



ETON

Archipelago Race

SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

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The Royal Swedish Yacht Club

Sailing Instructions (SI)

ETON Archipelago Race 2025

Date : June 27, 2025

Location: Saltsjöbaden, Sweden

Class: Swedish Rating System (SRS) & ORCi with Gotland Runt Rating

Open for: Boats participating in Gotland Runt or by invitation

Organizing authority: The Royal Swedish Yacht Club, KSSS

1. Changes to the Sailing Instructions

- 1.1 Any change to the sailing instructions will be posted on the official noticeboard not later than one hour before the warning signal of the first starting boat in the race.

2. Changes to the Sailing Instructions

- 2.1 On the water, the race committee intends to monitor and communicate with competitors on VHF radio channel 72.
- 2.2 There will be a WhatsApp group for additional information.
Link to be published on ONB.

3. The Start

- 3.1 Time for the first warning signal is 10:25CET.
- 3.2 We will sail in accordance with the Pursuit Starting System/Jaktstart.
- 3.3 Starting groups, starting order, starting flag, starting area, will be published at the ONB June 26th, 20:00CET
- 3.4 RRS 26 is changed as follows:

Minutes before starting signal	Visual signal displayed	Visual signal removed	Sound	Meaning
10+	Orange		One	Attention
6	Group flag		No	Group to start
5	White flag with number 5		One	Warning signal
4	Blue flag with number 4	White flag with number 5	One	Preparatory signal
3	White flag with number 3	Blue flag with number 4	One	Three minutes
2	White flag with number 2	White flag with number 3	One	Two minutes
1	Yellow flag with number 1	White flag with number 2	One long	One minute
0		Yellow flag with number 1	One	Start signal
+1		Class flag	No	

- 3.5 The preparatory signal for each boat is four minutes before the boat's assigned starting time
- 3.6 RRS 29 is deleted. The race committee will try to call the sail number on a boat that has started early, on VHF channel 72. Any omission by the race committee is not grounds for redress. This changes RRS 61.4(b)(1).
- 3.7 A boat starting more than five minutes after the last group's assigned starting time will be scored as did not start (DNS)

4. The course

- 4.1 The race committee prepares two starting areas, see appendix A.
- 4.2 The starting line is between a staff displaying an orange flag on the race committee vessel and the course side of the starting mark. The starting mark is a blue robot mark labeled ETON.
- 4.3 The course has the following positions. Positions in latitude and longitude (WGS84 DDM) are approximate.
Starting area 1, S Ingarö Björkudden 59° 16.158' N 18° 23.054' E

Starting area 2, S Klacknäsgrynnan	59° 12.400' N 18° 31.600'
Green mark next to lighthouse Kofotsgrund, to SB	59° 13.082' N 18° 36.766' E
Lateral mark, N Käckskär, to SB	59° 13.373' N 18° 42.975' E
Island Aspön to Port	59° 12.930' N 18° 45.292' E
Island Kullskär to SB	59° 13.954' N 18° 48.659' E

The course length is 22NM. You can also find an overview in appendix A.

- 4.4 The finishing line is located SW of Skanskobb 59°16.897'N 18°56.254'E and is marked by two blue flags mark labeled ETON.
- 4.5 A boat that does not finish before 17.00CET will be scored Did Not Finish (DNF). This changes RRS 35.

5. Reporting

- 5.1 A boat that does not start or retire from the race shall inform the race committee as soon as possible on telephone +46 (0)703065157 or by e-mail raceoffice@ksss.se

