## Athletes Briefing

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Europe Triathlon Junior Cup 2023

| Date | Location | Country | Distance |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| $19 / 03 / 2023$ | Melilla | Spain | Sprint |
| $26 / 03 / 2023$ | Quarteira | Portugal | Sprint |
| $12-14 / 05 / 2023$ | Caorle | Italy | Super-Sprint-SF,F+MTR |
| $27 / 05 / 2023$ | Olsztyn | Roland | Sprint |
| $17 / 06 / 2023$ | Izvorani | Austria | Super-Sprint+MTR |
| $25 / 06 / 2023$ | Wels | Netherlands | Sprint |
| $30 / 06 / 2023$ | Holten | Hungary | Super-Sprint-SF,F |
| $8-9 / 07 / 2023$ | Tiszaujvaros | Lithuania | Super-Sprint+MTR |
| $16 / 07 / 2023$ | Panevezys | Spain | Super-Sprint-SF,F+MTR |
| $19-22 / 2023$ | Banyoles | Czech Republic | Sprint |
| $23 / 07 / 2023$ | Tabor | Turkiye | Super-Sprint+MTR |
| $5-6 / 08 / 2023$ | Balikesir | Latvia | Sprint |
| $12 / 08 / 2023$ | Riga | Moldova | Super-Sprint+MTR |
| $19-20 / 08 / 2023$ | Chisinau | Ireland | Sprint |
| $26 / 08 / 2023$ | Dublin | Slovenia | Super-Sprint |
| $02 / 09 / 2023$ | Bled | Croatia | Sprint |
| $09 / 09 / 2023$ | Zagreb | Turkiye | Sprint |
| $21 / 10 / 2023$ | Yenisehir |  |  |

## Europe Triathlon Junior Cup Ranking 2023 Junior Women (after Panevezys)

| Rank | Previous | Evolution | Name | NF | Points | Best score | $\begin{aligned} & \stackrel{0}{0} \\ & \stackrel{0}{4} \\ & \stackrel{\rightharpoonup}{0} \\ & \stackrel{0}{0} \\ & \stackrel{N}{N} \end{aligned}$ |  |  |  |
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| 1 | 1 |  | Vrablova, Margareta | SVK | 1870,9 | 400 | 400 | 400 | 400 | 271 |
| 2 | 2 | $\longrightarrow$ | Segui Soria, Alejandra | ESP | 1227,5 | 400 | 342 | 271 | 214 |  |
| 3 | 3 | $\longrightarrow$ | Martinez Gonzalez, Carla | ESP | 935,5 | 370 | 370 | 157 | 39 |  |
| 4 | 13 | + 9 | Kapten, Liis | EST | 883,7 | 317 | 317 | 251 |  |  |
| 5 | 4 | $\square$ | Mars, Aniek | NED | 870,2 | 400 | 370 | 72 | 38 |  |
| 6 | 5 | $\underline{1}$ | Ferchmin, Aleksandra | POL | 841,2 | 317 | 293 | 232 |  |  |
| 7 | 6 |  | Szalai, Fanni | HUN | 800 | 400 | 400 |  |  |  |
| 8 | 7 | 1 | Laporte, Manon | FRA | 712,3 | 370 | 342 |  |  |  |
| 9 | 8 | 1 | De Koning, Sonja | NED | 712,3 | 370 | 342 |  |  |  |
| 10 | 9 | 1 | Huys, Tabea | AUT | 636,3 | 271 | 251 |  |  |  |

