

5 ORIENTEERING DAYS in ROMANIA

2025, August 20th – 24th



BULLETIN 3

Romanian National Championships

MD, LD, Relay, Urban Sprint

Carpathian Orienteering Trophy

Overall 3 WRE stages:

MD, LD, Urban Sprint

Classes: M,W12,14,16,18,20,21E,21A,35,40,45,50,55,
60,65,70,75, M80, Open Th., Open, Open Family

Breaza Town Cup Urban Sprint

Competition for the students from Breaza

Classes: M,W15, M,W19



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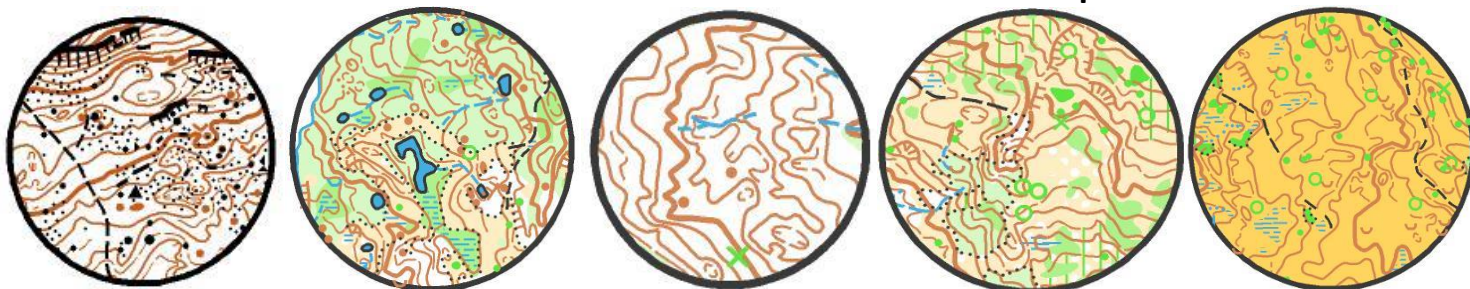


3 WRE stages

MD, LD, Sp.U

**All your Orienteering skills
will turn
to good account !**

Map samples from
the previous editions:



1. ORGANIZING TEAM

EVENT PRESIDENT: Ionuț PATRAȘ,

President of Romanian Orienteering Federation

"In the top areas in Romania, Comarnic is just the right location for a great Orienteering event. The host of many national and international events in the past years, Comarnic provided interesting races demanding all Orienteering skills from the competitors. Let us expect again that we will be satisfied by terrains and courses, which will make the best win! Therefore, I welcome all orienteers from abroad. I would like to thank the French Orienteering Federation for accepting to support our event."



EVENT & RACE DIRECTOR:

Lucian GĂLĂȚEANU, race director on previous editions

"I had the joy that the routes designed in the previous editions received the highest appreciation."



TECHNICAL DIRECTOR: Marie-Violaine PALCĂU,
National Technical Director of FFCO -

Fédération Française de Course d'Orientation

„Magnificent project, high technical Orienteering,
nice places, nice people."



TECHNICAL DIRECTOR: Valentin-Tiberiu PALCĂU,
Race Director O'FRANCE 2021 și 2023

Master of sport Orienteering in Romania

"With emotion and pleasure, I return to Romania, my country of origin, to share my technical experience from two O'France events. I am captivated by the quality and diversity of the terrain in the Prahova Valley. Undoubtedly you will appreciate the competition. You are welcome!"



CARTOGRAPHER: Liviu ȚÂNȚAR,
mapping at JWOC 2023, România

"I am happy to be part of this beautiful project, Carpathian O Trophy 2025, where I had the pleasure to map technical areas, with framed relief and a very varied diversity of vegetation which I am sure they will demand the qualities of the competitors to the maximum."



CONTROL: Nina MAIORESCU – National Controller
Gabi MAIORESCU – IOF Adviser

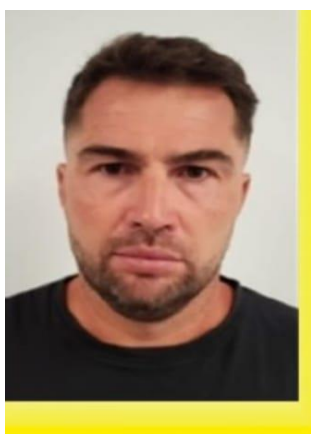
"Really, high competency
and exigency"



**ENTRIES,
VALIDATION,
START LISTS,
RESULTS:
George NEAGU**



**ELECTRONIC
RESULTS
DISPLAY:
Tamaş BOGYA**



**FINISH
ARENAS:
Ciprian POPA**

**START
DEVICES:
Maria NEGOIȚĂ**



PLACING the CONTROL POINTS: The “7 MAGNIFICENTS”



**Iuli
NEGOIȚĂ**



**Costică
BULGARU**



**Florin
ȚUNCU**



**Cosmin
GEORGESCU**



**Răzvan
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**PROMOTION
and ONLINE COMMUNICATION:
Adela GĂLĂȚEANU**

2. OUR HOSTS



Mr. Sorin Nicolae POPA, MAYOR of COMARNIC TOWN:

"Comarnic has the privilege to be once again the host of major sport competitions with national and international participation, and this honors us and makes us happy. Here, in Comarnic, we have a wonderful landscape at the disposal of our guests: athletes, coaches, orienteering specialists, in order to organize an elite competition. We thank the Romanian Orienteering Federation for choosing us once again, in 2025, as the venue for such an important competition for us and for the Romanian sports community!"

Mr. Cristian NEAGOE, MAYOR of TALEA COMMUNE:

"We welcome our guests to this competition in which two stages will take place in the hills surrounding the commune of Talea. We are convinced that the beauty of our landscapes will remain unforgettable in the memory of all participants."



Mr. Bogdan Cristian NOVAC, MAYOR of BREAZA TOWN:

"We are pleased and honored that Breaza town is hosting this national and international orienteering world ranking competition. We offer the students of Breaza the opportunity to discover the beauty of this sport by organizing Breaza Town Cup for them."



3. OUR SPONSORS



GHM TEAM

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Mihnea Grecu:

"I am glad to support this competition. Orienteering has educated me, and continues to complete and define who I am today!"



Horațiu Grecu:

"Together we can develop both competitions and new generations of athletes."



Cosmin Morar:

"My years in orienteering have left a lasting mark on everything that followed. From a young age, we learned the meaning of hard work, and the drive to push beyond our own limits."

Message for new sponsors

We want to have you on our side for the successful realization of this sport event that will gather passionate participants from all over the country and abroad.

The presence of your brand on all competition materials will give you visibility in an active and involved community.

4. EVENT PROGRAM

**August 20th,
Model Event,
Comarnic**

12:30 - 17:00
12:30 – 18:00

Validation at Model Event Centre,
Model Event: Gurguiata cluster of control

**August 21st,
Model Event,
Comarnic**

9:30 – 11:00
9:30 – 12:00

Validation at Model Event Centre,
Model Event: Ghiosesti (Belia Valley)
cluster of control

**August 21st,
MD, WRE,
Talea**

14:30 – 15:30
16:00

Validation at Event Centre,
First start MD

**August 22nd,
LD, WRE,
Talea**

10:00
13:30

First start LD
Price Giving Ceremony:
- MD & LD WRE stages
- MD & LD National Championships

**August 23rd,
Orienteering
Celebration Day,
Relay Nat. Ch. &
Picnic Cup -MD,
Picnic, Comarnic**

10:00
13:30

13:00 - 15:30

First start Relay Nat. Ch. and Picnic Cup
Price Giving Ceremony:
- Relay Nat. Championship.
- Picnic Cup
Picnic, accompanied by a music
and dancing show

**August 24th,
Urban Sprint,
WRE,
Breaza Town Cup,
Breaza**

9 : 30
10:00
13:30

Quarantine , “Virgil Dudău” Sport Hall,
First start Urban Sprint
Price Giving Ceremony:
- Urban Sprint Nat. Champ. & WRE,
- Carpathian Orienteering Trophy,
- Breaza Town Cup

5. DETAILS for EVENT STAGES

Model Event, August 20th & 21st, Comarnic

Model Event Center has the coordinates: **45° 15' 00" 25° 36' 17"** .

Model Event Center is located next to the paved road, 250m from its exit from the inhabited area of Comarnic, Ghioșești district.

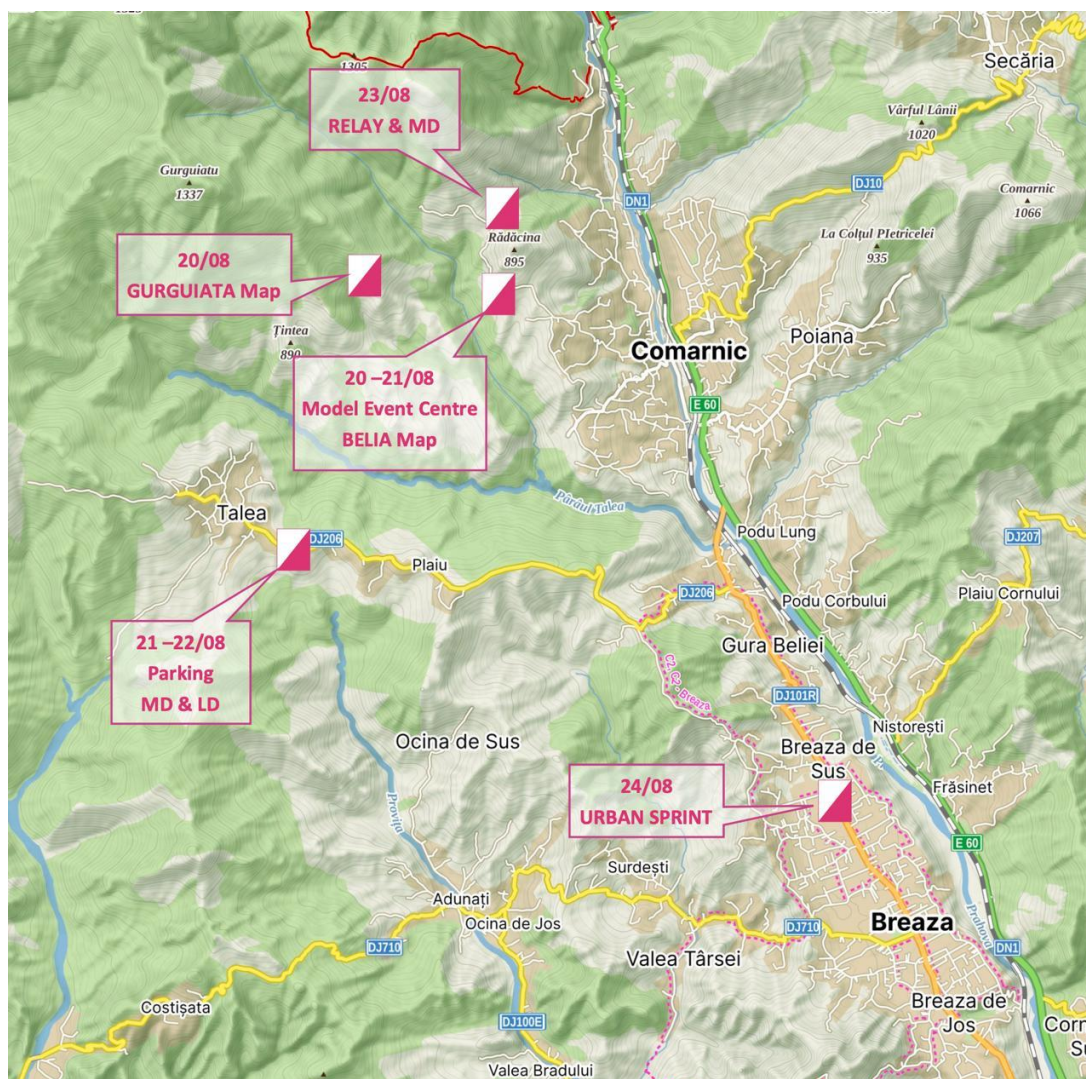
You have the opportunity to admire a particularly beautiful landscape opening to the hills to the south and to the west.

