

## **505 World Championship Aarhus - Denmark 2010**









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Paul Elvstrøm: "The 505 is really my favorite class because it is so lively and responsive in all types of wind and sea conditions. ...after having sailed all types of dinghy and all types of keelboat I would like to tell you that no other boat is able to give one so much pleasure as this one."







## Welcome to the 2010 505 World Championship in Aarhus, Denmark.

We are pleased to welcome to You to the 2010 505 World Championship in Aarhus, at the Kaløvig Sailing Centre.

Since 1866, the bay of Aarhus has been hosting international regattas, and the five local yachting clubs, joined in the regatta management organization Sailing Aarhus, have a long and outstanding track record in organizing world sailing events.

The Kaløvig Sailing Centre is the preferred training centre for the Danish elite olympic sailors and has been the second home to many olympic masters and world champions, with the famous 49er 2008 Olympic Gold Medalists Jonas Warrer and Martin Kirketerp as the latest successes.

Aarhus is Denmark's second largest city and one of the oldest in Denmark too. At the same time, Aarhus is a city young at heart where you can feel the pulse of a big city and yet everything is within easy reach, making the city an exiciting and charismatic place to enjoy all year round. Aarhus boosts a large student population, injecting a young, lively and optimistic lifestyle, which spills over into its day time and night time activities.

Sailing Aarhus has a close relationship to the City of Aarhus as well as Sport Event Denmark, funded by the Ministry of Culture and Sports. Both organisations invest in attracting and running sport events and has guaranteed to support the 2010 505 World Championship.

The 2010 505 World Championship will be based upon the spirit of Danish sailing traditions, You will enjoy the effectiveness of our skilled race management and great waters, our Scandinavian friendliness and great atmosphere in a relaxed setting.

We are looking forward to welcoming You in Aarhus.

Sailing Aarhus Thomas Capitani Nielsen Executive Director







### AARHUS – the city with everything you could ever dream of

With a population of more than 300,000, Arhus is Denmark's second largest city, and with a student population of more than 40,000, Aarhus is also Denmark's "youngest city".

Because every fifth of its inhabitants is a student at one of the city's 25 educational and research institutions, there is an energetic beat of the pulse in the vibrant city of Aarhus, and this gives the city a young and exciting vibrancy of its own.

Aarhus is also one of the oldest cities in Denmark, founded by the Vikings back in the 12th century. At the same time, however, we keep the past very much alive here in Aarhus, with the oldest city quarters being some of the most atmospheric, bustling and trend-setting in Scandinavia.

Enjoy yourself going shopping, relaxing at one of the city's many cafés or strolling in the woods or along the sandy beaches before taking your pick among the generous selection of restaurants that the city has to offer.

And finish the night at one of the many bars offering live music or just enjoy the bright, Scandinavian nights at one of the many outdoor cafés alongside the river of Aarhus.

Enjoy yourself in Aarhus – the city with everything you could ever dream of.







## The Bay of Aarhus

"The bay of Aarhus is one of the world's best regatta areas" Quote: Finn "Beton" Jensen, the coach of a number of Danish Olympic Gold medal winners such as Jesper Bank, Jonas Warrer and Martin Kirketerp.

The layout of the bay makes it a great place to sail. Regardless of wind direction and wind force, the Bay of Aarhus will always protect you from the most extreme weather conditions.

The bay itself is approx. 150 square kilometres and the commercial traffic is concentrated in the south end of the Bay which gives plenty of room for leisure sailing and multiple possibilities for race management to locate an ideal and undisturbed place for the courses.

The safe waters and the unique location near Denmark's second largest city make the Bay of Aarhus a truly vital area for sailing and simply a spectacular recreational area.

In the summertime, people flock at the beaches and can enjoy any or all of the activities even remotely connected to water.

The quality of the water itself is tested regularly and is of the highest of standards in Europe.



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### Weather and Sailing Conditions

August is normally one of the warmest months of the year in Denmark with average day temperatures between 20 and 25 degrees Celsius and water temperatures between 18 and 20 degrees Celsius.

Due to the proximity of the North Atlantic, but well protected by the British Islands and the Jutland peninsula, lack of wind or strong winds are both very rare in the Bay of Aarhus in August, and in the daytime the typical wind speed is 10-15 knots with mostly SW and W winds.

