



## Bulletin 3

### World Cup final

March 3 – 10, 2008

### Open Kazakhstan Cup 3-days

March 6-8, 2008

### in ski-orienteering

### Ridder, Kazakhstan

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## 1. Organizers

- Kazakhstan Orienteering Federation
- Committee of sport of the Ministry of tourism and sport of the Republic of Kazakhstan
- Orienteering Federation of the East–Kazakhstan region
- Government of physical culture and sport of East–Kazakhstan region
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- Competition secretary Dmitriy Nalyotov (RUS)
- Head of course setting team Alexandr Novikov (RUS)
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## 2. Venue

Venue: Town Ridder, 100 km east of Ust–Kamenogorsk (Øskemen). All teams will be accommodated in the region of Ridder.

Event center is located in sports school in Lesnoje village, 12 km southwest of center of Ridder city. The competition area is situated 560–720 m a.s.l.

## 3. Embargoed Area

Area around the Lesnoje Sports school and recreation area “Sinegorje” southwest of Ridder city, between September 1, 2007 – March 10, 2008.

## 4. Program

### Mon, 3 March

18:00 – 20:00

Arrival of teams  
Dinner

### Tue, 4 March

8:00 – 9:00

Arrival of teams  
Breakfast

9:00 – 22:00

Competition office is open

10:00 – 13:00

Model event at Lesnoje Sports School

13:00 – 14:00

Lunch

14:00

Deadline for entries for sprint distance

15:00

Start draw (supervised by IOF adviser)

17:30

Team officials' meeting at Lesnoje Sports school

18:30 – 20:00

Dinner

### Wed, 5 March

7:00 – 9:00

Breakfast

8:00 – 22:00

Competition office is open

10:00 – 12:00

Sprint Distance competition (Lesnoje map)

13:00 – 14:00

Lunch

14:00

Deadline for entries for long distance

15:30

Departure to Opening Ceremony, to Ridder

16:00

Opening Ceremony

17:00

Departure to accommodations for competitors

17:00

Governor's Reception for team officials, Ridder

18:00

Departure to Sinegorje for team officials

18:30

Team officials' meeting at Sinegorje Holiday centre

18:30 – 20:00

Dinner

**Thu, 6 March**

7:00 – 9:00	Breakfast
8:00 – 22:00	Competition office is open
10:00 – 12:30	Mass start, Long Distance competition (Lesnoje map)
12:30 – 14:30	Lunch
13:30 – 16:00	<a href="#">Kazakhstan Cup 3-days Sprint distance (Lesnoje map)</a>
18:30 – 20:00	Dinner

**Fri, 7 March**

8:00 – 9:30	Breakfast
9:00 – 22:00	Competition office is open
10:00 – 13:00	Cultural Program, excursion
10:00 – 13:00	<a href="#">Kazakhstan Cup 3-days Long distance (Lesnoje map)</a>
13:00 – 15:00	Lunch
15:00 – 16:00	Model event at Sinegorje Holiday centre
14:00	Deadline for entries for middle distance
15:00	Start draw (supervised by IOF adviser)
17:30	Team officials' meeting
18:30 – 20:00	Dinner

**Sat, 8 March**

7:00 – 9:00	Breakfast
8:00 – 22:00	Competition office is open
10:00 – 13:00	Middle Distance competition (Sinegorje or Lesnoje map)
13:00 – 15:00	Lunch
14:00 – 16:00	<a href="#">Kazakhstan Cup 3-days middle distance (Sinegorje map)</a>
15:00	Deadline for entries for Relay
16:00	Start draw (supervised by IOF adviser)
17:30	Team officials' meeting at Lesnoje Sports School
18:30 – 20:00	Dinner

**Sun, 9 March**

7:00 – 9:00	Breakfast
8:00 – 20:00	Competition office is open
10:00 – 13:00	Relay competition (Lesnoje map)
13:00 – 15:00	Lunch
18.30 – 22:00	Prize-giving Ceremony, Closing Ceremony in Ridder, Banquet

**Mon, 10 March**

8:00 – 9:00	Breakfast
	Departure of teams

**5. Competition areas**

Sprint, long & relay – Lesnoje map, finish area on Lesnoje Sports school's ski-stadium (at event centre).

Middle distance – Sinegorje or Lesnoje map, finish area at Sinegorje Holiday centre (10 km from event centre) or on Lesnoje Sports school's ski-stadium (at event centre).

