



**DRAGON
EUROPEANS
HELSINKI 2026**

FINLAND 26.6 - 3.7 2026

VIDEO

TOGETHER WITH



- **Nyländska Jaktklubben**
- **International Dragon Association**
- **Finnish Dragon Association**
Suomen Louhipurjehtijat
Finlands Drakseglares ry
- **City of Helsinki**

Helsinki





NYLÄNDSKA JAKTKLUBBEN

- The largest and oldest registered yacht club in Finland.
- More than 2,800 members.
- Founded in 1861 on March the 4th upon approval of its rules by Czar Alexander II in St. Petersburg.
- The language of the club is Swedish.
- NJK is a versatile club with activities for all the different member categories. The club aims to advance seamanship, enhance social life and keep its position as the leading yacht club in the country.
- Much effort is put into promoting the sport of sailing among juniors as well as senior members. The club has qualified coaches offering top class training at different levels.
- NJK was the first yacht club to introduce match racing in Finland, the Match Racing Center was founded. The name Match Racing Center was changed in 2014 to NJK Sailing Center
- Two Harbours, Blekholmen in City Centre and Björkholmen at Lauttasaari
- Ten Island harbours around the Finnish archipelago



PRELIMINARY TIMETABLE



Friday 26.6	Registration and measurement
Saturday 27.6	Registration and measurement
Sunday 28.6	Practice race, Opening Ceremony
Monday 29.6	Race day 1 and Sailors Lounge
Tuesday 30.6	Race day 2 and Sailors Lounge
Wednesday 1.7	Race day 3, Sailors Lounge and Regatta Dinner
Thursday 2.7	Race day 4 and Sailors Lounge
Friday 3.7	Final race day and Prize Giving Ceremony



EVENT FACTS

- **50-70 boats**
- **15-20 countries**
- **150-200 sailors**
- **Supporters, assistans
and families**
- **Valkosaari NJK**



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MANDATUM

SKODA

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HELSINKI - No car needed



SKODA



Shuttle service to competitors



OFFICIALS

Race Committee

Stuart Childerley (GBR) PRO
Martin Payne (GBR)

International Jury

Jury chair
Pınar COŞKUNER GENÇ (TUR) IJ

Gordon Davies (IRL) IJ
Arto Kiiski (FIN) IJ
Staffan Rosenlöf (FIN) NJ
Non-FIN Eurosaf NJ

Measurement

Chief Measurer
Bence Toronyi (HUN) IM





Chairman
Patrick Sandman

Project management

Patrick Andersson
Tusse Tallberg
Heidi Öller
Arvid Segercrantz
Rudy Jurg
Ii-min Tcheng
Jouni Rajala
Casper Grönblom

Project manager

Johan Öller

Security

Head:
Gustav Öller

PROJECT LEVEL

EVENT LEVEL/ SEA

EVENT LEVEL/ LAND

Finance

Sponsors & Partners

Race

Social

Logistics

Venue/Blekh.

Accomodation

Communication

Head:
Arvid Segercrantz

NJK kansli

Head:
Johan Öller

Rudy Jurg
Patrick Sandman
Ville Ailio
Casper Grönblom

Head:
Patrick Andersson

Tusse Tallberg

Head: Johan Öller

Head:
Jouni Rajala

Head:

Hamnmästare Sammy
Lundberg

Head: Lassi Nummi

Head: Heidi Öller

Ville Ailio
Lisa Gerkman
Rudy Jurg
Ii-min Tcheng
Andy Johansson
Tim Person

Race Committee

Stuart Childerley PRO
Martin Payne

Patrick Andersson
- 10-12 people
Weather person

International Jury
Jury Chair

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Staffan Rosenlöf (FIN)(NJ)
Non-FIN Eurosaf NJ

