

2015 Sara af Hango wins the ranking series

After a very competitive and active season Sara takes overall victory. Sara managed to win two out of five ranking regattas and finished second twice. Lisbeth V took silver while Joy won ranking bronze. Fridolin who finished 5th took part only in three of the regattas and thus lost its chance for medal places. There was a pack of seven boats within 12 points, which clearly shows how even the fight actually was.

2015 Ranking Top 10

01. FIN-49 Sara af Hangö 75
02. FIN-74 Lisbeth V 56
03. FIN-36 JOY 54
04. FIN-60 Off Course 51
05. FIN-12 Fridolin 50
06. FIN-44 TOY 49
07. F-46 Astrée III 46
08. FIN-72 Ara 44
09. FIN-63 Borée II 37
10. FIN-38 Mariana 34

On top of the ranking series, the sixes fought for Andö Cup, Sexornas Jakt Cup, Champagne Regatta, Sinebrychoff Trophy and Viaporin Tuoppi. Altogether there were ten regattas and competitions in which there were 27 boats participating altogether 127 times.



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Doyle 6mR Finnish Ranking Series 2016

Doyle is the title sponsor for 2016 ranking series. At the same time the ranking series is extended to 7 races. The additional ranking races will be Champagne regatta and Sinebrychoff regatta. Two regattas will be counted off so that five best regattas will be taken into account when determining the overall winner.

The Finnish Championship regatta in Hanko will be awarded double points. The Europeans in Switzerland will be awarded triple points.

Ranking points in Sinebrychoff challenge shall be calculated so that the winner of the match race will be awarded with maximum points, while the runner up in the match race gets maximum -1 point. The boat that becomes runner up in the challenge regatta will get maximum -2 points and so forth.

1st Price:

The winner of the Doyle 6mR Finnish Ranking Series shall win a Doyle spinnaker, custom made for the measures of a 6mR.

Active boat lottery:

In 2016 the activity will be rewarded by activity price. The price shall be Doyle spinnaker, custom made for the measures of a 6mR. The winner will be determined by a lottery. The lottery will be held at the season ending party, in which the crew member of the boat needs to be present in order to be eligible for the draw. Boats will receive lottery tickets as per the following.

- Participation in 5 ranking regattas -> 1 lottery ticket
- Participation in 6 ranking regattas -> 2 lottery tickets
- Participation in 7 ranking regattas -> 3 lottery tickets

Most active 6mR sailor:

There will be a special price for the most active sailor of the season. Both number of regattas and number of different 6mR boats sailed will be counted when calculating the winner.



Experience 6mR racing in Finland

The Champagne regatta and Finnish 6mR association welcomes keen 6mR sailors from abroad to bring your crew and sail with Finnish 6mR boats in Helsinki. This event will be organised at HSS in August. FINSMA will act as an intermediate and organises boats + minimum 1 crew member per boat. There may be a charge involved depending on the boat.

Please contact ossi.paija@frameryacoustics.com for further information.



Pre Christmas Glögi 17.12 at Belge 18:00

All six meter sailors and enthusiasts are welcome for a cup a warm glögi in Helsinki. Let's catch up and discuss the future season and the upcoming book.



New FINSMA Board

New board has gathered twice already and will focus its actions on the following key themes:

- Increasing regatta activity
- Promoting and organising social activities during regattas
- Organising the measuring of the boats
- Increasing international co-operation
- Activating second rule boats to race courses



Ossi Pajja, Chairman

- racing,
- international co-operation
- communication



Arvid Segercrantz

- secretary
- measuring



Leif Böckelman

- treasury,
- social events



Sam Fagerlund

- sponsoring



Tapio Lehtinen

- social events,
- 2nd rule boat activation,
- international co-operation



Ismo Hentula

- ISMA



Heikki Hämäläinen

- measuring