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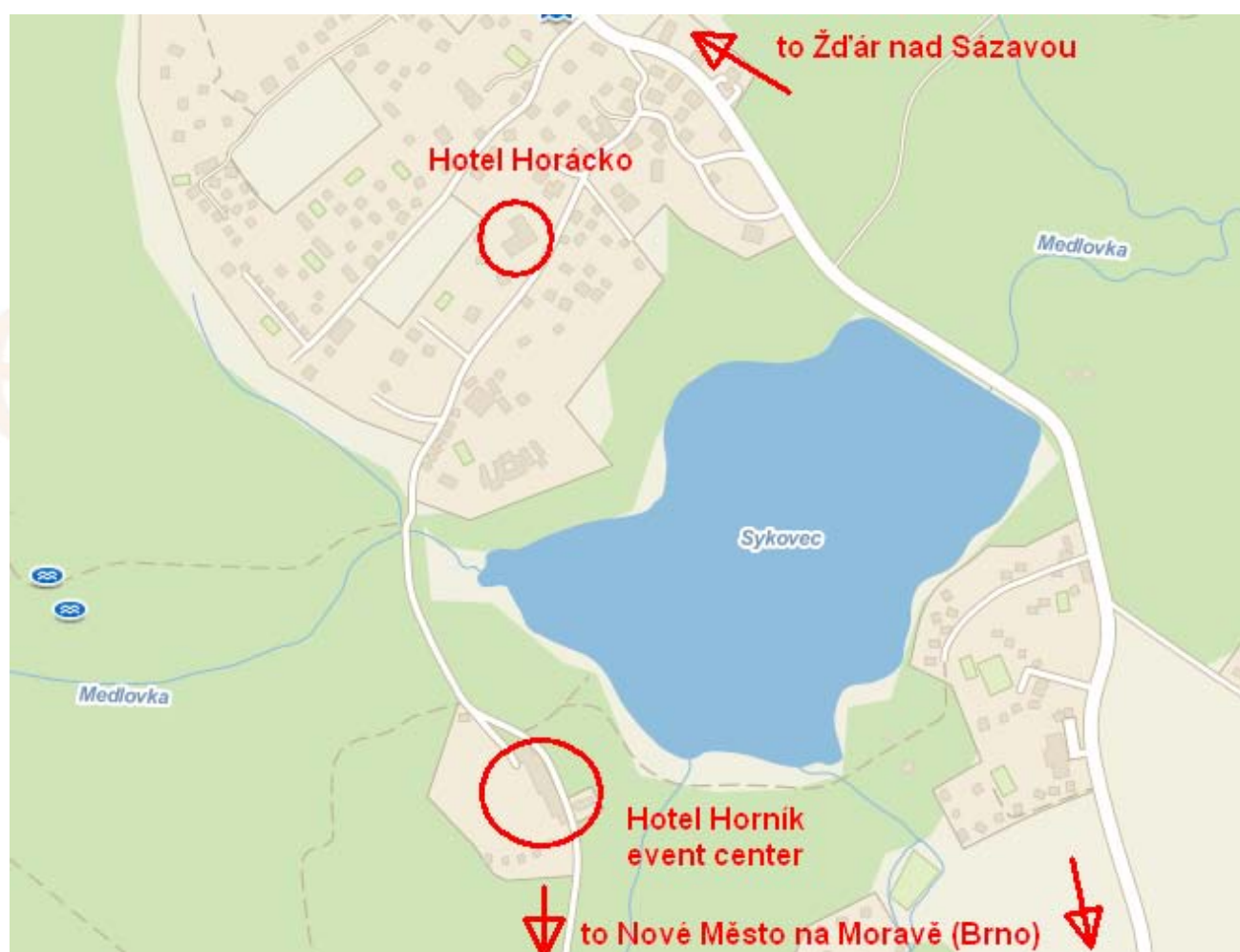
14th European / IARU region 1 Youth ARDF Championship
June 12–16, 2013
Tři Studně, Czech Republic



Welcome in the Czech Republic at 14th European (Region 1) Youth ARDF Championship. This is final Bulletin which brings latest info for upcoming days. Nevertheless, some of the information was already published in previous bulletins. On Thursday & Friday there will be separate newsletter released including remarks for the following day.

