

BALTIC CROSS COUNTRY CHALLENGE CUP COMPETITION REGULATIONS

Liepāja, 31st October 2020

Baltic Cross Country Challenge Cup	
Latvian Individual Cup and Latvian Club Team Cup of 2020	Round 4
Open 1h – Organiser’s Cup	
Absolute Beginners - Organiser’s Cup	
Quads ATV under 750 cm ³ – Organiser’s Cup	

1. Reference to Other Regulations

- 1.1. This is LaMSF Category A competition that takes place according to „CROSS COUNTRY REGULATIONS 2020 of Baltic Cup and Baltic Club Team Cup and Latvian Cup and Latvian Club Team Cup”, that is available at www.lamsf.lv/sporta-veidi/enduro/enduro-cross-country/dokumenti (further - CC Regulations), LaMSF Sporting Code and LaMSF Ethics Code.
- 1.2. These Regulations incorporate selected clauses from the CC Regulations and supplement the CC Regulations with specific information about the competition. Changes to these Regulations can be accepted by LaMSF Enduro commission or, on the competition day, by competition jury.
- 1.3. Immaterial deviations from the course description, competition agenda or other specific competition matters included in these Regulations, caused by objective circumstances, shall not be considered as changes to these Regulations, but the Organiser is responsible for timely and clear announcement of such deviations to all competition participants.
- 1.4. Organiser is responsible for the compliance of competition site and organisation with regulations regarding physical distancing to reduce spread of COVID-19. All persons on competition site, including spectators, are personally responsible for complying with these regulations and the instructions of Organiser. **Specific requirements:**
 - 1.4.1. A competition participant must obey the following requirements if he (she) has arrived from a country, after visiting which self-isolation is mandatory:
 - 1.4.1.1. Rider has to apply for competition registration no later than five working days before the competition, i.e. by Sunday, 25 October.
 - 1.4.1.2. When arriving in Latvia, the rider must possess a negative COVID-19 test result that has been obtained no earlier than 72h before arrival in Latvia. The result of this test must be sent to the organiser by email to dbluma@inbox.lv (call for additional information +371 29121250).
 - 1.4.1.3. On the day of the arrival in Latvia, the rider must undertake the second COVID-19 test. Until a negative test result is received, self-isolation must be observed. Result of this test must be presented when entering the competition territory.

1.4.2. Only one person – mechanic – may accompany a rider on competition site.

1.4.3. The competition will take place without spectators.

2. Competition Date, Location, Characteristics of the Course

Competition date	31 October 2020
Competition location	Liepāja, Pulvera iela 9, "Motoparks Lauma"
GPS coordinates	56.540560, 21.019271
Length of a circuit	6.5 km
Characteristics of the course	Sand

3. Competition Classes

Participation in any class is only from full 18 years of age (i.e. counting from the date of birth).

Classes of Latvian Individual Cup	E1, E2/E3, Enduro, 85 cm ³ , Juniors 14+, Seniors 40+, Hobby, Beginners (C) 2T, Beginners (C) 4T, Veterans 50+, Quads Open, Quads ATV
Classes of Latvian Club Team Cup	E1, E2/E3, Enduro, 85 cm ³ , Juniors 14+, Seniors 40+, Hobby, Beginners (C) 2T, Beginners (C) 4T, Veterans 50+, Quads Open, Quads ATV
Open 1h	From 18 years: Motorcycles with up to 500 cm ³ 2-stroke or up to 650 cm ³ 4-stroke engines. Results of this competition will not be taken into account in season's rating.
Absolute Beginners	From full 16 years: motorcycles corresponding to A1 category with up to 125 cm³ engines and up to 11 kW power; From 18 years: Motorcycles with up to 500 cm ³ 2- stroke or up to 650 cm ³ 4-stroke engines 1) Participation is only with a one-time licence (i.e. the participant does not have LaMSF or other annual licence); 2) Rider has never had an motorsports annual licence; 3) Rider is not a member of any motorsports club; 4) Until 01.03.2020 the rider has not participated in any motorsports competition, in any motorsports discipline; 5) Results of this competition will not be taken into account in season's rating.
Quads ATV under 750 cm ³	Standard quads with 100 cm ³ to 750 cm ³ 2-stroke or 4-stroke engines, having 1 or 2 cylinders and front and rear wheel drive. Competition scoring and awarding is in addition to scoring and awarding of Quads ATV class (participants in this class are also in Quads ATV class). Results of this competition will not be taken into account in season's rating.

