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# MTBO

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WORLD MTB ORIENTEERING CHAMPIONSHIPS  
JUNIOR WORLD MTB ORIENTEERING CHAMPIONSHIPS  
MTB ORIENTEERING WORLD CUP, ROUND 2  
**11 – 17 August 2025, Warsaw, Poland**

## BULLETIN 1





## **WELCOME TO WARSAW!**

The Polish Orienteering Federation and Team 360 Degrees are pleased to welcome participants of the World MTB Orienteering Championships and Junior World MTB Orienteering Championships 2025 to Warsaw!

The capital of Poland is not only the biggest and one of the most interesting cities for tourists in our country; it's also an excellent place to practice MTB Orienteering. Picturesque forests, crossed by a dense network of paths, were already an arena of a big MTBO event – the European Champs in 2006. This time we are going to take a visit in this area once again – enjoying World Championships in 2025!

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# 1. ORGANISATION

## 1.1. Organisers

Polish Orienteering Federation (PZOS)  
Team 360 Stopni



## 1.2. Organising team

**Event Director:** Igor Błachut  
**Course Planner:** Remigiusz Nowak  
**Maps:** Jarosław Bartczak, Tomasz Nitsch, Grzegorz Marcinkiewicz, Paweł Zieliński, Piotr Pietroń  
**IT/time keeping:** Przemysław Patejko

## 1.3. Event advising / event control

**IOF Senior Event Adviser:** Mario Ruggiero  
**National Controller:**

## 1.4. Information and contact

**Website:** [www.wmtboc2025.com](http://www.wmtboc2025.com)  
**Email address of organiser:** [wmtboc@wmtboc.com](mailto:wmtboc@wmtboc.com)  
**Telephone number:** +48 609-833-555

This event is organised under the authority of the International Orienteering Federation (IOF).

# 2. VENUE

## 2.1. General map of the region

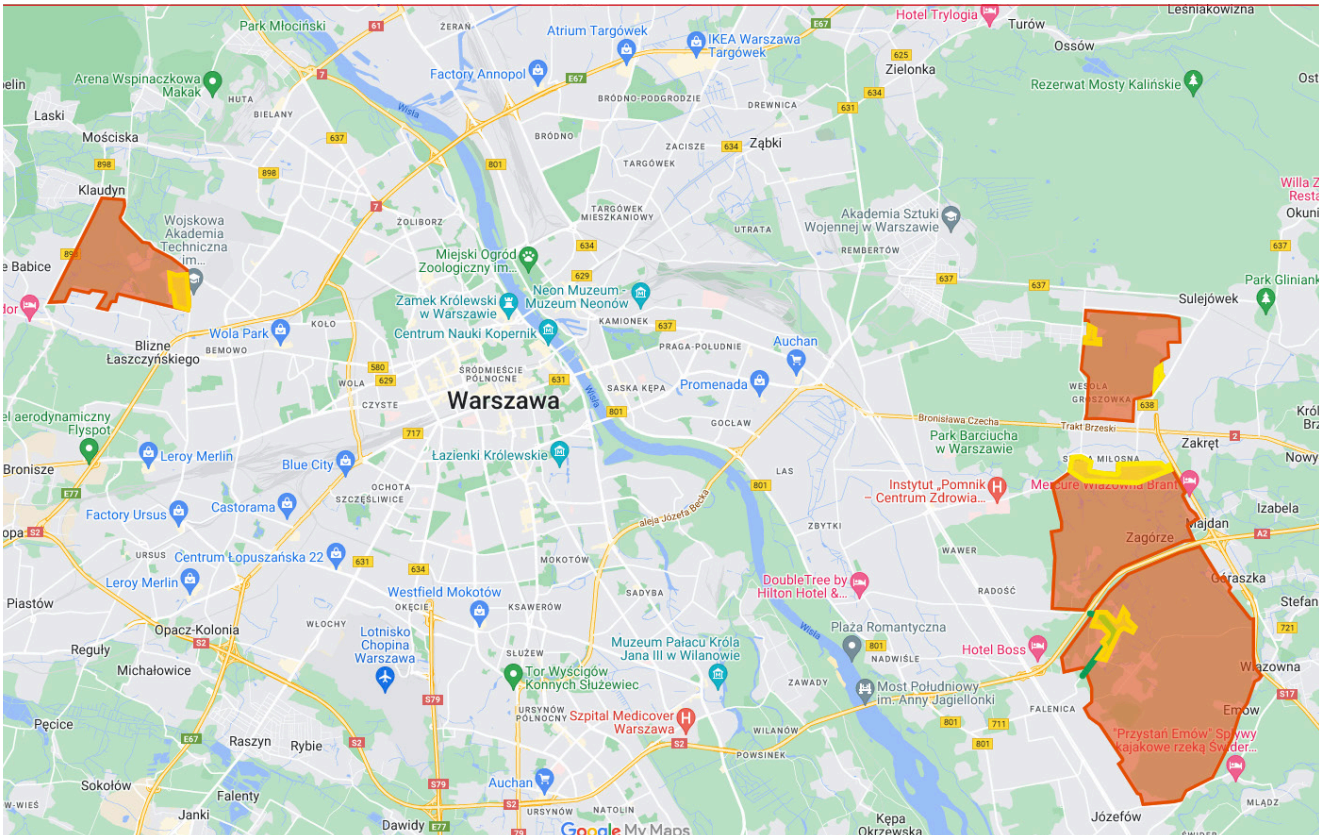
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## 2.2. Event centre

Event Centre will be located in Warsaw;  
more information will follow in Bulletin 2.

