

ASSOCIATION OF RADIO AMATEURS OF SLOVENIA

# 22<sup>nd</sup> IARU Region 1 ARDF Championships 2019

# ROGLA, SLOVENIA

2<sup>nd</sup> - 8<sup>th</sup> September 2019

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Championship website: <a href="http://ardf2019.hamradio.si/">http://ardf2019.hamradio.si/</a>

Dear ARDF Friends!

Slovenian radio amateur society - ZRS is organizing the 22<sup>nd</sup> IARU Region 1 ARDF Championships which will take place from 2<sup>nd</sup> to the 8<sup>th</sup> of September 2019. All current preparations are going as scheduled.

We wish you the best preparations for the Championship and we will do our best organizing it, so that it may be satisfactory for everybody.

Fans of the sport or anyone else that would like to observe the activities are also invited.

Looking forward to meeting you,

Chairman of the Organization Committee Bojan MAJHENIČ, S52ME

## Venue

Sports recreational centre Rogla



An excellently equipped sports recreational centre and a natural climatic health resort Rogla lies on one of the tops of Pohorje, with an altitude of 1517 meters above sea level. It is only 15 km away from Zreče, a city known for its spas and internationally established companies, such as UNIOR, Weiler Abrasives and GKN Driveline.

The centre itself is surrounded by streams, clean forests and green meadows and pastures. On Rogla, you can enjoy the pleasant temperatures and the beneficently healing climate, that drives away tiredness and refills your batteries.

The centre is a modern, summer and winter sports centre. It covers the entirely artificially snowy alpine skiing courses, Fun park - a paradise for boarders, a new running course, skiing school, sports hall, tennis courts, basketball and volleyball courts, a gym, climbing wall, wellness centre with a swimming pool, saunas and massages, as well as an adrenaline sledding ground and numerous strolling and hiking paths...

With 600 parking spaces, 550 beds in hotels Planja, Natura, Rogla, Brinje and bungalows Rogla and Gaber, it is an excellent location for sports and recreation, as well as spending your free time and vacation during any season. Culinary delights, fun and health are also provided.

#### Accommodation

#### Sports recreational centre Rogla

The participants will be staying at a hotel complex of the Sports recreational centre on Rogla, in double or three bed rooms, internationally categorized with three stars, including a wellness centre, swimming pool and a full board (three self-service meals). All rooms have a WC, a bathroom and a TV.

A single-bed room can be specially arranged with additional payment.







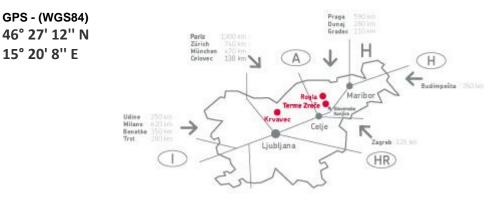






#### **Championship location**

Most of competitors usually come with their own transport. Therefore you may use the given coordinates for your navigation system (GPS).



#### How to reach us by car/bus?

#### from Austria

- highway Beljak (Villach) Celovec (Klagenfurt) direction Gradec (Graz) after 25 km exit Griffen -Lavamund - Dravograd - Slovenj Gradec - turning Gornji Dolic - Vitanje - Stranice - Zrece - Rogla
- highway Linz Wels Kirchdorf Lienz Gradec (Graz) Spielfeld Maribor direction Ljubljana (Celje) after 30 km exit Slovenske Konjice - Slovenske Konjice - Zrece - Rogla
- highway Dunaj (Wien) Hartberg Gradec (Graz) Sentilj (Spielfeld) Maribor direction Ljubljana (Celje) after 30 km exit Slovenske Konjice - Slovenske Konjice - Zrece - Rogla

#### from Croatia

- highway Zagreb Krapina Exit Durmanec Rogatec direction Maribor Exit Poljcane Slovenske Konjice -Zrece - Rogla
- highway Zagreb Krapina Macelj Ptuj Exit Kidricevo Slovenska Bistrica Slovenske Konjice Zrece -Rogla
- Cakovec Sredisce ob Dravi Ormoz Ptuj Kidricevo Slovenska Bistrica Slovenske Konjice Zrece Rogla

#### from Hungary

 Redics - Lenti - Dolga vas - Lendava - Murska Sobota - Maribor - highway, direction Ljubljana - after 30 km exit Slovenske Konjice - Zrece - Rogla

# How to reach us by plane?

- The distance to nearest airports:
- Ljubljana / Slovenia 100 km
- Maribor / Slovenia 40 km
- Graz / Austria 100 km
- Klagenfurt / Austria 115 km
- Zagreb / Croatia 130 km

If anyone will be arriving with a public transport we can arrange transportation for a fee from the following cities: Celje, Maribor, Ljubljana and Graz.

A transportation from Zreče to Rogla can be arranged free of charge.

#### Weather

On Rogla, the weather at the start of September is stable with daily temperatures around 15°C - 18°C and night temperatures around 10°C.

