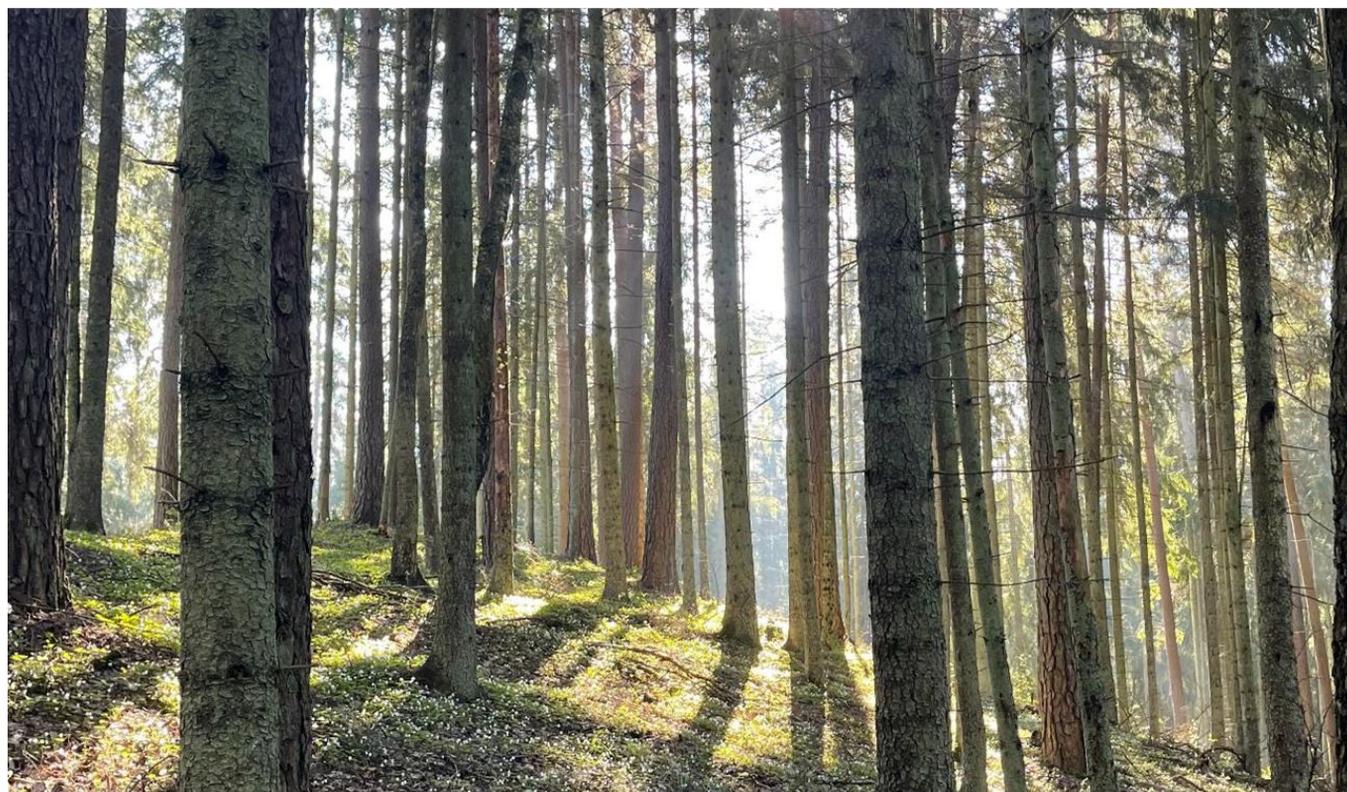




Baltic Orienteering Championships

ŠIAULIAI 2021

Bulletin 2 BOC



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PROGRAMME

FRIDAY, MAY 28

From 16:00 Arrival and accreditation at Model event place

17:00 – 19:00 Model event

SATURDAY, MAY 29

10:00 First start of long distance competition for national teams

12:00 First start of long distance competition on Baltic Masters Open Championships and Baltic Open Competition

14:30 Long distance prize-giving ceremony at the arena

till 15:00 Submission of relay applications

SUNDAY, MAY 30

10:00 Start of the relay for national teams

10:30 First start of the middle Distance competition on Baltic Masters Open Championships and Baltic Open Competition

