Welcome to Oslo and EYAC 2016

Oslo is the capital city in Norway and has a unique location with the city and rural area located closely together. The terrain is well suited for radio orienteering with many updated orienteering maps around the city.

We are looking forward to meet all of you ARDF youth enthusiasts for the

Event Program

- **Saturday July 2nd**: Arrival and registration
- **Sunday July 3rd**: Training, all bands Sprint Opening ceremony and awarding sprint competition
- **Monday 4th**: Competition day 2m Awarding ceremony
- **Tuesday 5th**: Competition day 80m Awarding and closing ceremony

Accommodation

Oslo Youth Hostel Haraldsheim, full accommodation in to 1 to 4 beds rooms. The hostel has been refurbished in 2012 with many new rooms. The hostel has a total of 315 beds and 88 roms. 59 rooms have on suite bathroom. 4 bed, double and single rooms are available.

Transport

Public transportation options are good. [Oslo Gardermoen international airport](https://www.eyac2016.org) has daily flights to many European cities. There are daily ferry boat connection to Denmark and Germany and easy access by train and car through Sweden. The youth hostel has both tram service downtown every 15 minutes, a local train station and direct bus to the airport
Entry fee for competitors and team officials

Competition fee
- 100 € for Sprint, 80m and 2m
- 35 € for a single competition

Team officials
- 20 € (entering competition area)

Discount

A 10% discount of the competition fee if payment is received by the organizers before May 10th 2016.

Accommodation at event centre

Accommodation
- 250 € for 4 nights full pension
- 190 € for 3 nights full pension
- 30 € for additional nights with breakfast only

Packet all included
- 350 €

Letter of intent


Letter of intent shall be sent to the following email: post@eyac2016.org

It's required that team leaders have read the information regarding “Activities Involving Young People”

Letter of intent shall include the following information:

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| Number of officials:             |
| Number of competitors:          |
| W14 | W16 | M14 | M16 |

A preformatted Letter of Intent can be downloaded from www.eyac2016.org

Latest date for acceptance of entries

Latest date for acceptance of entries: April 28th 2016
Bank payment information

Radioorientering Norge
Børønningen 27
N-3472 Bødalen
Norway

IBAN: NO32 0530 2971 422
BIC: DNBANOKKXXX

Transport

Local transport can be arranged from train station of ferry upon request. Organizers will provide travel information from other locations.

Number of Participants and officials

The maximum number of officials per team is 6.

Each IARU society may enter a team of up to five competitors in each category for the whole Championship (i.e., the same competitors must be entered for all races).

Visa

A visa to EU/EEA is required. Information can be found at: http://www.udi.no/en/want-to-apply/visit-and-holiday/

We are able to provide invitations to the EYAC event upon request.
Terrain and climate

Mean temperature in Oslo is 15°C at this time of year. Weather is usually calm and not much rain. There are no particular hazards as tics or wild animals.

The terrain for the classic 2m and 80m is hilly with marshes and cliffs. The controls will not be located at dangerous locations and the maps are used by orienteering events with children at all ages, but it’s presumed that all participants are familiar with map symbols of non passable areas and are used to run in forest.

Opportunities for training

There will not be a training event before the competition, but regular orienteering and ARDF events can be attended. Organizers can provide information of these events.

Out-of-bounds area

The following areas are out of bound for ARDF and orienteering training ([link to google map])

- Sognsvann øst
- Årvollåsen and Linderudkollen
- Ekeberg and Forenbu
Description of the marking devices

Marking of the controls will be a 30cm o-flag attached to the EMIT EKT punch control.

Transmitters

The frequencies and output RF power of transmitters

144 MHz transmitters:

- RF power 1 W ERP
- Frequency: Tx 1–5: MOE–MOS 144.50 MHz
  finish beacon: MO 144.75 MHz
- Antenna: crossed dipoles 2.5 m above the ground level

3.5 MHz transmitters:

- RF power 3 W
- Frequency: Tx 1–5: MOE–MOS 3.55 MHz
  finish beacon: MO 3.60 MHz
- Antenna: 8 m vertical + 8 m three radial counterpoise

3.5 MHz transmitters for sprint (1 minute cycle – 12 sec: 48 sec)

- RF power: 1 W
- Antenna: 8 m vertical + 8 m three radial counterpoise
- Frequency: Tx 1–5: MOE–MOS (keying speed 50 PARIS) 3.520 MHz
  spectators control : S (keying speed 50 PARIS) 3.550 MHz
  Tx 1F–5F: MOE–MOS (keying speed 70 PARIS) 3.570 MHz
  finish beacon: MO (keying speed 50 PARIS) 3.600 MHz

Clothing

For the classic 2m and 80m competition in the forest, the clothing shall cover legs completely.

Short sleeve shirt for upper body as minimum.

Sprint competition will be located in a park and light clothing can be used (without gaiters or spike shoes).
Map

Maps are according to IOF standard.

Scale: 1:10 000
Equidistance: 5m

Map example

Online maps are available. Links will be presented on our web-page in order for all participants to get access the same information.

International Jury

Chairman of the Jury: Jiri Marecek OK2BWN
Chairman substitute: PA Nordwaeger SM0BGU
Secretary of the Jury: Øivind Solli LA1KP
Siting referee: Ole Garpestad LA2RR
Technical Director: Steinar Moen LA5OM
Pictures of the accommodation

Exterior

Rooms

Images from Hostel home page: http://www.haraldsheim.no/
Pictures from the areas

Se more pictures from the link to Google map.