



National Sprint Orienteering Competition

World Ranking Event (WRE)

Grano Games in Tampere, Finland,

Friday August 21st, 2020

Bulletin 1

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Rules

The rules of the Finnish Orienteering Federation as well as instructions given by the organizer and the International Orienteering Federation will be applied in the competition. The rules of The Finnish Orienteering Federation are available on the website www.suunnistusliitto.fi.

Classes

Classes M21E and W21E have WRE status. Same time is national orienteering competition with classes H/D4-85 and open motion orienteering.

The competition is also a selection race for Finnish team to JEC, JWOC and EYOC in classes H/D16E, H/D18E and H/D20E.

Punching system

Emit punching system will be in use.

Entries and entry fees

Entries should be made primarily through IRMA (competitors with Finnish license & club) or Eventor service. If neither of the above doesn't work, entries can be made via email: kilpailut.tp@gmail.com

Entry fee for WRE competitors is 30 €.

Emit card number must be included in the entry. The need for a rental Emit card has to be indicated in the entry. If Emit card number is missing, the organizer will reserve an Emit card and charge 3 €.

It is not possible to pay entry fee through Eventor. The bank details for entry fee payment without access to IRMA are as follows:

Account owner: Tampereen Pyrintö/suunnistus
Bank name: Tampereen Seudun Osuuspankki
Bank address: Hämeenkatu 12, 33100 Tampere, Finland
IBAN: FI54 5732 2620 1535 77
BIC: OKOYFIHH

When paying the entry fee, please fill to text field the name of the athlete whose entry fee is to be paid.

Entries and payments have to be made **no later than Monday, August 17, 2020 at 11:59 pm.**

No late entry possible.

IOF ID

WRE athletes have to include their IOF IDs in their entry. Athletes who don't yet have an IOF ID will get one by registering a user account in IOF

Eventor: <https://eventor.orienteering.org/Register>

Embargoed area

The embargo area is indicated with additional information on this link: <https://tampereenpyrinto.fi/suunnistus/embargo/>

There is no old maps of the area.

Timetable of the competition

The quarantine opens at 16:30 and closes at 18:00 on Friday 21st of August 2020. Location of the parking will be published on the website of the competition 19th of August 2020. There will be marked route from parking to quarantine and it is mandatory to arrive the quarantine via parking.

<https://tampereenpyrinto.fi/suunnistus/granogames20/>

Competition area and venue

Competition area is near to city centre of Tampere. Check embargo. Location of the arena will be published on the website of the competition August 19th 2020.

Terrain

Typical varied city area.

Map

Scale 1:4000 contour interval 2m.

Training opportunities

Please contact Mikko Eskola
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Accommodation, travelling and food

There is many options to accomodate in Tampere, check e.g.
<https://visittampere.fi/en/accommodation/>

Tampere is easily reached by car, train or airplane.

There is many restaurants in the city centre of Tampere.

Visa requirements

According to current regulations, citizens of some countries must obtain a visa in order to enter Finland. Please check the following website for more information: <http://www.formin.fi>.

Visas should be applied for at your closest Finnish Embassy. Please note that conditions of entry may change and all participants are advised to keep themselves updated on the current situation by consulting their local Finnish Embassy.

Weather and clothing

In August, the weather in Tampere could be anything from pleasantly warm and sunny (up to 25 degrees °C) to cooler, windy and rainy (down to 10 °C). Competitors should be prepared for a changeable weather.

Covid-19 instructions

It will be followed instructions of IOF, Finnish Orienteering Federation, Government of Finland and instructions of the organizers in this competition. Further information will be provided in Bulletin 2 at 19th August.

Check Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Finland webpages about travelling to Finland:
<https://um.fi/entering-finland-and-travelling-abroad>

Tampereen Pyrintö welcomes all participants to Grano Games in Tampere 21st August 2020!