13:30 Prize-giving and closing ceremony at competition center

COVID INFORMATION

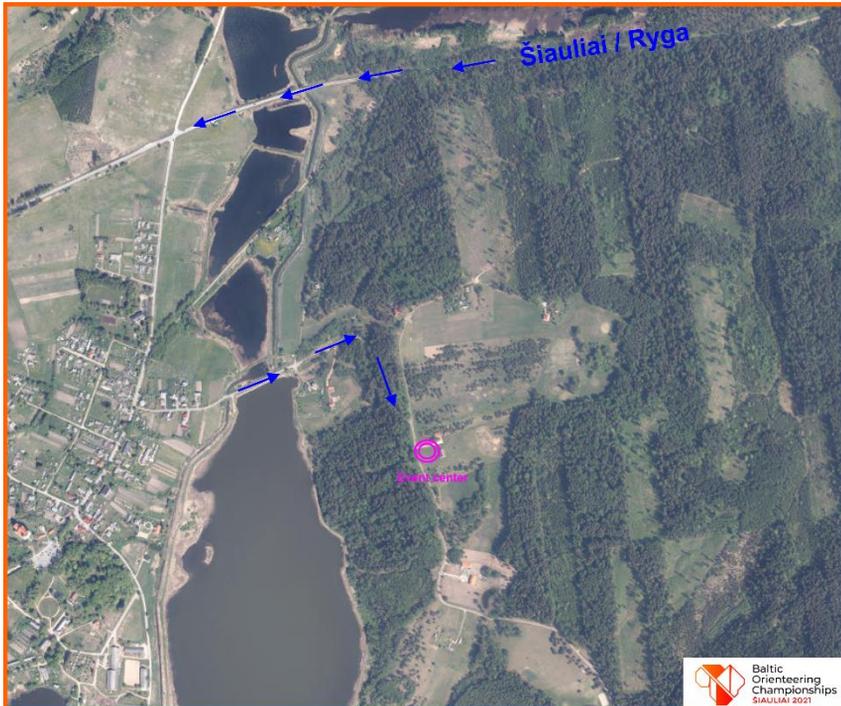
Covid Bulletin - <https://eventor.orienteering.org/Documents/Event/4288/1/Covid-bulletin>

General advice from WHO at any time:

- Keep distance, stay at least 1.5 meters away from others, even if they do not appear to be sick.
- Wear a mask, especially when you cannot physical distance.
- Manage your risks by thinking about the location and setting of the event, proximity to others and time you will be at the event.
- Avoid crowded places and activities, poorly ventilated indoor locations, and prolonged contact with others.
- Open windows when indoors to increase the amount of outdoor air.
- Avoid touching surfaces, especially in public settings, because someone with COVID19 could have touched them before. Clean surfaces regularly with standard disinfectants.
- Frequently clean your hands with soap and water, or an alcohol-based hand rub. If you can, carry an alcohol-based rub with you and use it often.
- Cover your coughs and sneezes with a bent elbow or tissue, throwing used tissues into a closed bin right away.

EVENT CENTER

The Event center will be located in Kurtuvėnai and will be open on Friday, May 28 afternoon.



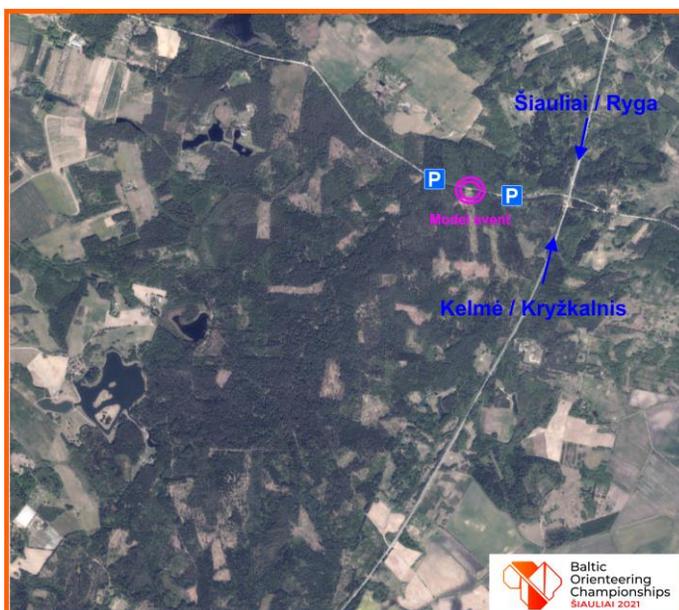
Coordinates: **55.830614, 23.064490**

[Google maps](#)

MODEL EVENT

The model event will be held in Medinkalnis forest, near the relay event.