Parking is available along the road.

On August 20th, from 12:30 to 18:00, there will be installed controls at the Gurguiata area.

To enter the Gurguiata area from the Model Event Centre you have to drive 4,3 km on the Gurguiata forest road until the point: **45° 15' 08,3" 25° 34' 50"** . On the route, after 3,9 km, at the point "At the Cross", (**45° 15' 04,6" 25° 35' 09"**), please take a short break **to admire the marvelous landscape that opens to the south.**

On August 21st, from 9:30 to 12:00, the Ghioșesti / Belia Valley cluster of controls will be available. The Model Event Centre is located on the Belia Valley map.



MD, WRE, August 21st, Talea

The Parking area is located next to the paved road, at the entrance to Talea Commune and has coordinates: **45° 13' 15" 25° 34' 28"**.

We recommend to the participants of the competition that on the access road to Talea Commune, after leaving the inhabited area of Breaza Town, **to stop several times to admire the landscape of outstanding beauty, both towards the hills to the south and the mountains to the north.**

The Competition Center is located at the Finish Arena, 180m from the Parking area.

The start is 300 m from the Parking area or 300m from the Competition Center & Finish Arena.

LD, WRE, August 22nd, Talea

Parking, Finish Arena and Event Center remain the same as the previous day.

There will be two starts:

Start 1 - for classes: M,W 12,14,60,65,70,75, W 16,50,55, M80, Open Th., Open, Open Family

Start 2 - for classes: M,W 18,20,21E,35,40,45, M16,21A,50,55,

Start 1 will be 500 m from the parking area, along a marked lane.

Start 2 is 2,86 km from the parking area, of which 2.3 km will be covered by minibuses provided by the organizers and 560 m will be covered by foot, along a marked lane.

The prize giving ceremony will take place in the finish area.

Relay & **Picnic Cup** / MD, August 23rd, Comarnic

The Relay & Picnic Cup Arena has the coordinates: **45° 15' 26" 25° 36' 14"**.

The Arena is located at the beginning of the Gurguiata forest road, 1.150 m from the exit of the paved road from the inhabited area of Comarnic, Ghioșești district.

Parking is along this paved road. Wider areas suitable for parking coaches and minibuses will be marked.

The prize giving ceremony for Relay National Championship and Picnic Cup will take place at Event Arena.



We invite you to join us for a great picnic at the Relay & MD Arena, where our hosts will provide us with dinning conditions and some delicious local dishes. At validation, all runners will receive a tiket for a picnic pack offered by the host. The first 3 runners at Picnic Cup will receive one additional tiket for a dessert at our Picnic.

The talented students from Comarnic will delight us with beautiful songs and dances. Celebrating Orienteering during the national and international competitions held in Comarnic - always in an unforgettable atmosphere - has become a cherished and meaningful tradition.

Parking for the Urban Sprint stage is on Vasile Alecsandri and Copenhagen streets. The intersection of these two streets, marked **P**, has the coordinates: **45° 10' 48" 25° 40' 11"**.

From this point, a marked lane starts towards the quarantine zone which is established at the "Virgil Dudău" Sports Hall, 450m away.

The Finish Arena is located near the Parking area. The prize giving ceremony will take place in front of the Town Hall, also near the Parking area.

At **P** point, beginning at 8:30 hours, you will receive WarmUp Maps with 10 controls poligon. The Parking Area, the Finish Area, the Town Hall and the "Virgil Dudău" Sports Hall are on the Warm Up map.



