



**NOTICE OF RACE**

**DIVISION II EUROPEAN CHAMPIONSHIPS**

**29th May to 2nd June 2019**

**Heegermeer, Friesland, Netherlands**

<https://wsheeg.nl/>

**Organized by:**

**WaterSportvereniging Heeg**

**An International Windsurfing Association sanctioned event**



## **1 RULES**

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- 1.1 The event will be governed by the rules as defined in [The Racing Rules of Sailing – Windsurfing Edition \(WCR\)](#).
- 1.2 The [Class Rules](#) shall apply.
- 1.3 The Championship is a [Level 2 Ranking event](#) with the coefficient of 2.
- 1.4 No national prescriptions will apply.
- 1.5 If there is a conflict between languages the English text will take precedence.
- 1.6 If there is a conflict between the Notice of Race and the Sailing Instructions, the Sailing Instructions will take precedence.

## **2 ADVERTISING**

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Boards may be required to display advertising chosen and supplied by the organizing authority.

## **3 CLASSES & DIVISIONS**

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- 3.1 **Gender Divisions** – Men and Women.
- 3.2 **Age Divisions:** a competitor may only be entered in one age division
  - 3.2.1 A Youth shall be under 25 years of age (born in 1995 or later).
  - 3.2.2 A Master shall be aged 25 to 40 years of age (born between 1994 and 1979)
  - 3.2.3 A Grand Master shall be aged 41 to 55 years of age (born between 1978 and 1964)
  - 3.2.4 A Veteran shall be aged 56 or older (born in 1963 or earlier).
- 3.3 Age as at 31<sup>st</sup> December 2019.
- 3.4 **D2EC – Sail Type divisions: A, B and C.** Weight and age divisions may also apply.
- 3.5 A minimum of 5 competitors is required to constitute a division.

## **4 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY**

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- 4.1 A competitor shall be a paid member of the ID2CA. Membership formalities may be completed on site.
- 4.2 **Eligible competitors** may [enter online](#) - credit/debit card or bank transfer payment required. On-line entry will close **22<sup>nd</sup> May 2019**.
- 4.3 An entry is not valid until paid.
- 4.4 The following shall be presented upon registration:
  - Evidence of valid third party insurance
  - Evidence of Full Owner (or Associate) Membership
  - Proof of age
  - [Parental Permission Form](#) - *for those under age of 18*
- 4.5 **Support personnel** may register onsite.

## **5 ENTRY FEES**

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- 5.1 The required entry fee is: 220 euro
- 5.2 Competitor entry fees paid by **30<sup>th</sup> April 2019** shall receive a 30 euro discount.
- 5.3 Late entries at registration shall incur late entry fee of 20 euro.
- 5.4 Entry fees paid at registration shall be paid in cash - Euros.
- 5.5 Entry fees paid by bank transfer to:  
Account Name: The International Windsurfing Association  
Bank Details: Barclays Bank Plc, GB

IBAN: GB93 BARC 2008 4452 9772 99

SWIFTBIC: BARCGB22

Please include "D2EC" in your payment advice and e-mail confirmation of payment to:  
[iwaoffice@internationalwindsurfing.com](mailto:iwaoffice@internationalwindsurfing.com)

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## 6 RACE FORMAT

- 6.1 The Championship shall be in the “*discipline -racing*”, and is “open entry”.
- 6.2 Men and women may race together, depending on entry numbers.
- 6.3 There shall be a maximum 4 races per day, in a maximum 12 race series.
- 6.4 Three races are required to validate the championship for each division.

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## 7 SCHEDULE

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Mon/Tue 27/28 May Wednesday 29 May	10:00 – 16:00  19:00	Arrival & training Registration & Equipment Inspection Opening ceremony
Thursday 30 May to Sunday 2 June	10:00 11:00	Skippers Meeting First possible warning signal
Sunday 2 June	16:00 18:00	Last possible warning signal Prize giving

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## 8 EQUIPMENT & EQUIPMENT INSPECTION

- 8.1 An [Equipment Registration Form](#) shall be completed and returned to the Event Equipment Inspectors by the close of registration.
- 8.2 Equipment shall be tagged to be eligible to race – check [Class Rules](#).
- 8.3 Equipment inspections may be made at any time during the event.
- 8.4 Upon completion of registration and until the end of the event, at all times when ashore except when launching and retrieving, all equipment shall be kept in their assigned places at event site. Removal of any equipment from the event site requires prior written approval from the race committee. Access to equipment in the storage area during certain hours, including hours of darkness may be restricted.

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## 9 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

The sailing instructions (SI's) will be available upon registration. Any changes to the SI's shall be approved by the Class Representative at the event.

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## 10 COURSES

Courses will be as described in the sailing instructions.

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## 11 INTERNATIONAL JURY

An International Jury may be appointed in accordance with WCR Appendix N. There shall be no appeal from their decisions in accordance with WCR 70.5.

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## 12 SCORING

Scoring will be according to the WCR Appendix A.

### **13 SUPPORT BOATS**

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Team and Support boat drivers shall register their boats upon registration at the Race Office. Each support boat shall prominently display an RC marked flag. The identification flags are mandatory and shall be supplied by the Organising Authority against payment of a refundable deposit of €20 paid in cash upon registration at the Race Office. No other individual team support boats shall be used. It is the intention of this provision that each sailor shall have a coach and a support boat on the course. If you require a coach boat you can contact [info@ribhuren.nl](mailto:info@ribhuren.nl)

### **14 SAFETY**

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Personal buoyancy is prescribed as mandatory for every competitor and support boat crewmember, who shall wear a personal flotation device that shall conform to the minimum standard of ISO 12402-5 (level 50), or as specified in the SI's.

### **15 PRIZES**

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- 15.1 Prizes will be awarded to the first 3 competitors of a properly constituted division.
- 15.2 The first man or woman in each **D2EC category** shall be known as the – **'2019 Division II (category) European Champion.'**
- 15.3 European titles shall only be awarded to competitors eligible to compete for a European nation.

### **16 OFFICIAL CEREMONIES**

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Competitors are requested to attend the event's social functions; however, the organising authority may refuse entry to those whose standard of attire is not commensurate with the occasion. **Prize winners may forfeit prizes for non attendance at the prize giving ceremony.**

### **17 DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY**

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Competitors participate in the event entirely at their own risk, see WCR 4 - Decision to Race. The organising authority or any of their officials or representatives or the sponsors or their officials or representatives will not accept any liability for material damage or personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with or prior to, during or after the event.

### **18 INSURANCE**

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Each participating board shall be insured with valid third party liability insurance with a minimum cover of €1,000,000 per event or the equivalent.

### **19 RIGHT TO USE NAME AND LIKENESS**

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In registering for the event, competitors automatically grant to the Organising Authority the right in perpetuity to make, use and show from time to time at their discretion, any motion pictures, still pictures and live, taped or filmed television and other reproduction of them, taken during the period of the event, for the said Event as defined in the Notice of Race and Sailing Instructions in which he/she participates without compensation.

## 20 FURTHER INFORMATION

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20.1 Registration will take place at the Race Office at:

**WaterSportvereniging Heeg** (Sailing Club Heeg, also called 'WSH')  
Pharshoeke 101, 8621 CW Heeg

- All participants must attend to the registration-desk in person.
  - o Please send an e-mail to [wedstrijdzaken@wsheeg.nl](mailto:wedstrijdzaken@wsheeg.nl) to make arrangements if you cannot show up at the registration in person.
- Participants participate at their own risk and will be requested to sign a declaration governing the assumption of risk, release and waiver of liability and indemnity at the registration desk.
- Each participant is individually responsible for their use of a personal flotation device adequate for the conditions.

20.2 For further information please contact: [wedstrijdzaken@wsheeg.nl](mailto:wedstrijdzaken@wsheeg.nl)

### ADDITIONAL INFORMATION SHEET

The following information is not part of the rules for the Event.

#### A EARLY ARRIVALS

Competitors arriving early are advised that support from the organizers can be arranged, if confirmed in advance, from 27<sup>th</sup> May 2019.

#### B PREVAILING CONDITIONS

Wind: 5-25 knots

Water temperature: 8-12 degrees C

Air temperature: 10-20 degrees C

#### D CAMPER VANS (AND TENTS)

Space is available subject to prior reservation\* at the facilities of:

- Passantenhaven Heegerwâl (next to the regatta centre)  
Pharshoeke 99, 8621 CW Heeg  
Tel. +31 (0)515 443753 and/or [info@heegerwal.nl](mailto:info@heegerwal.nl)
- <https://www.watersportcampingheeg.frl/en/> (1 km from the regatta centre)
- <https://campingheeg-lan-en-mar.business.site/> (2 km from the regatta centre)

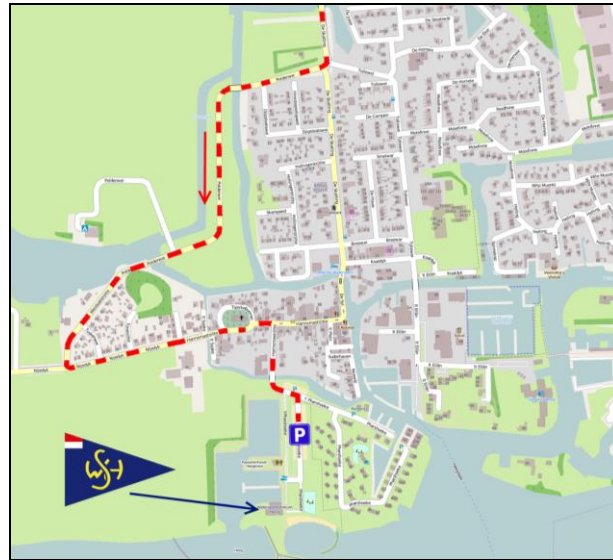
#### E ACCOMMODATION

May be found in the direct vicinity. Early booking is recommended:

- <https://en.pharshoeke.nl/> (holiday houses next to regatta centre)
- For other possibilities please use i.e. booking.com and search for location 'Heeg, Friesland'.

**F VENUE**

Location info: **Watersportvereniging Heeg** (Sailing Club Heeg),  
Pharshoeke 101, 8621 CW Heeg, the Netherlands



**G RACE AREA**

Races will take place at the Heegermeer in the designated area below:

