

Supplementary Sailing Instructions

Stockholm Archipelago Raid 2023

Dates: 23rd to 27th August 2023

Location: Saltsjöbaden/Stockholm, Sweden

Boatclass: Formula 18

Organizing authority:

The Swedish F18 Association in cooperation with The Royal Swedish Yacht Club

1. Location of the race office and of the flagpole

- 1.1 Notices to competitors will be posted on the official notice board located at <https://www.stockholmarchipelagoraid.com/official-notice-board-2023/>
- 1.2 The regatta office is located at the KSSS club house, Saltsjöbaden. After the first start, the Race Office will follow the boats and be represented by the Race Officer.
- 1.3 Signals made ashore will be displayed at the flag pole on board the Race Committee starting vessel moored in the harbour of the base camp.
- 1.4 When flag AP is displayed ashore, '1 minute' is replaced with 'not less than 60 minutes' in RRS Race Signals.

2. Time schedule

2.1 Wednesday 23rd of August, KSSS at Saltsjöbaden

15.00 – 18.00 Registration, measurement, and safety inspection
18.30 Welcome gathering
19.00 Team briefing

Thursday 24th of August

~ 10.00 Start 2 legs
Dinner and accommodation at *Rånö*

Friday 25th of August

2 or 3 legs
Dinner and accommodation at *Lökholmen, Sandhamn*

Saturday 26th of August

2 or 3 legs
Dinner and accommodation at *Lökholmen, Sandhamn*

Sunday 27th of August

~ 8.00 Start 2 legs

The Race Committee will plan for finish at 16.00 at KSSS Saltsjöbaden. Price giving ceremony approx. 30 minutes after last boat finish (or later pending protests).

2.2 The race committee reserves the right to modify the program above according to weather conditions and/or other unforeseen reasons.

3. Marks and check points (CP)

3.1 The rounding/passing marks are: either of existing navigational, hydrographical and/or orange buoy. Positions in latitude and longitude (WGS84 DDM) are approximate.

3.2 The start line is between a race committee vessel with orange flag and an orange buoy at the end of the line.

3.3 The finish can take place in two ways. Which one is announced at the start of each leg

- a) On the water: The finish line is between two orange buoys on the water.
- b) On land: The finish is at a Stockholm Archipelago Raid beach flag marking a signal horn. The boat has finished the leg when one of the crew members has sounded the horn.




4. Time limits

4.1 There are no time limits, but the Race Committee may decide to shorten a leg at any time for any reason by deleting one or more check points. Boats will be informed orally, via VHF or on an information board (white board) as they round a Check Point. The finish line may be moved to a check point.

5. Changes and additions to RRS appendix S

5.1 Any change to the sailing instructions will be posted not later than 1 hour before the warning signal on the day it will take effect. This changes RRS Appendix S 3.1.

5.2 RRS 26 is changed as follows:

Minutes before the start	Visual signal	Sound signal	Means
5	Class flag or I, U, black	One	Attention
3	Flag number 3 is shown 	One	Warning signal
2	Flag number 3 is removed and flag number 2 is shown 	One	Preparatory signal
1	Flag number 2 is removed and flag number 1 is shown 	One long	One minute
0	Flag number 1 and other flags are removed	One	Starting signal

The class flag is a white flag with the F18 insignia.



5.3 RRS Appendix S 10.1 is deleted. See item 4.1.

5.4 The courses with check points for each day will be described in a team briefing each race day.

5.5 The Race Committee will try to inform all competitors on VHF channel 71 regarding starting times, boats failing to start correctly, any course changes etc. Failure to make a broadcast or to time it accurately will not be grounds for a request for redress. This changes RRS 62.1(a).

5.6 The protest time limit is 60 minutes after the last boat finishes the last race of the day or the race committee signals no more racing today, whichever is later. Forms for protests and request for hearings are available on the Race Committee vessel, and shall be filed at the race office or sent to the Race Committee on +46(0)70-7344254. This changes RRS Appendix S 13.1.

5.7 The person in charge of a boat retiring from the race shall and is obliged to notify the Race Officer. immediately upon retirement by phone number +46(0)70-7344254

5.8 A boat not starting shall inform the Race Office without delay.

Date: 22 August 2023, Hans Holm Race Officer