

## Welcome

### *Koovee welcomes you to Tampere!*

*Koovee is a sports club having several divisions, some of them just for enjoying sports as a hobby, some of them having goals on the top of the nation or even of the world. The latter ones include e.g. orienteering, floorball, figure skating, wrestling and pétanque. This year the club has the honour to host two junior competitions on world championship level, an orienteering competition in July, and a wrestling competition in August.*

*Tampere is the optimal place for orienteering in Finland. We have several orienteering clubs to keep even the local level of competitions high, terrains so versatile that once you learn to orienteer here, you can orienteer anywhere, and almost all main orienteering competitions of Finland closer than 200 kilometres from here. In 2001, we hosted together with Tampereen Pyrintö the first world championship ever on sprint orienteering, and ever since we have gained more and more expertise on sprint competitions in addition to the more traditional types of foot orienteering.*

*This year we will bring the competitors to the forests of Teisko and to the center of the city. They will learn the beauty of the rural country and the stairs of Pispala. In July, the weather is the warmest in Finland, but may vary a lot from chilly to hot (from 15 to over 30 degrees). Even if we can't promise much about the weather, we can promise you a warm welcome to Tampere.*

*See you in July,*

**Hannu-Matti Järvinen**

*The Chairman of Koovee*

*Koovee has long tradition on hosting competitions on all levels .*

*This year, the club will host both orienteering and wrestling competitions on world championship levels.*



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## Detailed event programme

Saturday, July 8		
09:00-12:00	Event Center open, accreditation	Murikanranta
12:00-18:00	Middle model event	Viitapohja
15:00-20:00	Event Center open, accreditation	Murikanranta
Sunday, July 9		
08:30-12:00	Sprint and middle model event	Viitapohja
09:00-13:00	Event Center open	Murikanranta
12:00	Deadline for entries Middle and accreditation	Murikanranta
14:00	Opening Ceremony (Särkänniemi)	
15:00-17:30	Sprint and middle model event	Tampere/Viitapohja
16:00-20:00	Event Center open	Murikanranta
16:00-17:30	Technical model in Murikanranta	Murikanranta
18:30	Team Officials meeting Middle Q	Murikanranta
16:00-20:00	Event Center open	Murikanranta
16:00-17:30	Technical model in Murikanranta	Murikanranta
18:30	Team Officials meeting Middle Q	Murikanranta

<b>Monday, July 10</b>		
15:00-17:30	Sprint and middle model event	Tampere/Viitapohja
07:30-13:30	Arena Info point open	Viitapohja
09:00-12:45	Middle Qualification	Viitapohja
17:00-20:00	Event Center open	Murikanranta
18:30	Team Officials meeting Middle F	Murikanranta
<b>Tuesday, July 11</b>		
11:30-16:45	Arena Info point open	Viitapohja
12:00	Deadline for entries Sprint	
12:00-13:45	Middle B- and C-finals	Viitapohja
13:15-16:15	Middle A-final	Viitapohja
16:30	Flower ceremony	Viitapohja
17:00-20:00	Event Center open	Murikanranta
18:30	Team Officials meeting Sprint	Murikanranta
<b>Wednesday, July 12</b>		
09:30-14:30	Arena Info point open	Pispala
10:00-13:35	Sprint	Pispala
14:00	Flower ceremony	Pispala
16:00	JWOC mini-fest – picnic & music (City Center)	Tampere
18:00	Prize giving ceremony Middle+Sprint (City Center)	Tampere
19:00-20:00	Event Center open	Murikanranta
<b>Thursday, July 13</b>		
10:00-16:00	Model event Long and Relay	Särkänperä
12:00	Deadline for entries Long	
16:00-18:00	Event Center open	Murikanranta
16:30	Team Officials meeting long + relay	Murikanranta
<b>Friday, July 14</b>		
08:30-17:00	Arena Info point open	Särkänperä
09:00-16:15	Long distance	Särkänperä
16:30	Flower ceremony	Särkänperä
18:00	Deadline for entries Relay	
18:00-20:00	Event Center open	Murikanranta
<b>Saturday, July 15</b>		
12:30-17:30	Arena Info point open	Särkänperä
13:30-17:15	Relay	Särkänperä
17:00	Prize giving ceremony long and relay, closing ceremony	Särkänperä
18:00-20:00	Event Center open	Murikanranta
20:00	JWOC Party starts	Murikanranta

