



2nd STAGE of the BALTIC BIATHLON CUP



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General information

Please find all the information for participants, competition program, contacts on official home page of the Championships: www.biathlonspb.ru

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Venue

Ski and biathlon center «Kavgolovo»

Biathlon stadium was constructed in 2014.

Stadium, shooting range and penalty loop are at a height of 60 meters above sea level. Race tracks are six to nine meters width. The highest point of the track is at an altitude of 100 meters above sea level, the lowest – of 60 meters.

Service building (Teams) and Wax cabins

The service building at the stadium includes team rooms, wax cabins and the Competition Office.

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OC Address

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Report after arrival

All arriving teams have to report at the Competition office as soon as possible after arrival.
In case of late arrivals: on the next morning.

Wednesday, 08.03.2017	9.30-20.00
Thursday, 09.03.2017	9.00-21.00
Friday, 10.03.2017	9.00-20.00
Saturday, 11.03.2017	9.00-21.00
Sunday, 12.03.2017	9.00-14.00

Location of Offices

Accreditation office: During arrivals 08.03.2017-12.03.2017 in the «Kavgolovo» hotel, Toksovo. During the competitions – Service building, 1st floor.

Competition office: Service building, 1st floor

Team captains meetings (TCMs): Main building, conference-hall, 1nd floor

Press-center: Main building

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Liability & insurance

The Organizer bears no responsibility for the possible human and material damage.

All participants should have medical insurance and be insured against accident, illness or liability in tort.

By submitting the registration by names the National Federation confirms that all persons entered are covered by such insurance (in accordance with 1.5.1.2 IBU Event and Competition Rules).

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Import/export of rifles, ammunition, radios and medicines

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According to the Russian law:

1. It is **OBLIGATORY** to declare: radios, rifles (number, caliber and model) and ammunition.
2. One passenger may keep his rifles (not more than 5 pieces) and ammunition (not more than 1000 pieces). It is allowed to transport only registered luggage, ammunition must be well packed and must not exceed 5 kg per person. The maximum weight per ammunition box is 5kg. The teams can check in several of those 5kg boxes (within their luggage total weight of 70kg per person) but none of the ammunition boxes may exceed 5kgs. Ammunition with more than 5 kg weight can be transported only as a dangerous cargo, formalized and packed in accordance with the requirements of "Technical instructions on safety air transportation of dangerous cargo". Rifles are accepted for transportation only in sparse condition, packed in cases which meet all weapons safety requirements. Rifles of the passengers must be transmitted to temporary storage in departure airport for the flight period and are given back at destination airport. Ammunition is transported separate from rifles. Passengers transporting rifles and ammunition must be present at the flight registration no later than 1.30 before the flight and declare the rifles and ammunition for formalizing it for transportation. OC strongly recommends that all ammunition shall be handed over/handled by the respective team leader/coach.
3. A team doctor should keep all the medicines. **It is necessary to have a list of the medicines and present it at the customs control.**
4. **To get the permission for import of rifles, please, fill in the form F2 at the latest 08.02.2017 and send it to e-mail: balticcupspb@gmail.com**
5. **To get the permission for import of radios and using radio frequencies, please, fill in the form F3 and send it to OC until 08.02.2017 at the latest.**

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Visa regulations

Participants coming from visa countries are obliged to get visa for entry into the Russian Federation. Visa is issued by Russian Consular Institutions.

Invitation Regulations:

Invitations for participants are executed through the Consular Department of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Russian Federation. **For every foreign citizen** the OC should submit an application of a standard pattern to the Consular Department of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Russian Federation. Besides passport data this application contains position, full address of the place of work, terms of stay in Russia, **place of getting visa abroad (that means one exact city, where you will address a Russian Consular Institution to apply for a visa)**. As soon as the invitation is ready, the OC will inform the participant about the electronic invitation number in the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Russian Federation, with which you may get visa **in the mentioned Consular Institution of the Russian Federation**. Such visa invitations are issued 30 days before the arrival into the Russian Federation.

The Organizing Committee will issue such visa invitations until 20.02.2017.

