

General Terms and Conditions - HKZV Coastal Sailing Event 2026

ARTICLE 1: LIABILITY

1.1. Participation in the event is entirely at one's own risk. The HKZV is not liable for any damage, however named, that the participant may suffer as a result of participation in the event. Furthermore, the HKZV is not liable for loss, theft, or damage to property/items. Unless such damage is the direct result of intent or gross negligence attributable to the HKZV. This exclusion of liability also applies to serious types of damage, such as all possible types of damage in connection with injury, illness, or death resulting from participation in the event.

1.2. If, notwithstanding the provisions of the first paragraph of this article, the liability of the HKZV for damage suffered by the participant must be assumed, the obligation of the HKZV to compensate such damage shall remain limited to a maximum of the amount paid out by the HKZV's insurer in respect of such damage.

1.3. The Participant must be adequately insured against the risk of damage that he or his next of kin may suffer as a result of death, injury, or illness caused by his participation in the event.

1.4. The Participant indemnifies the HKZV against liability for damage that a third party may suffer due to the actions of the Participant during his participation in the event, unless such damage is the direct result of intent or gross negligence attributable to the HKZV.

1.5. The Participant indemnifies the HKZV against liability for damage that third parties may suffer as a result of an act or omission attributable to a Participant with regards to (participation in) the event. The Participant must be adequately insured against the risk of liability for said damage.

1.6. The Participant declares that he is aware of the fact that participation in the event requires good health in both a psychological and physical sense and declares that he meets this requirement and that he has sufficiently prepared himself through training and other means.

1.7. The participant respects other participants, organization staff, volunteers, and residents in the neighborhood. The participant respects nature and the environment and disposes of waste in the designated waste bins. The participant is fully aware of all risks involved in participation. The participant looks after their own safety and the safety of other participants.

1.8. The organization is in no case liable for accidents or damage, or for loss and/or theft of the participant's personal belongings. Participants must immediately follow the organization's instructions. Participants may be excluded from the event for misconduct and failure to comply with these rules of conduct. This participant is also excluded from participating in a future edition of this event.

ARTICLE 2: RIGHT OF PORTRAIT

It is possible that photos, sound recordings, or video images of the participant may be taken on, around, or during the event. The HKZV may make these public and reproduce them for the promotion of the event. The person portrayed may only prohibit the publication of the photo if they have a reasonable interest in doing so. Legitimate interest includes, for example, privacy considerations, the interest in not being publicly ridiculed, and a financial interest. If, after publication, you object to the disclosure of your photo or audio or video clip, or of the person whose interests you represent, please contact Asceline Groot, Secretary of the HKZV (secretaris@hkzv.nl), providing your justification for your legitimate interest.

ARTICLE 3: PERSONAL DATA & IMAGERY

By participating in the event, personal data is processed by the HKZV. This data is retained solely for registration of participation and financial settlement. Data is not retained for longer than is necessary for the purpose.

As part of the event, the names of the skipper and crew with their boat name, class and sail number are published on the HKZV website (for the participant list and the results list). If you object to this, please contact Asceline Groot, Secretary of the HKZV (secretaris@hkzv.nl) before registration. We will then look for a workable solution together.

They are also publicly shared and published via standard public channels. The Hague Coastal Sailing Association has a legitimate interest in doing so due to the publicity value for sailors, teams, and sponsors, and to promote water sports in general.

During competitions, image material (photos and videos) may be recorded. Image material with news and/or promotional value is published on the basis of a legitimate interest of The Hague Coastal Sailing Association, namely the promotion of the event, the organization, and water sports in general, on www.hkzv.nl and standard public channels.

If you object to public publication, you can submit a reasoned objection by sending a message to events@hkzv.nl.

ARTICLE 4: CANCELLATION AND REFUND

It is possible that this event will not take place. For example, due to bad weather or other force majeure. You pay upon registration because the HKZV must incur costs in advance, for example for renting lifeboats and catering equipment. If the event does not take place, even on another date, you will receive a partial refund of the registration fee. We will then distribute the costs already incurred fairly among the registrants.