4. Starting Numbers

4.1. Starting numbers must be displayed clearly on both sides and front of a motorcycle:

Class	Number plate	Numbers
E1, E2/E3	Red	White
Enduro	Red	White
85 cm ³	White	Black
Juniors 14+	White	Black
Seniors 40+	Blue	White
Hobby	Yellow	Black
Beginners (C) 2T	Green	White
Beginners (C) 4T	Green	White
Veterans 50+	Black	White
Open 1h	Number stickers and back numbers provided by Organiser, or rider's existing numbers	
Absolute Beginners	Number stickers and back numbers provided by Organiser	

- 4.2. Starting numbers must be with a minimal height of 10 cm.
- 4.3. Quads must be equipped with front and rear number plates, fastened to the front and rear of the frame.
- 4.4. Numbers on riders' back (except Absolute beginners) must be clearly legible, displayed with a light colour on a dark background, or a dark colour on a light background. Riders with inappropriate numbers on riders' back (e.g. insulating tape) may not be allowed to race.

5. Competition Organisers

Biedrība "Latvian speed factory"	Lielā iela 65A, Grobiņa, Grobiņas novads, LV-3400 tālrunis +371 22309446
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6. Competition Officials

Position	Name, Surname	Licence Number
Head Marshal (responsible sports official), jury member. Contact information +371 29163916	Jānis Baunis seniors	JB03904LV19
Representative of LaMSF Enduro Commission, jury president	Romāns Ērkulis	RE02887LV18
Competition Director, jury member	Ainis Kļavenieks	
Chief Secretary	Dina Blūma	DB03930LV19
Chief Timekeeper	Baiba Prauliņa	BP03902LV19
Head of Technical Commission, Senior Marshal of Parc Ferme	Juris Blūms	JB03841LV19
Head of Track	Valdis Dzērve	VD05325LV20
Competition Chief Doctor	NMPD vai VC4	-

7. Competition Participants and Registration

- 7.1. Rider's age is calculated according to the year of birth (except the requirement for participation in any class to be only from 18 years of age (i.e. counting from the date of birth)).
- 7.2. Riders must be licensed and insured according to LaMSF rules.
- 7.3. Registration of riders can be performed by a representative of the riders' club or team upon presenting the riders' licenses and other required documents.
- 7.4. Riders may purchase a one-event LaMSF license on competition site, according to LaMSF regulations by presenting or purchasing an appropriate accident insurance policy and presenting an identification document.
- 7.5. Rider with his signature on the application form acknowledges his familiarity with the CC Regulations and these Regulations, his commitment to comply with these regulations, and certifies that he will not hold the competition organiser liable for the accidents caused, among others, by his state of health.
- 7.6. In case the secretariat of the competition or LaMSF Enduro commission discovers that information provided by a rider is incorrect and the rider or his machine does not correspond to the class defined by the regulations, the rider's result can be cancelled without warning during the competition or at any time prior to approval of the season's classifications.
- ~~7.7. The documents of a rider who has not reached 18 years of age (counting from the date of birth) are signed by one of his parents, a guardian or their notary-authorized representative. In case of purchasing a one-event licence, a document must be presented confirming the consent of parents or the guardian.~~

8. Early Application

- 8.1. For early application for the competition, the rider must electronically apply on www.enduromanager.eu **by 14:00 on 30th October**. In case of any problems please send an email to dbluma@inbox.lv
- 8.2. Early registration speeds up the registration of the rider on the competition day.

9. Financial Terms

- 9.1. FMNR participation fee:

Rider's Country	FMNR participation fee		Additional FMNR participation fee to cover season's organisational cost
	Application has been submitted in advance	Application has been submitted in advance	
Estonia and Latvia	40 euro	50 euro	None
Other countries	40 euro	50 euro	20 euro

Participation fee for Absolute Beginners is 30 EUR.

- 9.2. The price of a one-event LaMSF license is according to LaMSF regulations (lamsf.lv/sporta-veidi/enduro/pamatdokumenti).
- 9.3. These payments must be made in cash, to the competition secretariat, on competition day.