# Europe Triathlon Junior Cup Ranking 2023 Junior Men (after Panevezys) 

| Rank | Previous | Evolution | Name | NF | Points | Best score |  | 0 0 0 un 0 0 은 | 0 0 0 U $\vdots$ $\vdots$ $\ddagger$ |  |
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| 1 | 4 | 3 | Tolsa Garcia, Hector | HUN | 1408,9 | 370 | 342 | 342 | 293 | 62 |
| 2 | 1 | - 1 | Kropko, Marton | ESP | 1327,5 | 370 | 370 | 317 | 271 |  |
| 3 | 2 | 1 | Gonzalez Turrez, Pelayo | ESP | 1314,9 | 400 | 400 | 317 | 198 |  |
| 4 | 9 | 5 | Rasva, Gregor | EST | 1107,5 | 400 | 370 | 271 | 67 |  |
| 5 | 3 | 2 | Vela Vela, Jesus | ESP | 1098,6 | 400 | 370 | 293 |  |  |
| 6 | 5 | 1 | Hobor, Zalan | HUN | 1062,8 | 400 | 400 | 157 |  |  |
| 7 | 6 | 1 | Hansmaennel, Thomas | FRA | 956,9 | 400 | 271 | 124 | 14 |  |
| 8 | 22 | 14 | Barac, Gabriel | CRO | 809,1 | 400 | 370 |  |  |  |
| 9 | 7 | 2 | Kovacs, Gyula | HUN | 770 | 370 | 370 |  |  |  |
| 10 | 8 | 2 | Serre Gehri, Nils | FRA | 740 | 342 | 271 | 115 |  |  |

## Europe Triathlon Junior Cup Ranking 2023 NFs standing (after Panevezys)

| Rank | Previous | Tendency | NF | Country | Total |  |  |  |  |  |  | O |  |
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| 1 | 1 |  | SPAIN | ESP | 7236 | 1227 | 935 | 618 | 1327 | 1314 | 1098 | 317 | 400 |
| 2 | 2 |  | HUNGARY | HUN | 5257 | 800 | 476 | 341 | 1408 | 1062 | 770 | 400 |  |
| 3 | 3 |  | FRANCE | FRA | 4091 | 712 | 440 | 370 | 956 | 740 | 503 | 370 |  |
| 4 | 14 | - 10 | ESTONIA | ITA | 3818 | 883 | 438 | 405 | 1107 | 270 | 145 | 170 |  |
| 5 | 4 | 1 | ITALY | POL | 3017 | 420 | 342 | 316 | 457 | 400 | 370 | 342 | 370 |
| 6 | 5 | 1 | POLAND | NED | 2853 | 841 | 454 | 270 | 669 | 405 | 214 |  |  |
| 7 | 6 | 1 | NETHERLANDS | BEL | 2748 | 870 | 712 | 270 | 316 | 241 | 141 | 198 |  |
| 8 | 13 | 5 | SLOVENIA | POR | 2667 | 567 | 370 | 190 | 495 | 400 | 276 | 98 | 271 |
| 9 | 9 |  | GREAT BRITAIN | GBR | 2477 | 542 | 366 | 316 | 415 | 290 | 255 | 293 |  |
| 10 | 10 |  | AUSTRIA | AUT | 2469 | 636 | 250 | 198 | 728 | 250 | 156 | 251 |  |

## Agenda

Welcome and Introductions
Competition Jury
Schedules and Timetables
Check-in and Procedures
The Course
Post-Race Procedures
Water Quality Test Results
Weather forecast

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## Welcome and Introductions

- Chris Kitchen (IRL), Vice-President Europe Triathlon
- Joanna Pyrzyńska-Figurska (POL), Europe Triathlon Technical Delegate
- Gabriela Pohankova (CZE), Europe Triathlon Assistant Technical Delegate
- Soeren Jarling (GER), Europe Triathlon Head Referee
- Šimon Kuncl, LOC Director


## Competition Jury

- Joanna Pyrzyńska-Figurska (POL), Chair
- Chris Kitchen (GBR), Europe Triathlon Representative
- Antonin Bauer (CZE), Czech Triathlon Association Representative


## Schedule and Timetables

## SATURDAY

15:00-16:00 Athlete's briefing
16:00-17:00 Race package pick-up
Your package includes:

- Stickers - Helmet (3x), Bike (1x), Bag (1x) Stickers
- Body decals - both arms and both legs
- Accreditation (wristband) - gives access to Athlete lounge on race day


## Schedule and Timetables

## SUNDAY - JUNIOR MEN

| DAY | START | END | ACTIVITY | LOCATION |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Sat $22^{\text {nd }}$ July | 13:00 | 14:00 | Bike course familiarization | Černá perla |
| Sat $22^{\text {nd }}$ July | 15:00 | 16:00 | Athlete's briefing | Centrum Univerzita |
| Sat $22^{\text {nd }}$ July | 16:00 | 17:00 | Race Package Distribution (ID required) | Centrum Univerzita |
| Sun $23{ }^{\text {rd }}$ July | 10:45 | 12:10 | Athletes lounge check in | Černá perla |
| Sun $23{ }^{\text {rd }}$ July | 11:30 | 12:15 | TA check-in | Černá perla |
| Sun $23{ }^{\text {rd }}$ July | 11:30 | 12:15 | Swim warm-up | Start Area |
| Sun $23{ }^{\text {rd }}$ July | 12:20 |  | Calling area | Start Area |
| Sun $23^{\text {rd }}$ July | 12:25 |  | Athletes' introduction | Start Area |
| Sun $23^{\text {rd }}$ July | 12:30 |  | START |  |
| Sun $23{ }^{\text {rd }}$ July | 15:00 | 15:30 | TA and AL check-out | Athletes Lounge |
| Sun $23{ }^{\text {rd }}$ July | 15:30 | 16:00 | Award Ceremony | Černá perla |

## Schedule and Timetables

## SUNDAY - JUNIOR WOMEN

| DAY | START | END | ACTIVITY | LOCATION |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Sat $22^{\text {nd }}$ July | $13: 00$ | $14: 00$ | Bike course familiarization | Černá perla |
| Sat $22^{\text {nd }}$ July | $15: 00$ | $16: 00$ | Athlete's briefing | Centrum Univerzita |
| Sat $22^{\text {nd }}$ July | $16: 00$ | $17: 00$ | Race Package Distribution (ID <br> required) | Centrum Univerzita |
| Sun $23^{\text {rd }}$ July | $11: 00$ | $12: 10$ | Athlete lounge check in | Černá perla |
| Sun $23^{\text {rd }}$ July | $11: 30$ | $12: 15$ | TA check-in | Černá perla |
| Sun $23^{\text {rd }}$ July | $13: 00$ | $13: 45$ | Swim warm-up | Start Area |
| Sun $23^{\text {rd }}$ July | $13: 50$ |  | Calling area | Start Area |
| Sun $23^{\text {rd }}$ July | $13: 55$ |  | Athletes' introduction | Start Area |
| Sun $23^{\text {rd }}$ July | $14: 00$ |  | START |  |
| Sun $23^{\text {rd }}$ July | $15: 00$ | $15: 30$ | TA and AL check-out | Černá perla |
| Sun $23^{\text {rd } \text { July }}$ | $15: 30$ | $16: 00$ | Award Ceremony | Černá perla |

## Check-in procedures

## Athletes' Lounge

- Bike check (Frame, saddle position $(-5 \mathrm{~cm} \leq$ Men \& $-2 \mathrm{~cm} \leq$ Women) - approved exceptions on World Triathlon website, traditional handlebars only (clips-on to be removed), wheels and spare wheels (non authorized UCI wheels rule)
- Bring your spare wheels to the Wheel Station and pick them up from there. First, they need to be checked at the athletes' lounge
- Approval for the addition/modification of any equipment to the bike MUST be obtained from the Head Referee during the race package distribution
- Mechanic service available - during the race day (7:30-17:00) at the Athletes lounge
- Uniform \& race gear check (name, country, logos, World Triathlon logo) - photos taken of each uniform. Wearing other uniform during the race = DSQ
- Body marking check (both arms, both legs)
- Timing chip distribution - 1 for the ankle
- Swim cap distribution



## Check-in procedures

## Transition Area

- Helmet check - Don't leave your helmet straps fastened in the transition

The athlete who misses to comply with this rule will receive a 10 seconds time penalty in TA1

- Helmet on the bike
- The bike must be racked in the first transition by the rear wheel and in the second transition by either wheel
- Running shoes go outside and in front of your box


## The course



## Pre-start Procedures

## Athlete Introduction

- 10 minutes before start - line-up
- Athlete's are required to wear the official swim cap from the moment of the athletes' line-up If wearing 2 swim caps the 2nd one must be unbranded
- Jog to the start once your name is called
- Deep water start
- Select your position and stay behind the virtual line!