## Competition Rules

The Competition Rules for IOF Foot Orienteering Events (version from 1st January 2017) shall be applied for participation in the Junior World Orienteering Championships 2017. Please refer to the Competition Rules on the IOF website [www.orienteering.org](http://www.orienteering.org)

Maps are following ISOM 2000 (Middle, long and relay) and ISSOM 2007 (Sprint).

Rule deviation for JWOC 2017 in Tampere:

The olive green areas (symbol no 527) on ISOM maps are forbidden areas.

## Classes and Participation Restrictions

Classes: W 20, M 20

All competitors must be born in or after 1997 and must be full passport-holding citizens of the country they are representing.

## Anti-Doping Code

Doping is strictly forbidden and the organizers of the JWOC 2017 are dedicated to supporting the anti-doping authorities in their work.

Doping tests are always carried out in accordance with the procedures described in the WADA International Standard for Testing. The IOF Anti-Doping Code and rules and the World Anti-Doping Code 2015 apply as of 1st January 2015.

Athletes who are selected for the doping tests must bring an official identification (with photo) to the doping test area. The athlete should also bring along their Therapeutic Use Exemption (TUE) if applicable. In general, it is advisable that the athletes bring along their ID to all the competitions and events.

For more information, please consult:  
<http://orienteering.org/anti-doping/>

## Punching and Time-Keeping system

Emit punching systems will be used in all competitions. New Emit cards and EmiTags will be given for competitors. Timing (end results) will be done using EmiTags. The punching in sprint will be done by the Emit touchfree system with the EmiTag, in all other events with the Emit card by manual punching. The punching with both systems will be shown at the technical model event on Sunday.

## Health services (First aid)

First-aid services will be provided at the competitions. Each federation is responsible for its own insurance (as per Rule #6.4).

## Online production

There will be GPS-tracking, online internet results, video-feed in internet and a live speaker at all events.

## Clothing

The clothing rules of the Finnish Orienteering Federation apply which means that dress is free in all disciplines.

It is forbidden to use shoes with metal spikes in any competitions and trainings. Metal studs are allowed in the Long, Middle and Relay races, but not in the Sprint race.

## Weather/Climate

The summers in Tampere are mild. In July, the daily mean temperature is 16.9°C, with the average low temperature being 11.7 °C. The average high temperature is 22.2 °C. Average precipitation is 75 mm, with an average of 15 rainy days.

## Finish areas

The finish areas are in the following coordinates:

<b>Middle</b>	Viitapohja	N 61° 39' 18", E 24° 3' 14"
<b>Sprint</b>	Pispala	N 61° 29' 31", E 23° 44' 7"
<b>Long and Relay</b>	Särkänperä	N 61° 45' 16", E 23° 57' 38"



## Event center

The Athletes' Village for JWOC will be in the Murikanranta. Conference Hotel Murikanranta is a unique restaurant, meeting and accommodation center surrounded by beautiful nature in Teisko, Tampere. Murikanranta together with the unique environment will create a real athletes' village with a great atmosphere for JWOC 2017. Murikanranta will offer the athletes accommodation, food, different free time activities and a peaceful environment for concentrating on the competitions. The hotel has great facilities for team and team leader meetings as well as for different events such as the JWOC Party on Saturday 15.7.

Murikanranta has been under renovation for some time, and there will still be some renovation taking place during the JWOC competition week. However, this should not interfere with the activities of the athletes in Murikanranta.

Coordinates: N61.702430, E23.799327.

<http://www.murikanranta.fi/en/>

## Venue and access

With a population of well over 200,000, Tampere (founded in 1779) is the largest inland city in the Nordic countries.