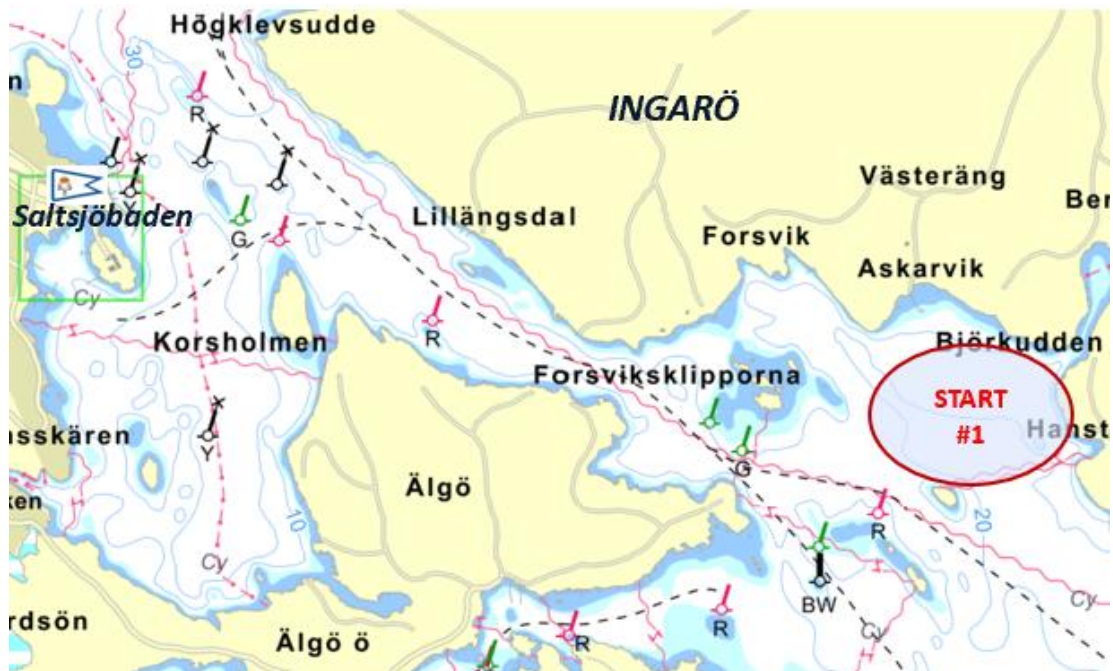
6. Protests and requests for hearings

- 6.1 When the display of a red flag is required for a valid protest, the flag shall be displayed minimum 1 hour after the incident. No need to continue to be displayed after the protesting boat has notified or tried to notify the other boat. Aim to display the protest flag when you finish. This changes RRS 60.2(a).
- 6.2 RRS 60.2(a) is changed so that a boat shall also try to inform the other boat of its intention to protest by VHF radio channel 72.
- 6.3 Protests or requests for redress shall be written on the hearing request form and following the instructions available on the ONB.
- 6.4 The protest time limit is 60 minutes after the protestor's finish.
- 6.5 Protests received will be published on the ONB. The time and place for hearings will be e-mailed to the parties and posted on the ONB. It is the responsibility of each boat to read the ONB at these times and comply with any call for a protest hearing.

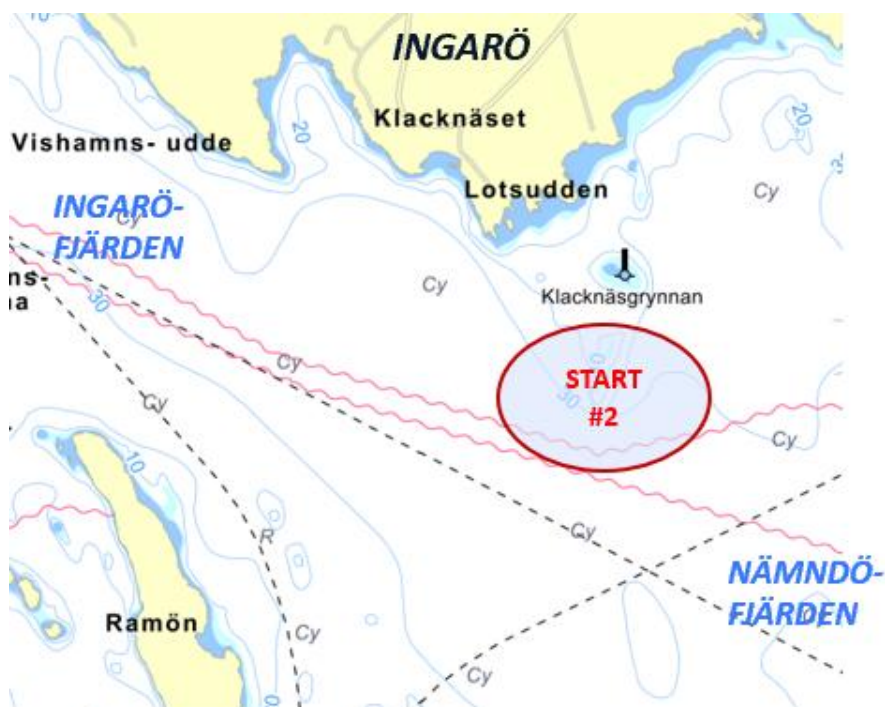
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APPENDIX A

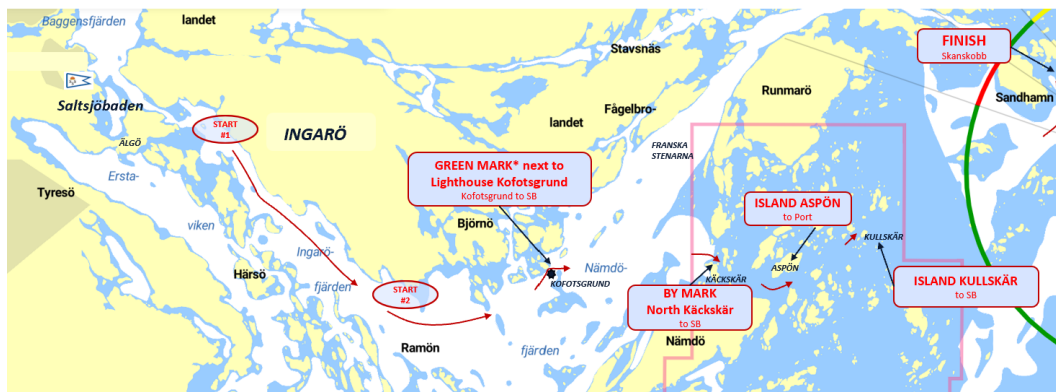
Start area 1



Start area 2



The course, overview



The course, close up



Finish

