



Open Championship And Danish Biathlon cup



General instruction

Event Centre:

Placed at the shooting range, Aarhusvej 60, 8600 Silkeborg. Here you also find the competition office.

Competition area:

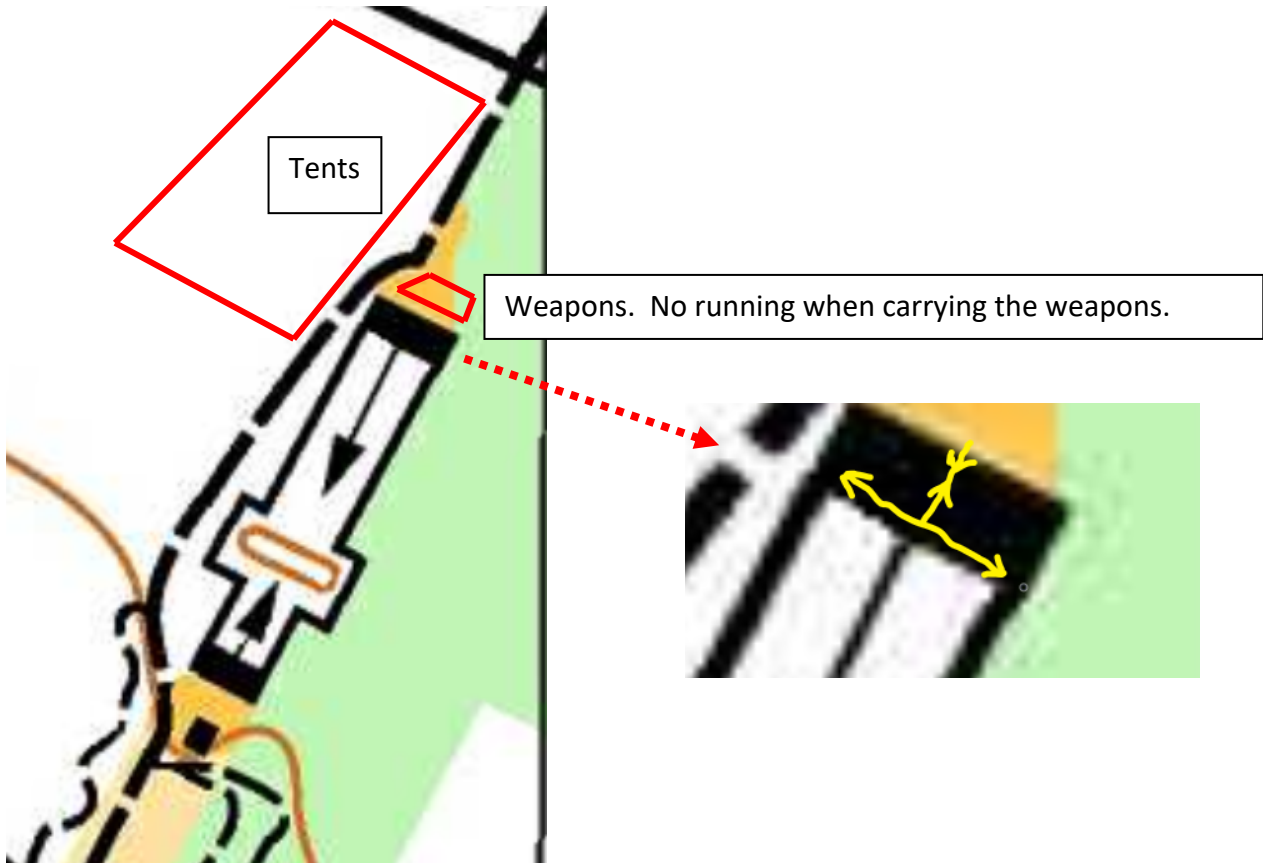
Silkeborg Nordskov and Haarup Sande is in the area near to the event centre and shooting range.

Description Silkeborg Nordskov lies like a wide headland in a bend on the Gudenåen with Brassø to the south and Silkeborg Langsø to the north. The central part is a highland bounded by steep slopes down to flat meltwater plains. The vegetation consists primarily of open and easily deciduous forest, but there are also areas with conifers with i.a. large beautiful douglas firs from North America. The hilly terrain of the North Forest and its beauty make it a favorite destination for hikers, fitness and orienteering runners as well as mountain bike riders. The forest has many beautiful vantage points. The Louisehøj viewpoint is kept permanently open, while other viewpoints are allowed to grow. But at the same time, trees are being cleared and views are being created elsewhere.

Description Haarup Sande is like an open dune plantation because the soil is fly sand. The terrain is perfectly level to the southwest and hilly to the northeast. In the middle of the forest is an artificial lake with three small islands, but without inflow or outflow. The lake was established in the 1960s, where the excavated was used for the construction of viaducts and bridges in connection with the construction of Nordre Ringvej, which separates Haarup Sande from Silkeborg Nordskov. During the excavation, some small islands were deliberately left behind so that terrestrial birds could be at peace with the foxes - this is the explanation for the lake's three small islands. Furthermore, the lake was laid out so that a smaller area has a depth of up to 2.5 m, where fish can seek refuge during hot periods, as release of fish prevents a mosquito plague. The lake has also gained great recreational value for the local area, as it i.a. used for bathing.

Parking:

At the pendler parking area by the highway. Distance to the Event center is 800 m. Route to Event center will be marked. See maps on page 4.

Tents and weapons:**Control system:**

Emit. If an Emit number is not specified at entry a rental card will be allocated. Competitors failing to return rental card will be charged a fee of d.kr. 500,00 Rental card will be handed out from the competition office and must be returned after last competition.

Service:

Toilets are available at the Event center.

Kiosk:

There will be a kiosk at the Event Centre where it is possible to buy some refreshment.

Competition office:

The competition office will be open 30 min. before we open for adjustment shooting and to the end of the competition.

Banquet:

Will take place Saturday evening at 19.00 in Vejlsøhus Hotel and Conference center, Vejlsøvej 51, 8600 Silkeborg.

Instruction and starting lists:

Will be published at www.biathlon.dk approx. one week before the competition. Final version (there can be small adjustments) will be displayed at the Event center.

Results:

Will be published at www.biathlon.dk shortly after each competition.

Award ceremony:

For the Classic competition at the Banquet Saturday evening and at the Event Centre on Sunday for the Sprint competition. There will be prizes for the 1st, 2nd and 3rd place (if there are so many competitors) in each class.

Rules:

The competition will be held in accordance to the IBOF rules

Time schedule:**Saturday:**

09.00 – 11.00	Adjustment shooting
10.15 – 10.30	Welcome and instruction for the Classic competition
11.00 – 15.00	Classic competition
19.00 – 21.30	Banquet at Vejlsøhus Hotel and Conference center

Sunday

08.30 – 10.00	Adjustment shooting
09.30 – 09.45	Instruction for Sprint competition
10.00 – 13.00	Sprint competition
13.00 – 13.30	Adward ceremony/closing remarks

Organisers:

Race/competition leader	Carsten Helligsø, IFK
Assistant competition leader/ Financial controller	Varny Vestergaard, IFK
Course setter	Jess Rasmussen, IFK
Course controller	Flemming Sasser, IFK
Shooting leader	Lennart Kristiansen, IFK

Timekeeper

Lars-Ole Kopp, IFK/Etiming

Jury

Hans Mandal, Christen Laursen and Jan Møller