10. Competition Track, Security and Environmental Protection

- 10.1. Rider must deliver the machine, helmet and shirt with the starting number to the technical inspection that is located next to the paddock by the time defined in clause 11.1.
- 10.2. Rider or mechanic must present the machine in technical order. Rider is responsible for the technical condition of his machine during the entire competition.
- 10.3. Riders are advised to use neck protector during the competition.
- 10.4. During the competition, **the person accompanying the rider** must be warned about safety measures - during the race, the spectators must not be on the course and within course safety areas, and within start/finish zone.
- 10.5. It is forbidden to smoke in the prestart zone, start/finish zone, pit stop and technical inspection zone.
- 10.6. Refuelling is to be performed only in pit stop after the introductory lap or during the race, and only with the engine stopped.
- 10.7. Passing through the pit stop without stopping and without switching off the engine is forbidden.
- 10.8. During refuelling, oil change, machine repairs or cleaning, a repair mat of an appropriate size and quality must be used.
- 10.9. Due to safety reasons, in case of unforeseen (force majeure) circumstances the course may be shortened or changed, riding times may be shortened, and the sequence of starts may be changed.
- 10.10. In the paddock the maximum allowed speed is 10 km/h.
- 10.11. Use of a helmet is mandatory when riding a machine on the competition site.
- 10.12. Riders before the competition start and after the finish may only ride in the paddock.

11. Competition Agenda

11.1. Registration and preparation for race

Motorcycle classes:	
Registration	8.00 - 10.30
Technical inspection	8.20 - 10.40
Introductory lap	9.00 - 10.40
Participant meeting	11:00
Quads classes:	
Registration	8.00 - 10.30 and 13:00 - 13:45
Technical inspection	13:00 - 14:00
Introductory lap	14.00 - 14:10
Participant meeting	14:20
All classes	
Club team registration	until 10:45

11.2. Length of rides and start times

E1, E2/E3, Enduro (1 st starting line)	120 minutes	11:30
Seniors 40+ (1 st starting line)	90 minutes	
Hobby (2 nd starting line)	90 minutes	
85 cm ³ (2 nd starting line)	60 minutes	
Juniors 14+ (2 nd starting line)	60 minutes	
Veterans 50+ (2 nd starting line)	60 minutes	
Open 1h (2 nd starting line)	60 minutes	
Beginners (C) 2T (3 rd starting line)	60 minutes	
Beginners (C) 4T (3 rd starting line)	60 minutes	
Absolute Beginners (3 rd starting line)	60 minutes	
Quads Open (1 st starting line)	90 minutes	14:30
Quads ATV (2 nd starting line)	90 minutes	

In case a relatively large number of competition participants has been registered, the number of riders simultaneously riding on the track will need to be limited. In this situation Head Marshal in coordination with Organiser may decide on other start times, for example:

85 cm ³ (1 st starting line)	60 minutes	11:30
Juniors 14+ (1 st starting line)	60 minutes	
Veterans 50+ (1 st starting line)	60 minutes	
Open 1h (1 st starting line)	60 minutes	
Beginners (C) 2T klase (2 nd starting line)	60 minutes	
Beginners (C) 4T klase (2 nd starting line)	60 minutes	
Absolute Beginners (2 nd starting line)	60 minutes	
E1, E2/E3, Enduro (1 st starting line)	120 minutes	From 13:00
Seniors 40+ (1 st starting line)	90 minutes	
Hobby (2 nd starting line)	90 minutes	
Quads Open (1 st starting line)	90 minutes	From 15:30
Quads ATV (2 nd starting line)	90 minutes	

12. Starting Procedure

- 12.1. After registration and technical inspection of the machine the rider will be allowed to ride 1 (one) lap (introductory lap) during the time period specified in clause 11.1. After the introductory lap, the rider can refuel and repair the machine in the pit stop zone.
- 12.2. Riders are not allowed to ride the introductory lap without prior registration and technical inspection.
- 12.3. After passing the technical inspection or after the introductory lap (and refuelling the machine in the pit stop zone) machines must be placed in prestart zone.
- 12.4. Motorcycles are placed in the pre-start zone as follows:
 - 12.4.1. 1st box: E1, E2/E3, Enduro, Seniors 40+;
 - 12.4.2. 2nd box Hobby, 85 cm³; Juniors 14+; Veterans 50+, Open 1h;
 - 12.4.3. 3rd box Beginners (C) 2T, Beginners (C) 4T, Absolute beginners.
- 12.5. Quads are placed in the pre-start zone as follows:
 - 12.5.1. 1st box: Quads Open
 - 12.5.2. 2nd box: Quads ATV
- 12.6. Riders take starting positions as per consecutive order, guided by officials.
- 12.7. Start signal for all classes is given with engines switched off and with at least 20 seconds interval between start lines.
- 12.8. Start signals:
 - 12.8.1. „2” – 2 minutes before start, engines are permitted to run;
 - 12.8.2. „1” – 1 minute before start, engines must be switched off;
 - 12.8.3. „15” – 15 seconds before start, during which a start shot is made.