Measurment

Official Measurer
Bence Toronyi
2 assistants

Race office

Officer Nigel Bull
-GPS tracking
-accreditation
-2 assistant

Press & Media

Officer Heidi Öller
Lisa Gerkman
- Press boat

Info&Attache

Officer
- 4-5 assistant

Corporate/ VIP events

Officer
- 2-3 assistant

Race Village / Sailors Lounge

Officer
- 2 assistant

Security

Officer Offshore
- 10-12 people
Officer Onshore

Documentation Video/Photo

Officer Ville Ailio
3-4 kamera
1-2 speakers

Spectators

Officer
- 1 assistant

Logistic

Officer
- 1 assistant
Launching & Lifting
Car drivers / transport
Boat drivers / transport

Staff/Volunteers

Officer
Equipment
Catering
- 2 assistant

Equipment / Technical support

1-2 person

Construction

Officer
- 2 assistant

RACE VENUE



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-  **SAILORS LOUNGE**
-  **BARBEQUE TERRACE**
-  **RACE OFFICE**
-  **INFO POINT**
-  **JURY**
-  **STORAGE & SAUNA**
-  **VOLUNTEERS OFFICE**
-  **DRAGONS**
-  **TENDERS**
-  **HOPP ON & OFF**
Shuttle service
- **WATERBUS**





RACE VILLAGE - MARITIME HELSINKI



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- **Race Village in the city during the Dragon Europeans 2026 and 6mR Worlds 2027**
- **Hop on Hop off shuttle service between City and Venue**
- **Spectator boats to racing area**
- **Classic boats Sail Parade**
- **Operators for sea activities, security and environment presenting together with “Merellinen Helsinki”**
- **Testing boats**
- **Learning boating skills**
- **Big Screen for Live and Videos**
- **Free of charge and Easy Access Event**

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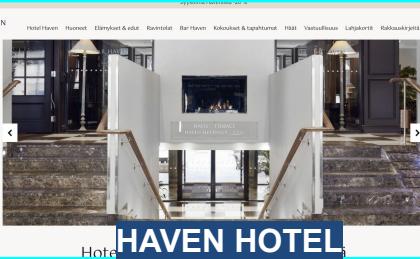
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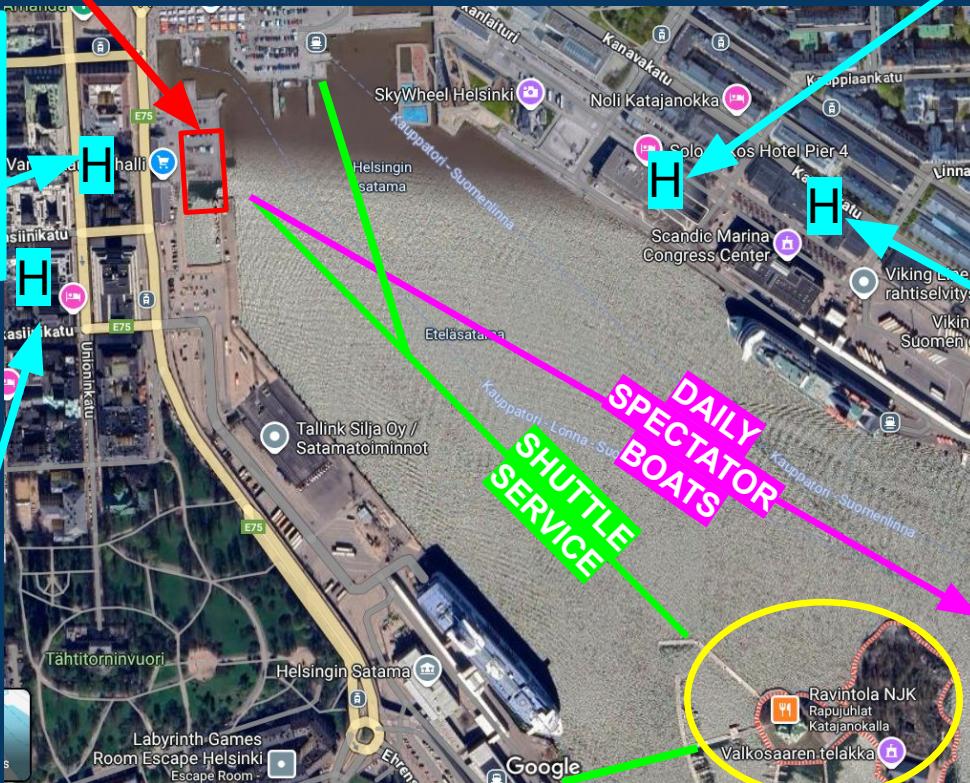
RACE VILLAGE



PIER 4 HOTEL HELSINKI



HAVEN HOTEL



DAILY
SPECTATOR
BOATS

SHUTTLE
SERVICE



GRAND MARINA HOTEL



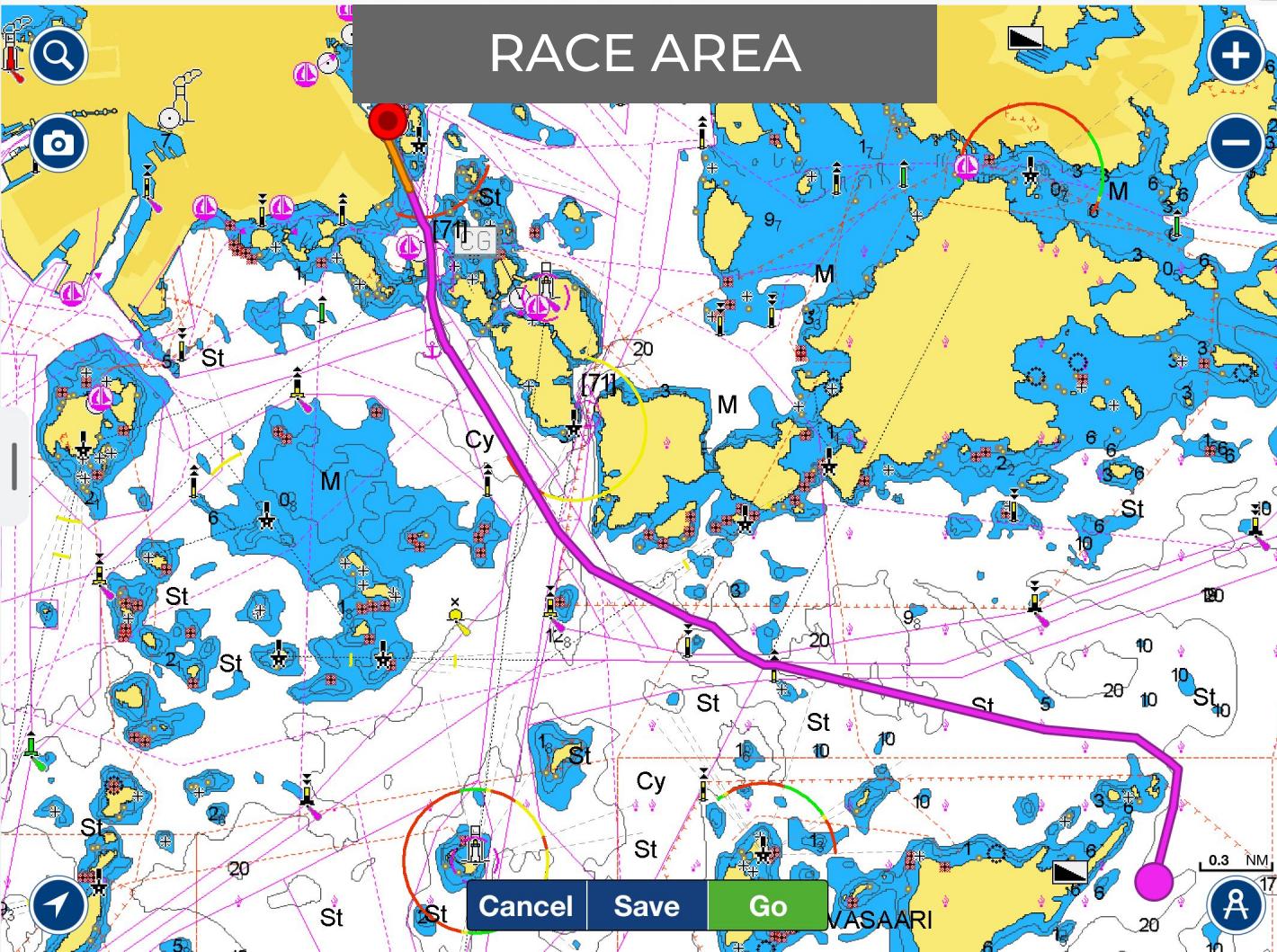
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RACE VENUE NJK