## Start Procedures

## Athlete in position

- The start can be given any time after the Head Referee announces "On your mark"
- Air horn blast
- The race starts

Athletes not moving forward at the start will receive a time penalty of 10 seconds in TA1.

## False-start Procedures

## False-start (many athletes)

- Several horn blasts
- Kayaks move in front of you
- Everyone goes back to her/his original start spot


## Valid start with early starters

- If a few athletes start before the horn and everyone else starts with the horn, the false starter(s) will receive a 10 seconds penalty in TA1.
During the time penalty, the athlete cannot touch any race equipment.


## Swim course

- On 22.07.2023 at 13:00: water temperature $-23,4^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$
air temperature $-22^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$
- Wetsuit not allowed
- 1 lap (total distance of 750 m)
- Distance to the first turn buoy 300 m
- Take cap, goggles to transition into your box


## Swim course map



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## Swim conduct

## Definition from the World Triathlon CR §4.1:

e.) Athletes may sportingly maintain their own space in the water:
(i) Where athletes make accidental contact in the swim and then immediately afterwards move apart no penalty will be incurred;
(ii) Where athletes make contact in the swim, and an athlete continues to impede the progress of the other athlete without moving apart, this action will result in a time penalty;
(iii) Where athletes deliberately target another athlete to impede their progress, gain unfair advantage and potentially cause harm will result in disqualification and may be reported to World Triathlon Arbitration Tribunal for potential suspension or expulsion.

## Swim conduct

- There will be additional boats and Technical officials deployed on the swim course to monitor athlete's behaviour in this respect.
- Infringements may be recorded and appropriate action will be taken dependant on the rules definition from the previous slide.
- Please respect your fellow competitors and keep the race fair.


## Swim exit to TA

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Distans from swim exit to TA: 200 m with stairs 2 m wide after coming out of the water

## Transition Area

- 200 m from swim exit to transition zone
- Individual bike racks
- Name, number, country code and flag
- Athletes cannot touch the locking mechanism of their helmet from the time they remove their bike from the rack until they have placed it back on the rack and let go after the finish of the bike segment
- By the end of the last transition, ALL equipment (used + unused) must be deposited into your box


## Failure to put equipment in box = 10 seconds penalty on run PB

- Mount line at the end of the TA (green lline)
- Dismount line before the turn to TA (red line)


## Transition Flow



## Bike course

- 4 laps of $4,99 \mathrm{~km}+0,3 \mathrm{~km}$ (total distance of $\mathbf{2 0} \mathbf{~ k m}$ )
- Hilly and technical
- 1 Wheel Stations:
- 1 Team wheel station
- For locations see the map
- Lap Counter: at the beginning of the lap
- Lapped athletes are out of the race


Bike course


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## Bike Course Map



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## Bike Course Map



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Riding position

only ok in draft illegal event


## Bike behaviour

## Definition from the World Triathlon CR §5.1.b:

iv. Where an athlete cuts across or makes accidental contact with another athlete during the bike, then immediately moves away and does not cause a crash the athlete will not incur a penalty.
v. Where an athlete cuts across another athlete in a dangerous manner or makes contact with another athlete during the bike, does not move away and continues to impede the progress of the other athlete, the athlete will incur a time penalty.
vi. Where an athlete deliberately targets another athlete during the bike and impedes their progress, gains an unfair advantage, potentially causes harm or a crash the athlete will be disqualified and may be reported to the World Triathlon Tribunal for potential suspension or expulsion.

## Caution

Caution signal: sharp whistles and or red flags


## Bike to Run



## Run course

- 3 laps of 1,66 km (total distance of 5 km )
- Aid stations:
- 1 per lap (for locations see the map)
- Sealed water
- Discard plastic bottles and litter within the littering zones indicated by the signs below



## Run Course Map

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## Run Behaviour

## Definition from the World Triathlon CR §6.1:

b. Where an athlete makes accidental contact during the run with another athlete, then immediately moves away and does not cause a fall, the athlete will not incur a penalty.
c. Where an athlete makes contact with another athlete during the run, continues to impede the progress of the other athlete and does not move away, the athlete will incur a time penalty.
d. Where an athlete deliberately targets another athlete during the run and impedes their progress, gains an unfair advantage, potentially causes harm or a fall the athlete will be disqualified and may be reported to the World Triathlon Tribunal for potential suspension or expulsion.