Model event will be open 17:00 – 20:00



Coordinates: **55.737562, 22.997584**

[Google maps](#)

Model event – Medinkalnis forest

The model event will be more similar to the relay competition.

Controls in the forest will be the same as in competition (without SI stations)

Map reworked and expanded in 2020 - 2021 using new Orthofoto and Lidar materials.

Previous map from

2010: <https://dbsportas.lt/lt/zmlp/1156>

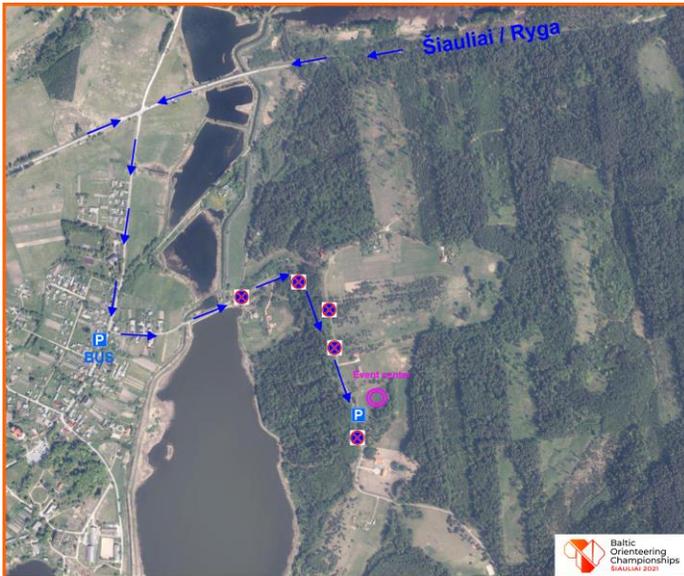
Scales for the model event: 1:10000 and 1:15000

Maps will be printed on waterproof paper (same as in competition)

Map maker – Egidijus Kukenys

LONG DISTANCE

The long distance of Baltic Orienteering Championships will be held in the outskirts of Kurtuvėnai, Šiauliai municipality.



Coordinates: **55.829445, 23.065249**

[Google maps](#)

Long-distance – Paraudžiai forest:
Two types of landforms – up to 40 m slopes with various gullies and middle landforms: various depressions, hills, re-entrants, spurs, small marshes. Runnability varies from good to very poor. The intense density of roads, rides, and tracks network.

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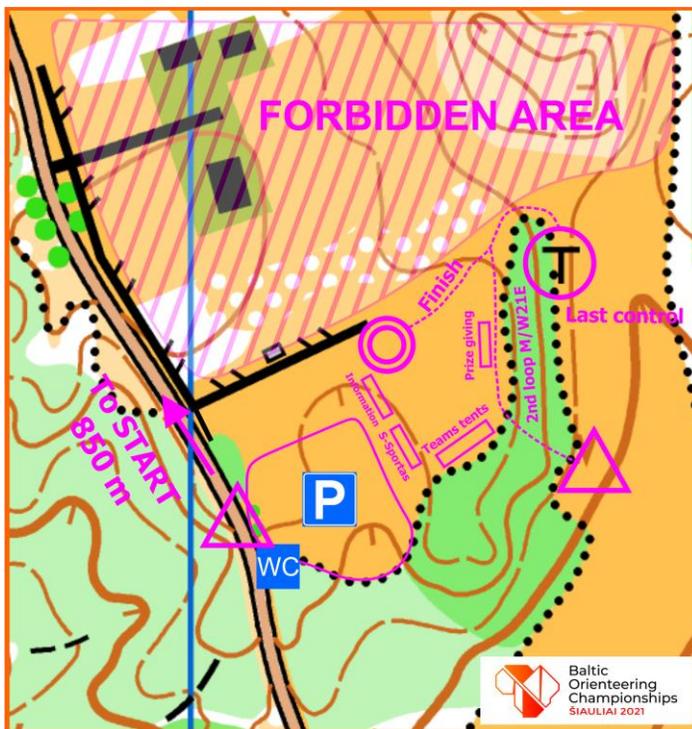
Previous map from 2010: <https://dbsportas.lt/lt/zmlp/1156>

Scales for classes M/W 18E,20E,21E - 1:15 000, M/W 14E, 16E - M 1:10 000, contour interval - 5 m.

