



**NOTICE OF RACE**  
**Open Dutch Championship**  
**RS 500 and RS Aero 7 2021**  
**And Class Championships Aero 5 and 9**

**organised by** Zeilclub Kurenpolder (ZCK) and Aquavitesse, in conjunction with the Dutch RS 500 Class Organisation and the Dutch RS Aero Class Organisation,  
under the auspices of the RNWA

September 18th and 19<sup>th</sup> 2021  
location: the Grevelingen of Bruinisse (Netherlands)

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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 ' will apply for all races of the Open Dutch Championship RS500 and RS Aero7. ([only available in Dutch](#)).
- 1.3 Spare
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- 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.
- 1.7 RRS Appendix T, Arbitration, applies.

## **2 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS**

- 2.1 The sailing instructions will be available after September 4<sup>th</sup> 2021 on the websites of the Class Organizations ([www.rs500.nl](http://www.rs500.nl) and [www.rsaero.nl](http://www.rsaero.nl)) and can be downloaded. The Sailing Instructions will also be available displayed on the notice board at the Regatta Office.

## **3 COMMUNICATION**

- 3.1 The online official notice board is located at:  
for RS500: [RS500.nl/onk-2021](http://RS500.nl/onk-2021)  
for RS Aero: [rsaero.nl](http://rsaero.nl)
- 3.2 [DP] 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 following classes:

- RS 500 Class (Open Dutch Championship)
- RS Aero 7 Class (Open Dutch Championship)
- RS Aero 5 and 9 (Class Championship)

4.2 Boats may enter the event by registration and payment online before August 22<sup>nd</sup> 2021 at the following websites:

RS 500 at website [www.rs500.nl](http://www.rs500.nl)

RS Aero at website [www.rsaero.nl](http://www.rsaero.nl).

Note: RS Aero boats cannot enter without specifying their rig, but this can be changed at the event registration. A competitor may not change rigs during the regatta.

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 (after August 21<sup>st</sup> 2021) may be accepted but an additional fee will be charged.

## 5 FEES

5.1 Entry fees are as follows:

*Class*                      *Fee*                      *Late entry add:*

- RS 500:                      € 85 per boat.      € 25 per boat

- RS Aero:                      € 70 per boat.      € 20 per boat

5.2 Entries on Saturday September 18<sup>th</sup> 2021 may be accepted but an additional charge of €50 will apply. The date of payment determines the entry fee amount, not the entry date!

## 6 SPARE

## 7 ADVERTISING

7.1 Advertising is permitted in accordance with class rules.

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

## 8 SPARE

## 9 SCHEDULE

9.1 Registration:

Date	From	To
<b>Friday September 17 2021</b>	<b>18:30</b>	<b>20:00</b>
<b>Saturday September 18 2021</b>	<b>08:00</b>	<b>08:45</b>

Each boat shall confirm its entry at the regatta office before Saturday September 18<sup>th</sup> 08:45h

9.2 Equipment inspection and event measurement may be done at registration.

9.3 Dates of racing:

9.3.1 Saturday September 18<sup>th</sup> 2021 the scheduled time of the warning signal for the first race is 10:55 h, 4 races are scheduled (back to back).

9.3..2 Sunday September 19<sup>th</sup> 2021 the scheduled time of the warning signal for the first race is 9:55 h, 4 races are scheduled (back to back).

9.4 A full starting schedule will be included in the Sailing Instructions. Each day succeeding races will be started as soon as practicable after the finish of the previous race. On both race days there will be no break ashore between races.



**9.5** On the last day of the regatta no warning signal will be made after 15:00 h

## **10 EQUIPMENT INSPECTION**

**10.1** A boat or equipment may be inspected at any time for compliance with the class rules and sailing instructions. On the water, a boat, can be instructed by the Race Committee to proceed immediately to a designated area for inspection.

