



IOF World Ranking Event (WRE) 18.5.2019

Sprint distance

Rauma – Finland

Bulletin 2

Competition instructions (WRE)

These competition instructions are preliminary. The final version can be seen in the quarantine on May 18.

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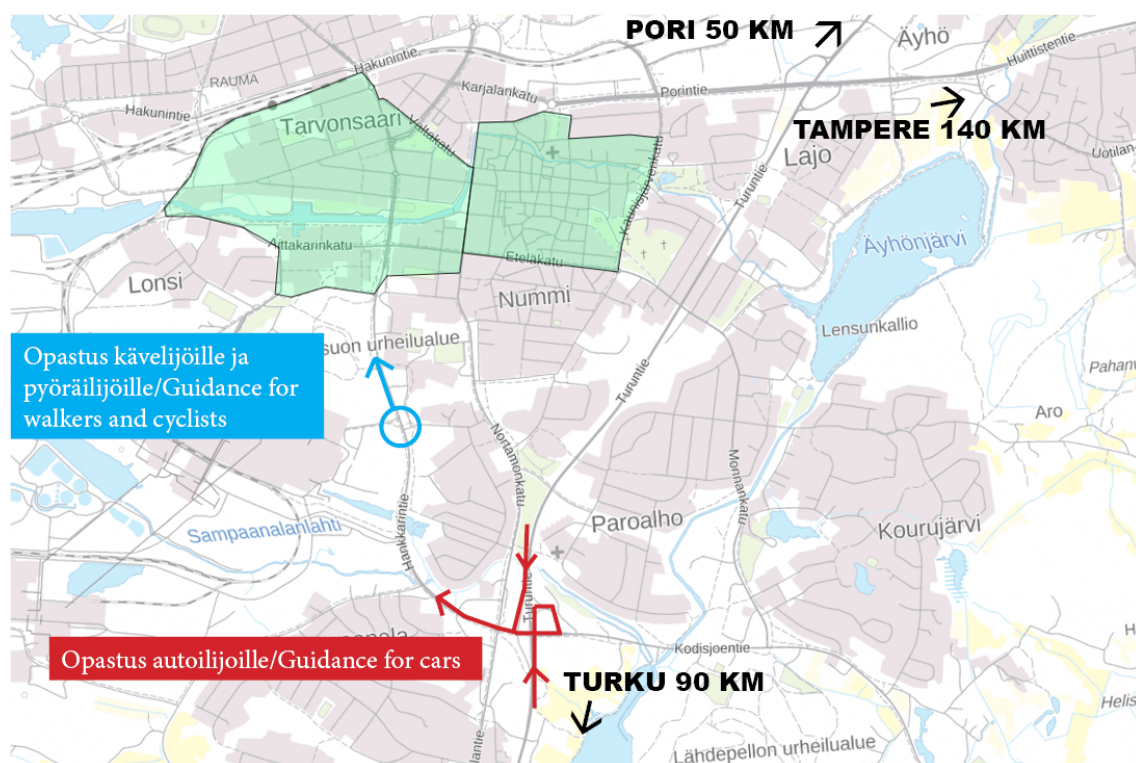
Rules of competition

The rules of Finnish Orienteering Federation (SSL) and International Orienteering Federation (IOF) rules for WRE-competitions will be applied in the competition together with the orders of the organisers.

Arrival onto the competition area

The driving instructions issued by the organizers must be strictly adhered to. The guidance up to the parking area for cars will start from the intersection of main road number 8 and road number 2052, about 3 km south of Rauma city center. For those who arrive by foot or by bike, the guidance starts from the sidewalk nearby the crossroads of Hankkarintie and Teollisuuskatu. From there follow a

tape marking (walking time from the start of the taping to the parking is about 15 minutes). Road signs and taping directing to the parking will be in place by May 18th, 2019 at 9.00 a.m.. All traffic have to follow the road signs or tape. Driving, walking or biking through forbidden area is prohibited. The way from parking area to quarantine is marked and it is prohibited to use other routes. Walking time from parking to quarantine is about 20 minutes.



Quarantine

The competitors arrive directly to the quarantine without visiting competition arena. “Kollan Pojat” signal tape shall be followed from parking area up to the quarantine. Quarantine opens on May 18th at 10.30 a.m. Access to the competition area prior to competition is prohibited. The competitor who access the competition area prior to competition will be disqualified. All competitors shall arrive to quarantine by **12.00 noon**. Use of all electric communication devices (mobile phones, tablets, PC) is prohibited as of 12.00 noon. Competitor can leave from the quarantine area only to the start area. Distance from quarantine to the start is 300 meters. There is a sample of check point available at the quarantine area and some samples of prohibited areas during the competition. Quarantine has indoor area where coffee, other beverages and small snacks are for sale. Drinking water is available for free.

Start list and competition instructions are available at quarantine area. EmiTag punch card can be rented at quarantine at price of 7 €/ each. The cards are available at the info desk. The rent shall be paid when the card is handed over. Credit card, bank card and cash in Euros is accepted.

Terrain

The competition area has block houses, parks, public buildings and some park-like forest. Share of park and forest terrain is in the order of 10 %. Remaining part of terrain is asphalt, gravel or other hard surface.

Not all road crossings are surveilled hence competitor shall foresee traffic with caution. The traffic on the competition area is coarse. There are some roads that can only be crossed on specific crossing points, please see "Out-of-bounds areas" below.

Special symbols:

✕ Playground object, yard swing, big bulletin board

⊙ Statue, monument

All small playground objects are not described on the map.

Map

Sprint orienteering map, scale 1:4000, contour interval 2 m, ISSOM 2007. Digitally printed 05/2019. Map size A4. The competition maps are in plastic cases.

Control descriptions

Control descriptions are printed on the competition map and also available separately at the start. There are neither attaching equipment nor covers available.

Sizes of the separate control descriptions in WRE classes are:

W21 125 x 50 mm

M21 155 x 50 mm.

Model control

The model control can be found in the quarantine.

Classes, length and number of controls

M21, WRE	3,6 km	25 controls
W21, WRE	3,0 km	19 controls
H16	2,9 km	19 controls
D16	2,5 km	15 controls

Punching system

Touch-free electronic emiTag punching system is in use. Check the functionality of your card at the model control in the quarantine prior to your start. The EmiTag cards can be booked for rental beforehand. The rented EmiTag cards are distributed at info at quarantine at price of 7 Euros / each. The rented EmiTag cards are returned after the race once. In case the emiTag is not returned a fee of 100 € is charged.

Start

First start at 12.00. Starting interval 1 min. Distance from quarantine 300 m, signposted with “Lehtosen Konepaja” tape.

Start procedure

The competitor is called out four minutes prior to his/her starting time to reset his/her emiTag. The distance to the next stall is 80 m. 3 minutes prior to start separate control descriptions are given. The competitor moves next to his/her map one minute prior to the starting time. The competitor can take the map at the starting moment. There is a signposted route to the starting point.

Finish

There is a marked route from the last control to the finish. No punching at the finish line. After the finish, the competitor continues to the emiTag data extraction point. Unclear cases are solved immediately.

Closure of the start and finish

The start will be closed 15 min after the last start. The finish will be closed by the decision of the event director after all the competitors have finished, 4:00 pm at the latest.

Cool-down

Cool-down can be done only on the signalled route between the competition center and parking.

Those who do not finish

In case of not finishing the race (DNF), the competitor must register him/herself at the finish.

Complaints

Complaints concerning the WRE classes (M21 and W21) will be handled according to the WRE rules and complaints concerning other classes will be handled according to the rules of the Finnish Orienteering Federation. The complaints must be delivered in written form to the INFO within 30 minutes (15 minutes in WRE classes) after the end of the race.

Number bibs

Every competitor has to use number bibs. The number bibs are available at the quarantine as self service. Every competitor has two number bibs. One front side and one back side. Note: take your own safety pins!

Bags

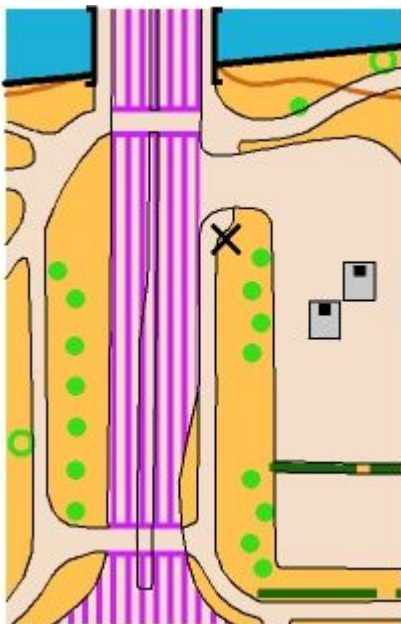
Before heading to the start, runners can leave their bags and other belongings at the designated location. The organizers will then transport the bags to the competition centre.

Out-of-bounds areas

Forbidden areas are described on the map according to the rules concerning the descriptions of a sprint map. If necessary, forbidden areas are highlighted in the terrain with a red-yellow strip. Forbidden areas are surveilled by the organizer and the competitor who violates the rules concerning the forbidden areas are disqualified.



Competitors are allowed to cross forbidden roads only on the crossing points. These crossing points are marked by a pair of orange cones each side of the road. **Competitors must run between the cones on both sides of the road.** The organisers control the crossings. **Those orienteers who do not follow these rules about road crossing points will be disqualified.**



Shoes

Shoes with spikes or studs are not allowed.

GPS-enabled devices (watches etc.) can be carried provided that they have no map display and are not used for navigation purposes

Prizes

Prize-giving takes place after the results are clear. There will be a prize-giving ceremony for all classes.

Event offices

There are two event offices. One in quarantine and one in finish area. The rented EmiTag cards are distributed at event office at quarantine. The rent shall be paid when the card is handed over. Credit card, bank card and cash in Euros is accepted.

Toilets

Toilets are available at the competition centre and at the quarantine.

Shower

Indoor showers in competition centre.

First aid

There is a first aid point in the competition centre. In the terrain, there are no specific first aid points, but you may contact any check point controller if needed.

Food and beverage

There is a kiosk at quarantine which sells coffee, beverages and small snacks. Drinking water is available for free. Cafeteria also in the competition centre.

Our partner, Theatre Restaurant Ankkuri offers local delicacy *lapskoussi* after the competition for 6 euros. Vegetarian version *frescoussi* also available. Theatre Restaurant Ankkuri, Alfredinkatu 2 Rauma.

Open Vanha Rauma Sprintti orienteering

Open orienteering Vanha Rauma Sprintti available May 19th. Sprint orienteering in Old Rauma, UNESCO World heritage town! More information: www.vanharaumasprintti.fi.

You are warmly welcome to Rauma!