The map will be printed on waterproof paper.

Map dimensions: 1:15000 (320x225), 1:10000 (450x320)

Map maker – Saulius Kireilis

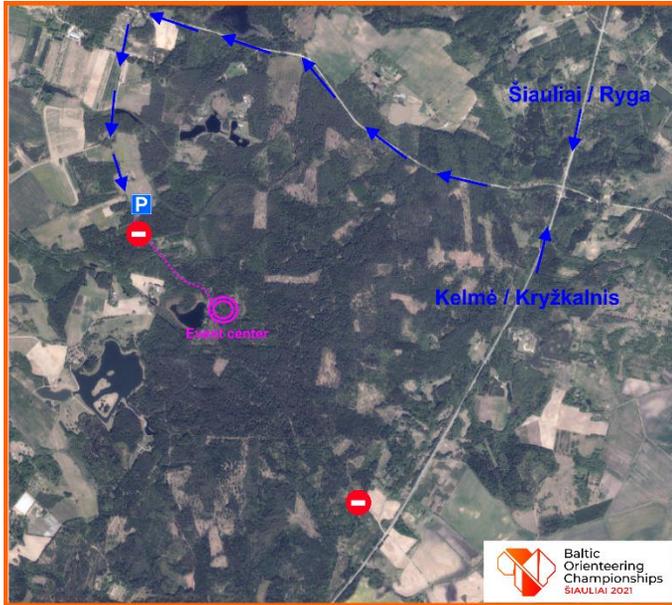


- Competition center – start – 850 m
- Warm up only on the way to start
- Warm up clothes will be transported to the competition center
- Toilets only in the finish area
- Water refreshments in finish and distance
- Competitor bibs will be available at registration on the competition day (all team together)
- M/W 21 E classes forking will be used
- Maps will be collected and returned to the team officials when the last participant starts
- Results and GPS will be displayed on TV screens in the competition center
- Maximum running time is two times bigger than the estimated winning time in each class.

Important! A week ago a storm has raged in the forest and there are many fallen and broken trees, which in some places worsen the running, but are not marked on the map. Some of the fallen trees are on the roads and footpaths.

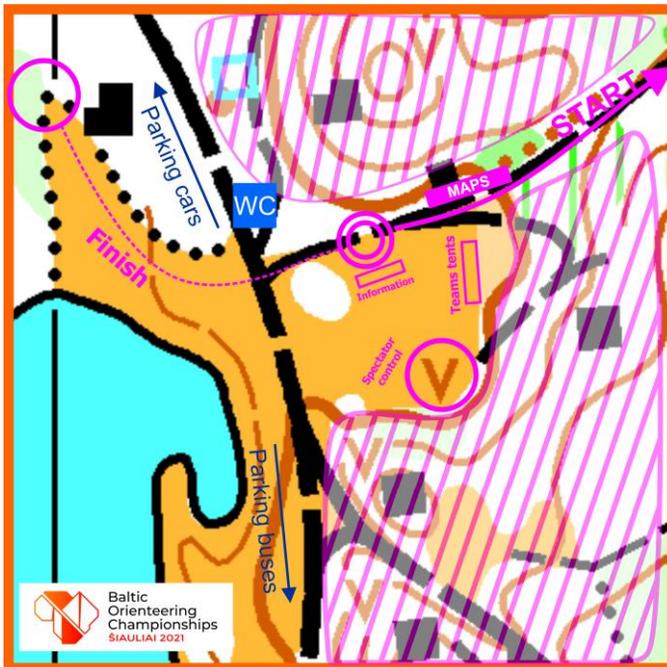
RELAY

The relay of BOC and the middle distance for BMOC and Baltic Open Competition will be held near Kryžbarkas, Kelmės municipality



Coordinates: 55.729080, 22.964756

[Google maps](#)



Relay – Medinkalnis:

Landforms medium and small, maximum slopes of up to 30 m height. Coniferous forest with good and middle running. Quite a dense network of paths and roads.

Map reworked and expanded in 2021 using new Orthofoto and Lidar materials.

Previous map from

2012: <https://dbsportas.lt/lt/zmlp/1287>

Scales for all classes - M 1:10 000, contour interval – 2.5 m.