Thanks to the new city planning, former industrial areas such as Finlayson and Tampella are alive again: cafes, restaurants, shops, cinemas, museums and galleries have found a place there.

There is a lot to see in Tampere: original Finnish architecture, breath-taking lake sceneries, magnificent glacial ridges, beautiful parks and lush forests next to the city center. Särkänniemi adventure park with Angry Birds Land is located near the city center. For more information, please visit <http://visittampere.fi>.

Tampere is located in southern Finland some 170 km north of Helsinki, the capital of the country. It is within easy reach: less than two hours by train or by car from the both major coastal cities (Helsinki & Turku) and even more conveniently accessible by air, thanks to good flight connections. The distance from the Tampere-Pirkkala airport to the center of Tampere is about 17 km. The railway station is situated in the city center.

## Embargoed areas

A map overview and the detailed maps of the areas can be found on our Website: <http://www.jwoc2017.fi/embargoed-areas>.

Competitors, team officials, and other persons, who, through knowledge of the terrain, may influence the results of the competitions, are not allowed to enter the embargoed area, except on the designated routes

shown on the embargo maps and with no map of the terrain.

Other persons, who, through knowledge of the terrain, may influence the results of the competitions are for example, but not exclusively, intermediate family members, club coaches or managers or coaches working for federation. If for any reason, permission for access into embargoed terrain is needed, it shall be requested from the organizer (Rule 14.4).

## Team officials' meetings

For each competition, a team officials' meeting will be held before the competition day, providing all important information about the competitions.

There will only be one meeting for both the Long Distance and Relay.

All team officials' meetings will be held in the event center in Murikanranta.

If you have questions for the meetings, please send them to [jwoc2017@gmail.com](mailto:jwoc2017@gmail.com) until 16:00 on the respective day and we will answer them during the meeting.

## Training

Trainings around Tampere are available.

There are training maps available for all the different disciplines. Training areas are chosen to model the competition terrains and map-makers style as much as possible.

### Contact info for trainings:

e-mail [trainings@jwoc2017.fi](mailto:trainings@jwoc2017.fi)

Elo Saue, +358 44 774 8867

Skype [elo.saue](https://www.skype.com/en/contacts/elo.saue)

More information on

<http://www.jwoc2017.fi/trainings>

## Arriving to Finland / Tampere / Murikanranta

From Helsinki Airport, there is train connection to Tampere. For train tickets, timetables and prices see <https://www.vr.fi/cs/vr/en/frontpage>

From Tampere Airport, there is bus connection to Tampere center. For bus line 1A, see <http://aikataulut.tampere.fi/?lang=en&line=1A>

From Tampere City center to Murikanranta: the bus line 90M and 90 Mx goes to Maisansalo, the closest stop to Murikanranta. Also, bus line 90 stops near, at the Maisansalo crossroad. For these bus lines, see <http://aikataulut.tampere.fi/?lang=en&line=90>



