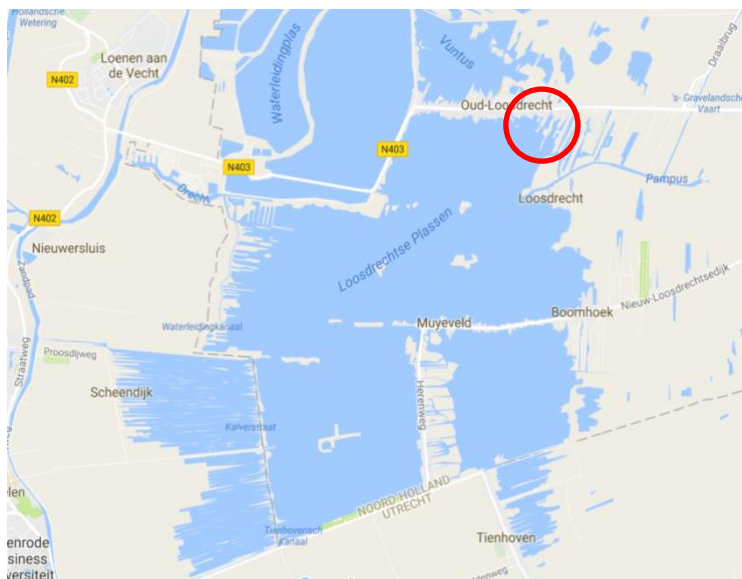
- 24.1** The crew of the winning boat for the FD Open Dutch Championship acquires the title "Dutch Champion"  
The RNWA supplies for the winning boat or team a blue pennant and a medal for every member of the crew of the first three boats or crews (there will be no extra medals available for changes in the crew during the championship).

For the FD end FJ Coen Gülcher there will be prizes available for the crew of the first three boats.

## 25 FURTHER INFORMATION

- 25.1** For further information please contact the KWVL via [wedstrijden@kwvl.nl](mailto:wedstrijden@kwvl.nl)

### Attachment A: the location of the harbor and Yacht Club



### Attachment B: the location of the racing area

