

WOC2019 - Team Official Meeting 1

Monday 12.08.2019

Agenda

- Presentation of organisation
- Administrative aspects
- The middle distance qualification
- The opening ceremony
- Other issues

Questions received on beforehand are included



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Welcome to WOC 2019

More than 600 volunteers from the organising clubs, enthusiasts around in Norway and supporters from abroad, welcome you:

- ❑ 299 athletes (166 men & 133 women)
- ❑ 77 team officials
- ❑ Representing 48 federations
- ❑ More than 150 representatives from the media!



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Chief Event Office:	Tom Wahlgren
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Refreshments:	Espen Danevad
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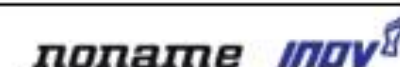
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Chief Course planning and mapping: Bernt O. Myrvold
 Map-Manager: Øyvind Helgerud
 Map maker: Kristen Treekrem
 Course team: Tom Arild Karlsen (Long distance)
 Unni Strand Karlsen (Long distance)
 Tormod Jensen (Middle distance qual. and final)
 Morten Johansen (Relay)
 Erik Sandbæk (Relay)

IOF Senior Event Advisor: Daniel Leibundgut
 IOF Assistant Event Advisor: Lars Forsberg
 IOF IT Assistant Event Advisor: Henning Spjelkavik
 National Controllers (NOF): Ivar Maalen and Kjell Blomseth

Name	Nation	Middle distance qualification	Long distance	Middle distance final	Relay
Helge Lang Pedersen	DEN	x	x	x	x
David Rosen	GBR	x	x	x	x
Andre Schoepfer	SUI	x	x	x	x
Cathy McComb	AUS	x	x	x	
Peter Molnar	HUN	x	x		
Carl Göran Strutz	SWE			x	x
Aron Less	HUN				x



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Remarks to Bulletin 4: Emergency Numbers (9.4)

The phone numbers for emergency calls in Norway are:

Medical: 113

Police: 112

Fire: 110

Emergency services general practitioner: + 47 116117



woc 2019 Remarks to Bulletin 4

- 3.3/7 Road 115 and Lunderveien are open!
Embargoed terrain: see doc with link in Eventor
<https://www.google.com/maps/d/viewer?mid=14n3Qcf0kioa5mV3QB8kcvzrehhQ&ll=59.51822852142996%2C11.040230000976635&z=12>
- 5.5 All registered participants must personally check in for accreditation at the WOC Event Office (see section 4.1 «Event office opening hours») **not later than the respective deadline for his/her first competition**
- 11.1 The punching is performed by holding the emiTag **0** - 50 cm above the Emit control unit for a short moment
- 11.17 Friday, show and concert: 19:30 - 20:30
- 12.5 Long distance

	Men	Women
Control description size	196 x 53 mm	166 x 53 mm



Q: How long are the terrains embargoed?

A: The areas are embargoed for runners and team officials until all competitions in the respective area are finished. (Bulletin 4, section 7.) This means that map Knatterudfjellet is released after middle distance qualification.

But: WOC athletes not competing in the WOC competition are allowed to visit the WOC arena as a spectator during the competition. Furthermore, they are allowed to compete in the WOC spectator race. (Bulletin 4, section 13.2)

Q: In the bulletin you explain about the river, which can be crossed in different areas. Does this mean, that the river is marked with black borders, where it is not possible to cross? Or is it marked as uncrossable all over and you are still allowed to cross where you deem it to be safe? Or are there no black borders at all?

A: It is allowed to cross it everywhere.
The river is mapped with black borders where it is more difficult to cross.

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Q: How many free start numbers are there in the spectator races H21E / D21E?

A: Tuesday and Wednesday: 20+20

Thursday: 30+30

Friday and Saturday: 20+20

Q: When can we enter for the spectator races?

A: First come principle in the Spectator Race Office at the arenas

See **English PM Spectator Races:** <https://woc2019.no/en/pm-en>

Løp 2 Info 10:00 - 17:00 Direktepåmelding 11:00 - 15:00

Løp 3 Info 09:30 - 14:30 Direktepåmelding 10:30 - 11:30 pga. karantene ikke tidligere

Løp 4 Info 08:00 - 14:00 Direktepåmelding 08:00 - 11:30

Løp 5 Info 09:00 - 15:00 Direktepåmelding 09:00 - 12:30

Løp 6 Info 10:30 - 16:30 Direktepåmelding 10:30 - 14:00

Kontakt utenom åpningstider til spectatorrace@woc2019.no



Q: What is your back-up system if Emit fails (both units)

A: The punching system is described in section 11.1

The Emit Touch-Free punching and timing system is approved by IOF.

-> 2 hours before the race all punching units are tested.

-> EmiTags are tested at the pre start.

-> during the race: “The LED light in the emiTag will start flashing after a successful punch and will keep flashing for 5 seconds. In case of any Emit-unit failure (no feedback signal) athletes must punch using the second Emit unit as a backup”



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Q: Are there specific ways for athletes to wear EMIT tags?

A: Both on the same arm in this order:



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Q: From where is the race distance measured?
From the start point or from the time start?

A: From the time start where the map is handed out

Q: How is the time measured?

A: See Bulletin 11.1 “when the athlete’s chest crosses the finish line”



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Meeting for Teams Media/press contacts

When: Wednesday 14 August, 11:00

Where: Media-tent, Arena Mørk

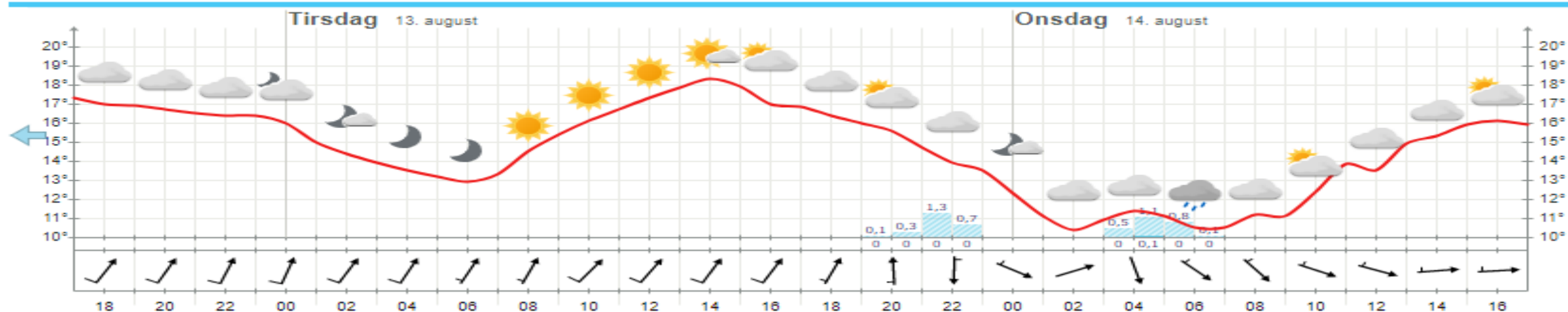
Who: All teams press/media contact

Please inform your contact – obligatory for all teams!



Weather forecast

Meteogram, neste 48 timer



Langtidsvarsel

Tirsdag 13. august 12-18	Onsdag 14. august 12-18	Torsdag 15. august 14-20	Fredag 16. august 14-20	Lørdag 17. august 14-20	Søndag 18. august 14-20
19°	15°	18°	18°	16°	17°
0 mm	0 mm	0 mm	0 mm	3,3 mm	3,4 mm

■ Ganske sikkert
 ■ Noe usikkert
 ■ Usikkert



***Lipoptena cervi* / Hjortelusflua**

- Not dangerous!
- **Not** the same as ticks (“Flått” / Ixodidae)
- **but** very annoying and many
- It prefers head and shoulders
- Check also clothes after the race
- At the prestart for the middle distance qualification you can also expect to meet mosquitos and various other insects.



Tularemi / Harepest

- Observed in eastern parts of Norway
- Avoid drinking water from the terrain



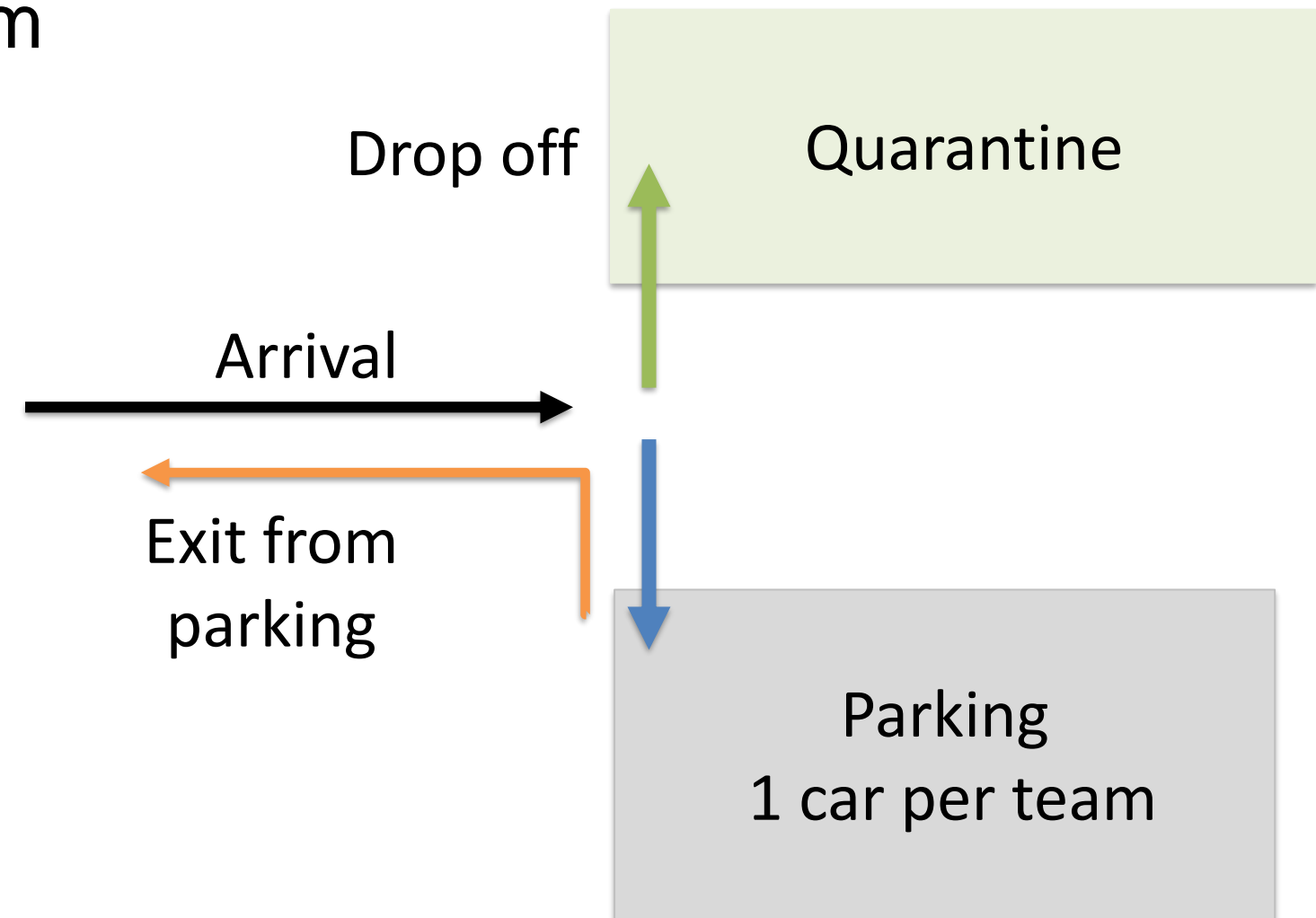
How to reach the quarantine in middle distance qualification?

- Marked from the road junction of Rv22 to Skjebergdal / Børte vann.
- Maximum driving distance is 6 km
- Ordered transport leaves Hotel Quality 08:00 (China, D.P.R. Korea, Romania)



Parking / Drop of in Quarantine

- Follow marked route to junction for drop-off or parking
- Only one car can park per team
- Remaining cars park at arena. Transport to quarantine for drivers if needed
- **Check-in 8:30 – 09:40**



Q: Who qualify for the finals?

A: See section 9.1:

Number	Heat 1	Heat 2	Heat 3
45	<i>Place 1 - 15</i>	<i>Place 1 - 15</i>	<i>Place 1 - 15</i>
Up to 15	<i>The best placed runner from Federations which do not have a runner in the first 15 of any heat,</i> <i>a. considered in the order of their placing in the qualification race heats (If two athletes from the same country have the same place in different heats, the one who is the least time behind the winner of their heat is chosen).</i> <i>b. If two or more runners from different countries are tied for the last qualifying place under (a), all may participate in the final.</i> <i>c. an athlete must have been within 100% of the heat winner's time in their qualification race."</i>		

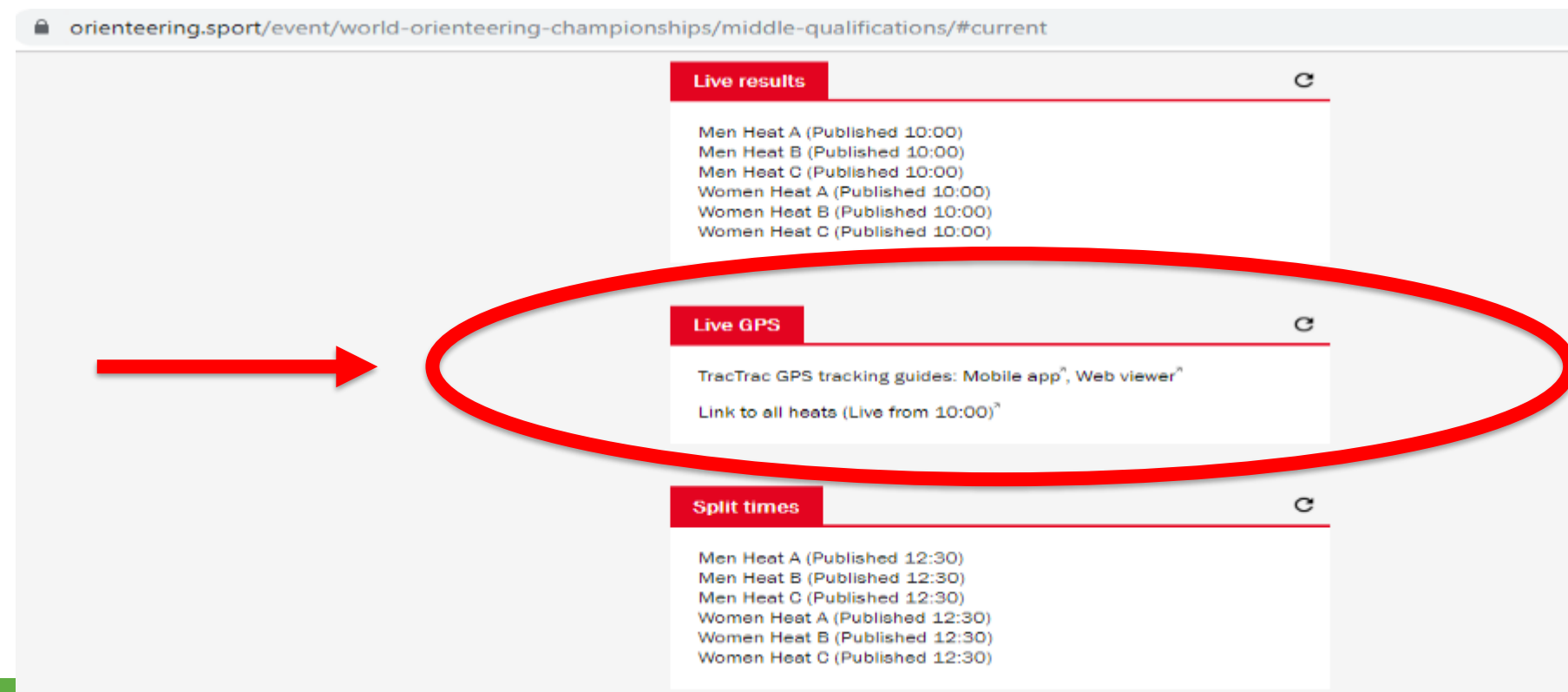
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Q: How do we find the Live Results & GPS – do we need any login?

A: Yes – via the IOF Live Services

<https://orienteering.sport/event/world-orienteering-championships/middle-qualifications/#current>

Scroll down and you find



The screenshot shows a web browser window with the URL `orienteering.sport/event/world-orienteering-championships/middle-qualifications/#current`. The page content is organized into three main sections, each with a red header and a close button (C):

- Live results**: Lists heat results for Men (Heat A, B, C) and Women (Heat A, B, C), all published at 10:00.
- Live GPS**: Contains the text "TracTrac GPS tracking guides: Mobile app^o, Web viewer^o" and a link "Link to all heats (Live from 10:00)^o". This section is circled in red.
- Split times**: Lists split times for Men (Heat A, B, C) and Women (Heat A, B, C), all published at 12:30.

A red arrow points from the text "Scroll down and you find" to the "Live GPS" section.

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Q: Is ISOM 2017/2 alternative symbol for vegetation boundary used

A: No.

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Q: Is bare rock mapped using the grey symbol as used on the test race maps or is it all mapped as in the model map.

A: As in the model map



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Q: In section 11.4 clothing it says full body coverage is required but vests are allowed. Is it allowed to use cut off trousers (above the knee) or shorts where there is a gap to the socks?

A: Full coverage of the legs.

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Q: Is the contour interval on the autogenerated map 5 meter, as written on the map?

A: No, it is 1 meter.



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Q:What does a runner need to do in the very improbable case, that the Emit system is not working in the forest?

A: The runner continues the race.



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Q: Where is the location of the coaching zone?

A: West of the in-run, about 80 meters before the finish



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Opening ceremony at **19:15**

- Flags of all countries will be brought in the Arena by one athlete of the federation which will be announced during the opening ceremony
- Please be at the Arena no later than **18:40** for viewing opening ceremony.
- WOC2019 encourage all nations to participate with a full team as we expect many spectators.
- Athletes **shall** wear their team uniform.



Gentle reminder with respect to training & control markings

Because of feedback from clubs/landowners, we would like to give a general reminder about conditions stated in the rental agreements for OCAD-files.

- It is also during WOC2019 important that you inform the club/WOC2019 about date and time for training, in addition to the approximate number of runners that will attend.
- Respect any advice/guidelines given by the club/WOC2019 regarding parking opportunities.
- Remember to collect all control markings in the forest.

There is still plastic and other markings in the forest after trainings organized by the national teams (Check your Doma/Livelox).

ALL markings, including biodegradable, must be collected.

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**Q: Are the info about out of bound areas
and bridges relevant for Middle Q?**

A: No



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Q: When goes the last bus from the arena to the quarantine?

A: It is transport by car and the last departure 9:10 from the team parking. OBS! It is not allowed to visit the arena!



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Q: Is it a transport from the arena to the quarantine to pick up the car after the competition?

A: Yes



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Q: Is it possible for WOC runners to start at the spectator race from 11 AM?

A: First ordinary start in the spectator race is 13:30.
Entry opens at 11:00.



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Q: Will it be Emit cards to hire for the WOC runners?

A: Yes, in the spectator race office



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Q: Can runners wear GPS watches without map display?

A: According rule 21.4 it can.