The map will be printed on waterproof paper.

Map dimensions: 1:10000 (320X225)

Map maker – Egidijus Kukenys

- Start will be at the competition center
- Toilets only in the finish area
- Water refreshments in the competition center
- Competitor bibs will be available at registration on the competition day (all team together)
- In all classes forking will be used
- Maps will be collected after finish and will be distributed after the last starter to team captains
- Results and GPS will be displayed on TV screens in the competition center
- Warm-up only on the road to „Car parking“
- Maximum running time is two times bigger than the estimated winning time in each class per team.
- After spectator passage for all classes 900-1000 m. left

Important! A week ago a storm has raged in the forest and there are many fallen and broken trees, which in some places worsen the running, but are not marked on the map. Some of the fallen trees are on the roads and footpaths.

EMBARGOED AREA

https://www.google.com/maps/d/edit?mid=1Hfi_HIS2lDcyox9P1BtALEn5ig_eXlf&usp=sharing

GPS

M21E, W21E competitors on both days have to use GPS devices handed out by the organizer. If sportsmen refuse to wear GPS devices they will be disqualified from further competition. GPS device assignment will be published together with Start lists. GPS devices will be available 10 minutes before start – in the start place.

For relay – 1st and 3rd leg runners will use the same device (2 devices per team)

START AND START ORDER

LONG:

--3 minutes before the start the participant shall register and check their SportIdent number.

--2 minutes before the start extra control descriptions are available.

--1 minute before the start the participant shall arrive at the start line. After the last start signal, the participant shall take the map from their respective map box. Participants are responsible to take the right map from their class box.

The competitor is responsible for taking his class map.

For classes M/W 21E their number will be added on the other side of the map.

RELAY:

10:00 -

M21E, M16E, 10:05 – W21E, W16E, 10:10 – M20E, W20E

COURSES

LONG

Class	Lenght (km)	KP	Climb	Est. Time (min)	Class	Lenght (km)	KP	Climb	Est. Time (min)
M21E	16,5	29	455	95	W21E	10,7	23	355	80
M20E	10,7	22	295	70	W20E	8,7	15	255	70
M18E	8,8	17	255	65	W18E	7,2	14	225	70
M16E	6,7	13	200	42	W16E	4,96	12	165	48
M14E	4,2	10	120	29	W14E	3,2	8	105	30

RELAY

Class	Lenght (km)	KP	Climb	Est. Time (min)	Class	Lenght (km)	KP	Climb	Est. Time (min)
M21E	6,6-6,7	19-20	115	34 (leg)	W21E	5,5-5,6	17	100	33 (leg)
M20E	5,5-5,7	18	80	31 (leg)	W20E	5,0	15	80	35 (leg)
M16E	4,3-4,4	14	70	29 (leg)	W16E	3,8-3,9	11	55	32 (leg)

ELECTRONIC PUNCHING SYSTEM

Touchfree SPORTident Air+ punching will be used. Participants are asked to use their own SIAC-cards during the event. The organizer will offer rental SIAC-cards. Rented SIAC-Cards must be handed in at the read-out of the Sunday's relay. Missing SIAC Cards will be charged with 80 EUR/card. The technical specification for maximum distance to record a punch is 30 cm

FINISH

In all races, the finish time will be taken when the SIAC-cards crosses the finish line. In case of a head-to-head run in in the mass start races the finish judges will rule on the final placings based on the order that the competitors' chest cross the finish line. The running times will be rounded down to the nearest second.

PRIZES

Prizes for Baltic Orienteering Championships – medals and souvenirs for the 3 best in each class both days.

COMPLAINTS AND PROTESTS

Complaints/protest must be handed over in writing to an event official in the finish area at the information no later than 15 minutes after the official results have been published (announced by the speaker). A complaint may initially be made orally but must subsequently be in writing.

LIVE SERVICES

- Live services can be found www.boc2021.skg-tisa.lt or <https://dbsportas.lt/lt/varz/2021004>

OTHER INFORMATION

- No food service in the competition center
- S-Sportas sport equipment shop will be both days
- Sauna and 3 hot tubes will be ready on relay event center for free



PHOTOS FROM TERRAIN



CONTACTS

Event homepage: boc2021.skigtisa.lt

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<https://eventor.orienteering.org/Events/Show/7018>

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