

## Travel options to Mardorf/Steinhuder Meer

We will provide you with some initial travel information in the following sections. For your detailed travel planning, this is the official address of the organising club.

### Yacht-Club Niedersachsen

#### Uferweg 1

30135 Neustadt am Rübenberge / Ortsteil Mardorf

Koordinaten: 52.49050872996943 / 9.319763415345388

As the championship is being held in cooperation with the neighbouring clubs, we may later put extra signs on site with further information (e.g. on how/where to launch the accompanying boats).

As "Hannover" is located in the centre of northern Germany and has always been an important traffic junction, several motorways cross there and it is easy to get to the Steinhuder Meer from all directions. The same applies to perfect rail connections.

In principle, the event can also be reached quite well by plane and train (see below). Both require a shuttle service for the last few kilometres, which we will gladly arrange for you and your equipment (free of charge). Further information will be announced 1-2 months before the event (as always, Lars will be available for questions beforehand).

We are also planning a material service that will allow you to send your material to "Mardorf" in advance. We will take care of safe storage for a few days/weeks, and timely transport to the venue.

### Arrival by car/van:

If you don't trust your navigation system, here are some general directions.

At the A2 motorway exit "Hannover Nord", take the B6 federal road in the direction of "Nienburg".

Leave the B6 in Neustadt am Rübenberge and follow the signs for Rehburg to Mardorf. From the exit of "Neustadt" to "Mardorf", first drive along "Moorstrasse" and then turn left into "Meerstraße".

After you have left the forest, you will soon find the signs for "Regatta", which will let you turn left into "Weidenbruchsweg".

The road is a little narrow and at the end, where you already have a view of the water, it curves directly towards the entrance to the YCN. A "Regatta" sign removes any doubt as to which way to go.

Please note - speed controls are often carried out on the federal road "B6" from Hanover to Nienburg. In addition, the speed limit on the "Moorstraße" is better to be taken seriously, as this really leads through the moor and there are some sinkholes as a result. It is not yet clear whether this will be renewed by the time of the event.

Alternatively, you can take a small diversion and stay on the B6 coming from Hanover for another 4 kilometres and then drive via "Schneeren" to "Mardorf" - there is no difference in time, then you come from the other direction and have to turn right into "Weidenbruchsweg".

### Arrival by train:

If you want to travel by train, you can easily reach the Hanover railway junction with several ICE high-speed trains from all directions. At the main station in Hanover, you can either take the regional train or the S-Bahn to "Neustadt am Rübenberge", which runs twice an hour and takes between 19-25 minutes. A ticket costs 4.80€. The best way to find out the exact connections is to use the Deutsche Bahn app "DB Navigator" or visit [www.bahn.de](http://www.bahn.de). There is also a bus from Neustadt to Mardorf, but if you let us know in time, we can organise a shuttle.

### Arrival by plane:

Hannover has an international airport with direct flights to the following cities:

Amsterdam (Netherlands) ; Adana, Ankara, Antalya, Bodrum, Dalaman, Diyarbakir, Gaziantep, Istanbul, Izmir, Samsun (Turkey) ; Arrecife, Barcelona, Fuerteventura, Ibiza, Jerez de la Frontera, Las Palmas de Gran Canaria, Mahón, Málaga, Palma de Mallorca, Palma de Mallorca, Tenerife South (Spain) ; Faro, Funchal (Portugal) ; London (United Kingdom) ; Paris (France) ; Verona (Italy) ; Athens, Heraklion Corfu, Kos, Patras, Rhodes, Thessaloniki (Greece) ; Vienna (Austria) ; Zurich (Switzerland) ; Arbil (Iraq) ; Belgrade (Serbia) ; Djerba, Monastir (Tunisia) ; Frankfurt am Main, Munich (Germany) ; Hurghada (Egypt) ; Copenhagen (Denmark) ; Larnaka (Cyprus) ; Malta (Malta) ; Pristina (Kosovo) ; Rabil (Cape Verde) ; Riga (Latvia as of 04/2023) and is also connected worldwide via various European hubs.

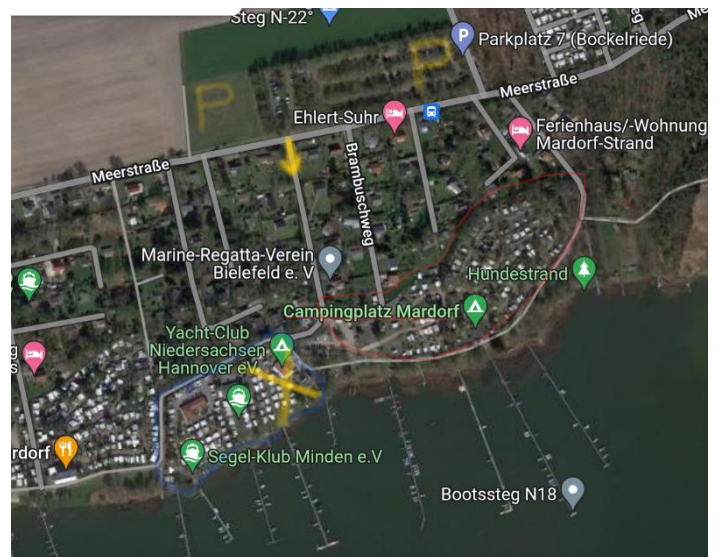
From the airport you can either drive to Mardorf in about 30 minutes by rental car or take the S-Bahn (via Hannover main station) to Neustadt am Rübenberge. Or you can let us know in good time and we will organise a shuttle service.

### Parking regulations in the YCN for the championship

If you are not going to stay at the neighbouring campsite anyway and want to store your equipment there, you can stop at the Yacht Club car park for a short time before and after the event to unload your equipment.

Apart from that, this area will be closed during the championship because the area directly at the water is intended for a material tent and the front area is needed for rescue services, press and catering vehicles during the races.

We will provide a daytime parking area directly on Meerstraße and sign it accordingly, so that you can park there during the races. Vehicles can be parked on the meadow (rented) next to the car park with barrier at the entrance to Weidenbruchsweg or on the official car park at Bokelriede.



### Storage areas for equipment

Our beach or the land berth grassland, as well as a tent, are used for equipment storage. Boards and personal belongings can be stored here and used as a changing room if required. We have agreed with the directly neighboring clubs that certain areas located directly on the shore can also be used as material storage. In addition, the meadow between the campsite and the YCN is a suitable day camp and we are currently negotiating with the owner whether we can even fence it in and use it as a guarded storage area at night.