Finish


To the finish


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## Run Penalty Box

- Start infringements will be served in T1 Swim, T1, Bike, T2 and Run Infringements will be served in Run Penalty Box
- Location: 100 m before the Finish
- Information: White board to show race numbers and letters to indicate violations
(Athletes need to read the board - coaches are advised to check and inform their athletes)
- Procedure: $\mathbf{1 0}$ seconds time penalty served on any lap of the run

Penalties must be posted prior to the last lap on the run. Any penalties following that point will be served on the spot.

Athletes have the option to decide whether to stop at the penalty box and serve the penalty or continue to the finish. Not stopping will result in DSQ on crossing the finish line. The athlete may then protest the penalty. Evidence will only be made available if an protest is filed.

## Run Penalty Box

If you incur a penalty, you will find your number plus a letter code indicating the nature of the infraction:
Violations Abbreviations:

| Dismount Line | D | Littering | L |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Mount Line | M | Equipment outside the box | E |
| Swim Behavior | S | Bike Behavior | B |
| Run Behavior | R | Other violations | V |

For example:

12 D
12x2 ME
athlete \#12 received a time penalty for a dismount line violation
athlete \#12 received 2-time penalties for mount line and equipment outside the box violations

## Right to protest

- An Athlete who receives a penalty may protest, with the exception of:
(i) a penalty for a drafting violation; and
(ii) a time penalty which has already been served.
- If an athlete serves a time penalty, the athlete accepts the penalty, and no protest will be admitted.
- If an athlete does not serve a time penalty, he/she will be disqualified but may protest against the disqualification and the decision of the Head Referee to issue the time penalty.


## Post-race Procedures

- Photo-finish
- Congestion in finish area >>>> Go to mixed zone / recovery area
- "Mixed Zone" - immediately after finish 1, 2, 3 with host broadcaster first.
- Medal Presentation - protocol - at 15:30
- Junior athletes are not allowed to carry their country flag on the podium; there will be flags raising with the playing of the national anthem of the winner.


## Post-race Procedures

## Anti-Doping Control

- Photo ID is needed for every athlete to have ready for Doping Control


## Medical

- Only accredited team medical will be allowed to enter the medical tent after the LOC Doctor's permission.


## Ambush Marketing Rules

- For ceremony awards, please dress up with race uniform (or country uniform) Ambush marketing rules apply.
- Race caps/visors are allowed at the podium
- Please follow the Ambush marketing rules. Ambush marketing is defined as:
"Deliberately using the opportunity of live television and media photographers to acquire additional exposure for your sponsor product, apparel or brand."


## Coaches Accreditation / Coaches Areas

## Accreditation

- All coaches have to collect accreditation to be able to enter the venue.
- Only Coaches who have been registered from their NF into the World Triathlon online system are entitled for an accreditation


## Coaches' areas

- Beside the Finish Area \& Penalty Box


## Water Quality Assessment (Inland)

| Enterococci |  | E.Coli |  | PH |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | BUN/100mL |  | BUN/100mL | Insert <br> Sample Date |  |
| Location A | 1 | Location A | 2 | Location A | 9 |
| Location B | 1 | Location B | 2 | Location B | 9 |
| Location C | 1 | Location C | 2 | Location C | 9 |
| Enterococci limit | <200 | E.Coli limit | <500 | PH limit | 6-9 |


| Weather forecast |  |
| :--- | :--- |
| Day | Weather |
| Briefing (B) | cloudy with a little light |
| Race Day | Overcast (20\% chance <br> of rain |


| Visual Sanitary Inspection (last 12 hours) |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :--- | :---: |
| Location | Visual <br> Pollution | Odour | Time of <br> visit | Comments |  |  |
| Pontoon | None | None | $09: 15$ |  |  |  |


(E.Coli < 500 or Enterococci < 200) with no or potential visual pollution during sanitary check or forecasted heavy rain)

## Weather forecasts

## Temperature

 in ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$Weather
$26^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$
Sunny with slightly cloudy

## NEED HELP?

## Contact

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## Have a good race!

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