6. TECHNICAL DATA

CLASS for MD, LD and Carpathian O-Trophy	MD August, 21 st	LD August, 22 nd		Urban Sprint August, 24 th	
	Length (km) / climb (m) / Number of Controls	Length (km) / climb (m) / Number of Controls	Start	Length on optimal route/ Number of Controls	CLASS for National Urban Sprint Champ.
F 12	2,20 / 110 / 14	1,85 / 100 / 13	S1	1,72 km / 15	F 14
F 14	2,30 / 110 / 13	2,40 / 120 / 14	S1	1,72 km / 15	
F 16	2,65 / 90 / 13	4,10 / 180 / 14	S1	3,43 km / 18	F 18
F 18	3,50 / 140 / 16	6,00 / 200 / 17	S2	3,43 km / 18	
F 20	3,50 / 140 / 16	6,00 / 200 / 17	S2	3,43 km / 18	F 21
F 21E	3,90 / 140 / 17	8,50 / 290 / 24	S2	3,43 km / 18	
F 35	3,50 / 140 / 16	6,00 / 200 / 17	S2	3,43 km / 18	F 35
F 40	3,40 / 160 / 15	5,40 / 190 / 16	S2	3,43 km / 18	
F 45	3,40 / 160 / 15	5,40 / 190 / 16	S2	3,04 km / 17	F 45
F 50	2,65 / 90 / 13	4,10 / 180 / 14	S1	3,04 km / 17	
F 55	2,65 / 90 / 13	4,10 / 180 / 14	S1	3,04 km / 17	F 55
F 60	2,15 / 80 / 11	2,70 / 110 / 13	S1	3,04 km / 17	
F 65	2,15 / 80 / 11	2,70 / 110 / 13	S1	2,09 km / 16	F 65
F 70	1,65 / 50 / 9	1,80 / 70 / 10	S1	2,09 km / 16	
F 75	1,65 / 50 / 9	1,80 / 70 / 10	S1	1,46 km / 11	F 75
M 12	2,40 / 110 / 15	1,90 / 100 / 11	S1	2,07 km / 14	M 14
M 14	2,50 / 110 / 15	2,40 / 120 / 11	S1	2,07 km / 14	
M 16	3,40 / 160 / 15	5,40 / 190 / 16	S2	4,53 km / 19	M 18
M 18	3,90 / 150 / 17	7,40 / 240 / 24	S2	4,53 km / 19	
M 20	3,90 / 150 / 17	7,40 / 240 / 24	S2	4,53km / 19	M 21
M 21E	4,30 / 150 / 17	11,00 / 380 / 26	S2	4,53km / 19	
M 21A	3,90 / 150 / 17	8,50 / 290 / 24	S2	4,53km / 19	M 35
M 35	3,90 / 150 / 17	8,50 / 290 / 24	S2	4,53km / 19	
M 40	3,50 / 140 / 16	7,40 / 240 / 24	S2	4,53km / 19	M 45
M 45	3,50 / 140 / 16	6,00 / 200 / 17	S2	3,43 km / 18	
M 50	3,40 / 160 / 15	5,40 / 190 / 16	S2	3,43 km / 18	M 55
M 55	3,40 / 160 / 15	5,40 / 190 / 16	S2	3,04 km / 17	
M 60	2,65 / 90 / 13	4,10 / 180 / 14	S1	3,04 km / 17	M 65
M 65	2,65 / 90 / 13	4,10 / 180 / 14	S1	3,04 km / 17	
M 70	2,15 / 80 / 11	2,70 / 110 / 13	S1	3,04 km / 17	M 75
M 75	2,15 / 80 / 11	2,70 / 110 / 13	S1	2,09 km / 16	
M 80	1,65 / 50 / 9	1,80 / 70 / 10	S1	2,09 km / 16	Op.Th.
Op.Th.	2,65 / 90 / 13	4,22 / 160 / 15	S1	2,09 km / 16	
Open	2,40 / 110 / 15	1,90 / 100 / 11	S1	2,07 km / 14	Open
Op.Fam	2,20 / 110 / 14	1,85 / 100 / 13	S1	1,72 km / 15	Op.Fam

