

**The 1st RS Aero Asian Championship
The 3rd RS Aero Japan Championship
4th - 6th July 2025
Japan RS Class Association, Japan
NOTICE OF RACE**

Approval:

**Asia Sailing Federation (ASAF): under application
Japan Sailing Federation (JSAF): under application**

ver. 10th February, 2025

2nd February, 2025

- 6. competitor's briefing on 17:00 4th July is omitted.
- 6. Registration & measurement is extended to 18:00 on 4th July

10th February, 2025

- 6. Measurement is added from 8:00-9:00 on 5th July

ORGANIZING AUTHORITY (OA)

This event will be organized by the Japan RS Class Association in conjunction with the International RS Aero Class Association.

1. RULES

1.1 The event will be governed by the rules as defined in The Racing Rules of Sailing.

2. ADVERTISING

2.1 Advertising is permitted in accordance with WS Regulation 20.

3. ELIGIBILITY & ENTRY

3.1 The event is open to boats of the RS Aero 5, RS Aero 6 and RS Aero 7 classes

3.2 All competitors shall be a member of the MNAs and the national RS Class Association or the International RS Aero Class Association.

Competitors should state which category they are entering with all ages being on the 31st December 2024

Junior – Under 17

Youth – Under 22

Masters – 50 years and over

3.3 Eligible boats may enter by completing the online.

form: <https://www.rsaerosailing.org/index.asp?p=event&eid=2990>

3.4 To be considered an entry at an event, a boat shall complete all registration requirements and pay all fees.

3.5 Entry will close at 23.59 on 22nd June 2025. Entries after this date may be accepted at the discretion of the organising authority (contact Email: info@rs-association-japan.com)

4. COMMUNICATIONS & SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

4.1 All documents governing this event, including the sailing instructions, will be available on the official notice board on [RacingRulesofSailing.org](https://www.racingrulesofsailing.org).

4.2 The Sailing Instructions will be published to all competitors by the 8th June 2025.

5. ENTRY FEES

5.1 Entry fees per boat are as follows:

Plan	Payment Date	Adult/Masters on the 31st December 2024	Junior/Youth on the 31st December 2024
Early	Before 30th April	22,000JPY	15,400JPY
Standard	1st May - 8th June	24,200JPY	17,600JPY
Late	9th June - 22nd June	26,400JPY	19,800JPY

5.2 For Japanese participants, entry fees should be paid to the following bank account.
【振込先】三井住友銀行 藤沢支店 普通 7978421 イッパংশャダンホウジニホンアルエスクラスキョウカイ

For International participants, entry fees should be paid through following bank transfer or credit card payment noticed by email after entry form submission.

5.3 Entry fees will not be refunded.

6. EVENT SCHEDULE

Date	Time	Activity	Location
Thu 3rd July	09:00-16:00	Training Day	Regatta Office

Fri 4th July	09:00- 18:16 :00 17:00 18:00	Registration & measurement Competitor briefing Welcome & Opening Ceremony	Regatta Office
Sat 5th July	08:00-09:00 09:00 10:20 17:00	Measurement Competitor briefing The first warning signal 4 races scheduled Saturday Night Party	Regatta Office
Sun 6th July	09:40	The first warning signal 4 races scheduled No warning signal will be made after 15:00. Grand Awards Ceremony	

7. VENUE

7.1 The intended racing areas will include Morito Beach, Hayama Town, Kanagawa Pref., Japan.



7.2 The Headquarter is Hayama Sailing Club, 939-13, Horiuchi, Hayama-machi, Miura-gun, Kanagawa, 240-0012, Japan

8. COURSES

8.1 The races will be sailed on (1) triangle and (2) trapezoid courses and will be described in the Sailing Instructions.

9. EQUIPMENT INSPECTION

9.1 Boats may be inspected at any time for compliance with class rules.

10. SCORING

10.1 only one race is required to be completed to constitute a series.

- (a) When fewer than five races have been completed, a boat's series score shall be the total of her race scores.
- (b) When five or more races have been completed, a boat's series score shall be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score.

11. RISK STATEMENT

11.1 RRS 3 states: 'The responsibility for a boat's decision to participate in a race or to continue to race is hers alone.

11.2 Sailing is by its nature an unpredictable sport and therefore inherently involves an element of risk. By taking part in the event, each competitor agrees and acknowledges that:

- (a) They are aware of the inherent element of risk involved in the sport and accept responsibility for the exposure of themselves, their crew and their boat to such inherent risk whilst taking part in the event.
- (b) They are responsible for the safety of themselves, their crew, their boat and their other property whether afloat or ashore.
- (c) They accept responsibility for any injury, damage or loss to the extent caused by their own actions or omissions.
- (d) Their boat is in good order, equipped to sail in the event and they are fit to participate.
- (e) The provision of a race management team, patrol boats and other officials and volunteers by the event organizer does not relieve them of their own responsibilities.
- (f) The provision of patrol boat cover is limited to such assistance, particularly in extreme weather conditions as can be practically provided in the circumstances.
- (g) It is their responsibility to familiarize themselves with any risks specific to this venue or this event drawn to their attention in any rules or information produced for the venue or event and to attend any safety briefing held for the event.

12. INSURANCE

12.1 Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum cover of 100 million JPY per incident or the equivalent

13. PRIZES

13.1 Prizes will be awarded, subject to entry numbers, for the following categories:

RS Aero 5

RS Aero 6

RS Aero 7

Junior – RS Aero 5 & 7, Junior Male & Female (under 17 years)

Youth – RS Aero 5 & 7, Youth Male & Female (under 22 years)

Female – RS Aero 5 & 6

Master – RS Aero 5, 6 & 7 (50 years and over)

Ages are at 31st December 2025.

14. RS AERO 2025 ASIAN TITLES TO BE AWARDED

14.1

RS Aero 5 Asian Champion

RS Aero 6 Asian Champion

RS Aero 7 Asian Champion

RS Aero 5 Junior Asian Champion

RS Aero 6 Youth Asian Champion

RS Aero 5 Female Asian Champion

RS Aero 6 Female Asian Champion

RS Aero 6 Masters Asian Champion (50 years and older)

RS Aero 7 Masters Asian Champion (50 years and older)

RS Aero 5 Female Masters Asian Champion (50 years and older)

RS Aero 6 Female Masters Asian Champion (50 years and older)

Ages are at 31st December 2025.

14.2 The RS Aero Asian Champion trophies and titles shall be awarded to the first competitor from an Asian nation or with their main residence within an Asian nation.

15. RS AERO 2025 JAPAN TITLES TO BE AWARDED

15.1

RS Aero 5 Japan Champion

RS Aero 6 Japan Champion

RS Aero 7 Japan Champion

RS Aero 5 Junior Japan Champion

RS Aero 6 Youth Japan Champion

RS Aero 5 Female Japan Champion

RS Aero 6 Female Japan Champion

RS Aero 6 Masters Japan Champion (50 years and older)

RS Aero 7 Masters Japan Champion (50 years and older)

RS Aero 5 Female Japan Asian Champion (50 years and older)

RS Aero 6 Female Japan Asian Champion (50 years and older)

Ages are at 31st December 2025.

15.2 The RS Aero Japan Champion trophies and titles shall be awarded to the first competitor from Japan or with their main residence within Japan.

16. FURTHER INFORMATION

Contact: Japan RS Class Association

Email: info@rs-association-japan.com

<https://rs-association-japan.localinfo.jp/>