#### **International Jury**

Dušan Čeha	YU1EA	SRS	Chairman of the Jury
PA Nordwaeger	SMOBGU	SSA	Jury Member
Karl-Heinz Schade	DL7VDB	DARC	Jury Member
Roussko Roussev	LZ1RT	BFRA	Jury Member
Željko Belaj	9A2QU	HRS	Jury Member
Lucien Vidal	F4DKA	REF	Jury Member
lgor Lazarev	<b>US0VA</b>	UARL	Jury Member
Michaela Bednarikova	OK2MWN	CRC	Jury Member
Franci Žankar	S57CT	ZRS	Siting Referee, Technical Director
Tomi Kordež	S53CO	ZRS	Secretary of the Jury

### Program of the 22<sup>nd</sup> IARU Region 1 ARDF Championships

Monday	02.09.2019	Arrival, Training sprint and foxoring, opening Ceremony
Tuesday	03.09.2019	Foxoring, Awarding
Wednesday	04.09.2019	Sprint, training Classics 80+2m, Awarding, arrival for classics
Thursday	05.09.2019	Classics 80+2m, Awarding
Friday	06.09.2019	Free day - excursion
Saturday	07.09.2019	Classics 2+80m, Awarding, HAMFEST
Sunday	08.09.2019	Departure

#### Categories

According to the Rules: W19, M19, W21, M21, W35, M40, W50, M50, W60, M60, and M70.

#### Awards

Medals and diplomas.

#### Technical parameters of the transmitters to be used for each competition

Frequency allocations for the 3.5 MHz competition

Frequency / Competition	Classic	Sprint	Foxoring
3530 kHz		TX 15	TX 1, 1F, 2, 2F
3550 kHz	TX 15	Spectator (S)	TX 3, 3F, 4, 4F
3570 kHz		TX 1F5F	TX 5, 5F
3600 kHz	Beacon	Beacon	Beacon

Frequency allocations for the 144 MHz competition

144.500 MHz TX 1...5 144.850 MHz Beacon

Output RF Powers

3.5 MHz Classic TX 1...5 and Beacon 3W

3.5 MHz Foxoring 10 mW

3.5 MHz Sprint 1W

144 MHz TX 1...5 and Beacon 3W

#### Antennas

3.5 MHz Classic and Sprint: 8m vertical and 3 counterpoises3.5 MHz Foxoring: vertical 30cm144 MHz: Crossed Dipole, horizontal. 2.5m above the terrain

#### Maps and equipment

The maps are IOF standard, revised in 2019. Size of the maps A4-A3, waterproof <u>Flags:</u>

- 3.5 MHz band, standard orange and white triangle,
- 144 MHz band, standard orange and white triangle with a blue vertical stripe. Marking device:

SportIdent - SI card (version 5 and up) numbers will be collected in the entry form. For those who do not have any in their possession, SI card will be provided.

#### Participants

Over 400 competitors accompanied by team officials and visitors from 22 countries expressed their intention to take part in the event.

We still hope that the following list of countries is not the final one:

Austria ÖVSV, Belgium UBA, Bulgaria BFRA, Croatia HRS, Czech Republic CRC, Denmark EDR, Estonia ERAU, Finland SRAL, Germany DARC, Great Britain RSGB, Hungary MRASZ, Lithuania LRMD, Moldova FRRM, Netherlands VERON, Norway NRRL, Romania FRR, Russia SRR, Slovakia SARA, Slovenia ZRS, Sweden SSA, Switzerland USKA, Ukraine UARL.

#### Fees

Starting fees 50 EUR per competition, 200 EUR for the whole event. Transportation for guests (to the finish): 5 EUR per competition, 20 EUR for the whole event.

Full package for the whole event *if payments are done up to June 30<sup>th</sup>, 2019:* For competitors, officials: 490 EUR for the whole event (including starting fee) For visitors: 350 EUR for the whole event.

#### If payments are done later than July 1<sup>st</sup>, 2019

For competitors, officials: 520 EUR for the whole event (including starting fee) For visitors: 380 EUR for the whole event.

#### **Payment details**

Wire transfer to the account:

Beneficiary:	ZVEZA RADIOAMATERJEV SLOVENIJE
Ben. address:	Bezjakova ulica 151, 2341 Limbus, Slovenia
Bank:	Delavska hranilnica d.d. Ljubljana
BIC (SWIFT):	HDELSI22
IBAN:	SI56 6100 0001 9641 392
Bank address:	Miklosiceva 5, 1000 Ljubljana, Slovenia

Transfers shall be carried in EUR. It is your obligation to pay all the bank fees. Therefore, you should set the "code for transfer" to "OUR" in your transfer form.

#### **Deadlines**

Letters of Intent: The deadline is already over. However, we still welcome new participants. If you are interested to join us, please contact the organizer as soon as possible.

<u>Entries</u>: June 1<sup>st</sup>, 2019 (with number of team officials and competitors). Entry forms will be available in the Download section at the event website

<u>Registration (full names and details for competitors and team officials)</u>: before August 5<sup>th</sup>, 2019, if possible, certainly not later than by August 10<sup>th</sup>, 2019. Late registration cannot be accepted unless approved by the organizer and the International Jury. Registration forms will be available in the Download section at the event website.

Fee payment:

Early payment June 30<sup>th</sup>, 2019.

For late entries we cannot guarantee accommodation, thus please contact organizers regarding this.

<u>Cancellation</u> policy: Before June 30<sup>th</sup>, 2019, we return full amount minus bank charges. Before July 31<sup>st</sup>, 2019 we return entry fees minus bank charges.

#### Insurance and Medical Care

First aid facility will be available at the finish areas for all competitions. No cost to the participant applies for on-site minor treatment; however, the cost for ambulance transportation, emergency department visits, and clinic visits will be the participant's responsibility. Thus, we recommend you to purchase an insurance covering such expenses.

#### Visas

Slovenia is a part of Schengen area. According to the current regulations, citizens of some countries must obtain a visa in order to enter Slovenia. For those who need Visa, we will prepare invitation letters upon request.

#### **Embargoed areas**

It is forbidden to train or move around in any forested areas within the radius of 30 km from the center of Rogla. The allowed exceptions are official orienteering and ARDF events organized by the ZRS.

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If you have any further questions, do not hesitate to contact us as soon as possible.