



RACE INVITATION / COMPETITION RULES

VENETSIA DRIFTING R2 NEZ 2.-3.9.2022

Name of Competition Venetsia Drifting R2 NEZ 2.-3.9.2022

Date 2.9.2022 Solo practice and qualifications
3.9.2022 Tandem practice and top 32 battle

Competition rank NEZ, National

Organizer Kokkolan Urheiluautoilijat

Location Kokkola

AKK License Number 123/drf/22

Kokkolan Urheiluautoilijat is honored to invite you, drifting driver, to participate in NEZ Series Round 2 located at the city center of Kokkola, Finland on 2nd – 3rd of September 2022.

1. COMPETITION CLASS

NEZ. Class rules are defined by NEZ rules, AKK (Autourheilun kansallinen keskusliitto ASN) rulebook and specified by the Finnish Drifting rules and these competition rules.

2. RACE TRACK AND LOCATION OF THE COMPETITION

The race will take place in Kokkola Tapahtumapuisto. The address is Kaarlenkatu 5, 67100 Kokkola.

2.1. RACE OFFICE

Race office is located close to the track in a van/motorhome. The race office is open on Friday September 2nd 7:45 – 19:00, Saturday September 3rd 9:00-19:00.

3. ORGANIZER

The race is organized by Kokkolan Urheiluautoilijat.

4. RACE OFFICIALS

Head of the jury	Kimmo Kojo	
Race director	Hanna Lehtomaa	+358 449 457 36
Race secretary	Isa Qvist	+358 400 703 111
Main scrutineer	Sami Ventelä	
Head of security	Heikki Isomäki	



4.1. CONTACT PERSON

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4.2. OFFICIAL NOTICEBOARD

The official noticeboard is to be found at <https://bit.ly/>

REGISTRATION IN ADVANCE

Entry fee 150 €

Drivers have to sign up for the race via <https://venetsiadrifting.fi/signup/>

The event has a capacity of 60 teams. If the number of sign-ups exceeds 60, the organizer withholds the right to select drivers. The ones driving NEZ series are in priority one.

Drivers will be published on the website after filling the sign-up link, but please keep in mind the limit for 60 drivers, the final accepted list of participants will be published 22nd August. Please do not hesitate to contact the organizer if this causes any issues (regarding traveling etc).

For ferry discount, please contact Kristjan Sallu Salmre [+3725289380](tel:+3725289380)

Registration to race is open until 21st August 23:59. Final list of accepted participants will be published latest 22nd August. Registration after 21st August costs entry fee 150€ + 100€.

NOTE! Drivers outside Finland: If a vehicle without license plates is imported to Finland, a transfer permit and the associated temporary motor liability insurance must be obtained for it. A foreign green card will not be accepted as insurance. Via organizer the insurance costs 40€ (two days, 2.-3.9.2022). For the insurance, please send first name, surname, car make and model and chassis number by email to isa.qvist@gmail.com latest 26th August 23:59 hrs. All foreign drivers has to purchase the transfer permit, either via organizer or from any vehicle inspection station.

Finnish drivers can attend the race also with a single-event license. Single event license costs 30€ (26€ + 4€ handling expense). Please inform the race secretary if you will purchase the single-event license.

Pre-registered drivers will receive free entry to the venue for the driver and three (3) mechanics. The competitor may purchase extra tickets for extra mechanics or co-operation partners for the price of 15,00€/extra ticket. Extra tickets can be purchased from the race office.

Entry fee and extra tickets etc. costs will be paid to the race office during administrative checks.
NOTE! Cash only, no possibility to pay online or by card.

Accepted drivers, latest 26th August 23:59 send by email to isa.qvist@gmail.com

-Picture of driver license

-Finnish drivers: picture of your car insurance / drivers outside Finland: information for the temporary motor liability insurance (first name, surname, car make and model and chassis number)

- Fill driver info form <https://venetsiadrifting.fi/driverinfo/>

-Inform if single-event license needed



5. GENERAL REGULATIONS

The regulations of the NEZ and AKK (Autourheilun kansallinen keskusliitto ASN) 2022 rulebooks, Finnish Drifting regulations, the rules of this race invitation and any possible additional regulations are to be followed in this competition.

The management of this competition has the right with the decision of the jury, if the circumstances demand, to cancel, reschedule or suspend the race or a part of it and issue additional regulations the deem necessary. The organizer of this competition is not responsible for the costs caused to the competitors by possible changes or cancellations. Responsibilities and insurances are in accordance with the 2022 rulebook.

Participation in the competition will happen on the own responsibility of the competitor. AKK Motorsport ry, track companies, Kokkolan Urheiluautoilijat, NM Laatuhuolto Oy or any other clubs or companies affiliated with the event are not responsible for the possible damages or accidents that may occur during the event.

The competitor is responsible for all damages caused to the track or its surroundings. The competitor is also responsible for the actions and neglections of their assistants/mechanics/cooperation partners.

5.1. SCHEDULE

21.8. 2022 Sign-up end, VIP tickets sell ends
22.8. Final list of participants will be published
26.8. Administrative documents must be sent
1.9. 17:00 Paddock opens for entry

Friday 2.9.2022

Solo practice and qualifications

7:45 Administrative checks / Inspections
8:50 Administrative check end
9:00 Drivers briefing
10:00 Solo practice
11:00 Spectator gates open
13:45 Solo practice ends
14:00 Drivers briefing
15:00 Qualifications
19:00 Event finishes

Saturday 3.9.2022

Tandem-practice and TOP32

9:00 Drivers briefing
9:45 Tandem practice / Spectator gates open
12:45 Tandem practice ends
13:00 Drivers briefing
14:00 TOP32 drivers' presentation / TOP32 battles
Podium ceremony at the track after final
19:00 Event finishes



NOTE! The schedule is preliminary, the organizer reserves the right to change the schedule.