**6. Classes and participation restrictions****World Cup classes: W/M 21**

Participation restrictions according to IOF World cup Rules: Each federation may enter a team of 14 competitors – up to 7 women and 7 men and unlimited number of team officials. In each competition each federation may enter:

Individual events: max 6 men, 6 women / country

Relay event: max. 2 male teams, 2 female teams, only the better team will count

**Kazakhstan Cup 3–days classes: W/M 18, 21, 40, 50**

Open 3–days event for everybody, the class depends on age. The start orders for all days will be drawn at random. Every race can be entered separately. Prizes according to sum of points collected on 3 days. Formula for counting points:  $\text{points} = 200 \times (\text{Time of the winner} / \text{time of the participant})$ .

## 7. Opportunities for training

Before the event no Ski–O training will be organized in Ridder region.

## 8. Visas

Countries who need visa for visiting Kazakhstan (All IOF members, except RUSSIA, MONGOLIA) – send completed name list for visa (sample will be attached after November 1, 2007) to **the organizer by February 10, 2008!!!**

There are 2 different ways to get the visa:

- a) By applying for visa in Kazakhstan embassy nearest to Your location
- b) Via World Cup organizers in the airport upon arrival to Kazakhstan

**For alternative a** – invitations will be dispatched immediately by the organizers after receiving name list.

**For alternative b** – organizers will fill in visa application forms for all team members on basis of received names lists and all teams will get special assistance with getting visas in the airport immediately upon arrival. Visa fee 60\$ is to be paid in cash upon arrival.

**For visa application forms see “Form for personal visa” & “Form for group visa” at <http://www.lik.kz/orienteering/bulletin2.html>**

## 9. Registration for World Cup, entry fee

### Preliminary entry

Latest day for preliminary entries with numbers of competitors and team officials is **by February 5, 2008.**

**For preliminary entry form see “Preliminary entry form” at <http://www.lik.kz/orienteering/bulletin2.html>**

### Final entry

Latest day for final entries with names of competitors and team officials is **by February 20, 2008.**

**For final entry form see “Final entry form W Cup” at <http://www.lik.kz/orienteering/bulletin2.html>**

### Entry fee

Entry fee for competitors participating in all 4 World Cup competitions is EUR 110.

Entry fee for competitor participating in less than 4 World Cup races: accreditation fee EUR 30 plus a fee for each competition EUR 25.

Accreditation fee for officials is EUR 30.

**For entry/accreditation fees see “Entry form World Cup” at <http://www.lik.kz/orienteering/bulletin2.html>**

## 10. Registration for Open Kazakhstan Cup 3-days, entry fee

The registration for the race can be made using the online entry form (see website)

until February 10, 2008 or also on day before the race at the information desk, but with extra entry fee 30%.

Entry fee for competitors participating in all 3 Kazakhstan Cup competitions is EUR 50. until February 10, 2008.

Entry fee for competitor participating in less than 3 Kazakhstan Cup races: accreditation fee EUR 15 plus a fee for each competition EUR 15.

**For entry/fees for Kaz Cup see “Entry fee for Kaz Cup” and “Final Entry form O Kaz Cup” at <http://www.lik.kz/orienteering/bulletin2.html>**

## 11. Accommodation (types and fees)

## Packages

Type A apartments, 2–4 pers./apartment, price EUR 60 /apartment&night  
apartments, 5 pers./apartment, price EUR 80 /apartment&night  
apartments, 6 pers./apartment, price EUR 100 /apartment&night  
Type B hostel, 3–4 pers./flat, price EUR 55 /flat&night  
Type C sports school dormitory, 2 pers./room, price EUR 27 /room&night  
sports school dormitory, 3 pers./room, price EUR 40 /room&night

### Type A, B, C:

Number of places at each type of accommodation is limited. Assignments of accommodation are made in order of registration.

Accommodation description:

**Type A:** Holiday centre Sinigorje (10 km from event centre), 2–room flats in new apartment houses of good standard. Shower, toilet, kitchen, TV, fridge

Catering (if ordered) in separate building of same holiday centre, lunches in competition days in competition centres.

**Type B:** Holiday centre Sinigorje (10 km from event centre), 2–room hostel–type apartments of normal standard. Shower, toilet, pentry in one of the rooms; catering in separate building of same holiday centre, lunches in competition days in competition centres.

**Type C:** Sports school's dormitory at event centre (Lesnoje village). Very simply 2–person rooms. Toilet in the room, shower in the corridor. Common sauna in a neighbouring building. Catering in sport school's dining room in another neighbouring building.

### Catering

Price for catering:

EUR 17 per day (catering package lunch from March 3 to breakfast at March EUR 119.)

