

BULLETIN 1

DRENTHE 2 DAYS 2016

29-30 OCTOBER 2016

We welcome you to the Drenthe 2 Days 2016 in Diever-Appelscha in the Netherlands! We offer you O-races of great quality on two of the finest maps of the Netherlands. We will bring you to the terrains we used for the Drenthe 3 Days in 2013. We've mapped new parts and expanded the beautiful maps in the National Parc the "Drents-Friese Wold". We are very glad the State Forestry ("Staatsbosbeheer") granted us permission to use the beautiful maps Dieverzand and Kale Duinen.

This is the initial information we have to offer. Check our website <u>www.drenthe2days.nl</u> and follow us on facebook to read our news immediately.

Organization

Organizing club: HOC'93 Chairman HOC'93 and chairman organizing committee: Ton Roos Race Leader: Clemens Roos Secretary: Esther Bosman Logistics and Finance: Adriaan Baas IOF Event advisor: Wil Allards Course planner Stage 1: Klaas de Jong Controller Stage 1: Clemens Roos Course planner Stage 2: Clemens Roos Course planner Stage 2: Klaas de Jong

Contact: info@drenthe2days.nl

Venue

The first stage will take place in the vicinity of Diever, a small town of around 2500 inhabitants. The second stage will take place close to Appelscha with around 5000 inhabitants. The distance between both villages is approx. 15km's and the distance between the two maps is approx.. 8 km's. The region is one of the most sparsely populated of the Netherlands, with agricultural lands and forest dominating.

Distances from the nearest big cities:

Amsterdam – 170km Düsseldorf – 240km Bremen – 210km Brussels – 300km Berlin – 590km Paris – 613km



Program

Day 1

Date: 29th of October 2016 WORLD RANKING EVENT (to be confirmed by IOF) Map: **Dieverzand**, 1:10.000; 2,5m for M/W21 and M18-45 (1:7.500 for other categories) Distance: Middle Distance 1_{st} start: 13:00CET

Day 2

Date: 30th of October 2016 Map: Kale Duinen 1:10.000; 2,5m for M/W21 and M18-45 (1:7.500 for other categories) Distance: Classic+ 1st start: 10:00CET (to be confirmed) Ps. Please be aware that the clock will change from summertime to wintertime in the early morning of 30th of October. (1 hour backwards so 1 hour extra sleep)

Terrain description

Day 1:

Terrain form: Flat to moderately hilly. Vegetation: Mixed with mostly coniferous forest, some deciduous forest. Runnability: Good. Visibility: Good to very good, apart from patches of dense forest. Paths and roads: Developed network of paths and forest roads.

Day 2:

Terrain form: Moderately hilly. Vegetation: A mixture of open heath land, sand and mostly coniferous forest. Runnability: Good to excellent in the open part, tough in the wooded parts. Visibility: Very good in the open part, good in the wooded part. Paths and roads: Developed network of paths and forest roads.

Classes

Men	Women
M-10*	W-10*
M-12	W-12
M-14	W-14
M-16	W-16
M-18	W-18
M-20	W-20
M21E	W21E
M35	W35
M40	W40
M45	W45
M50	W50
M55	W55
M60	W60
M65	W65
M70	W70
M75	W75
M80+	W80+
Open Course difficult	
Open Course easy	
String course for youngest children	
* separate class for accompanied/shadowed M/W-10 if applical	

Entries

Online via <u>www.orienteeringonline.net</u>. See the website or orienteeringonline.net for the details. Entry is accepted when the payment is done.

Entry dates and entry fee

Early birds till 31st of May 2016: <M/W-18: € 15 >M/W-20: € 20 Only WRE (M/W21): € 15

Till 31st of August 2016: <M/W-18: € 17,50 >M/W-20: € 25 Only WRE (M/W21): € 17,50

Till 30th of September 2016: <M/W-18: € 20 >M/W-20: € 30 Only WRE (M/W21): € 20

After 30th of September 2016 entry is only possible on the vacant places. Contact info@drenthe2days.nl. Additional €2,50 fee.

Entry for the String course (for the youngest children) is possible online and during the competition itself at the CC in the arena. ($\leq 2,50$)

Entry for the open courses only during the competition at the CC in the arena.

Punching system

We will use SportIdent during the Drenthe2Days. Competitors can use their own SI-card. Please provide your SI-card number when entering. SI-cards can also be rented.

Competition Centre

The Competition Centre will be located in the Finish arena of both stages.

Price giving ceremony

The price giving ceremony of the WRE will take place immediately after the WRE race on Saturday 29th of October. The price giving ceremony of the Drenthe 2 Days will take place after stage 2 in the arena near the Competition Centre.

Accommodation

There are lots of opportunities for accommodation. You can find camping sites, group accommodations, B&B's and hotels in different prize categories in the Diever-Appelscha area. You can use http://in.drenthe.nl/en/p/overnachten-in-drenthe/ to start your search.



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