

MA – KA – DO
Malé Karpatcké dobrodružstvo (Small Carpathian Adventure)
INFORMATION FOR COMPETITORS

Date: 04.10.2008 (Saturday)

Centre: Rača – Knižková dolina, Amfiteáter

Map: special for MA-KA-DO, scale 1:25 000, ekv. 10m, size A2, actualized in 2008

Start fees: after Sept 30, 2008: 500 SK/couple, 2 maps

Registration: 7:45 – 8:30 for competition for 300 min
9:15 – 10:00 for competition for 180 min
10:45 – 11:15 for competition for 120 min

All competitors younger than 18 years need a written approval from their parents.

During registration you will get: maps with checkpoints without values, ID card and start numbers. We recommend you to bring some permanent markers to be able to prepare tactics.

Based on the application form it is possible to rent a mapholder (20 Sk)

Start: 9:00 for competition for 300 min
10:30 for competition for 180 min
11:45 for competition for 120 min (R+D)

Please leave your bikes in specified area before start. You will receive CP's values at the moment of start. Please finalize your tactics, write values to map, etc without your bikes! Then take your bikes and go! You must leave the starting area within 10 minutes after start.

You must attend to start area at least 10 min. before start.

Punching: CPs are punched into paper IDs. Both competitors must visit the CP. CPs in map are identified with number 1,2,3...; in forest with number 101,102,103,... **You must punch CP no. 101 into field 101, CP no. 102 into field 102, CP no. 113 into field 113, etc.**

Unfortunately, some so-called tourists steal or damage or CPs. For this case there are small papers with numbers on the ground near each CP. Take one of these papers and return it to finish – this will confirm your presence at CP.

Please, firmly fasten the ID to your bike using SkiZip or some elastic.

First Aid: There will be a doctor in the event centre.

Refreshment: Hot tea and mineral water in finish + buffet in competition centre.

Ranking:

1. score for visited CPs
2. time penalty deduction
 - 00:01 min. - 10:00 min. after the limit -> -2 points / for every started minute
 - 10:01 min. - 30:00 min. after the limit -> -10 points / for every started minute
 - 30:01 min. and longer after the limit -> disqualification
3. in case two couples have same score – couple with better time wins

Prize giving ceremony: est. 15:00

First three couples in each category and all kids receive valuable prizes + special prize for latest arrival before time limit

Raffle: After the prize-giving, there will be a raffle for:

1. travel voucher for 2 persons in Hotel Park, Piestany
2. travel voucher for 2 persons in mountain hotel Myto pod Dumbierom
3. MTBO map holder MIRY

Important notes:

1. You must go through finish even if you experience unexpected problems. In case, you are really not able to attend to finish area you must inform us as soon as possible – phone number will be displayed in competition centre.
2. Competition takes places in forest near inhabited area – so please be careful of other visitors of forest, in some areas even cars! You must obey the Forest law!
3. **You are starting on your own risk. Competitors younger than 18 must show written permission of their parents at registration!**
4. **HELMET IS COMPULSORY!**
5. Map is not waterproof.
6. Some CPs may have score of 0 (zero) points. These CPs are not present in forest!

Competition manager: Stanislava Fajtova
Technical manager: Adam Müller
Main referee: Mikuláš Šabo
Courses: Tomáš Flassik

Members of ŠK VAZKA Bratislava wish you a lot of success and fun!

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