



# RACE RULES

## 3<sup>rd</sup> MTB Papuk Adventure Race

(recreational marathon race)

02.06.2018. – ORAHOVICA



Organizers: Cycling club LooD Orahovica





## INFORMATION ABOUT THE RACE:

Date: 02.06.2018.

Gathering time: From 7:00h

Gathering place START/FINISH: Orahovica, Duzluk, Lake Orahovica

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<https://www.facebook.com/papukextremechallenge/>

Entries: *Online entry on* <https://www.papukextre.me/>

Entries will be accepted until May 21st 2018.

Entries will not be accepted after this deadline.





## 1. BASIC INFORMATION

MTB marathon, 3<sup>rd</sup> MTB Papuk Adventure race is a sequel to a successful story that began in 2016. The first two races were held as a MTB orientation marathon. This year it will be held as a classic marathon. The track will be marked according to the rules of a marathon race.

The race will be held mostly on the territory of Orahovica and Čačini, also on the territory of Papuk Nature Park.

The race is a part of Papuk Extreme Challenge. That is the first Orahovica outdoor festival. Our goal is to make it the biggest sports-touristic-gastronomic spectacle ever held in Croatia. Apart from many sport events, cultural events are also included in the program. You will also have the opportunity to try Slavonian specialties in our rich gastronomic offer. The Orahovica Spring Festival (Orahovačko proljeće) will be held that same weekend.

## 2. TRACKS AND CATEGORIES

**Track A – 65 km (about 1.500 meters uphill)**

**MEN : 18-39 (2000 – 1979)**

**MASTERS : 40 + (1978 +)**

**WOMEN : 18 + (2000 +)**

**Track B – 40 km (about 800 meters uphill)**

**MEN : 16-39 (2002 – 1979)**

**MASTERS : 40 + (1978 +)**

**WOMEN : 16 + (2002 +)**

All persons older than 18 have the right to participate on the race on track A. All persons older than 16 (on the day of the race) have the right to participate on the race on track B. For persons over the age of 16 and under the age of 18, a statement signed by a parent or legal representative (which is at the end of the Race Rules) is required.





**RACE START FOR ALL CATEGORIES IS AT 10:00.**

### **3. ENTRIES AND ENTRY FEES**

**On line entries: <https://www.papukextre.me/>**

- 1. Entry fee paid until May 1<sup>st</sup> 2018 at 23:59 (11:59pm) amounts 50,00 kn.**
- 2. Entry fee paid from May 2<sup>nd</sup> 2018 until May 21<sup>st</sup> 2018 at 23:59 (11:59 pm) will be increased for 50% and it will amount 75,00 kn.**

**Entries after May 21<sup>st</sup> 2018 are not possible.**

**Competitors from outside Croatia will pay the entry fee on the day of the race. The price will depend on the time period they send the entry.**

**Addiko Bank giro account for entry payment:**

**BK Lood Orahovica, Riječani 82, Orahovica**

**IBAN : HR7425000091102198573**

**It is OBLIGATORY to write the payers name and last name on the payment slip.**

**Payment are accepted until May 26<sup>th</sup> 2018.**

#### **ENTRY FEE INCLUDES:**

Start number

Setup and marking of the track

Official electronic time measurement

Croatian cycling federation judge

Duty of the Croatian Mountain Rescue Service (HGSS) - the station Orahovica

Refreshment after the race

Gift packages from our sponsors to all participants





Medals for the top 3 in each category

Awards for the top 3 in each category

Feed zones for refreshment on the track

Bike washing after the race

Posting the results after the race

**Food and drinks are not included in the entry fee price. The entire gastronomic offer will be available at affordable prices, and all income collected from the donations will be used for the departure of the Junior Team in the Cross Triathlon at the World Championship in Denmark.**

## 4. PROGRAMME

### 02.06.2018. (SATURDAY)

<b>07:00h – 09:15h</b>	<b>Registration and taking start numbers</b>
<b>09:40</b>	<b>Gathering at the start</b>
<b>09:50h</b>	<b>Briefing about the race</b>
<b>10:00h</b>	<b>START of the race</b>
<b>From 16:30h</b>	<b>WINNER ANNOUNCEMENT FOR ALL CATEGORIES</b>
<b>15:30h</b>	<b>TIME LIMIT for all categories</b>

## 5. OBLIGATORY AND RECOMMENDED EQUIPEMENT

### Obligatory equipment:

MTB bike with 26“, 27.5“ or 29“ wheel size. The use of a road bicycle is not allowed. Wearing a helmet is obligatory. Not wearing a helmet will be punished with a disqualification.