National Relay Championship August, 23 rd		Picnic Cup / MD August, 23 rd		Breaza Town Cup Urban Sprint August, 24 th	
CLASS	Length / Number of Controls	COURSES (CLASSES for price giving ceremony)	Length / Number of Controls	CLASS	Length on optimal route/ Number of Controls
W14	3 x 2,0 km / 15	A (M 18,20,21)	3,14 km / 19	W15	1,21 km / 11
W18	3 x 3,0 km / 21				
W21	3 x 3,2 km / 21				
W120	3 x 2,7 km / 19	C (W 35,40, M 16,45,50)	2,58 km / 17	W19	2,26 km / 12
W160	3 x 2,2 km / 20				
W190	3 x 1,9 km / 17				
M14	3 x 2,0 km / 15	E (W 55,60, M 65,70)	2,15 km / 15	M15	2,26 km / 12
M18	3 x 3,2 km / 21				
M21	3 x 3,6 km / 25				
M120	3 x 3,0 km / 21	F (W 65,70, M 75,80+)	2,01 km / 15	M19	2,87 km / 12
M160	3 x 2,7 km / 19				
M190	3 x 2,2 km / 20				
		G (W M 12,14, Op, Op.Fam)	1,86 km / 16		

Stunning courses designed to test your abilities are waiting for you.
All your Orienteering skills will turn to good account.
So, come to be the best!

Nice places and wonderful landscapes will delight you.
A special leg, on the top of the hills, will offer you a delightful panoramic view towards the peaks of Bucegi Mountains, Baiului Mountains and Subcarpathians's Hills.
The water receiving point is located on this special leg.

7. ENTRIES, ENTRY FEES, DEADLINES, INFORMATION

Entry fees and deadlines:

-  For clubs affiliated to the Romanian Orienteering Federation, fees and deadlines are in accordance with the "SPECIFICATIONS 2025".
-  There are no entry fees for the Breaza Town Cup.

CLASSES	DEADLINES			
	Jan, 31 st	May, 30 th **)	August, 10 th ***)	August, 16 th
M,W 12,14, Open, Open Family	8 €*) per stage	9 € per stage	10 € per stage	12 € per stage
M,W 16,18,65,70,75, M 80, Op.Th.	10 €*) per stage	12 € per stage	15 € per stage	20 € per stage
M,W 20,21E,21A,35,40,45,50,55,60	12 €*) per stage	15 € per stage	20 € per stage	25 € per stage

- *) For SEEQA countries and Hungary, these levels remain valid for all application deadlines;
- **) One month later (than in Bulletin 1), to support those who intend to register in this period.
- ***) One day later (than Bulletin 1), to be the same deadline as for romanian runners.
-  After 16th August, registrations will be accepted according to the available places.
-  For Model Event maps there is a fee of 3 € / map. Please indicate at the registration whether you are participating in the Model Event and how many maps you want.
-  Entry is not valid until the entry fee is received in the organizer's account.

Banking details: Clubul Sportiv Metropolitan București

Adress: str. Pridvorului nr. 17, Sector 4, Bucharest.

For EUR payments, IBAN: RO76 RNCB 0857 1529 0407 0001

For RON payments, IBAN: RO93 RNCB 0071 1529 0407 0001.

PARTICIPATION IN THE COMPETITION IS ON OWN RESPONSABILITY

Entries: www.orienteeringonline.net geotibi2002@yahoo.com

Information: Competition Site: <https://carpatho.ro>

Romanian Orienteering Sites: www.fro.ro www.orienteering.ro

International Orienteering Sites: <https://eventor.orienteering.org/Events>
www.worldofo.com/calendar

Facebook link: www.facebook.com/CarpathianOTrophy

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8. WELCOME to ROMANIA

TO REACH THE
COMPETITION AREA,
you have 90 km by DN1
from *Henri Coanda
International Airport of
OTOPENI*
or 80 km from the new
Brasov-Ghimbav Airport

ACCOMMODATION:
*Guesthouses and hotels in
Breaza, Talea or Comarnic*



TRY ON BEAUTIFUL TOURISTIC TOURS

You can stop by
a short visit to
*Peles Castle
(1873- 1914),
the Summer Royal
Family Residence,
at Sinaia,
about 20 km North
from Comarnic.*



Baroque room



Florentine room