

KEV Ski-O Selections Kuusamo, Finland

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Venue

Ski-O competitions will be arranged in Oivanki, Kuusamo, Finland.

Event center and Event office will be at Nuorisokeskus Oivanki, Rovaniementie 62a, 93600 Oivanki.

Start and finish area are within 500 m of Nuorisokeskus Oivanki. The altitude is abt. 270 m above sea level.

Travelling

The nearest airport is Kuusamo airport about 20 km from the venue, about 20 min by car. More information: www.finavia.fi.

The nearest railway station is Rovaniemi, 180 km and abt. 2h 30 min by car. Second nearest railway station is Oulu, 230 km and abt. 4 hours by bus. More information: www.vr.fi and bus transport www.matkahuolto.fi

Preliminary Program of competitions

Saturday January 2nd 2016: Sprint distance, First start 11.30 AM

Sunday January 3rd 2016: Middle distance, First start 11.00 AM

Punching system

Punching system will be EmiTag.

Rules, Classes and Entry

There will classes H21 and D21 in WRE competition. In national Ski-O competitions will be classes H12, 14, 16, 18, 20, H35, 40, 45, 50, 55, 60, 65, 70, 75, 80, D12, 14, 16, 18, 20 and D35, 40, 45, 50, 55, 60, 65, 70, 75, 80. Entry fees H/D21 EUR 25,-/competition, H/D12,H/D14 EUR 16,-/competition and H/D16, 18,20 and H/D35, 40, 45, 50, 55, 60, 65, 70, 75, 80 EUR 22,-/competition. Latest date of Entry Monday December 28th at 24.00.

Entries: Finnish athletes entry to be done by SSL IRMA and international athletes by IOF Eventor http://eventor.orienteering.org/

For further details on classes and regulations please refer to the Competition rules of IOF web pages: http://www.orienteering.org

Terrain and climate

Terrain is typical north eastern pine and spruce forest, having swamps and small hills. Altitude is 270-300 m above sea level.

Temperature is typically between -5 to -20 degrees celcius. Daylight at Kuusamo regions is between 10.30 AM – 02.00 PM.

Training

Before competitions there will be a training area abt. 25 km from venue. Abt. 5 km from Kuusamo airport.

Accommodation

See following alternative web pages:

www.oivanki.fi, pls ask KEV/Hisu offer

Hotels

Sokos Hotel Kuusamo, www.sokoshotels.fi

Hotel Holiday Club Kuusamon Tropiikki, http://www.holidayclubresorts.com

Cottages

www.lomarengas.fi

www.proloma.fi

Welcome to enjoy Ski-orienteering in Kuusamo.

Kuusamon Erä-Veikot