## Terrain description

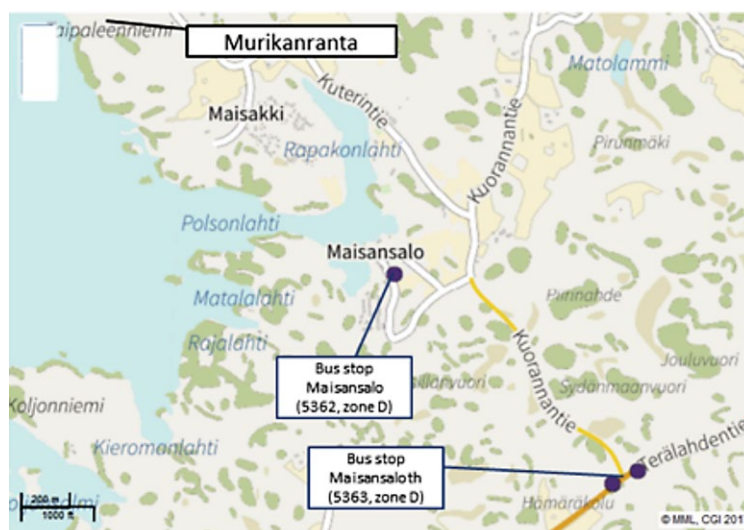
	Middle	Sprint	Long	Relay
<b>Terrain form</b>	Hill areas that vary from scarcely detailed to detailed.	City environment in a hilly terrain.	Varies from scarcely detailed to more detailed bare rock hills and a few very detailed slope areas.	Mostly scarcely detailed.
<b>Vegetation</b>	Mostly dry peaty forest. The competition area has a few spots where there is taller undergrowth and/or clear-cut logging that affects the runnability.	Mainly city environment with buildings, stairs, some parks and park-like forests.	Mainly dry peaty forest with a good ground. The competition area has a few spots where there is tall undergrowth or clear-cut logging that affects the runnability.	Mainly dry peaty forest with a good ground.
<b>Runnability</b>	Mostly good.	Good, mostly on built roads.	Mostly good, varies from slow areas to really good areas.	Good, sometimes very good.
<b>Visibility</b>	Mostly good, varies based on the vegetation.	City-like.	Mostly good, varies based on the vegetation.	Mostly good.
<b>Paths and roads</b>	The competition area has some forest roads. There are few paths. From time to time, there are also forest machinery tracks.	There are a lot of roads and paths.	The competition area has some forest roads. There are few paths. From time to time, there are also forest machinery tracks.	The competition area has some forest roads. There are few paths. From time to time, there are also forest machinery tracks.
<b>Special features</b>	It is forbidden to pass through cultivated land (ISOM symbol 415). In the competition maps, cultivated land is marked with the forbidden area marking if necessarily (ISOM symbol 709).	There can be artificial features.	It is forbidden to pass through cultivated land (ISOM symbol 415). In the competition maps, cultivated land is marked with the forbidden area marking if necessarily (ISOM symbol 709).	It is forbidden to pass through cultivated land (ISOM symbol 415). In the competition maps, cultivated land is marked with the forbidden area marking if necessarily (ISOM symbol 709).

Our transport co-operator is JHK Line (<http://www.jhkline.fi/index.html>). If you wish to order for example your own transportation from Tampere City Center or from the nearest bus stop Maisansalo to Murikanranta, please contact in advance: henry.kuitunen@hotmail.com.

## Transport during JWOC

### For teams

Transportations from Murikanranta to the starts and from the competition centres back to the Murikanranta are handled by the organizer. Return transport options on Wednesday 12th are either directly after the sprint race or after the prize giving ceremony. Options must be made before



## Competition Courses

Competition	Scale	Contour	Class	Winning time	Length	Climb	Controls	Refreshments
Middle Qualification	1:10000	5 m	Women	23 min	3.4-3.5 km	90-100 m	11-12	
			Men	23 min	4.0-4.1 km	100-120 m	13-14	
Middle Final	1:10000	5 m	Women A	24 min	3.6 km	125 m	13	1
			Women B	24 min	2.9 km	90 m	11	
			Women C	24 min	2.5 km	75 m	9	
			Men A	24 min	4.2 km	135 m	17	1
			Men B	24 min	3.5 km	110 m	13	
			Men C	24 min	3.1 km	110m	11	
Sprint	1:4000	2 m	Women	13 min	3.0 km	50 m	20	
			Men	13 min	3.5 km	50 m	22	
Long	1:15000	5 m	Women	55 min	7.8 km	240 m	16	3
			Men	70 min	10.7 km	320 m	21	4
Relay	1:10000	5 m	Women	3x30 min	4.7-4.8 km	70 m	12	1
			Men	3x30 min	5.5-5.6 km	90 m	13	1

The sprint course lengths are the shortest feasible route as specified in IOF Foot Orienteering Competition Rules.

Wednesday. Own transports are allowed for coaches / team members going directly to the competition center with their own cars.

