



Finn World Masters 2025

Medemblik, The Netherlands

13 June – 20 June

Notice of Race Part 1

(to be read in conjunction with the Notice of Race Part 2 and Sailing Instructions Part 1)

1. Organising Authority and Venue

- 1.1 The 2025 Finn World Masters will be held from 13 June-20 June in Medemblik, The Netherlands
- 1.2 The Organising Authority is the Royal Yacht Club Hollandia in conjunction with the Dutch Finn Association (FCH), and in association with the International Finn Masters Committee (IFMC).
- 1.3 The venue is located at Vooroever 3, 1671 SG Medemblik, The Netherlands.

2. Rules

- 2.1 The event is governed by:
 - 2.1.1 The rules as defined in the Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS).
 - 2.1.2 The Notice of Race Part 2 and Sailing Instructions Part 1 (See also: <https://finnclass.org/event-page/event-documents>), which includes eligibility criteria, the event format, requirements for certificates, courses, scoring, support vessel regulations, data protection, insurance, prizes and the risk statement.
 - 2.1.3 [SP] [DP] The event Equipment Regulations
- 2.2 Boats may be required to display advertising and bow numbers chosen by the OA.
- 2.3 No national authority prescriptions will apply.

3. Communications

- 3.1 The event official notice board will be online at <https://www.manage2sail.com/en-US/event/FWM2025#!/>
- 3.2 The event Whatsapp groups will be described in the Sailing Instructions Part 2. Until then, all communication will be through the event website at www.fwm2025.com.

4. Eligibility and Entry

- 4.1 Entries shall be submitted online at <https://www.manage2sail.com/en-US/event/FWM2025#!/> prior to 1 May 2025, unless extended by the Organising Authority.
- 4.2 The Entry Fee is EUR 395 and shall be paid in full by the entry deadline, as detailed on the entry form. This includes a non-refundable fee of EUR 40, which the Organising Authority shall forward to the International Finn Class. Late entries may be accepted, but with a EUR 100 surcharge (EUR 495). Competitors who entered and paid prior to 1 February 2025 will be entered in to a raffle for 50% discount on the entry fee or for a special FWM2025 sweater.
- 4.3 **NOTE: Completing an entry form shall be considered a contractual obligation to the pay the entry fee, subject to the Finn Class cancellation conditions. After completing the Entry Form the competitor agrees to pay the Entry Fee as defined in this Notice of Race. No shows without notification or late cancellation will be expected to pay before any entry will be accepted at International Masters Championships in future years. Reminders to pay may not be sent.**
- 4.4 Support vessels will be required to register at: <https://www.manage2sail.com/en-US/event/FWM2025#!/> until 1 June 2025, be insured, identify the boats they are supporting, and comply with local regulations to be permitted to use launching and berthing at the venue. Registered support vessels shall act as rescue boats in case of need. Payment of €100 is required before the start of the event on the bank account as stated in <https://www.manage2sail.com/en-US/event/FWM2025#!/>
- 4.5 Partners or others accompanying may attend the Finn Dinner on Wednesday plus the happy hours after sailing at a total cost of EUR 50. Registration and payment to the event bank account is required at: <https://www.manage2sail.com/en-US/event/FWM2025#!/>

5. Event Schedule

- 5.1 The event schedule may be changed with the approval of the IFMC and will be specified in the Sailing Instructions, however, the days allocated for racing will not be changed.



Date	Event	Time	Location
Friday 13 June	Equipment Inspection / Registration	09:00-18:00	
Saturday 14 June	Equipment Inspection / Registration	09:00-18:00	
Sunday 15 June	Equipment Inspection / Registration Competitor's Meeting Practice Race (1 race scheduled) Opening Ceremony	09:00-16:00 11:00 14:00 19:00	
Monday 16 June	Racing (2 races scheduled) First Warning signal	12:00	
Tuesday 17 June	Racing (2 races scheduled) First Warning Signal	12:00	
Wednesday 18 June	Annual Masters Meeting Racing (1 race scheduled) First Warning Signal Official Dinner	09:00 13:30 20:00	
Thursday 19 June	Racing (2 races scheduled) First Warning Signal	12:00	
Friday 20 June	Racing (1 race scheduled) Closing Ceremony & Prizegiving	12:00 ASAP	

6. Schedule of Races and Attendance at Ceremonies

- 6.1 No warning signal will be made after 15:00 hours on 20 June.
- 6.2 Racing will be carried out in 4 fleets unless the Sailing Instructions specify otherwise.

7. International Jury

- 7.1 An International Jury will be appointed in accordance with RRS Appendix N.
- 7.2 Decisions of the International Jury will be final as provided in RRS 70.3.

8. Sailing Instructions

- 8.1 The Sailing Instructions (SI) should be available on the official race website before 6 June 2025.

9. Racing Area

- 9.1 The intended racing areas are shown in Attachment A.

Further Information

Until the Race Office at the venue is opened, the Organising Committee can be reached as follows:
 Event website (including information on accommodation and camper vans): www.FWM2025.com
 Official race website: <https://www.manage2sail.com/en-US/event/FWM2025#!/>
 Finn Class website: www.finnclass.org • Finn Class: Robert Deaves, office@finnclass.org

ATTACHMENT A.

On arrival competitors should follow the road signs to the Regatta Center rather than entering the City of Medemblik.