## 3. EMBARGOED AREAS



All potential participants (competitors, coaches, team officials, etc.) must observe embargoed areas. Other persons associated with a potential participant or a national team must also respect embargoed areas if their knowledge of the terrain could influence the results of the competitions.

Any attempt to survey, train or do orienteering in an embargoed area is strictly forbidden unless explicitly permitted by the organiser.

**Full details about embargoed areas are given at:**

<https://www.google.com/maps/d/edit?mid=1edaaW6NeF51ONOPWlhDGnqiRSMa7lrg&ll=52.20897161932141%2C20.949460990332017&z=11>

## 4. EVENT PROGRAM (preliminary)

Monday, 11 August 2025 – **model event**  
Tuesday, 12 August 2025 – **sprint**  
Wednesday, 13 August 2025 – **middle distance**  
Thursday, 14 August 2025 – **mass start**  
Friday, 15 August – **rest day**  
Saturday, 16 August – **long distance**  
Sunday, 17 August – **relay**

**The final programme will be published in Bulletin 2.**  
**All competitions will be held within 20 minutes drive by car from the Event Centre.**

## 5. MAPS AND TERRAINS

**Recent versions of previous orienteering maps – links below:**

**Poligon WAT (2006, MTBO)**

<https://orienteering.org.pl/pzos/attachment/download/b765f398-9728-4be3-bf4d-ddbbd9c48ded>

**Łosiowe Błota (2001, Foot-O)**

<https://orienteering.org.pl/pzos/attachment/download/95b9eb96-b9b0-439d-bdf9-0545ab97dc82>

**Poligon Wat (2015, Foot-O)**

<https://orienteering.org.pl/pzos/attachment/download/b1eab219-8d85-42d3-b3fc-4ec3dbad93f4>

**Wesoła Wschód MTBO (2017, MTBO)**

<https://orienteering.org.pl/pzos/attachment/download/5bf7c9a5-008c-4b18-9e2f-7378ec62342a>

**Groszówka (2016, Foot-O)**

<https://orienteering.org.pl/pzos/attachment/download/6a7b89c0-eb3d-4b41-a9f2-be0a66a4af6f>

**Hipodrom Stara Miłosna (2017, Foot-O)**

<https://orienteering.org.pl/pzos/attachment/download/31cd1dfd-4cbf-41ca-b65a-e38e4c93e6d0>

**Wesoła (2002, MTBO)**

<https://orienteering.org.pl/pzos/attachment/download/b494394c-b837-4ba0-86b5-c5108cb1d938>

**Radość (2017, Foot-O)**

<https://orienteering.org.pl/pzos/attachment/download/ed3b9dda-7ed2-47c0-bb73-44de92bfda45>

**Miłosna 2014 (2014, Foot-O)**

<https://orienteering.org.pl/pzos/attachment/download/7d0a6818-7503-493f-82ed-ab1207d5979c>

**Macierowe Bagno (2018, Foot-O)**

<https://orienteering.org.pl/pzos/attachment/download/58fa0511-a087-4dcb-bd0d-ff28566d6882>

**Zagórze (2011, Foot-O)**

<https://orienteering.org.pl/pzos/attachment/download/64808987-7d0f-4a01-9177-81a36e407457>

**Wawer (2002, MTBO)**

<https://orienteering.org.pl/pzos/attachment/download/325c7f86-bdd2-4d87-9bef-e13d3fc7634b>

**Wiązowna MTBO (2017, MTBO)**

<https://orienteering.org.pl/pzos/attachment/download/1852f114-7d5b-4ee5-ae7c-1dc7a3bbfa92>

## 6. CLASSES AND PARTICIPATION

### **WMTBOC**

- There is one class for women (called Women) and one for men (called Men). There are no age restrictions.
- All competitors must be citizens of the country of the federation they are representing.
- Competitors participate at their own risk. Third party insurance and personal injury insurance is compulsory and is the responsibility of the competitors' federation or themselves.
- All competitors represent a federation. Each federation may enter a team of an unlimited number of competitors and team officials.
- In each individual competition, every federation may enter up to 6 women and 6 men plus the current World Champions for the distance. Additionally, each federation may enter up to a further 2 women and 2 men, who qualify for the Women U23 and Men U23 classes respectively, in the Sprint, the Middle distance and the Mass start. No U23 classes are offered in the Long distance.
- In the Relay, each federation may enter up to 2 women's teams and 2 men's teams, each consisting of 3 team members.
- Each competitor must have a valid IOF Athlete Licence.

### **JWMTBOC**

- There is one class for women (W20) and one for men (M20). Only competitors who are entitled to compete in these classes may participate.
- All competitors must be citizens of the country of the federation they are representing.
- Competitors participate at their own risk. Third party insurance and personal injury insurance is compulsory and is the responsibility of the competitors' federation or themselves.
- All competitors represent a federation. Each federation may enter a team of an unlimited number of competitors and a number of team officials.
- For all individual competitions, each federation may enter up to 6 women and 6 men.
- In the Relay, each federation may enter up to 2 women's teams and 2 men's teams, each consisting of 3 team members.

## 7. TRAINING OPPORTUNITIES

In 2025, the organisers will conduct a technical camp combined with competitions in the area adjacent to the World Championships arena. More information will follow in Bulletin 2.