With the extra cost of 20 euros you can sign for the transportations to model events. The transport package should be bought in advance from the online store (<http://www.jwoc2017.fi/product-category/services>)

### Sunday 9th morning:

Murikanranta – Middle model event - Murikanranta

### Sunday 9th afternoon:

Murikanranta – Opening Ceremony and Sprint model in Tampere centre – Murikanranta

### Thursday 13th morning:

Murikanranta – Long / relay model event - Murikanranta

The public busses (lines 90, 90M and 90Mx) drive between Maisansalo or Maisansalo crossroad and Tampere City centre approximately once an hour on weekdays. You can see the timetables here <http://aikataulut.tampere.fi/?lang=en&line=90>.

### For spectators

Bus transportation is arranged between Tampere City centre (Hakametsä ice hockey hall) and competition centres. Signing up and payment can be made by 26th June using a form that can be found on the competition website 2017.fin5.fi. The ticket prices for adults are 30 €/week or 10 €/day or children under 12 years 24 €/week or 8 €/day.

Tickets for the buses are sold also at the information points in the competition centres and the starting places of the buses, if there is space left. (those who have bought their tickets in advance are a priority.) The prices are 12 €/day or 8 €/direction for adults and children under 12 years 10 €/day or 6 €/direction.

## Accommodation

The main place for accommodation during JWOC 2017 is the Conference Hotel Murikanranta. The different possibilities, rates and the board that they include are presented in the table below.

The accommodation package consists of 7 nights from Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> to Sunday 16<sup>th</sup>. An extra night June 8<sup>th</sup>-9<sup>th</sup> can be ordered separately by email [jwoc2017@gmail.com](mailto:jwoc2017@gmail.com). The prices follow the total package prices in the chosen category.

All accommodation should be booked no later than 9 May 2017, and the payment should be done on 21 May 2017 at the latest. The booking of accommodation is done through the IOF Eventor at <https://eventor.orienteering.org/Events/Show/5109>. First come, first serve!

Of course, you may also book accommodations not listed by the organizers. However, make sure they are not located within the embargoed areas! Official (and compulsory) transports to the competitions starts only from Murikanranta

Also those who have ordered category D packages are able to order dinners or evening snacks with extra payment. Kitchen facilities for those who will make their own evening meals are located in Maisakki cottage village, 0,5 km from Murikanranta.

It is possible to also order lunches in Murikanranta on Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> or Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> and dinner on Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> or Sunday 9<sup>th</sup>. Binding orders for all the extra meals should be made by email [jwoc2017@gmail.com](mailto:jwoc2017@gmail.com) by the end of May. More information in the services and accommodation table below.

### In competition arenas

In each competition arena, lunch will be served. JWOC participants are entitled to order a lunch package for the whole week for the cost of 25 euros (incl. lunches on five competition days). Price for team officials is 40 euros. The lunch package should be bought in advance from the online store (<http://www.jwoc2017.fi/product-category/services>)

## Meals

### In athletes' village Murikanranta

The teams who have reserved the full board package (category A, B or C) will be served the meals from Monday 10<sup>th</sup> breakfast to Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> breakfast (breakfasts, dinners and evening snacks). Category D accommodation includes breakfast, but no other meals.

## Entries

The deadline for preliminary entries is 9 May 2017. For competitors who present their entries before that deadline, we offer the participation without the accreditation fee or individual competitions fee. The rest of the entry dates and the information that has to be presented can be seen in the following tables.

Class	Description	Room quantity	Beds / mattresses
A Comfortable	24 m <sup>2</sup> superior double	8	16
B Standard	18 m <sup>2</sup> standard double	72	144
C Budget	18 m <sup>2</sup> standard double + extra bed	24	72
D Budget A	16 m <sup>2</sup> small meeting rooms, 3 beds	16	48
D Budget B	140 m <sup>2</sup> valu meeting room *	1	30
D Budget C	435 m <sup>2</sup> sports hall *	1	70

\* Floor mattress, the mattresses and sheets are offered. D budget C sports hall is divided into smaller parts with exhibition walls.

