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WOC 2017

Tere tulemast! Welcome to WOC 2017

Team Officials Meeting, June 29, 17:00-18:00
Sprint Q, Sprint F and Sprint Relay



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Agenda

- Introductions
- Practical issues
- Technical issues
- Weather forecast
- Competition information
- Questions



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Introduction

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Practical issues

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION ABOUT QUARANTINE ZONES

Entry to quarantine

- Competitors and coaches must observe the check-in times announced for each WOC race. The latest check-in time to enter the quarantine is stated in the race details, and no-one will be allowed into the quarantine area after that time.
- At the check-in to the quarantine area, each competitor and coach has to show his or her accreditation card and runners / coaches have to sign the quarantine entry form.



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Practical issues

Quarantine to pre-start

- At all Sprint and Relay competitions, the pre-start is close to the quarantine area and no extra transportation is needed.
- Please note that teams will not be allowed to drive their own vehicles between quarantine zones and pre-start areas.



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Practical issues

Please be so kind and remember these very important things:

- The use of mobile phones, computers or any communication device inside the quarantine is strictly forbidden.
- It is not allowed to bring any maps into the quarantine zones.
- Coaches are not allowed to follow the athletes beyond the -5 min at any competitions.
- The use of spiked shoes is strictly forbidden indoors!
- There are toilets in the quarantine zones and right before the -5 min zones.
- There is also drinking water available.



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Practical issues

QUARANTINE SPRINT QUALIFICATION

- **Location:** Tähtvere Tennisekeskus (Laulupeo puiestee 19).
See the compulsory route to the quarantine on the map in bulletin 4.
- **Check-in time to quarantine: 11:30 - 12:45**



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Practical issues

• SPRINT QUALIFICATION

Quarantine	-5 min	-4,5min	-4 min	-3,5min	-3min	-2,5min	-2 min	-1,5min	-1 min	-0,5min	Start
Check-in Bibs Warm-up map	Bib control & timing chip control		Clear & check timing chip		Control descriptions					Start Line map	



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Practical issues

QUARANTINE SPRINT FINAL

- **Location:** Sadamateater (Soola 5b, 300 m NE from the Event Centre)
- **Check-in time to quarantine: 13:00 - 14:00**
- **Team tents- NO**
- **NB: No spiked shoes indoors!**



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Practical issues

• SPRINT FINAL

Quarantine	-5 min	-4 min	-3min	-2 min	-1 min	Start
Check-in Bibs Warm-up map	Bib control & timing chip control, GPS	Clear & check timing chip	Control descriptions		Start Line map	



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Practical issues

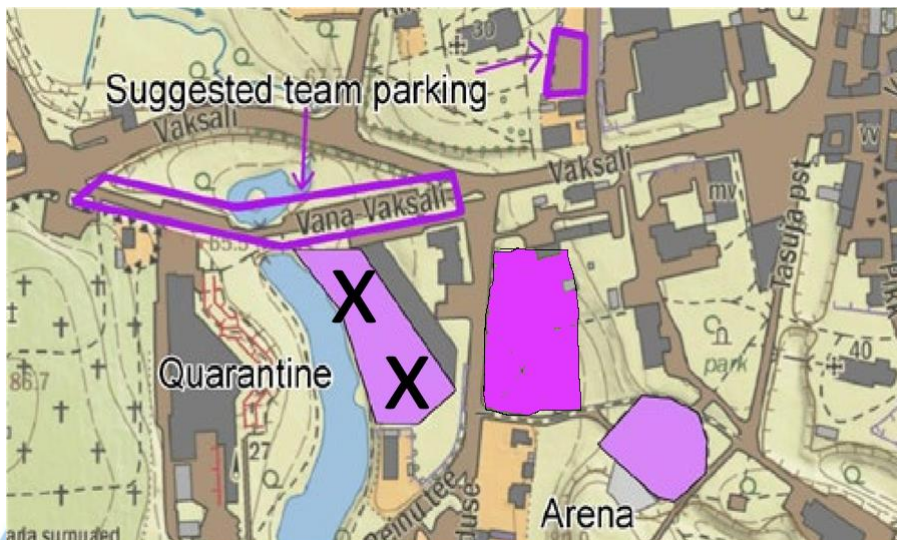
QUARANTINE SPRINT RELAY

- **Location:** Outdoors next to Viljandi Gümnaasium (see next slide)
- **Check-in time to quarantine: 15:00 - 16:00**
- Shelters are offered. Team tents may be set up.



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Practical issues - QUARANTINE SPRINT RELAY



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Practical issues

- SPRINT RELAY

Quarantine	-15 min	-3 min			-1 min	Start
Check-in Bibs Warm-up map	Bib control & timing chip control, GPS	Runners to start/changeover			Start Line Map (first leg)	

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Practical issues

- Pre-ordered **bus transport** to Sprint Relay, July 2.
- departure from Tartu 14.00
Ülikooli street (parking place between Riia and Vanemuise street).
See the map in bulletin 4.
- departure from Viljandi 19.30



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Technical issues – map symbol

MODEL EVENT

(metal fence with IOF plastic tape)

SPRINT COMPETITIONS

(metal fence with IOF plastic tape)

same construction, different symbol in the competition maps!



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Technical issues

EMIT touch free

- The Emit tags shall be worn exactly in accordance to the instructions in Bulletin 4. Any other use is on the runners own responsibility
- The two Emit tags works independently from each other and the red one is back-up. If the runner gets no response (flash) from any of the tags he/she shall contact the control guard



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Technical issues

Each runner will carry two **emiTags** around the the same wrist.

The punching is performed by holding the emiTag **0-50 cm** from the control for a short moment.

The LED light in the emiTag will start flashing after successful punch, and will keep flashing for 5 seconds.



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Technical issue – finish procedure

- On crossing the finish line, loops on the ground identify the competitor and no punching is needed.
- On crossing the finish line the time is measured by photocell.



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Technical issue – finish procedure MEDIA

Immediately after finish:

- **Interviews with media broadcasting live**
Top 3 + other runners on request.
 - TV
 - Radio
- **Interviews with arena speaker**
- Runners on request
- **Leader chairs**
- Top 3



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Technical issue – finish procedure

Immediately after the last finish:

- **Flower ceremony briefing**
- Top 3
- **Flower ceremony**
- **Medal pictures and poster signing**
- Top 3
- On a press wall next to the podium/stage
- **Press conference**
- Top 3 + other runners on request (In the Media Centre – changing area and refreshments)
- **Other media**
- Mixed zone (if time possible before)



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Competition information- Ceremonies

Opening Ceremony

- Gathering - 30.06 @ 18.00:
 - Plan A, good weather – on side of hotel Dorpat and Tasku shopping centre, just on the side of river Emajõgi
 - Plan B, bad weather – in Event centre, Dorpat conference centre, IV floor
- March pass – 30.06 @ 18.20:
 - From gathering point – Kүүni street – Town-Hall square (Arena Tartu)
 - Every country is responsible for carrying their flag (provided during gathering)
 - Every country is accompanied by a volontaire, who is carrying country signboard
 - Marching 2 people in 1 row, flag and signboard in front of every country delegation
- Opening ceremony – 30.06 @ 18.30:
 - Enterance of the delegations
 - Welcome speeched and WOC 2017 opening speech by President of Estonia
 - Musical concert (C-Jam)



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Meeting point for Opening Ceremony – Plan A!



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Reception for Team Leaders

- **When?:** Friday, 30.06, time: directly after Opening Ceremony (as soon as C-Jam has finished their musical performance)
- **Where?:** In Town Hall, II floor, just on the side of Arena Tartu and Opening Ceremony stage
- **Who?** Every country = 1 representative



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Flower Ceremonies

- Saturday 1.07 @ 15.45 Sprint Women (Arena Tartu)
 - Saturday 1.07 @ 16.55 Sprint Men (Arena Tartu)
 - Sunday 2.07 @ 18.10 Sprint Relay (Arena Viljandi)
 - Tuesday 4.07 @ 16.55 Long Distance Men & Women (Arena Rõuge)
 - Thursday 6.07 @ 13.55 Middle Distance Men (Arena Vitipalu)
 - Thursday 6.07 @ 16.55 Middle Distance Women (Arena Vitipalu)
 - Friday 7.07 @ 14.50 Relay Women (Arena Vitipalu)
 - Friday 7.07 @ 16.55 Relay Men (Arena Vitipalu)
- Flower Ceremonies are compulsory for all athletes who achieve 1st-3rd place.
 - Pictures with medals just after ceremonies for press!
 - Signatures on the WOC posters just after ceremonies for organizers!



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Medal Ceremonies

- Monday 3.07 @ 19.15 Sprint and Sprint Relay (Arena Tartu)
- Wednesday 5.07 @ 19.15 Long Distance (Arena Tartu)
- Thursday 6.07 @ 19.30 Middle Distance (Arena Tartu)
- Friday 7.07 @ 17.30 Relay (Arena Vitipalu)

Medal Ceremonies are compulsory for all athletes who achieve 1st-6th place. Athletes present near the stage no later than 15 min before the beginning of each ceremony!

At Medal Ceremonies – no national flags, signs, sunglasses, hats, headbands, drinking bottles, mobile phones and other such items are not allowed on the stage.

Medal Ceremonies on 3rd and 5th of July are carried out just after concert's:

- 3.07 from 18.00 – 19.15 - James Werts World Project
- 5.07 from 18.00 – 19.15 - Tanja



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Closing Ceremony

- Flags and signboards are carried in by volunteer's
- **When?** Friday, 7.07 @ 17:00
- **Where?** Arena Vitipalu
- **What?**
 - Gratitude speeches and WOC 2017 closing speech by IOF President
 - Handing over IOF flag to next organizer of WOC



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Afterparty

- **When?:** Friday 7.07 @ 22:00
Club Illusion
- **What?:** Good music, every orienteer is present, taste snacks and drinks (alcoholic & non-alcoholic), super-good mood 😊
- **Ticket price:** 12 EUR, available from Event Office



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Questions

Are there any coaching zones?

SQ – no coaching zone.

SF - on the right hand side after the spectators control.

SR – on the left hand side after the spectators control.

Which part of the maps are faced up, if there is a map flip?

Second loop is faced up.

Are the control codes next to the control no. at Sprint relay?

NO



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Questions

Which are the parking the teams shall use?

SQ – next to the quarantine area

SF - next to the quarantine area, Parking for a fee. On streets- free parking- no fee

SR – suggested team parking area, see bulletin 4, page 36

Teams like to now which parking is free and available. Are the path to the quarantine and to the arena clear marked?

Paths to the quarantine and to the arena are not marked. Both places are in the map, see bulletin 4, pages 32, 34.



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Questions

Is all the grass cutted or is it on the map visible where the grass high is? On model map it was not clear and differs from place to place.

Competition maps shows runnability.

If there are any bridges, is it allowed to jump or climb up a bridge?

According to ISSOM 2007 the bridge symbol 512.1 is not forbidden.

How much % is hard ground and how much park/forest ground?

You will see it in the map.



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Questions

What are the distances from -5min line to starting point?

300-400m

Is there any artificial fences on competition area/maps?

Same like in model event.

Are there are many cars on competition area?

Competition areas are closed for traffic.

Is construction works mark on the map?

Yes, map is updated.



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Questions

What is the correct times for embargo in Tartu?

Correct times are given in page 15, bulletin 4.

Is it allowed non starting team members run to spint qualification after the competition?

No, the area is embargoed until after the final.

What are the details for change-over for the sprint relay?

This will be described in paper that will be handed out for the teams.

Is there any shelter in the change-over area?

NO.



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Questions

Is it allowed to bring any maps or bulletin 4 to quarantine?

Just bulletin 4.

How can team officials go from quarantine to arena?

Any route outside embargoed area.

What part of the body counts at finish of the sprint relay?

According to rule 23.11 it is the chest.

Is it spike shoes are allowed?

Not permitted to use any metal studs/spikes.



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Questions

Is GPS watches allowed?

Rule 21.4: Yes, if no map display or use for navigation purposes.

Is leg coverage suggested?

There is no restrictions or suggestions.

Is the distance from time start to starting point given?

It is shown in control description.

Are side-walks shown on the map?

NO



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Questions

How early or late competitor can start compared to official starting time?

Start officials will hold the hand on the map until starting time.

How late can competitor start?

He or she will be given a new start time between runners his/her heat.

Is -5min position visible from the quarantine ?

It is shown on the warm-up map.

How it the map exchange shown on the map?

As a marked route to the new starting point.



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