

44CUP

2025 WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP

SCHEVENINGEN

44Cup SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

August 27th to 31st, 2025

Organizing authority:

The 44Cup World Championship Scheveningen 2025 will be organised by Jachtclub Scheveningen (JCS) in co-operation with the RC 44 Class Association.

<u>Chief umpire:</u>	Mercuriali Marco	ITA	NJ
<u>Umpires:</u>	Allen Miguel	POR	IJ
	Mante Arnaud	FRA	IJ
	Yubero Diego	ESP	IJ
<u>The Jury:</u>			
<u>Jury Chairman:</u>	Allen Miguel	POR	IJ
<u>Jury:</u>	Bjorklund Mats	FIN	IJ
	Mante Arnaud	FRA	IJ
	Mercuriali Marco	ITA	NJ
	O'Hara Bill	IRL	IJ
	Yubero Diego	ESP	IJ

PRINCIPAL RACE OFFICER: Torrijo Maria (ESP)

Abbreviations:

PC – protest committee	RC – race committee
OA – organizing authority	NA – national authority
RRS – racing rules of sailing	NoR – notice of race
IJ – International Jury	SI – sailing instructions
MR SI – RC44 match race SI	FR SI – RC44 fleet race SI

1 RULES

- 1.1 The event will be governed by
- (a) the 'rules' as defined in the RRS,
 - (b) the Equipment Rules of Sailing will apply,
 - (c) the RC44 Event Calls
 - (d) national authority prescriptions will not apply

In addition, only for the Match Racing Series, by

- (d) the Appendix C as altered by the MR SI,
- (e) the RC44 Match Racing SI Vs 2025_02,

In addition, only for the Fleet Racing Series, by

- (f) the RC44 Fleet Racing SI Vs 2025_02,
- (g) the Appendix UF, 44Cup Edition Vs 2025_02 will apply as altered by the FR SI, approved by World Sailing.

- 1.2 The right of appeal will be denied in accordance with Appendix UF.
- 1.3 Forestay flags will be distributed at registration. Forestay flags shall be hoisted when the boats are in the marina.

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- 2 SCHEDULE OF RACES AND BRIEFINGS
 - 2.1 PRACTICE RACING SERIES
 - 2.2 Practice fleet racing is scheduled on August 27.
 - 2.3 Skippers shall attend the first briefing, which will be at 11h00 on August 27 in the hospitality area.
 - 2.4 The first meeting with the umpires will be at the same time.
 - 2.5 The intended time of the first attention signal on August 27 is 13h00.
 - 2.6 Skippers shall be available for media requests, 30 minutes after the end of the last race each day.
 - 2.7 FLEET RACING SERIES
 - 2.8 The racing days are scheduled from August 28 through August 31, 2025.
 - 2.9 Skippers shall attend the first briefing, which will be at 10h30 in the hospitality area on August 28. The intended time of the initial warning signal is 12h00.
 - 2.10 On August 29, briefing will be at 10h30 and warning signal at 12h00.
 - 2.11 On August 30, briefing will be at 10h30 and warning signal at 12h00.
 - 2.12 On August 31, briefing will be at 10h30 and warning signal at 12h00. No initial Warning Signal will be made after 15h30.
- 3 RACING AREA
 - The racing area is described in Appendix A.
- 4 DESCRIPTIONS OF MARKS
 - 4.1 SPARE
 - 4.2 FLEET RACING SERIES
 - The RC boat may be identified by an MSS flag
 - Windward-leeward:
 - Marks W, WI and WO will be yellow.
 - The Gate marks will be yellow.
 - New mark, as provided in instruction F14.1, will be yellow.
 - The starting and finishing mark will be yellow.
- 5 Radio communication
 - Race information will be given by VHF radio. The VHF channel will be 72.

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Appendix A : Racing area