Class	Breakfast	Dinner	Evening snack	Total cost / 7 nights	Extra night 8th-9th/person
A Comfortable	Yes	Yes	Yes	<b>592,00</b>	<b>88,00</b>
B Standard	Yes	Yes	Yes	<b>424,00</b>	<b>64,00</b>
C Budget	Yes	Yes	Yes	<b>312,00</b>	<b>48,00</b>
D Budget	Yes	No	No	<b>217,00</b>	<b>31,00</b>



Entries should be made through the IOF Eventor at <https://eventor.orienteering.org/Events/Show/5109>

Only persons registered as « Entry administrator » for the federations in the IOF Eventor system are allowed to do the registration. Contact IOF at [eventor@orienteering.org](mailto:eventor@orienteering.org) if you have any problems or questions.

On the deadline for the preliminary entries the following information must include:

- Number of competitors in each class (maximum 6 women and 6 men)
- Number of relay teams in each class (maximum 2 female and 2 male teams)
- Number of team officials (maximum 4)
- Team leader's name and contact details
- Date and time of arrival and departure
- Means of transport used to get to Tampere
- Accommodation requirements

## Competition entry

Entry type	When	What	Fee	Late Entry	How	Payment
1 Initial entry (Team size)	9 March to 9 May	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Number of competitors in each class (maximum 6 women and 6 men)</li> <li>• Number of relay teams in each class (maximum 2 female and 2 male teams)</li> <li>• Number of team officials (maximum 4)</li> <li>• Number of competitors per competition</li> </ul>	Accreditation & Competition Fees: EUR 0	+ EUR 75 per person. Entries after 30 June may not be accepted.	IOF Eventor	If you have to pay a late fee, it needs to be paid by bank transfer.
2	9 May to 30 June	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Names of the athletes and team officials participating</li> </ul>	Only late fee	Late nominal entries will be accepted up to 12:00 on 8 July. There will be a late fee of EUR 30 per national team for late entries.	IOF Eventor	Late fee must be paid before 8 July.
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Team leader's name and contact details</li> <li>• Dates of arrival and departure</li> <li>• Means of transport used to get to Tampere</li> </ul>	No	No	Email to organizer	No
3 Competition Entry	Before 12:00 on the day before each individual competition  Before 18:00 on the day before the relay	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Individual competitions: Names of the competitors and, if required, their starting group</li> <li>• Relays: Names of the competitors and their running order.</li> </ul>	No	No	IOF Eventor	No

## Services and accommodation entry

Entry type	When	What	Fee	Late Entry	How	Payment
Extra night 8 <sup>th</sup> -9 <sup>th</sup>	Up to 9 May	An extra night for Saturday-Sunday	see accommodation	No	Email to organizer jwoc2017@gmail.com	by bank transfer
Extra meals in Murikanranta	Up to 31 May	Lunches on July 9 <sup>th</sup> or 13 <sup>th</sup> , Dinners on Saturday 8 <sup>th</sup> or Sunday 9 <sup>th</sup>	Lunches EUR 12 Dinners EUR 16 Evening snacks EUR 8	No	Email to organizer jwoc2017@gmail.com	by bank transfer
Lunch packages	Up to 31 May	Lunch at the competition arenas (x5)	For participants EUR 25 For officials EUR 40	45 euros	online store <a href="http://www.jwoc2017.fi/product-category/services">http://www.jwoc2017.fi/product-category/services</a>	by bank transfer
Transportation	Up to 31 May	Transportation to model events	EUR 20	No	online store <a href="http://www.jwoc2017.fi/product-category/services">http://www.jwoc2017.fi/product-category/services</a>	by bank transfer

## Payment

See the table above to see payment dates and more information.

Please note that the payer is responsible for all bank fees and charges. Entries will not be deemed valid until full payment is received by the organiser.

## Payment details

Name on account:

JWOC / FIN5 KOOVEE

Owner's address: Koovee ry./ Suunnistusjaosto,  
Sarvijaakonkatu 33540 Tampere, Finland

Bank: TAMPEREEN SEUDUN OSUUSPANKKI

Bank address: HÄMEENKATU 12, 33101, TAMPERE, Finland

IBAN: FI20 5730 0820 7221 28

BIC: OKOYFIHH

Detail of payment: [Country] – JWOC

[entry fee/accommodation]

Please specify the amounts.

access to all means of transport and authorized zones.

The online entry form asks that all persons to be accredited provide a personal portrait photo in Eventor for use on the ID card.

## Bulletin 4

Bulletin 4 will be published on 7<sup>th</sup> of July 2017. It will be given to all athletes and team officials at accreditation.

## Visas

Visitors from EU Member States, citizens of other Nordic countries and people from select visa-free countries do not need a visa to visit Finland. You can check if you need a visa and how to apply for one on the web page for the Ministry for Foreign Affairs of Finland: <http://www.formin.fi/public/default.aspx?nodeid=49459&contentlan=2&culture=en-US#Find%20out%20if%20you%20need%20a%20visa?>

If an official invitation letter from the JWOC organisers is needed, please make an official request to the following e-mail address: jwoc2017@gmail.com

## Accreditation

All registered participants must check in for accreditation at the JWOC Event Center on Saturday, 8 July 2017 or Sunday morning, 9 July 2017 before 12:00.

**Each registered team member must be present and show her/his personal passport before she/he can be accredited.** A personal JWOC ID card with photo will be handed out at accreditation. All accredited persons must wear it at all relevant times and present it for

## Media

We welcome all media representatives to JWOC 2017.

In all arenas, work stations (tables and chairs) and internet connections as well as photo shooting areas in the terrain and the finish are provided.

We are glad to help with accommodation for media in Tampere, please contact [accommodation@jwoc2017.fi](mailto:accommodation@jwoc2017.fi)

The entry form for media representatives is available on [www.jwoc2017.fi](http://www.jwoc2017.fi). Accreditations have to be done by 30 June 2017.

Media contact: Ulrika Uotila  
 telephone: +358 40 722 0186,  
 e-mail: [ulrikauotila@gmail.com](mailto:ulrikauotila@gmail.com)

## Summary of entries received

Up-to-date information can be found from  
<https://eventor.orienteering.org/Events/Show/5109>

## Free time activities

At Murinkanranta JWOC participants can spend free time together with many activities:

- Take a rowboat trip on Lake Näsijärvi – Boats available (deposit required)
- Or simply go for a refreshing swim – sandy beach by the lake
- Enjoy a bicycle trip around Teisko – Bikes available (deposit required)
- Relax by the fire on a lean-to – give a try for traditional Finnish sausages for only 3,50 €/person (includes 2 sausages/person)
- Try the local Disc Golf Track – Disc Golfs available (deposit required)
- Also various yard games are available for your use – (deposit required)

Some practical information for the teams

- Murikanranta is only meant for team members and authorized organisers.
- Guests can meet athletes in the common area and they need to register in the reception.
- Orienteering shoes or other shoes with spikes are not to be worn indoors.
- The Murikanranta beach sauna can be reserved for a separate payment. The saunas directly by the accommodation are free for all.
- Murikanranta offers free wifi.
- There is a small kiosk at Murikanranta, but the closest grocery shop is 7 km away. The closest bus stop is 2 km away.

## Spectators and FIN5 Orienteering Week

JWOC 2017 will be hosted simultaneously with the Fin5 Orienteering week.

The Fin5 Orienteering Week is the most popular orienteering event in Finland. It has been organized since 1984. The Fin5 Orienteering Week is an official event of the Finnish Orienteering Federation. The Finnish Orienteering Federation has decided that the Orienteering Club Koovee will organize Fin5 in 2017.

Competition areas and arenas for Fin5 will be the same as for the JWOC races. There will also be a possibility to register for open courses at the competition center or beforehand. A Kiddie Park will be available for the youngest children. More information: [2017.fn5.fi](http://2017.fn5.fi).

