



ARDF Bulletin 1

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Open Nordic ARDF Championships 2014

The 2014 Nordic ARDF Championships are organized by the Finnish Amateur Radio Society SRAL together with local radio clubs. The event consists of two competitions on 3.5 MHz, and one on 144 MHz.

Date July 25 - July 27, 2014, Friday to Sunday.

Competitions	Friday afternoon,	Sprint 3.5 MHz Start at 16:00
	Saturday afternoon,	Classic 3.5 MHz Start at 14:00
	Sunday morning,	Classic 144 MHz Start at 10:00

Technical info	<u>Sprint</u>	
	Frequency controls 1-5	3510 kHz
	Frequency control S	3540 kHz
	Frequency controls 1F-5F	3570 kHz
	Frequency control beacon	3600 kHz
	Output power approximately	0.5W
	Antenna	Vertical 5m + 3 x 1.5m radial counterpoise
	<u>Classic 3.5 MHz</u>	
	Frequency controls 1-5	3579 kHz
	Frequency control beacon	3520 kHz
	Output power	3W
	Antenna	Vertical 7m + 3 x 6m radial counterpoise
	<u>Classic 144 MHz</u>	
	Frequency controls 1-5	144.763 MHz
	Frequency control beacon	144.503 MHz
Output power	0.7W	
Antenna	Crossed dipole 2.5m above ground	

Marking devices	Oporcon (electrical)
	Classic punch (manual)

Competition rules	Nordic rules based on the IARU Region 1 rules will be used. The rules will be published later.
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Estimated costs	Competition fee:	12 € per event
	Accommodation:	40 - 60 € (per person, per night)

Venue

Eerikkilä sports institute in Tammela (<http://www.eerikkila.fi/en>),
100 km from Helsinki, 90 km from Turku



Accommodation

The old log house (40 € per night)

Rich in old-time atmosphere, cozy timber house is equal to hostel.
Showers and toilets are in the corridors. Rooms are for 2 – 4 persons each.
In the same building an apartment for 14 persons, called Coach Club.

Tammela (50 € per night)

Each apartment contains four convenient and spacious bedrooms sharing a bathroom, kitchen and nice lounge with balcony, TV, VCR, internet-connection and clothes dryer.

Opisto (50 € per night)

Two comfortable rooms make an apartment sharing a bathroom.
Rooms for 3 persons each equipped with TV.

Frenckell and Tammela (60 € per night)

Beautiful double rooms with bathroom and TV.
Frenckell 64 double room + 4 suites (with own sauna and balcony)
Tammela 16 double room

Prices per person include breakfast and use of facilities. No caravan or tents allowed. Nearest camping site approximately 15 km distance called Venesilta.

Meals

Saturday evening dinner buffet ~25 €

Lunch or dinner ~12 €

Prices may be subjected to changes

Book meals at the Eerikkilä except Saturday evening dinner buffet

Bookings

Room reservations at the latest June 15,

Email to: sari.kytaja@eerikkila.fi or by phone +358-3-42499326

Please, use ARDF2014 as a reference when booking

Application

At the latest June 15, to: oh2md@sral.fi

Application form is available at ARDF Finland web site.

Limitation

For the Open Class maximum number of participants are first 20 in registration order.

Web site

<http://ardf.pp.fi/nordic2014>

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