





NORDIC RUNNING – WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP 2019

There is another challenge: the second international Nordic Running race, ie running with poles according to the rules. If you are a trail or road runner who is looking for new experiences, a cross-country skier who prefers the classical style or a nordic walker who can not run due to the rules of NW races, do not miss the 2. World Championship in the Nordic Running. Come to the Czech Republic on Vysočina in September and prove along with other enthusiasts that running with poles is interesting, good-looking and healthy sport!

(All about the Nordic Running, incl. videos of correct techique, you can find on http://www.nordicrunning.eu/)



Date: Saturday, September 7, 2019

Location: Pilská dam, Ski Area of Martin Koukal, Žďár nad Sázavou

49.5883467N, 15.9254806E

Organizers + Main partners: NordicRunning.eu / SK TRI Cyklochlubna / FIZAN / Alpitrek / Salming Running / City of

Žďár nad Sázavou

Entry Fee: April – June = 12 €

July – September = 15 €

Entry Fee includes: Start number, rubber band + switch pins,

refreshment (during the race / at the finish / after race)

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Registration: http://www.sportnavysocine.cz/content/text/cz/?zavody_2019/nordic_running_2019

Distance: 5 km / 10 km / 3x 2,5 km

The course: 1 round = 2.5 km / track is marked with strips, runs along the grassy area in the

cross-country skiing area (height range 22m, total climb 31m, total descent 30m)

Categories: W 34 / M 34 / W 35-49 / M 35-49 / W 50+ / M 50+

Time schedule:

- 8:30 10:00 Presentation
- 10:00 Demonstrations the correct technique of Nordic Running
- 10:15 Race information
- 10:30 Start race for 5 km and 10 km 2. WCH in Nordic Running
- 12:00 Races results announcement
- 12:30 15:00 Pause and lunch
- 15:30 Start of the Relay race 2. WCH in Nordic Running for 3x 2.5 km of mixed relay (mixed relay = at least one female)
- 16:30 Relay results announcement and finishing the race

Basic rules:

- 1. Each step is accompanied by simultaneous pole's push-off made by the opposite arm than the stance leg (the pole in right hand with the step of the left leg and vice versa) without moving the arms behind the body. A competitor can also change his run to walk if he keeps these rules.
- 2. No step should be made without touching the pole with the ground.
- 3. No simultaneous (ie skating) bounce off by both poles should be made.
- 4. Rules 1 to 3 do not apply in restricted area for refreshment and in emergency situations (crash, fall of another competitor in the immediate proximity, dangerous obstacle on track).
- 5. A competitor must not: block or trouble an another participant in competition, use other person's help, shorten track.

Poles: A competitor has two poles (i.e. one pole in each hand) of any shape. However, to keep the correct Nordic Running technique and comply with the above rules is practically impossible with non-running poles (note: it will be possible to borrow and buy FIZAN Nordic Running poles on site)



Personnel and technical support: Presentation, Co-ordination of competitors and parking Arbiters, Timekeeping

Accommodations:

Tálský mlýn 500 m from start http://www.talskymlyn.cz/ http://www.na.stezce.sweb.cz Penzion Na Stezce 1 km from start Penzion V kapli 1,5 km from start http://www.kaple.cz Zámek Žďár http://www.zamekzdar.cz/ubytovani/ 1,5 km from startu Penzion Polnička 2 km from start http://www.restauracepolnicka.cz/ Hotel Jehla http://www.hoteljehla.cz/ 3 km from start Hotel Hajčman 5 km from start http://www.hotelhajcman.cz/

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Other partners:









