



MARBLEHEAD TROPHY

20 – 23 July 2019 – SAINT PETERSBURG – RUSSIA

NOTICE OF RACE

1. ORGANISING AUTHORITY

Marblehead Trophy, is organized by Yacht Club de Cannes in cooperation with the St. Petersburg Yacht Club and Russian Dragon Association (RDA).

2. RULES

- 2.1 The Marblehead Trophy shall be governed by the current RRS, the International Dragon Class Rules, the Sailing Instructions and any amendments thereto.
- 2.2 The National Authority's prescriptions will not apply.
- 2.3 In the event of a conflict between the Notice of Race and the Sailing Instructions, the Sailing Instructions shall prevail (this changes RRS 63.7).
- 2.4 If there is a conflict between languages, the English text shall take precedence.

3. ADVERTISING

Advertising is as permitted under ISAF Regulation 20.4.1. Boats may be required to carry advertising chosen and supplied by the Organising Authority.

4. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 4.1 Only International Dragon Class boats holding valid Measurement Certificates shall compete.
- 4.2 Only one nominated boat per each challenging yacht club may participate.
- 4.3 Helmsmen shall be up to date members of their National Dragon Association.
- 4.4 A maximum of 45 entries will be accepted. Entries shall be received by June 19, 2019.
- 4.5 Entry is completed in 2 steps. First, challenging Yacht Club has to submit the challenge form, stating name of skipper and challenging Dragon to the OA. Second, formal entry from each boat shall be submitted via the web site <http://marblehead.russiandragon.ru> accompanied by scan of Measurement Certificate, scan of Insurance Certificate and payment of the entry fee of 400 EUR.

The entry forms can also be downloaded from the website and sent together with Measurement and Insurance Certificates to marblehead@russiandragon.ru

The entry registration is not valid until the Organizing Authority received all required documents and full payment.

4.5.1 In case of participation both in Russian Open Championship and in Marblehead Trophy a discounted entry fee of RUB 5000 shall apply.

4.6 Late entries, received as from June 20, 2019 may be accepted at the discretion of the IDA and the Organising Authority. The late entry fee is 600 EUR.

If part of the entry registration is completed before June 20, 2019, and part as from June 20, 2019 such entry will be considered late entry.

4.7 Entry will be finalized on completion of registration on site during registration days. Registration will take place in the regatta village on the premises of St. Petersburg Yacht Club on the dates specified in article 7 of the present NOR. Identification card with picture for each member of the crew shall be required for registration. (Passport or driving license shall be accepted).

4.8 All competitors of Russian citizenship shall be members of the Russian Yachting Federation and should have the insurance in accordance with the Russian Yachting Federation insurance regulations.

5. FEES

5.1 The entry fee is 400 EUR. The fee will include launching, craning out and mooring, opening and closing receptions, competitors' dinner, participation in the regatta, and car and trailer parking.

5.2. Late entry fee received as from June 20, 2019 is 600 EUR.

5.2.1 In case of participation both in Russian Open Championship and in Marblehead Trophy a discounted entry fee of RUB 5000 shall apply.

5.3. The Fee for team, support and spectator boats shall be called "support boat fee". The fee is 150 EUR and includes RIB berthing, hauling in and out, and social events for 1 person. Boats must be registered in advance prior to arrival by completion and submittance of Support Boat form to be downloaded from the website and sent together with the scan of valid Boat Insurance Certificate to marblehead@russiandragon.ru.

5.4 The payment of fees shall be done as follows:

Entrants shall pay the entry fee in Roubles to Rouble account stated in 5.5.2 of the present NOR, the total entry fee sum in Roubles being equivalent to 400 EUR or 600 EUR in case of late entry, **5000 RUB in case of participation in both Marblehead Trophy and Russian Open Championship** and 150 EUR in case of support boat fee, according to the official exchange rate of Euro to Roubles on the date of bank transfer as set by the Central Bank of the Russian Federation and published on its official web site <http://www.cbr.ru/eng/>. All bank charges associated with bank transfer are to be carried by the remitter.

5.5 Bank transfers shall be received on the quoted bank accounts by June 20, 2019 to qualify for the standard entry fee. Payments received on June 20, 2019 and later shall be considered as late entries.

5.5.1. Bank details for payments in Roubles

Account holder Наименование организации	Interregional sportive public organization of yachtsmen of Dragon class Межрегиональная спортивная общественная организация яхтсменов класса «Дракон»
Account holder's legal address Юридический адрес	140054, Moskovskaya oblast, Kotelniki, microregion Kovrovij, house 37/3, B1 140054, Московская область, город Котельники, микрорайон Ковровый, дом 37/3, литера Б1.
ИНН / КПП For Russian bank account holders only	5029124086 / 502701001
ОГРН For Russian bank account holders only	1095000000864
Код ОКПО For Russian bank account holders only	88920547
Bank details and address Банковские реквизиты	Счет получателя/ Account number: 40703 810 5 9055 0000043 Банк получателя/ Bank name: ПАО "БАНК "САНКТ-ПЕТЕРБУРГ" " Bank Saint Petersburg" БИК 044030790, ИНН 7831000027 Корреспондентский счет /Corresponding bank account № 30101 810 9 0000 0000790

5.5.2 All bank transfers must be marked with a reference note “voluntary contribution Marblehead Trophy+national letters+sail number” or a corresponding note in Russian “добровольный взнос Марблхед Трофи+ национальные буквы на парусе+ номер на парусе” in case of payment of entry fee.

Bank transfers of support boat fees must be marked with a reference note “voluntary contribution Marblehead Trophy support boat +national letters+sail number” or a corresponding note in Russian “добровольный взнос Марблхед Трофи катер поддержки + национальные буквы на парусе+ номер на парусе” .

