

WORLD CUP ROUND 3

TEAM OFFICIALS MEETING

MIDDLE DISTANCE

AUGUST 24, 2017

AGENDA

- Organisation
- Practical issues
- Technical issues
- Weather forecast
- Questions

ORGANISATION

Event controllers

- IOF Senior Event Adviser: Rimas Jovaisas, LTU
- IOF Assistant SEA: Vitalijus Paulauskas, LTU
- Event Controller: Guntars Mankus, LAT

ORGANISATION

Jury

- Janos Manarin, ITA
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ORGANISATION

Event organizers

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| • Event Director | Jānis Lazdāns |
| • Event Secretary | Inese Purgaile |
| • Finance Director | Ģirts Mamis |
| • IT Manager | Kārlis Osis |
| • Media | Aija Pakalna |
| • Accommodation | Ildze Straume |
| • Transport | Māris Heinols |

PRACTICAL ISSUES

Quarantine zones, Pre-start

- Quarantine 1: Cesis Primary School Nr.2 (Cēsu 2. pamatskola) - Gaujas 45, Cesis, LV-4101
- Quarantine 2 close to Pre-start
- Teams are not allowed to use their own vehicles between quarantine zones
- Athletes can leave their bags and equipment in both quarantine zones
- Buss schedule available in paper format and in Internet. Please follow the schedule!
- Team officials can use the buss to reach arena from quarantine zones (Buss route: Q1 -> Q2 -> Arena -> Q1)
- Spiked shoes on the bus are not allowed!

PRACTICAL ISSUES

MIDDLE: Quarantine zones

- The use of mobile phones, computers or any other communication devices inside the quarantine is strictly forbidden
- It is not allowed to bring any maps into the quarantine zones
- The use of spiked shoes is strictly forbidden indoors

TECHNICAL ISSUES

- Cables from old surface ski lifts at height 1..1,5m



TECHNICAL ISSUES

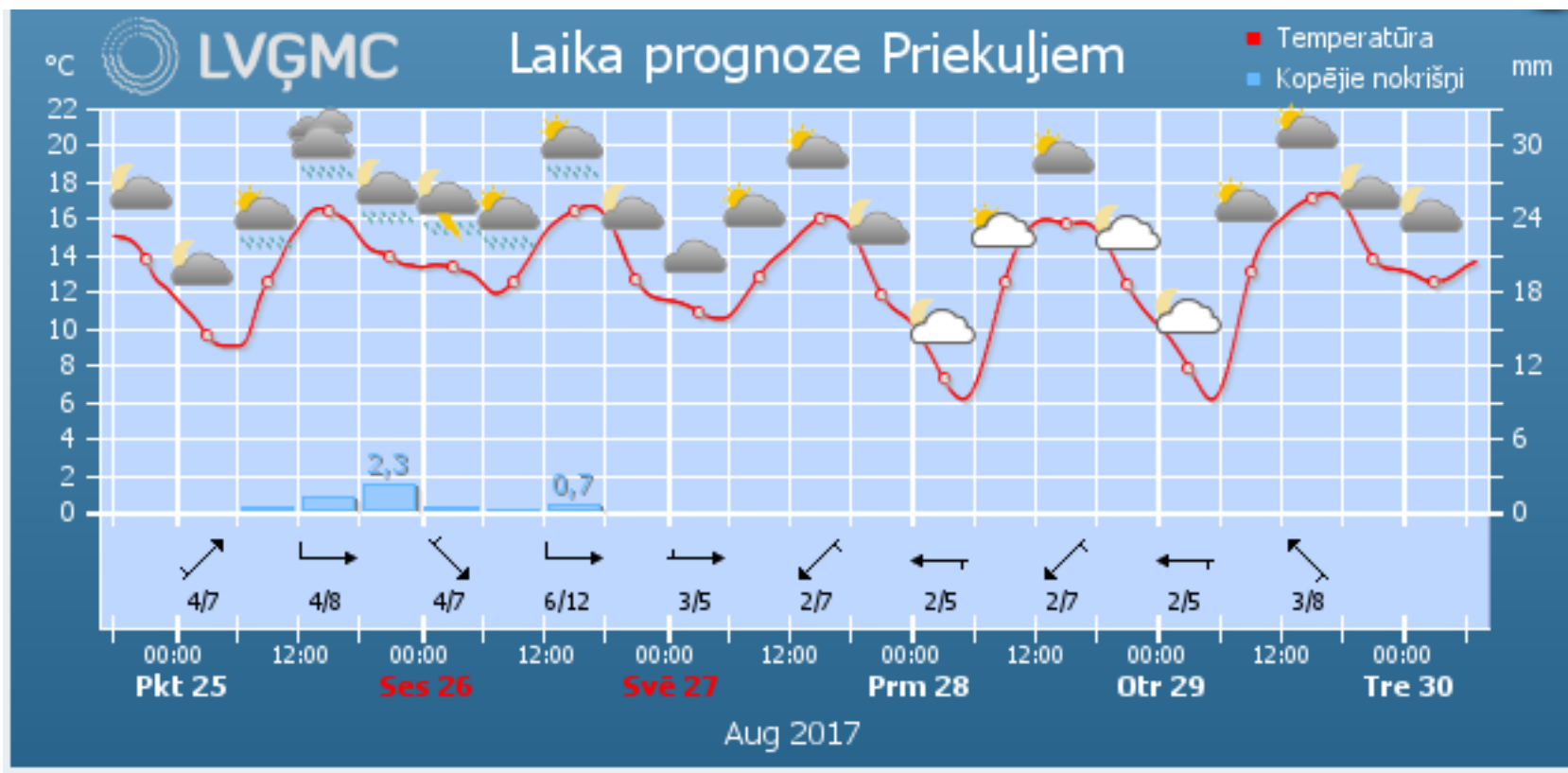
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TECHNICAL ISSUES

- **Start times Women 10:01, Men 12:11**
- **GPS tracking information available in start list**
- **Distance from -6min to start point ~300m**
- **Refreshment at coaching zone – water, Isostar**
- **No any other controls at the terrain during the middle course**

WEATHER FORECAST



QUESTIONS

- Are GPS Watches allowed? **Yes, according to Rules.**
- Women's course data middle distance are exactly the same as women's relay distances in Bulletin 4, is it correct? **Relay questions will be answered tomorrow.**
- It is written that competitors may not visit the arena before start, may coaches go there before coming to the quarantine? **No, if coaches visit arena, they can't return to quarantine.**
- Can we set up tents in the start area? **Yes, team tents are allowed in quarantine and arena.**
- Is it possible to take a jacket from quarantine to the prestart and leave it there? **Yes**
- Coaching zone: 800m before finish of the course or is it the distance from the finish area? **Before the finish of the course.**
- What refreshments are served? **Water, Isostar.**

QUESTIONS

- Are the finished athletes allowed to leave the arena and return to the accommodation. E.g. we (FIN) have preliminary ordered lunch for the competing women 1–3 p.m. **YES, see bus schedule.**
- Is it possible to enter quarantine, exit quarantine and enter again before 10.00am? **YES, but only before 10am**
- Can you arrange one more extra bus from quarantine to pre-start at 14:00? **Yes, extra bus will leave Quarantine 1 at 14:00. You'll find updated bus schedule tomorrow at the quarantine.**
- What's the capacity of busses used for transfer from quarantine to pre-start? Can athletes load the bus not strictly according to the schedule? **Capacity of bus ~40 persons. Yes, athletes can take another bus if they wish.**

THANK YOU
AND
GOOD LUCK!