We wish all sportsmen pleasant and successful stay.

Organizing committee



Accommodation:

Both hotels are non-smoking. Slippers are required in both hotels. Hotel Horník is an event center while Hotel Horácko is located about 800 meters away. WiFi is free of charge in both locations. Slippers are required in both hotels. Since we may arrive from forest a little bit dirty, it will be kind to hotel personnel not to bring mud inside rooms.

Main Entrance to Hotel Horník is closed by 20.00 – after then, you must use the key (you have it with your room key) for back door entrance. Please, lock again this door each time you use it.

Board:

Board is organized separately at each hotel. You've already received food-tickets at the registration—use these when picking up your meal. The schedule is following:

	breakfast	lunch packets	lunch	dinner
Wednesday, June 12	—	—	12.00–15.00	19.00–20.00
Thursday, June 13	7.00–8.30	7.00–8.30	—	17.30–19.00
Friday, June 14	7.00–8.30	—	12.30–14.00	17.30–19.00
Saturday, June 15	7.00–8.30	7.00–8.30	—	17.00–18.00
Sunday, June 16	7.00–9.00	—	—	—

Various info:

- On Thursday & Friday there will be separate newsletter released including actual results, start list and details on competition for the following day.
- Nomination lists for each particular competition will be distributed upon arrival to team leaders. We kindly ask you, to fill the forms and deliver it to organizers not later than at the Jury meeting on the day preceding the competition. That will allow smooth preparation of starting lists before dinner at the team leaders meetings.
- You've received stickers (with start No.) for receivers—each receiver (even spare ones) shall have the sticker.
- Hotel address and phone number to EYAC hotline is printed on both receiver stickers and maps.
- The numbers of transmitters to be searched for are printed on maps for each category.
- There will be plastic bags at the start for transferring luggage to the finish area—we expect several competitors can share one bag not to excessively disturb the nature.
- Please, keep in mind that finish Beacon (B) works as a regular control and shall be marked and that finish time is recorded when you punch finish station.

Transport during championship:

Bulk transport (buses) to start and from (to) finish areas will be arranged for all competitors and team officials. Visitors are allowed at the finish area only. They will be transported separately by bus or can travel on their own. Location of the finish area will be announced in advance.

Marking device

SportIdent system will be used as a marking device. The use is following: (1) within the warm-up area you must clear SI card (in CLEAR station) and check (in CHECK station) when entering start area. After start, you'll punch all required transmitters and finally finish beacon and your final punch will be at the finish line.

If you're not familiar with the use of SI cards, please, contact competition office.

Schedule

Wednesday, June 12, 2013:

not later than by 14.00 arrival and on-site registration
12.00–15.00 lunch
13.00–17.00 training (both bands)
16.00 Jury meeting (at the registration office)
18.00 official opening ceremony
19.00–20.00 dinner

Thursday, June 13, 2013 (144 MHz):

7.00–8.30 breakfast + distribution of lunch packets
8.30 departure of the bus to start area
9.45 departure of the bus to finish area (visitors)
10.00 start time 00 (144 MHz)
approx. 15.00 Jury meeting (at the finish area)
16.00–18.00 sprint training (model event)
17.15 team leaders meeting
17.30–19.00 dinner
19.30 awarding ceremony

Technical parameters of the equipment:

144 MHz transmitters:

- RF power 3 W PEP,
- frequency: Tx 1–5: MOE–MO5 144.50 MHz, finish beacon: MO 144.85 MHz,
- antenna: crossed dipoles 3 m above the ground level.

3.5 MHz transmitters:

- RF power 3 W,
- frequency: Tx 1–5: MOE–MO5 3.52 MHz, finish beacon: MO 3.58 MHz,
- antenna: 8 m vertical + 8 m counterpoise.

3.5 MHz transmitters for sprint (1 minute cycle – 12 sec:48 sec)

- RF power: 1 W,
- antenna: 8m vertical + 8 m single radial counterpoise,
- frequency: Tx 1–5: MOE–MO5 (50 PARIS) 3.52 MHz
spectators control : S 3.54 MHz
Tx 1F–5F: MOE–MO5 (70 PARIS) 3.56 MHz
finish beacon: MO 3.58 MHz.

