



Open Dutch Championship and Coen Gülcher Memorial

Flying Junior Class

And

Coen Gülcher Memorial

Flying Dutchman Class

organised by Koninklijke Watersport-Vereeniging 'Loosdrecht'

under the auspices of the RNWA

on the 22 and 23 October 2022

location: Loosdrechtse Plassen

Notice of Race

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.
- 1.2 The 'Rules for Championships Sailing, Windsurfing and Kiteboarding' (available at [reglement-voor-kampioenschappen-20191101-v5-docx.pdf \(watersportverbond.nl\)](#)) will apply.
- 1.3 The sailing instructions may change other rules as well
- 1.4 If there is a conflict between languages the text in the English language will take precedence.
- 1.5 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 2022, the entry closing date, at the website (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 FJ 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.R 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 FJ class is only allowed after written permission of the Race officer in charge.*

7 ADVERTISING (NOT APPLICABLE)

8 QUALIFYING SERIES AND FINAL SERIES (NOT APPLICABLE)

9 SCHEDULE

9.1 Registration:

The registration desk will be opened on Saturday 22 October from 08.30 hrs until 10.30 hrs.

9.2 Dates of racing:

October 22 and 23 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 CLOTHING AND EQUIPMENT (NOT APPLICABLE)

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.

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. The Triangle course will be used.

14 PENALTY SYSTEM (NOT APPLICABLE)



15 SCORING

- 15.1 Four races are required to be completed to constitute a championship.
- 15.2 (a) When fewer than 5 races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores.
(b) 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.
- 15.3 RRS 90.3(e) applies.

16 [DP] SUPPORT PERSON VESSELS

- 16.1 Support person vessels shall be marked with the sailnumbers of the supported boats.

17 CHARTERED OR LOANED BOATS (NOT APPLICABLE)

18 [DP] BERTHING

- 18.1 Boats shall be kept in their assigned places in the marina.

19 [DP] HAUL-OUT RESTRICTIONS (NOT APPLICABLE)

20 [DP] DIVING EQUIPMENT AND PLASTIC POOLS (NOT APPLICABLE)

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).

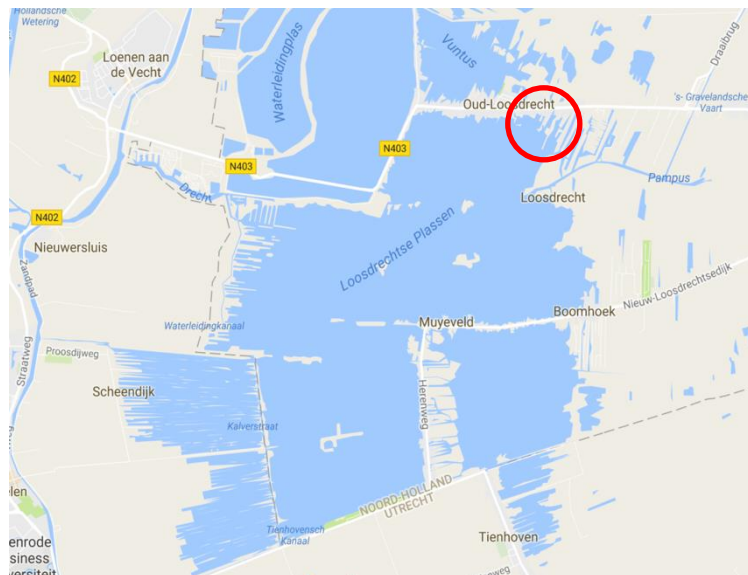
For the FD end FJ Coen Gülcher there will be prizes available for the crew of the first three boats.



25 FURTHER INFORMATION

25.1 For further information please contact the KWVL via wedstrijden@kwvl.nl

Attachment A: the location of the marina and Yacht Club



Attachment B: the location of the racing area