The sea itself is always changing, however, most of the time you'll encounter only small swells and chops. The seas only really build up when winds are strong from S or SE direction. However, the conditions rarely become too rough for comfort, due to the relatively shallow depth of water and the fact that the bay itself is sheltered by the large peninsulas Skødshoved and Helgenæs at E and SE.

Being Scandinavia, we have bright nights with close to 200 hours of sunshine in August and only an average of 9 days with rain.

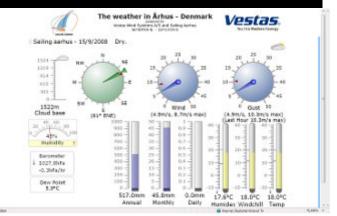
Current and tidal effects are limited and due to the relative shallowness of the bay (between 10-20 meters), race management rarely encounter difficulties in laying the courses and keeping them fixed.

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### The "Kaløvig Sailing Centre"

The venue of the 2010 505 World Championship will be the "Kaløvig Sailing Centre".

Kaløvig is a world famous sailing centre and has hosted a vast number of international regattas and many 505 sailors might still remember visiting the 505 European Championship held in Kaløvig in 2005. Today Kaløvig is one of three Danish Elite Training Centres, as well as a match race centre.

The Sailing Centre offers excellent conditions, such as:

- Direct access from the harbour to the racing areas
- Large boat ramp as well as "in harbour" beach
- Guarded boat, car and trailer park
- Indoor facilities for boat measurement and repairs
- Large camping site with direct access to harbour
- Apartments/double-rooms for officials and guests
- · Restaurant, bar and full catering facilities.
- Full regatta management and meeting facilities (meeting room for 200 persons, audio/video meeting equipment, wireless internet access etc.)
- Bath, sauna and changing facilities















### How to get there

With only 3 kilometres to the nearest highway exit, you are close to the E45 highway which takes you directly to Germany and Europe.

Aarhus is a mere 170 km away from the German border and approx. 250 km from Copenhagen, so you will only have a short drive, whether you come from Scandinavia or from Europe.

If you prefer to arrive by plane, the Airport of Aarhus is only 45 km away as well as the Airport of Billund is a mere 70 km away. Both airports have a large number of international connections and if you fly inter-continental, you will be able to go from Copenhagen directly to Aarhus with national flights.

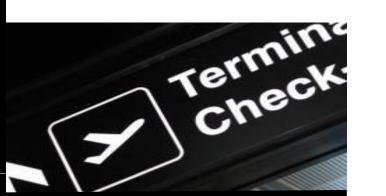
If you ship your boat and racing equipment to Denmark by container shipment or truck, you will learn that Aarhus has the largest container port in Scandinavia with direct and high-frequent freight liners from most of the world.

The event management will be at our disposal in getting you and your equipment as fast and as easily to Aarhus as possible.

















#### Accommodation

Aarhus offers a vast number of accommodation possibilities from 5 star hotels to cheap bed and breakfasts.

Below we list only the most obvious possibilities, but Sailing Aarhus will of course be helpful with any individual requirements.

- Camping facilities (tent and campers) at the Kaløvig Sailing Centre, where you can park your car and boat trailer right next to your camper or tent.
- Kaløvig Sailing Centre offers a small number of rooms which can be rented at a favourable prices.
- There is a large number of bed and breakfasts and rental summer houses in close proximity to the Sailing Centre.
- Aarhus has hotel accommodation for every budget rating from one star family hotels to five star, international business hotels.
- For hotels or b&b reservations please visit <u>www.visitaarhus.com</u>
- All accommodation information will be available on the event web page in due time.















## **Preliminary programme**

25 July 2010	Official arrival day for Pre Worlds. Registration and measurment
26 July 2010	Pre worlds, 1 <sup>st</sup> and 2 <sup>nd</sup> races
27 July 2010	Pre Worlds, 3 <sup>rd</sup> and 4 <sup>th</sup> races
28 July 2010	Pre Worlds, 5 <sup>th</sup> and 6 <sup>th</sup> races. Trophy Presentation.
29 July 2010	Registration and measurement. Opening Ceremony at Aarhus City Hall.
30 July 2010	Worlds, 1st and 2nd Races
31 July 2010	Worlds, 3 <sup>rd</sup> Race,
1 August 2010	Worlds, 4th and 5th races, Midway Party at Sailing Centre
2 August 2010	Layday, Sightseeing or other social activities
3 August 2010	Worlds, 6 <sup>th</sup> Race
4 August 2010	Worlds, 7th and 8th Races
5 August 2010	Worlds, 9th race, Worlds Prize Giving Ceremony and BarBQ at Yacht Club

(scheduled for changes)





### **Organizing Committee**

The 2010 505 World Championship will be organized and run by Sailing Aarhus in close cooperation with Kaløvig Sailing Centre and the Danish 505 Class Association.

Sailing Aarhus is a non-profit regatta management organisation formed and controlled fully by the 5 Sailing Clubs in Arhus where of the Kaløvig Sailing Center is one.

Sailing Aarhus is representing more than 2.800 enthusiastic sailing club members in Aarhus and has a full time employed staff. Sailing Aarhus has close contacts to the City of Aarhus as well as the private business world and works professionally with fundraising for regatta events.

Saling Aarhus and the five sailing clubs have an extensive knowledge in running successful sailing events, such as the Laser Worlds, Europe Cat Worlds, Hobie Cat Multi Europeans, 14' foot Europeans, Star Europeans, Yngling Worlds etc.

Recently, Sailing Aarhus has successfully run the 2008 VOLVO Youth Sailing ISAF World Championship and the 2009 Danish Open, an event in the World Match Racing Tour.

Sailing Aarhus is supported by the City of Aarhus (through Sport Aarhus Events), The Danish Sailing Federation and Sport Event Denmark (the Ministry of Culture and Sports).











#### Some recent events hosted in Aarhus

- 2010 505 World Championship and Europe Class Youth European Championship
- 2009 World Match Racing Tour Danish Open
- 2008 VOLVO Youth Sailing ISAF World Championship
- 2007 Nordic Youth Sailing Championship (all Youth Cates)
- 2005 505 European Championship
- 2003 Europe Class European Championship
- 2001 Star European Championship
- 2000 Yngling World Championship

#### Previous:

Laser Worlds, Hobie Cat Europeans, J22 Europeans, 14 Foot Europeans, Europe Worlds, Danish Olympic Spring Reagtta as well as a countless number of local and national championships and regattas.











#### **Testimonials**

Some few words of what has been said about the recent event hosted by Sailing Aarhus.

#### Helmut Czasny-Bonomo, Manager, ISAF Competitions Dept.

"ISAF received in the last couple of days a lot of positive comments about the organisation of the event, everyone was impressed by the way the event was organised and the high level of the organisation on the water and ashore – this is the most well prepared Youth Worlds ever"

#### Jerelyn Biehl, CEO 29er/49er Cat Association

"The event was a huge success and it was clearly evident that it was highly organized and well managed."

#### Nicolas Honor, Export Manager, Laser Performance

"Your organistion was good and we appreciate the ambiance, the friendly and delicated staff wether official or volunteer"

#### Fiona Barron, Vice President, ISAF Exececutive Committee

"I was enchanted by Aarhus and her people, there will be many sailors with very special memories of this event."

#### Simon Wergan, Youth Racing Manager Royal Yachting Association

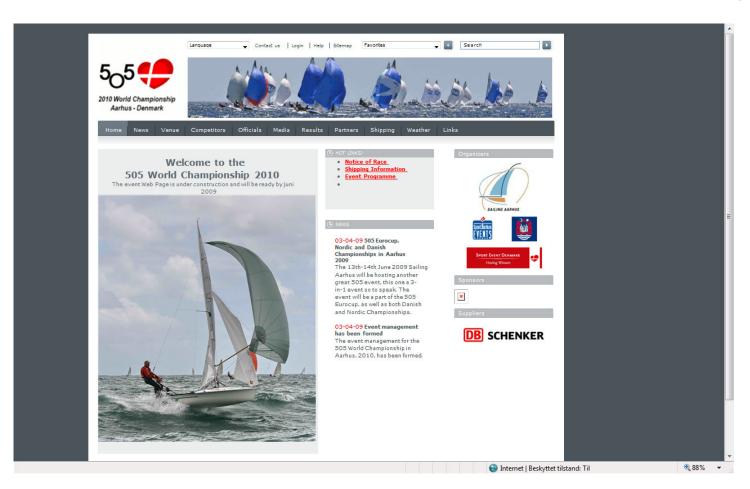
"The race Management and event organization were second to none and the support staff were incredibly supportive. It is important that events like this of such high calibre continue to be of such a high standard to ensure the sailors perform at their highlest level possible"





## **Event web page**

www.505worlds2010.org







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