5.2. COMPETITION

Progress of the competition is according to the AKK (Autourheilun kansallinen keskusliitto ASN) rulebook. Evaluating judges have the right to cut off or end the competition if needed. Driver has to score points from qualifications in order to continue to the tandem battles.

5.3 EVALUATION JUDGING

According to the regulations of the series. Evaluation judging principles will be specified in the drivers' briefings.

5.4 JUDGING AREA

We will publish the judging area after it has been approved by the necessary parties.

5.5 DRIVERS' BRIEFING

Drivers' briefings according to the schedule. Information of possible changes will be told in the WhatsApp info-group (link below) as well as announcements. If you cannot attend the group via link, please contact Isa Qvist, tel. +358 400 703 111 in order to add you to the group for the duration of this event.

<https://chat.whatsapp.com/FAjgpL5Lic6ySsLhSmyOO>

Every driver must attend the entire duration of the drivers' briefing. For late arrival, a penalty of 50,00€ will be issued. If not attending the drivers' briefing, the management of this event may exclude the driver from this race.

There are two (2) drivers' briefings on both days. Significant information is shared at these briefings, so do not disturb and ask the right to speak during the briefing.

6. SCRUTINEERING

All cars must pass the scrutineering, in which they are deemed to fulfill the technical requirements of their series, before taking part in the first performance. The decibel limit on the days of the competition is 110 dB / 4500 rpm. All race vehicles must have at least a valid traffic insurance.

7. PADDOCK REGULATIONS

Head of the paddock will assist you to find a paddock spot reserved for you. The spots will be appointed by the head of the paddock, and it is not allowed to place vehicles or a tent anywhere else in the area. The instructions given by the head of the paddock must be followed precisely, because the space is very limited in the paddock area. All extra vehicles and trailers must be moved to another location which will be pointed out separately.

Please note, it is strictly forbidden to start your racing vehicle outside event times. If this rule is not obeyed, the competitor may be excluded from the race.

If you need electricity in the paddock, find out the location of the electric outlet from the organizer.
Please be prepared for long pulls with your own extension cable.

Competitors must have a fuel and lubricant proof tarp as the base of their paddock spot. Everyone must also have an absorption mat approved by the rulebook in order to prevent oil leaks into the soil both under the race vehicle as well as the maintenance vehicles.



You must ask for permission to do welding or spark inducing work. The competitor must take care of removing the tires used during the competition from the track area under the threat of a fine.

The fire extinguisher of the paddock spot must be a minimum of 6 kg ABC-class fire extinguisher or AB-class 6 liter foam extinguisher. The extinguisher must be placed near the paddock fairway in the tent and easily available. The extinguisher must have been inspected and it must have a valid stamp.

8. AWARDS

Three best drivers will receive money prizes and object awards in the race.

Total money prize: 2000€ + 150€ x amount of participants (for example 50 drivers; 50x150€=7500€ + 2000€ = 9500€)

All award recipients must attend the prize giving ceremony, only the race director may give permission not to attend the prize giving ceremony in case of force majeure. Awards that are not picked up, will not be sent to the recipient afterwards.

9. RESULTS

The official results will be visible in NEZ Facebook group and KITI-racing service

<https://akk.autourheilu.fi/Kiti/Competition/EventEdit.aspx?id=15680&edit=0>

10. SERVICES

Miscellaneous warm food and other products available in the track area. Small supermarket next to the event area. Citycenter is within walking distance.

No shower available in the track area. Public swimming pool next to the event area open

<https://www.kokkola.fi/en/leisure/sports/swimming-centre-vesiveijari/opening-hours/>

Gas stations where also E85 available can be found nearby the event area, Kaanaanmaantie 2, 67300 Kokkola.

On Saturday evening sauna for the teams in bar Kilta starting 17:00 hrs. Own drinks are forbidden.

10.1. ACCOMMODATION

It is possible to camp out at the track area. Other accommodation possibilities nearby may be found easiest on the website of the municipality.

10.2. FIRST AID

There is a unit of first aid present at the race. You can contact them by meeting them or for example from the race office. The unit will be on call in the immediate proximity of the paddock.

11. ADVERTISING

Vehicles must have the stickers given by the organizer. You are not allowed to modify or cut the stickers.

Please note, that in mainland Finland, Veikkaus Oy has the exclusive right to provide gambling services. Gambling services offered by other operators, either coming from Finland or abroad, are prohibited and punishable under the Criminal Code. Advertising gambling services is forbidden.



12. MEDIA ACCREDITATION

Media entry forms must be sent no later than 31st August.

<https://venetsiadrifting.fi/akkreditointi/>

13. VIP TICKETS

Drivers can buy VIP tickets to the event 120€ each (159€ normal). VIP includes its own area with a bar, two drinks per day and dinner on Saturday. VIP is only over 18-years old. Please order tickets latest 21st August by email venetsiadrifting@gmail.com

Welcome to attend a national event of motorsport!

Hanna Lehtomaa

Race Director

