



RYC Hollandia

2012 Medemblik Trophy for the Kielzugvogel class

6, 7 and 8 July 2012

Medemblik

NOTICE OF RACE

VENUE

The Royal Yacht Club Hollandia takes pleasure in inviting you to participate in the 2012 Medemblik Trophy for the Kielzugvogel class, which will be held from 6-8 July 2012 inclusive, and will be sailed on the IJsselmeer off Medemblik, the Netherlands.

The Organizing Authority is the Royal Yacht Club Hollandia.

1 RULES

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing*.
- 1.2 No national authority prescriptions will apply.
- 1.3 The Sailing Instructions may contain minor changes to the Rules
- 1.4 **The ranking factor for the German ranking is 1.45.**
- 1.5 If there is a conflict between languages the English text will take precedence.

2 ADVERTISING

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

3 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 3.1 The regatta is open to all boats of the Kielzugvogel class
3.2 Eligible boats may enter by registration with the Organizing Authority. Entries shall be made on the website: www.ryc-hollandia.org by 22 June 2012
3.3 Entry fees must be paid in cash upon registration.

4 FEES

Required fees are as follows:

| <u>Class</u> | <u>Fees</u> |
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| Kielzugvogel | € 75 (crane included) |

5 QUALIFYING SERIES AND FINAL SERIES

The regatta will consist of a single series.

6 SCHEDULE OF RACES AND EVENTS

| Day/Date | Time | Race/event |
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| Friday 6 July | 08.30 | Registration |
| | 12.00 | Warning Signal Race 1 |
| | asap | Warning Signal Race 2 |
| Saturday 7 July | 10.30 | Warning Signal Race 3 |
| | asap | Warning Signal Race 4 |
| | asap | Warning Signal Race 5 |
| Sunday 8 July | 10.30 | Warning Signal race 6 |
| a.s.a.p. = races will start as soon as practicable at the discretion of the RC No warning signal will be given after 15.30 on Sunday 8 July. | | |

7 MEASUREMENTS

Each boat shall produce a valid measurement certificate.

8 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

The sailing instructions will be available after 0830 on 6 July at the regatta office located in the International Sailing Center.

9 VENUE

- 9.1 Attachment A shows the location of the regatta harbour.
- 9.2 Attachment B shows the location of the racing areas.

10 THE COURSES

- 10.1 The courses to be sailed will be as follows: 'Olympic' triangle course
- 10.2 The length of the course will be set to meet a target time of approximately 60 minutes for the first boat in each race to finish.
- 10.3 The time limit will be 90 minutes.

11 SCORING

- 11.1 Six races are scheduled, of which four races shall be completed to constitute a valid Regatta.
- 11.2 (a) When fewer than five races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores.
(b) When five to six races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score.

12 BERTHING

Boats shall be kept in their assigned places in the harbour.

13 HAUL-OUT RESTRICTIONS

Boats shall not be hauled out during the regatta except with and according to the terms of prior written permission of the race committee.

14 DIVING EQUIPMENT AND PLASTIC POOLS

Underwater breathing apparatus and plastic pools or their equivalent shall not be used around keelboats between the preparatory signal of the first race and the end of the regatta.

15 RADIO COMMUNICATION

Except in an emergency, a boat shall neither make radio transmissions while racing nor receive radio communications not available to all boats. This restriction also applies to mobile telephones.

16 PRIZES

- 16.1 Prizes will be given as follows: One series prize for helmsman and crew per 6 boats entered in time.
- 16.2 The following perpetual prizes will be awarded:
 - Medemblik Trophy, a perpetual trophy for the helmsman of the first boat in the series
 - Hollandia Uhr, perpetual trophy

Sonderpreis, perpetual trophy for the crew who had to make the longest trip to come to Medemblik (the place where the helmsman lives)

17 DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See rule 4, Decision to Race. 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.

18 INSURANCE

Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum cover of € 1.500.000 per event or the equivalent.

19 REGATTA OFFICE

The regatta office inside the ISCM will be open for registration from Friday 6 July 08.30 hours.

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| Address: | Harbor: |
| Regatta Office ISCM | Regatta Center Medemblik |
| Vooroever 1 1671 SG Medemblik | |
| Phone +31 (0)227-570 305 Fax +31 (0)227-570 345 | Please note: these numbers will only be monitored during the regatta. |

Medemblik is a medieval town with some very small roads. So If you are arriving with a boat, please start following the white road signs to the recreation site “Vooroever” (later on follow: harbor “Regatta Center Medemblik”) before entering the town of Medemblik.

20 TRAILER PARKING, DOCKING AND CARS

All participants shall park their boats and road-trailers on the premises of the harbour Regatta Center Medemblik. Cars shall be parked in the designated parking areas near the Regatta Office. No cars are allowed at the dinghy park. Please follow the beach master’s and the harbour master’s instructions at all times.

21 HOUSING AND CAMPERS/CARAVANS

Regulations in the Netherlands prohibit sleeping in campers and caravans parked along public roads or in public car parks.

On the designated area on the premises of the harbor RCM campers sleeping in caravans, tents or campers is allowed, provided a fee of € 3.00 per person per night (tourists tax) will be paid to the City of Medemblik. The fee is payable at the regatta office upon registration.

22 ACCOMODATION

Competitors shall make their own housing arrangements. Accommodation can be found through the website www.vvmedemblik.nl.

23 SOCIAL EVENTS

Friday 5 July after the races free drinks at Café Brakeboer on behalf of the Royal Yacht Club Hollandia.

24 FURTHER INFORMATION

For further information visit: www.ryc-hollandia.org

ATTACHMENT B

APPROXIMATE POSITION RACE AREA

Harbor (Regatta Center) – Racing Area (midpoint)

Distance: approx. 2, 0 NM

Compass bearing: approx. 060°

