21th IARU Region 1 ARDF Championships

Lithuania 2017

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Lithuanian Amateur Radio Society (LRMD) has honor to invite all participants, officials and visitors to 21th IARU Region 1 ARDF Championships in 2017 in Lithuania. All events will be held in surroundings of Druskininkai in various terrains. We believe that it will be demanding for ARDF athletes to demonstrate their skills to navigate in radio direction finding as excellent orienteerer and at the same time to run fast.

We would like to invite all ARDF society to spend a week in excellent resort with good leisure possibilities: Snow Arena (skiing indoors in summertime), Aqua Park, Soviet sculpture exhibition and other museums.

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Venue and date of the event:

Druskininkai Spa Resort, south of Lithuania. Dates of championships September 04-10, 2017. Connection through Vilnius International Airport (125 km from event center) or Kaunas International Airport (135 km from event center).

Event center would be in Grand SPA Lietuva as well as main accommodation facility. There are a lot of other possibilities to get accommodation of any level in Druskininkai, and that will be provided by organizers.

Programme suggested as follows:

Date	Weekday	Sprint	Foxoring	Classics 2m	Classics 80m	Other
04-09-2017	1	Model	Model			Arrival
05-09-2017	2		Competition			Awarding
06-09-2017	3	Competition		Model classics 80+2m		Awarding; Arrival for classics
07-09-2017	4			Competition	Competition	Awarding
08-09-2017	5					Leisure proposals by organizers
09-09-2017	6			Competition	Competition	Awarding; Banquet
10-09-2017	7					Departure

Categories:

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

Expected fees:

Starting fee- 40- 50 EUR per competition. Full package not more than 450 EUR per whole event.

Accommodation & Board possibilities will be offered later after all contracts with service providers will be signed. Hamfest fee for visitors and those staying on their own- 15 EUR.

Training camp:

Druskininkai, September 1-3, 2017. It is supposed to be short distances. Cost is expected to be 35-45 EUR per person & night (including accommodation, board, and starting fee). Scedule and other information will be provided later.

Deadline for Letter of intent: February 28, 2017

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