Registration for accommodation and catering until February 10, 2008, use online entry form.

**For booking of accommodation and catering see “Accommodation form” at <http://www.lik.kz/orienteering/bulletin2.html>**

## 12. Payment

Please instruct your bank to forward the payment orders by January 30, 2008

**For payment details see “Entry form for W Cup” and “Entry fee for O Kaz Cup” at <http://www.lik.kz/orienteering/bulletin2.html>**

Total amount, including banking fee. Entries are not valid until the organizer has received the payment. Please respect the deadlines. Group registration is desirable.

## 13. Summary of entries received

Country	Men	Women	Officials	Media	Total
RUS	6	7	5	2	21
SWE	6	4	2		12
FIN	3(1-2?)	3(1-2?)	3		9
GER	1				1
SUI				1(?)	
KAZ	7	7	5	12	31
<b>Total</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>74</b>

## 14. Maps

Maps: New Ski–Orienteering maps 2007, 2008

Scales:

World Cup Sprint 1:5'000 (map – Lesnoje)

World Cup Long distance 1:12'500 (map – Lesnoje)

World Cup Middle distance, 1:10'000 (map – Sinegorje or Lesnoje)  
World Cup Relay, 1:10'000 (map – Lesnoje)  
Vertical contour intervals are 5 m on Lesnoje map and 2,5 m on Sinegorje map.  
Images of earlier maps Lesnoje and Sinegorje available at organizers' homepage [www.lik.kz/orienteering/3/](http://www.lik.kz/orienteering/3/)

## 15. Course lengths and winning times

Preliminary course lengths:

	<b>Men</b>	<b>Women</b>
Sprint	3,3 km	2,7 km
Long	23 km	13 km
Middle	12 km	8 km
Relay	7,5 km	5 km

Winning times according to IOF ski-O rules.

## 16. Description of competition terrains, weather conditions

Lesnoje – Foothill of Altai Mountains. Mapped area is situated on one slope, the higher the steeper. On the slope there are numerous shallow spurs and gullies. Regular network of cross-country and biathlon ski-tracks prepared with wide retracks exists. Predominately coniferous forest (Fir) with very little undergrowth in wintertime. Absolute heights on the map between 560 – 720 m a.s.l.  
Sinegorje – Flat plateau in a bottom of mountain valley. Mapped area represents a very gentle slope (approx. 15–17 m climb on 1 km) covered by young pine forest there undergrowth is varying from very dense to no undergrowth at all. Numerous minor water-erosion landforms of 1–2 m height cross the area. There is no network of permanent ski-tracks. Absolute heights around 560m a.s.l

The temperature in March is normally from 0 to minus 15 degrees Celsius at daytime, mostly sunny. Snowfalls occur seldom. Average depth of snow is around 2 m.

## 17. Electronic punching system

SPORTident is used as electronic punching system.

Competitors may use either their own badge or they can borrow one from the organizer (no additional costs). All competitors must inform the Organizer about it in the online entry form. If a borrowed badge is lost, the competitor has to pay EUR 30.

## 18. Media services

Media center is located at the event centre. Representatives of media are kindly asked to register by February 20, 2008 and also to inform the organizers of their status (TV, radio, writing journalist, photo).

Press center provides media representatives with Internet, fax and copy services.

For more information please contact event director.

## 19. How to get to Ridder

By plane: Ust-Kamenogorsk airport is situated 100 km from Ridder. From Ust-Kamenogorsk to Ridder by train or bus.

From Russia: from Moscow, S/Peterburg by flight; from Barnaul – by train to Ust-Kamenogorsk.

From Frankfurt, Munich (Germany) via Astana or Almaty to Ust-Kamenogorsk by flight.

## 20. Transport

Organizers offer bus transport for teams from Ust-Kamenogorsk to Event centre upon arrival and back to Ust-Kamenogorsk for departure as well as all needed transports between accommodations and event/competition centres during the event.

Costs of these transports are included in start fee!

Transport schedule of special buses from Ust–Kamenogorsk to Ridder and back will be compiled according to the teams' arrival and departure times to/from Ust-Kamenogorsk and agreed with team leaders. The Transport schedule of shuttle buses between Event centre and Sinigorje Holiday centre will be distributed to the teams upon arrival to Ridder.

## **21. Additional information about East–Kazakhstan Region and town Ridder**

[www.akimvko.gov.kz/eng/](http://www.akimvko.gov.kz/eng/)

[www.ridder.vko.gov.kz](http://www.ridder.vko.gov.kz)

[www.kazridder.info](http://www.kazridder.info)

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