**10.2** [DP] Boats shall also comply with RRS 78.1 when presented for inspection

## **11 CLOTHING AND EQUIPMENT**

**11.1** Boats may be required to carry cameras and/or tracking equipment as specified by the Organizing Authority.

## **12 VENUE**

**12.1** The race office is located at the following address:  
Aquavitesse, Jachthaven Bruinisse  
Jachthavenweg 74  
4311 NC Bruinisse The Netherlands  
Phone: +31(0)111 482 039

**12.2** NoR Addendum A shows a map of the event venue.

**12.3** NoR Addendum B shows the location of the racing area. The races will be held at the Grevelingen of Bruinisse (Netherlands).

## **13 COURSES**

**13.1** The courses to be sailed will be Trapezoid Courses. They will be described in detail in the Sailing Instructions.

## **14 SPARE**

## **15 SCORING**

### **15.1 Spare**

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

**15.3** (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

**15.4** RRS 90.3(e) applies.



## 16 [DP] SUPPORT PERSON VESSELS

- 16.1 Support person vessels shall comply with local and event regulations.
- 16.2 Kill cords shall be worn whilst engines are running.
- 16.3 Support boats are required to register at the Regatta Office. The Bruinisse Marina mooring fee (incl. usage of launching site) of € 16,50 will have to be paid at registration.

## 17 CHARTERED OR LOANED BOATS

- 17.1 A chartered or loaned boat may carry national letters or a sail number in contravention of her class rules, provided that the race committee has approved her sail identification before the first race.
- 17.2 RS 500: a limited number of charter boats may be available. For further information please contact **Aquavitesse** at [info@aquavitesse.nl](mailto:info@aquavitesse.nl)  
RS Aero: a limited number of charter boats may be available. For further information please contact **Aquavitesse** at [info@aquavitesse.nl](mailto:info@aquavitesse.nl)

## 18 [DP] BERTHING

- 18.1 Boats shall be kept in their assigned places in the boat park while ashore, unless instructed otherwise.

## 19 SPARE

## 20 SPARE

## 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 For RS500 and RSAero7, 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 event).

For RSAero 5 and 9 prizes will be given to the first 3 boats.



## 25 FURTHER INFORMATION

### 25.1 RS 500 Class:

For further information be advised to follow the websites of the Dutch Class Organization ([www.rs500.nl](http://www.rs500.nl)).

### RS Aero Class:

For further information be advised to follow the websites of the Dutch Class Organization ([www.rsaero.nl](http://www.rsaero.nl)).

**Addendum A: the event venue**

**Addendum B: the location of the racing area**

## Addendum A - the event venue

**Aquavitesse BV**  
Jachthaven Bruinisse  
Jachthavenweg 74  
Bruinisse-Netherlands  
Info@aquavitesse.nl



### Route to Aquavitesse:

For setting the navigation system, this is the address:

Location: Bruinisse

Address: Jachthavenweg 74

Netherlands

Region Zeeland, municipality Schouwen Duiveland

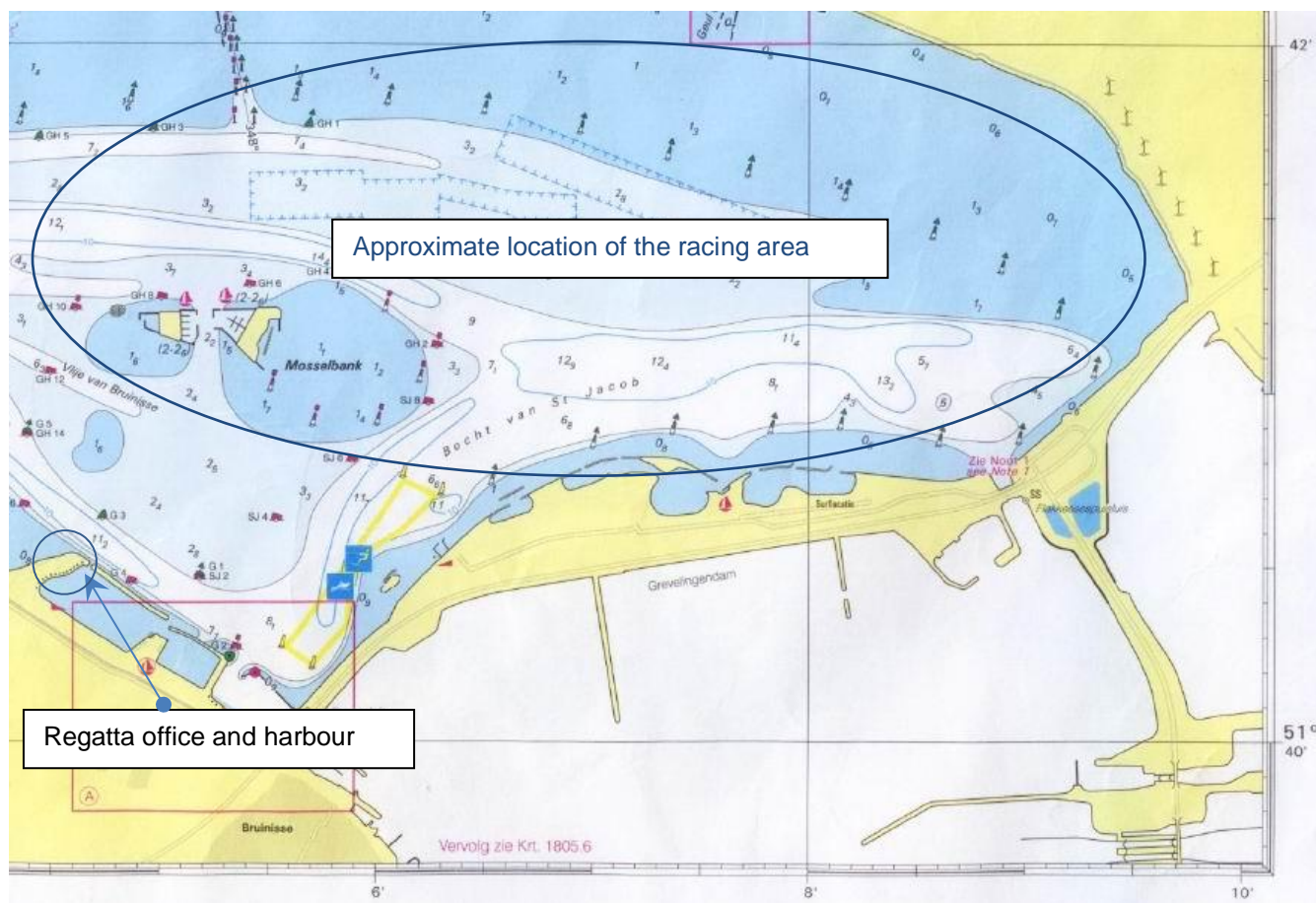
#### From Rotterdam/Bergen Zoom/A29:

- Follow the A29 to Zierikzee
- Take the exit at junction Hellegatsplein to Zierikzee N59
- After 24 km turn right at the roundabout towards Aquadelta / Marina Bruinisse
- Drive straight ahead at the end of the road, cross straight over the crossroads, the road directly goes left over the dike to the marina
- From here you find the signs Aquavitesse
- After driving between the big red and green buoy, turn left
- Follow the road until the end, here is a public car park where you can park
- From there you can walk directly to the Reception of Aquavitesse

#### From Goes/Zierikzee:

- Follow the N59 towards Rotterdam
- Take the left exit on the roundabout towards Aquadelta / Marina Bruinisse
- Drive straight ahead at the end of the road, cross straight over the crossroads, the road directly goes left over the dike to the marina
- From here you find the signs Aquavitesse
- After driving between the big red and green buoy, turn left
- Follow the road until the end, here is a public car park where you can park
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## Addendum B – the location of the racing area



This chart is not suitable for navigation. Positions of buoys may be incorrect.