RACE AREA





LOGISTICS



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SHIPMENT

- **Special offer from FINNLINES**
- **Many alternatives**
- **Arrival to Helsinki Vuosaari FINNLINES (30 min drive)**
- **Arrival from Stockholm or Tallinn to City Center**
- **No car needed - we can transport in Helsinki**



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LOGISTICS

LAUNCHING AND LIFTING

- Jouko Lindgren dockyard
- Hauling to Race venue by organisers
- Temporary lifts available
- Trailer park at Jouko Lindgren

SHUTTLE SERVICE & MAINTENANCE

- Boat and Sail Repair available
- Many boat equipment stores near
- Shuttle service to competitors with boat or car



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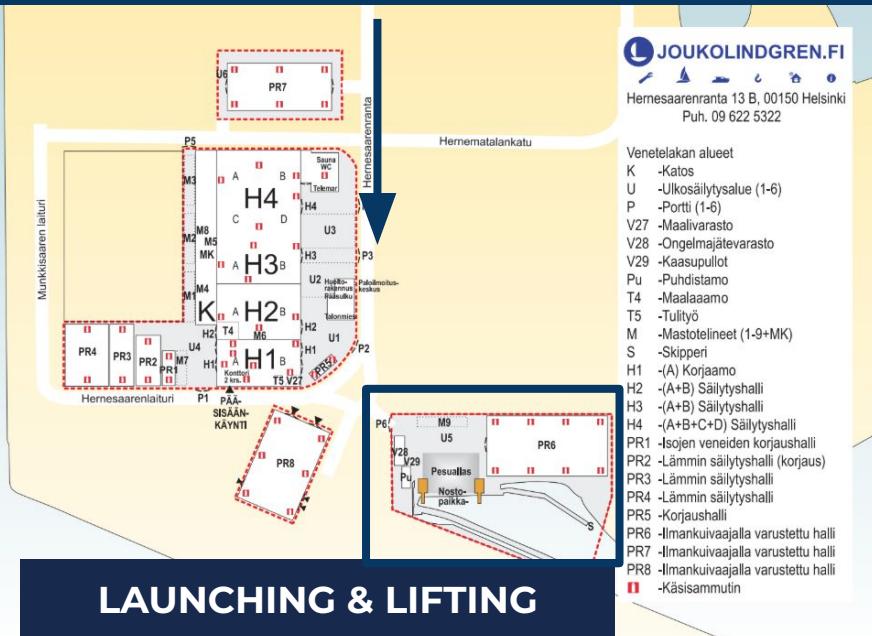


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VIDEO & FILM PRODUCTION

Dragon Europeans

- Livestreaming last 2-3 days of event
 - shown on Internet, big screens at venue and center of city
 - on spectator boats
- 2-3 on water cameras
- 2 Drone cameras
- 4-5 Gopro cameras
- Commentator on live days
- Daily Highlights shown on Internet, big screens at venue and center of city
- Several interviews
- Filming social events
- International distribution of event/races overview
- Negotiation of live distribution
- Sponsor and Media kit also to use for competitors
- Short 5-10 min documentary of event



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VALUES



- ★ **Magnificent Race Venue and Race Village in City Center**
- ★ **Easy to follow the races - Spectator boats, Livestream , GPS**
- ★ **No cars needed - everything is in the Heart of Helsinki**
- ★ **Shuttle transports arranged with boats and cars**
- ★ **Professional video production and Live streams**
- ★ **Great Social Events**
- ★ **Experienced and good organisation**



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