- 5.6. Cash payment of entry fee during final registration at the venue shall be considered late entry fees no matter when the entry form has been submitted and shall be paid in Roubles only, the total late entry fee sum in roubles being equivalent to 600 EUR (**unless discounted fee of RUB 5000 is applicable**), according to the official exchange rate of Euro to Roubles on the date of payment as set by the Central Bank of the Russian Federation and published on its official web site <http://www.cbr.ru/eng/>
- 5.7. Cash payments of support boat fee during final registration at the venue shall be paid in Roubles only, the total fee sum in roubles being equivalent to 150 EUR according to the official exchange rate of Euro to Roubles on the date of payment as set by the Central Bank of the Russian Federation and published on its official web site <http://www.cbr.ru/eng/>
- 5.8. Entries will not be confirmed until full payment is received. Entries, including the entry fee, shall be received prior to June 20, 2019. Payment of fees at registration may be accepted at the discretion of the Organizing Authority.

6. REGISTRATION AND MEASUREMENT

- 6.1. All boats shall register at the venue during registration days according to the schedule as presented in article 7 of this NOR. Boats that will compete in following Russian Dragon Championship register for both events during registration for Marblehead Trophy.
- 6.2. Entrants shall provide the valid boat's Measurement Certificate to Registration. A copy of the Measurement Form is also required if it has not been provided earlier during online entry submittance.
- 6.3. Entrants shall provide a valid boat's Insurance Certificate to Registration if it has not been provided earlier during online entry submittance.
- 6.4. Measurement of sails, weighing of the crews and Measurement of boats will take place prior to the commencement of racing on July 20, 2019 from 10:00 to 18:00 and July 21, 2019 from 09:00 to 11:00.
- 6.5. Boats shall not present any unmeasured sails for registration and measurement.
- 6.6. No more than eight sails per boat may be submitted.
- 6.7. Boats shall not use any sail(s) other than the eight sails submitted for measurement except with the prior written permission of the International Jury.
- 6.8. All boats will be afloat and all crew weighed by the end of registration. The latest time for launching will be 11:00, July 21, 2019.
- 6.9. Boats may undergo random checks during the event and shall conform to the Measurer's instructions.

7. SCHEDULE

- 7.1. 6 races are scheduled
- 7.2. Overall Event Schedule:
Saturday, July 20

10:00 – 18:00 Registration, measurement, crew weighing, launching

Sunday, July 21

09:00 – 11:00 Registration, measurement, crew weighing, launching

11:00 Opening Ceremony Marblehead Trophy 2019.

Skippers Briefing

13:00 1st warning signal. 2 races are scheduled

Monday, July 22

10:00 Skippers briefing

12:00 1st warning signal. 2 races are scheduled

19:30 Gala Dinner

Tuesday, July 23

10:00 Skippers briefing

12:00 1st warning signal for one or two races

17:00 Prize-giving Ceremony Marblehead Trophy 2019

Wednesday, July 24

10:00 – 18:00 Hauling out. Departure day

Registration for Russian Dragon Open Championship

7.3 On July 23, 2019 no starting sequence will be made after 15:00.

7.4 The Race Committee may sail two or more races on any day if necessary

8. COURSES

The courses will be of windward/leeward type. The Racing areas will be defined in the Sailing Instructions.

9. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

The Sailing Instruction (SI) will be available as from 10:00 July 20, 2019 at the Race Office and online on the event's Website <http://marblehead.russiandragon.ru>

10. INTERNATIONAL JURY

An International Jury will be appointed in accordance with Appendix N, RRS 89.2(b), from which there will be no appeal RRS 70.5

11. TROPHY & PRIZES

11.1 The title of Marblehead Trophy Champion shall be awarded to the winning helmsman who shall have temporary possession of the principal trophy The Marblehead Trophy until the next Marblehead Trophy. The Trophy is a helmsmen's event and no substitution of helmsmen during the event is permitted.

11.2 Medals will be presented to the helmsman and crew of the first, second and third placed boats overall.

11.3 Other prizes may be awarded.

12. SCORING

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

12.2 When five or more races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score.

13 SUPPORT BOATS

13.1 All support boats shall fly identification flags (with "COACH" sign)

13.2 All support boats shall register at the venue during registration days according to the schedule as stipulated in article 7 of this NOR and pay the registration fee as stipulated in 5.4. of this NOR.

14. VHF RADIOS

14.1 Race information will be given on marine VHF (156-162MHz). The Channel will be stated in the SIs. The Organiser reminds participants that the use of VHF is governed by the applicable laws of Russian Federation. It is the owner's/helmsman's responsibility to fulfil all legal requirements to carry with and use marine VHF radio on board a boat.

14.2 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.

15 DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

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

The person in charge/skipper certifies that the craning gear used for lifting his/her boat complies with European standards.

16 INSURANCE

Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party insurance with a minimum cover of **1,000,000 roubles**. **Organisers will demand proof of such an insurance before starting registration.**

17 MEDIA RIGHTS

The media rights belong exclusively to the Organising Authority. By participating in this Championship a competitor automatically grants to the Organising Authority and its sponsors the right in perpetuity to make, use and show from time to time at their discretion any motion or still

pictures and live, taped or filmed TV and other reproductions of him or her during the period of the regatta, without compensation.

18. PARKING

A parking space will be allocated for each trailer. The Organising Authority will not be held liable for any damage to boats and/or trailers while parked on the venue or on their way to/from it. A dedicated area to park entrants' cars/vans will also be arranged. The Organising Authority will not be held liable if a vehicle is parked illegally and fined or towed.

19. FURTHER INFORMATION

For further information please contact the Organising Authority:

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