13. Outside Assistance and Race Cut

- 13.1. Any outside assistance is prohibited, except in pit stops, except due to safety reasons or in order to help a rider to pull the machine out of mud, ditch, marsh or another obstacle on the course, and the rider is not able to do it by himself.
- 13.2. No course cuts are allowed. In case a rider happens to leave the course he must return to the course as close as possible to the place he left the course.

14. Scoring

- 14.1. The result of a rider is determined by the finish time and the number of laps he has completed.
- 14.2. The finish time is the time when a rider has crossed the finish line after the finish flag is raised for a particular class, if the rider has finished within the control time. The finish flag is shown after the time mentioned in clause 11.2.
- 14.3. The control time depends on the specifics of the course and is equal to the doubled best lap time of the leading rider in a class.
- 14.4. Race results for the finished riders (i.e. those who have a finish time according to 14.2) are based upon the order of crossing the finish line.
- 14.5. Places obtain and points score only the riders who have completed at least 30% of the laps by the leading rider in the class. If any of those riders does not finish the race, he takes place and scores points after the riders who have finished, according to the number of completed laps. If two riders have not finished and have equal number of

completed laps, the total time of completing those laps is taken into account in determining the result.

14.6. Individual and overall results of each competition are determined according to the table below:

Place	1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	6.	7.	8.	9.	10.	11.	12.	13.	14.	15.
Points	20	17	15	13	11	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1

15. Club Team Cup

15.1. Latvian Club Team Cup (LCTC) takes place in parallel to the Latvian Individual Cup, with participation of riders of the following classes:

Class	Number of riders	Coefficient
E1	not more than 1 rider	1
E2/E3	not more than 1 rider	1
Enduro	not more than 1 rider	1
85 cm³	not more than 1 rider	1
Juniors 14+	not more than 1 rider	1
Seniors 40+	not more than 1 rider	1
Hobby	not more than 1 rider	0.75
Beginners (C) 2T	not more than 1 rider	0.75
Beginners (C) 4T	not more than 1 rider	0.75
Veterans 50+	not more than 1 rider	0.75
Quads Open	not more than 1 rider	1
Quads ATV	not more than 1 rider	0.75

15.2. In LCTC, rider's club membership is defined by the annual FMN Enduro license. Participation in LCTC is only with annual FMN Enduro licences.

15.3. A LCTC club team consists of 3 to 4 riders from classes mentioned in clause 15.1.

15.4. Scores of riders in each class, calculated according to clause 14.6, are applied with a coefficient as stated in clause 15.1.

15.5. The team's riders' best 3 individual results out of 4 possible are used for calculating the team's results in a LCTC competition round. Result of a club team is the sum of individual scores of these riders. A rider can contribute to team points only in the class in which he started in his first Cross Country competition of the season in LCTC.

15.6. In case two teams in a competition round score equal points, the winner shall be the team with the highest places. If these are also equal, then - with the best individual lap time result. In establishing the winning team, the individual results of the 3 riders mentioned in paragraph 15.5, are to be used.

16. Awarding

16.1. Winners of 1st, 2nd and 3rd places in individual (in each class) competition will be awarded with cups, medals or other prizes. The first three places to be awarded. Organiser's cup will be provided to winners of 1st, 2nd and 3rd places in Open 1h, Absolute Beginners and Quads under 750 cm³ classes.

16.2. The winner of the 1st place (2-hour race - E1, E2/E3 and Enduro classes) of Latvian Cup will be awarded according to the overall score.

16.3. Riders to be awarded must participate in the awarding ceremony that takes place not later than two hours after the finish of the last rider. Penalty for not participating in the awarding ceremony is 50 euro that is to be paid by the rider. Penalty is not applied in

case the rider has agreed his absence with competition organiser or Chief Marshal and the awarding ceremony is attended by the rider's club representative.

17. Protests

- 17.1. All protests, addressed to jury, are submitted to the secretariat in written form with a security deposit of 70 euro.
- 17.2. Protests on results must be submitted within 30 minutes after the official announcement of results.
- 17.3. Protests on breach of CC Regulations or these Regulations must be submitted within 10 minutes after the finish of respective class, by indicating the violated clause of CC Regulations or these Regulations.
- 17.4. In case the protest is related to dismantling of engine, additional 70 euro must be paid in deposit for a 2-stroke engine disassembly, and 215 euro - for 4-stroke.

Riga, 16th October 2020

Organiser's representative Ainis Kļavenieks:

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