



**in Cluj - Napoca, Romania,
on 24-26-th of August 2012**

Event programme:

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| Friday, | 24-th of August, 18 h: | first start in the Sprint race:
Transylvania Open - race1 |
| Saturday, | 25-th of August, 10:30 h: | first start in the Middle Distance (WRE) race:
Transylvania Open - race2 |
| Sunday, | 26-th of August, 10 h: | first start in Long Distance race:
Transylvania Open - race3, chasing start |
| Sunday, | 26-th of August, 13 h: | prize-giving ceremony Transylvania Open |

Registration:

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| Friday, | 24-th of August, 15-17 h | at the event's secretariat (in the finish area) |
| Saturday, | 25-th of August, 08:30-09:30 h | at the event's secretariat (in the finish area) |

Competition centre: is situated in the finish area. Distances, GPS coordinates appear at Technical Data. **Access to the events:** on the www.transilva.ro. First day, access from Mehedinti street, nr.72.

Terrain race 1:

- The traffic in the competition area is **not stopped**. So the main road with **busy traffic** is considered a **dangerous area** (Symbol no 710 by ISSOM 2005), therefore **forbidden for competitors**. Competitors violating this rule will be disqualified.. Other roads with **low traffic** can be **crossed carefully**.



- Edges and stairs are represented on the map, however attention is required for any level defects which may cause more dangerous tumbles as in the forest, because of high running speed and hard running surface.
- Linear thickets often are with metallic fences, not represented on the map.

- Terrain race 2+3:** Hilly, many contour details; deciduous forests, open lands; good runnability and visibility.
- In the forest there are recent exploitations. It is possible to find new tracks on the terrain.
 - The hydrographic objects are waterless because of aridity.

Clothing race 2+3: Full body cover is recommended. Protection against mosquitoes and ticks is recommended.

Maps: Take care at the scale! On the **first day** (Sprint) the scale is **1:4.000/2m**. On the **second day** (MD) the scale of the map is **1:7.500/5 m**, but for MW21E the scale is **1:10.000/5 m**. On the **last day** (LD) the scale of the map is **1:10.000/5 m**.

The maps are **protected with plastic bags**, opened on the short side. They have **A4 format**. The **control descriptions** are printed on the map.

Special symbols race 1:

Carpet beating rack:	1
Street crossing:	
Object in playground:	×
Statue, monument:	o

Special symbols race 2+3:

- x (brown)= foxhole
- track (road) with two **brown** shadows = deep track (road)
- x (green) = root stock

Control system: The electronic, SportIdent system is used. A backup needle punch is present at each control. The punch will be used in the reserve boxes on the map. This will be used if and only if the electronic device does not function (There is no beep and no flash).

There are confetti at every control (race 2+3) marked with the code number. The code of the control follows number 2 at race 2 (ex. **2_31**) and number 3 at the third race (ex. **3_31**).

Additional Marked routes: There are **white-blue** marked routes from the „Event center” to the „Start” every day. Distances appear at Technical Data.

The courses for the 10 years categories are yellow/orange/red marked routes.

Refreshment points: Daily at the finish. In the race 3 (when crossing the main road) for all categories will be refreshment points marked on the map, with drinking water. There are no refreshments at the „Start” area.

First aid: only in the Finish area.



Toilets: There will be toilets at quarantine zone (in the school) and in the parking areas (race 2+3).

Quarantine zone: There is a quarantine zone (gymnasium Școala Generală nr. 29, Aleea Peana nr. 16) for the Sprint race where competitors must stay while they wait the Start procedure (18:00 – 19:00).

Start procedure: The start-lists and additional control descriptions will be available in the start area. The organizers don't provide materials for the competitors to fix the control descriptions. The organizers don't provide the transport of the clothes and bags from the "Start" to the "Finish" area. It is compulsory to wear the start-bib given by the organizer.

There are consecutive start boxes. The runner reports oneself when the event's clock shows his start-time from the start-list. In the first box the organizer will verify the number of SI-card and the start-time, the runner makes the **CLEAR** and **CHECK** operation of SI-card. The **start time** is given by the **START** station device, when the competitor puts in his SI-card. The map is picked by the competitor after the **START**. The competitor is responsible to picking up the right map for his category. It is obligatory to follow the marked route to the start point which is indicated by a control flag on the terrain and by the triangle on the map.

Chasing start (race 3), based upon the combined times of race 1 and race 2:

For example :

The best runner of M21E category has the combined time 121min. 17 sec. = 120 min +1min. 17sec.

The second of same category has combined time 123min. 31 sec. = 120 min +3min. 31sec

The best will have the start time: 1min. 17 sec

The second will have the start time: 3min. 31sec

If the such calculated starting time is **over 60 min**, runners will start per 1 minutes, in accordance with the start list available in the morning of race 3.

Finish area:

On the race 2 maps will be collected at the finish area. Later the maps will be handed back. From the „Finish” to the officials' desk to download the SI-card, competitors will walk. Don't leave the officials' desk if there is any unresolved problem.

All runners are required to punch at the FINISH station even if they did not finish the course, otherwise they will support the cost of seeking action.

Removing of controls begins at - race 1: **20.00**, race 2: **14.00**, race 3: **13.30**

Prize-giving Ceremony

Sunday, 26-th of August, **13 h**, prize giving ceremony after race 3, at the **Finish area:**

- For the first **six** placed **M21E** and **W21E** runners in the **WRE** race
- Runners on places 1-3 of combined time results of 3 days



Competitors take part in the competition on their own responsibility. Medical insurance is the competitors' responsibility.

All competitors accept the rules and responsibilities specified in this Bulletin with their registration.



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