CZECH CANADA 2011

International Five Days Orienteering Event

INVITATION



Come spend your holiday into the beautiful landscape of ponds, forests and meadows in the South Bohemia. The region of Czech Canada offers many natural and historical points of interest as well as one of the best terrains for orienteering in the Czech Republic.

ORGANISER Sportovní klub Praga
DATE July 2-6, 2011

EVENT CENTRE Kunžak near Jindřichův Hradec, camping Zvůle, GPS 49°5'36.255"N, 15°14'25.363"E

CLASSES D10L (marked route), D10, D12, D14, D16, D18, D20, D21E, D21A, D21B, D21C, D35A, D35B, D40A, D40B, D45A, D45B, D50, D55, D60, D65, D70, D75, H10L

(marked route), H10, H12, H14, H16, H18, H20, H21E, H21A, H21B, H21C, H35A, H35B, H40A, H40B, H45A, H45B, H50, H55, H60, H65, H70, H75, HDR (marked route

– children and parents), P3 (open, simple), T6 (open, training).

STAGES 02.07.2011 (Saturday) 12:00 E1 – long

centre: Dobrá Voda, 12 km from EC (by bicycle) or 20 km (by car)

03.07.2011 (Sunday) 10:00 E2 – middle centre: Dobrá Voda, 12 km from EC (by bicycle) or 20 km (by car)

04.07.2011 (Monday) 10:00 E3 – long centre: Stoječín, 11 km from EC (by bicycle) or 13 km (by car) 05.07.2011 (Tuesday) 10:00 E4 – middle centre: Stoječín, 11 km from EC (by bicycle) or 13 km (by car)

06.07.2011 (Wednesday) 9:30 E5 – shortened long (chasing start)

centre: camping Zvůle

TERRAIN Continental terrain, Mixed forest, moderately hilly with many situation details (stone

boulders, rocks, knolls). Good runnability.

MAPS 1:10 000, ISOM standard, spring 2011

ENTRIES Please include name, class, year of birth and SI-card number. To be sent by email to

vojta.hora@volny.cz or by regular mail to Vojtěch Hora, Hrdlořezská 29, Praha 9,

19100, Czech Republic.

ENTRY FEES until 15.5. until 15.6. from 16.6.

DH10-14, DH65-75 450 CZK 600 CZK 750 CZK 450 CZK 450 CZK DH10L, HDR, P3, T6 450 CZK other classes 650 CZK 850 CZK 1050 CZK one stage DH10L, HDR, P3, T6 90 CZK 90 CZK 90 CZK one stage (other classes) 130 CZK 170 CZK 210 CZK

The entry fee should be paid either in CZK to the account of SK Praga at G.E. Money Bank a.s., Prague 7, SWIFT-BIC: AGBACZPP, Account Number 1955703504/0600,

IBAN: CZ72 0600 0000 0019 5570 3504. The payment information should indicate

your name. All bank transfer costs should be charged to the payer.

CANCELLATION There will be a refund for cancelled entries: until 15.5. – 100% entry fee + 100%

accomodation fee less handling costs; until 15.6. - 80% entry fee + 100%

accomodation fee; after 16.6. – 100% accomodation fee.

REGISTRATION 1.7. 18:00-21:00 in the Event Centre, 2.7. 9:00-11:00 in the centre of E1

PUNCHING SPORTIdent system. SI-card can be hired for 40 CZK/day.

INFORMATION http://www.skpraga.cz/souborv/ck2011/

Ctibor Sysel, email: ctibor.sysel@centrum.cz

ACCOMODATION In the competitors own tents in the event centre 400 CZK/person (whole stay). To

be paid along with the entry fee. Information about other possibilities of

accomodation can be found at the event web page.

PARKING Parking in the area of camping Zvůle (accommodated runners, stage 5) is 50 CZK /

car / day, payable on site. Parking places in the camping may be separated from

tents.

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The area in the south of the Czech Republic between the towns of Jindrichuv Hradec, Dacice and Slavonice is called "Czech Canada", due to its higher altitude and colder, yet healthy climate. The forested hills interspersed with meadows and pastures are typical for the landscape of Czech Canada, as well as many ponds and lakes. Czech Canada is one of the most attractive tourist areas in the Czech Republic above all but not only due to its scenic landscape. The forests and meadows offer an almost unlimited network of marked and unmarked hiking and cycling routes and the ponds and lakes invite to bathing and water sports. If you like to pick blackberries or mushrooms, here is the right place!

Due to its large forests characteristics with ponds, creeks, rocks and solitary stones, the area of Czech Canada offers the best possibilities for orienteering. You will surely enjoy the pond Zvůle near the competition center, renowened for its picturesque setting in the middle of the forests and for its clean water. Czech Canada is also a region with rich history. You can choose among **Jindřichův Hradec** (20 km) – the district capital founded in the 12th century with its beatiful historical center, renaissance castle and many museums and restaurants, **Dačice** (20 km) – a small town dating from the 12th century is renowned for its, baroque monastery and empire castle and a birthplace of the sugar cube, **Slavonice** (25 km) – a small, yet one of the most valuable renaissance towns of the Czech Republic, **Landštejn** (12 km) – remains of one of the most important border castles of the former Bohemian kingdom built in the 13th century; South Bohemian scenic railway – a railroad connecting Jindřichův Hradec and Nová Bystřice was built in the end of the 19th century. It is famous for its steam locomotives. You can enjoy the beautiful trip through the forests of Czech Canada (station Kunžak 5 km), **Telč** (25 km) – UNESCO cultural heritage site – renaissance town and castle, **Třebíč** (35 km) – UNESCO cultural heritage site – medieval jewish quarter and many other places of interest.