### Recommended equipment

Minimally 2 bottles for fluids, energy bars/gels, isotonic solutions for longer tracks.





## 6. INFORMATION AND ACCOMMODATION

Croatian Railways provided a special 'Papuk Extreme Challenge' train which will transport all participants of the manifestation from the Central Station in Zagreb to Orahovica for a return ticket reduced by 50 % and at all other railway stations in Croatia the return ticket will be reduced by 40 %.

You can find the timetable of all trains on the Croatian Railway's web site:

<https://prodaja.hzpp.hr/en>

The destination station is Zdenci-Orahovica or Čačinci.

Accommodation capacities in Orahovica and near Orahovica you can find on our Facebook page and on our online entry form. All participants of the triathlon and their escort have the possibility to camp in their own tents by the Orahovica Lake for the price of 10 kn per tent/per night.

Orahovica offers a lot of accommodation units from which are some very close to our gathering place:

<http://www.hotel-ruzica.com/>

<http://smjestaj-buga.hr>

<http://www.hotel-dukat.com/>

You can find more information about Orahovica on: <http://tzgorahovica.hr/>

<https://www.facebook.com/MTB-PAPUK-Adventure-RACE-469033273305729/>

<https://www.facebook.com/papukextremechallenge/>

<https://www.facebook.com/bklood/>

[www.bklood-orahovica.hr](http://www.bklood-orahovica.hr)

<http://pp-papuk.hr/>





## LIST OF MANIFESTATIONS / PAPIK EXTREME CHALLENGE

### FRIDAY

12:00 Opening of the Kids Sport camp "Papuk Extreme"

13:00 Viking warrior race for primary and high schools

14:00 Slavonian lunch

18:00 Opening the entries for all competitions

19:00 Plays for children

20:00 Slavonian dinner

20:30 Briefing for all competitions

21:00 Lectures: travels, athletes ...

### SATURDAY

07:00 Slavonian breakfast

08:00 Opening the entries

10:00 Start: MTB marathon, Papuk marathon, Mountain climbing, Excursions to Ružica grad and Stari grad, Scouts

13:00 Lunch: Slavonian specialties

16:00 Start: Croatian Championship in Cross Triathlon

16:30 Relays for persons with special needs

18:00 Announcement of the winners

19:00 Dinner

20:00 Briefing for Sunday's competitions

20:30 Outdoor movies under the stars

22:00 Acoustic evening (acoustic concerts)





## SUNDAY

07:00 Breakfast

08:00 Opening the entries

09:00 First downhill ride (cycling)

09:30 Croatian Championship in fishing

10:00 Start Viking Warrior race

11:00 Athlete parade through the town

12:00 Second downhill ride (cycling)

12:30 Performance of cultural associations from all over Croatia

13:00 Croatian Championship in Cross triathlon – super sprint

13:30 Slavonia and Baranja Championship in long-distance swimming

14:00 Lunch

16:00 Announcement of the winners

17:30 Leaving of the 'Papuk Extreme Challenge' train to Zagreb

## 7. REMARK

**The race will be held according to the rules of the Croatian Cycling Federation (HBS) and the rules set by the organizers.**

Some parts of the tracks are roads that will not be closed for traffic therefore it is very important to follow traffic regulations and increase caution in those parts.

**The race is on the calendar of the Croatian cycling Federation (HBS) so all athletes, licensed or unlicensed have the right to participate.**

The organizers remove any responsibility from themselves for any actions of participants that could cause hurting himself or third persons.







**\*The organizer has the right to change the rules.**