For getting the invitation according to such regulations you are to fill in the form F1. **The application form F1 and clear passport copies should be submitted via e-mail to balticcupsb@gmail.com until 08.02.2017.**

! We kindly ask you to provide the Organizing Committee with all the necessary documents for getting visa invitations and obtaining visas to enter the Russian Federation in time.

Passport validity: Passport must be valid at least 6 months at arrival in the Russian Federation.

A team may ask for invitations for more persons, if there is no exact list of the participants by the deadline of submitting applications. The team doesn't bear any extra expenses, and at the moment of getting visas only persons who need visas present their invitations at the Embassy.

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Logistics

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Transportation

For transactions with OC you can pay by cash in Russian Rubles at the current exchange rate and also can use VISA INT credit cards (VISA, Electron), Europay Int (Eurocard/MasterCard).

People planning to get to St.Petersburg by domestic regular flights from Moscow or Munich should book and buy tickets themselves. Please note that at such flights rules for luggage transportation are determined by respective air company. Flight schedule is available:

- on the website of air company «Aeroflot»
- <http://www.aeroflot.ru>

St.Petersburg airport is located 60 km from Ski and biathlon center “Kavgolovo”. The next nearest airport from Pskov is located 320 km in St.Petersburg (Pulkovo).

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Accommodation

All participants and officials will be accommodated at the hotel in Toksovo at the territory of Ski and Biathlon center «Kavgolovo ».

Prices for accommodation during competitions for bed in double room is 50 Euro and 70 Euro for single room. Full board.

Accommodation expenses are paid directly to OC in cash in Russian Rubles at the current exchange rate!!! Other currencies are not accepted!!! It's possible to pay by credit card. Credit cards VISA Int (VISA, Electron), Europay Int (Eurocard / MasterCard) are accepted.

To book a room, please, fill in the form F5 and send it to OC until 16.01.2016 at the latest. Application by name form F5A should be submitted to OC until 23.02.2017.

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Competition information

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Age groups

Group	Birth year
M 19	1998 and 1999
W 19	1998 and 1999
M 17	2000 and 2000
W 17	2000 and 2001

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Competition program (local time: CET + 2 hours)

Date	Zeroing	Competition / Training	Meetings/Draws	Others
Wednesday 08.03.2017	Arrival, Training			
		Training YM/JM 11:00-13:00 Training YW/JW 14:00-16:00	TCM 16:30 Election of Juries General Information	08:30 - 16:30 Preliminary EquipmentControl
Thursday 09.03.2017		Official Training YM/JM 11:00-13:00 Official Training YW/JW 14:00-16:00	TCM 16:30 Draw Sprint Information	08:30 - 16:30 Preliminary EquipmentControl
Friday 10.03.2017	YM/JM 10:00 - 10:50 YW/JW 13:00 - 13:50	Sprint 11:00 - 12:30 Youth Men & Junior Men Sprint 14:00 - 15:15 Youth Women & Junior WomenMixed Training 16:30 - 17:45		Flower ceremony immediately after each competition 18.00 Award ceremony
Saturday 11.03.2017	10:00 - 10:30 JW 13:00 - 13:50	Single Mix Relay 11:00 - 12:25 Junior Men/ Junior Women Youth Women/ Youth Men Individual Competition 14:00 - 15:20 Junior Women		
Sunday 12.03.2017	Departure			

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Competition rules

The competitions will be organized according to the IBU rules as in effect.

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Shooting range/Target system

30 electro-mechanical targets KES 2009 Kurvinen

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Registration Deadlines

Registrations by number/name have to be done online via the IBU

Membercenter on www.biathlonworld.com

Registration by number	On-line	08.01.2017
Registration by name	On-line	23.02.2017
Application form for visa	F1	08.02.2017
Application form for import of rifles	F2	08.02.2017
Application form for using radiofrequency	F3	08.02.2017
Accommodation reservation/Final accommodation reservation	F5/F5A	08.01.2017

All additional information and forms you can find at our official website:

www.biathlonspb.ru

All application forms submit via e-mail to the Organizing Committee:

balticcupspb@gmail.com