Opening & Awarding ceremony

Dress-code – casual, sporting.

All ceremonies will be open-air, held on the meadow behind hotel Horník. In case of heavy rain (it is not expected) they may be transferred inside hotel or delayed a little bit.

Training:

All trainings will take place in the very vicinity of the hotel Horník.

On Wednesday, June 12 training will be from 13.00 to 17.00 for standard courses for both bands. There will be arranged two transmitters and finish beacon for each band. You've received training maps upon registration. All transmitters will have the same equipment as for competition.

On Thursday, June 13 sprint training (model event) will be arranged from 16.00 to 18.00. Being organized as a full-scope competition, if you proceed through start, you'll be able to print the results ticket for you information at the finish. You'll get different training map for sprint at its start. The way to start will be clearly marked from the event center (hotel Horník). You can launch sprint at any time within given hours. There will be attendance present at the start and finish who can answer your questions to sprint procedures.

How it works with the sprint? The competition consists of two separate loops, divided by spectators control. Competitors are released in 2-minute interval, running through the start corridor leading them to the area of slow-keying transmitters (denoted as No. 1–5, searched for in any order). After finding all required transmitters in this part, they shall proceed to the spectator control (denoted S) and through the spectator corridor to the area of fast-keying transmitters (denoted as No. F1–F5, searched for in any order). Finding all required transmitters in this part, they can continue to the finish beacon (denoted B) and run through finish corridor towards finish line. Start and all transmitters including beacon shall be at least 100 m apart (with an exception of B & S that could be closer).

Remember, all transmitters (including S and B) shall be punched!

Instructions for 144 MHz standard course Thursday June 13, 2013

Time limit: 150 minutes.

Start corridor: 100–150 m single-sided.

Finish corridor: 100 m double-sided, uninterrupted.

Map: 144 MHz: 1:15 000, IOF standard, size A4, contour interval 5 m, status: spring 2013.

Tx to be searched for by categories:

W14: 1, 2, 3, B

W16: 2, 3, 4, 5, B

M14: 1, 2, 4, 5, B

M16: 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, B












Receivers. The receivers including spare ones will be handed over just after reaching start area. It will be organized separately country by country.

Maps, restricted areas. Start, beacon and finish will be shown on sample maps in preparation area which competitor enters 10 minutes before his/her start time. There are two restricted areas in competition area. Both will be indicated in sample map. The first one is rocky hill and the second one is a public road which partly creates border of competition area. No transmitters are placed in the vicinity of restricted areas. There is another public road in competition area which is free to use during race for competitors. However there is some traffic, thus we ask all competitors to take care while crossing it.

Don't forget to punch beacon when approaching finish area as well as finish point.

There is a restaurant close to finish area serving hot meals as well as snacks, ice cream, beverages, etc. Take some cash if you expect to use it.

List of participants:

	Country	ISO	RC	M16	W16	M14	W14	Competitors	Officials	Visitors	Total
	Bulgaria	BGR	BFRA	—	—	—	—	withdrawn	—	1	1
	Croatia	HRV	HRS	1	0	3	1	5	2	0	7
	Czech Republic	CZE	CRC	5	5	5	5	20	4	0	24
	Germany	GER	DARC	3	0	4	0	7	1	1	9
	Lithuania	LTU	LRMD	—	—	—	—	withdrawn	—	—	0
	Poland	POL	PZK	4	0	2	3	9	1	2	12
	Romania	ROU	FRR	2	0	0	0	2	1	0	3
	Russia	RUS	SRR	5	5	5	5	20	2	13	35
	Slovakia	SVK	SARA	2	1	2	2	7	2	0	9
	Slovenia	SLO	ZRS	1	0	3	0	4	1	0	5
	Ukraine	UKR	UARL	5	5	5	5	20	1	5	26
	TOTAL			28	16	29	21	94	15	22	131

With respect to our partners, any sales or promotional activity is forbidden unless allowed by the organizing committee.

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