

SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

1 RULES

The regatta will be governed by the *rules* as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing World Sailing*, rules PYA, class rules, notification about the regatta and this Instruction.

2 NOTICES TO COMPETITORS

Announcements for competitors will be on the official website of the regatta:

<https://www.upwind24.pl/regatta/mistrzostwa-europy-wsch-pzks-w-kl-snipe-2023-2023>

it is allowed to place it on the notice board in front of the regatta office located at PKM LOK.

3. CHANGES TO SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

Any change to the sailing instructions will be posted before 09,00 on the day it will take effect, except that any change to the schedule of races will be posted by 18.00 on the day before it will take effect.

4 SIGNALS MADE ASHORE

4.1 Signals made ashore will be displayed on the vessel anchored in PKM LOK.

5 SCHEDULE OF RACES

Dates of racing:

Friday 28.07.2023 opening ceremony of the regatta at 10.30

Friday 28.07.2023 Warning signal at 11:25 then according to the announcements of the race committee

Saturday 29.07.2023 Warning signal at 10:55 then according to the announcements of the race committee

Sunday 30.07.2023 Warning signal at 10:55 then according to the announcements of the race committee

Sunday 30.07.2023 ceremonial end of the regatta around 3 p.m

5.1. An orange flag will be displayed to indicate that the race will start at least 5 minutes before the warning signal

5.2 6 races are scheduled.

5.2 On the last day of the regatta no warning signal will be made after 13.00.

6 CLASS FLAGS

Class flags will be the white flag with class logo on it.

7 THE COURSES

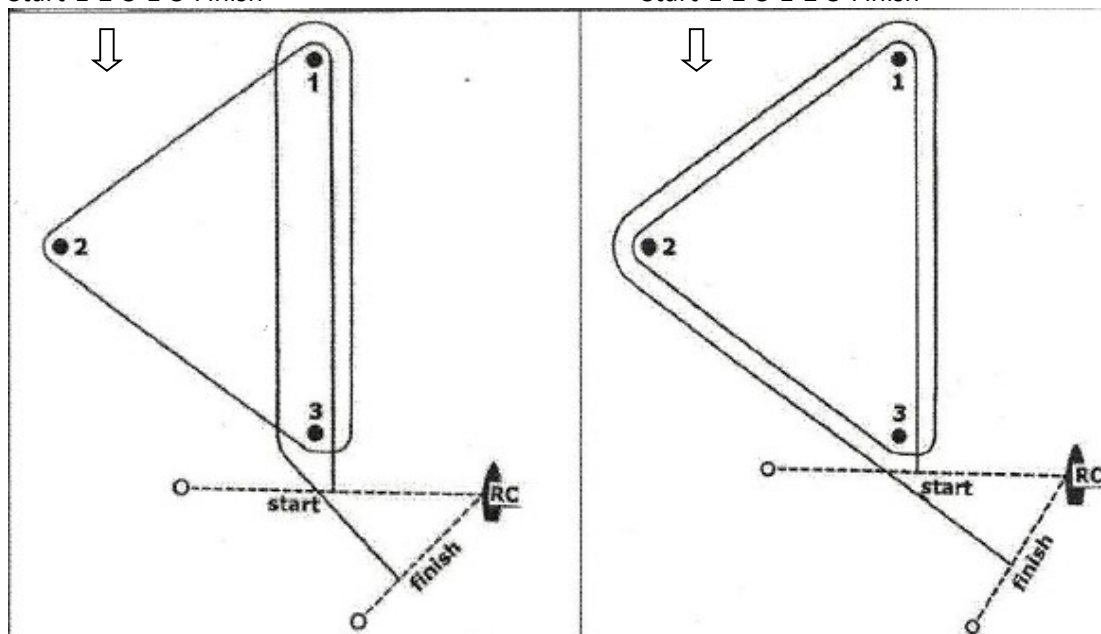
7.1 The diagrams bellow show the courses, including the approximate angles between legs, the order in which marks are to be passed:

Course 1 – flag nr 1 International Signal Code

Start-1-2-3-1-3-Finish

Course 2 - flag nr 2 International Signal Code

Start-1-2-3-1-2-3-Finish

**8 MARKS**

8.1 Orange marks 1, 2, 3, substitute mark.

9 THE START

9.1 An orange flag will be displayed to indicate that the race will start at least 5 minutes before the warning signal

9.2. Take off according to the recipe 26.

9.3. The starting line will be between orange triangle on the RC boat at the starboard end and the red flag at the port the starting mark.

9.4 A boat starting later than 4 minutes after her starting signal will be scored Did Not Start without a hearing. This changes rule A4 and A5.

10 THE FINISH

10.1 Course 1, 2: the finish line will be between on blue flag on a Race Committee boat and the finish mark blue flag.

10.2 The finish line is open for thirty minutes.

11 PENALTY SYSTEM

Appendix P will apply.

Appendix T will apply

12 PROTESTS AND REQUESTS FOR REDRESS

12.1 Protest forms are available at the race office, located at PKM LOK. Protests and requests for redress or reopening shall be delivered there within the appropriate time limit.

12.2 The protest time limit is 60 minutes after the last boat has finished the last race of the day, last day of regattas protest time restrains to 30 minutes.

12.3 Notices will be posted no later than 20 minutes after the protest time limit to inform competitors of hearings in which they are parties or named as witnesses.

12.4 Notices of protests by the race committee or protest committee will be posted to inform boats under rule 61.1(b).

12.5 A list of boats that, under instruction 13, have been penalized for breaking rule 42 will be posted.

12.6 On the last scheduled day of racing a request for reopening a hearing shall be delivered

(a) within the protest time limit if the requesting party was informed of the decision on the previous day;

(b) no later than 20 minutes after the requesting party was informed of the decision on that day.

This changes rule 66.

12.7. Protests at the regatta office.

13 SCORING

13.1 Three races are required to be completed to constitute a series.

13.2 When from 5 to 6 races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score.

14 SAFETY REGULATIONS

A boat that retires from a race shall notify the race committee as soon as possible.

15 REPLACEMENT OF CREW OR EQUIPMENT

15.1 Substitution of competitors will not be allowed without prior written approval of the protest committee.

15.2 Substitution of damaged or lost equipment will not be allowed unless authorized by the protest committee.

Requests for substitution shall be made to the committee at the first reasonable opportunity.

16 EQUIPMENT AND MEASUREMENT CHECKS

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 a race committee equipment inspector or measurer to proceed immediately to a designated area for inspection.

17 ADVERTISING

19.1. The Code of Advertising promulgated by WS reg. 20.

19.2. Boats shall display advertising supplied by the organizing authority if necessary.

18 OFFICIAL BOATS

Official boats will be marked as follows:

a) Race committee boats flags „RC”.

b) Protest committee boats flags „J”.

19 SUPPORT BOATS

Team leaders, coaches and other support personnel shall stay outside areas where boats are racing from the time of the preparatory signal for the first class to start until all boats have finished or retired or the race committee signals a postponement, general recall or abandonment.

20 INSURANCE

Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance.

21. RESPONSIBILITY

Competitors participate in the regatta at their own risk. rule 3. the organizer is not responsible for any damage to the equipment in connection with the regatta.

Principal Race Officer

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