





World Ranking Event - Middle Distance

Monday December 28th, 2015 "Pijnven-Noord" – Hechtel-Eksel – Belgium

Bulletin 1: Preliminary information and invitation

We are pleased to welcome all orienteering friends to Hechtel-Eksel in Belgium for our **World Ranking Event**, which is also stage 3 of the Sylvester 5-days.

Organisation:

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Competition info:

Competition type: middle distance M / W 21E

winning time: 30 - 35 minutes

Competition Centre: FC Kattenbos

Oude Diestersebaan 55

3920 Lommel

Belgium

Competition rules: according to I.O.F. rules

http://orienteering.org/wp-

content/uploads/2010/12/Competition-Rules-for-IOF-

Foot-Orienteering-Events-May-2015.pdf

The use of GPS devices is strictly forbidden.

Punching system: EMIT (devices can be rented)

Timing: secretariat will be open: 9.00 am – 2.30 pm

first start: 10.00 am

prize giving ceremony: 2.00 pm; prizes for first 3 in

both categories

Map: "Pijnven-Noord" ABSO/BVOS number 66

I.O.F. standard; last review: 2015

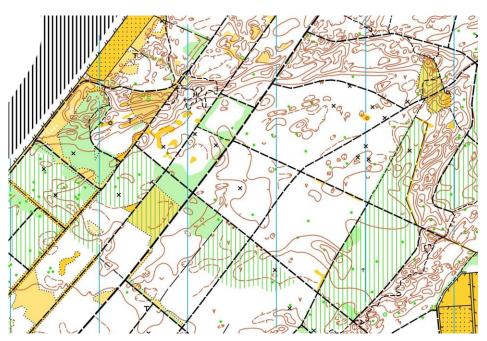
scale: 1/10.000; contour interval: 2.5 m

Terrain description: Flat coniferous forest, many sandy dunes with intricate

contours. Strict rectangular grid of forest paths and firebreaks. Good run ability and good visibility.

Map extract: A full copy of last used map version will be available via

our website



Registration: last entry date for WRE = December 16th, 2015

Belgian athletes via own club

others via <u>www.orienteeringonline.net</u>

please provide I.O.F Event ID

Entry fees: before 01/12/2015: € 9,00 for WRE only

€ 37,00 for WRE + 4 days Sylvester

after 1/12/2015: € 10,00 (for WRE only)

hire EMIT: € 2,00 per day

Accommodation: not provided by the organiser; for possibilities see our

website. At the competition centre changing rooms with

showers are available. Cafeteria with small snacks.

Transport: transport to competition centre not provided.

Visa: check whether passport / visa is needed with the Belgian

embassy / consulate in your country prior to departure or

consult the website:

http://diplomatie.belgium.be/en/services/travel to belgium

/visa for belgium/

Training: no separate training is foreseen however it is possible to

enter the Sylvester 5-day event. For more info see our

website.

Insurance: runners are responsible for their own insurance.

General map of the region and embargoed area:

