

46th INTERNATIONAL RACE WALKING FESTIVAL - ALYTUS' 2020

TEAM MANUAL

- 1. EA Permit Meeting Alytus'2020
- 2. Lithuanian Race Walking Championship
- 3. Lithuanian Race Walking Cup
- 4. Open Lithuanian Veterans Race Walking Championship
- 5. Kindergartners, schoolgirls and schoolboys walk 1 km

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I. General information

The 46th International Race Walking Festival - Alytus'2020 will take place on Friday, 18 September in Alytus City.

Alytus is the centre of the culture, sport and industry of the South Lithuania. The distance between Alytus and Vilnius (capital of Lithuania) is 100 km, the distance between Alytus and Kaunas is 75 km, between Alytus and Hrodna (BLR) and between Alytus and Augustow (POL) - 100 km.

Alytus has received the city rights based on the Magdeburg Law in 1581.

The population of Alytus is approximately 51,000 people.

The telephone country code for the LTU +370

The official website for Meeting <u>www.alytusfestival.lt</u>

II. Organizational Structure

Local Organizing Committee

Nerijus Cesiulis Jurgita Šukevičienė Rimantas Mikaitis Vytuolis Valūnas Adomas Andrušaitis Kastytis Pavilonis Romas Jurgelevičius Valdas Kučinskas

Competition Organisation

Frederic Bianchi Kastytis Pavilonis Valdas Kučinskas Alfonsas Buliuolis Alytus City Mayor, LOC President Alytus City Vice Mayor Director of Lithuanian Athletic Federation Head of Education and Sports Departament Deputy Head of Education and Sports Departament Meeting Director Technical Director Competition Director

EA delegate (SUI) Meeting Director (Alytus) Competition Director (Alytus) TIC Manager (Kaunas)

Janusz Krynicki Julio Barbosa Dias Jenni Lahtinen Aloizas Bliūdžius Tadeusz Dziekonski Arūnas Klebauskas Dalia Kovolynienė Žibutė Jankauskaitė	Chief Judge for Permit Meeting (POL) Judge (POR) Judge (FIN) Chief Judge assistent (Kaunas) Measurer (POL) Circuit (Alytus) Volunters, Childrens gala (Alytus) Finance (Alytus)
Alvydas Baltaduonis	Information (Vilnius)
Steponas Misiūnas	Media (Kaunas)

III. Arrivals

3.1. Arrival By Air

Vilnius and Kaunas International Airports are the official airports. A welcome desk will be located within the airports and will be open from Thursday, 17 September to Saturday 19 September. Upon arrival, teams will be met by attaches.

3.2. Arrival By Road

Teams arriving by road are kindly asked to go directly to hotel "Dzūkija" (Pulko st.14, Alytus).

IV. Accommodation

The LOC has reserved good quality hotels for teams, providing full board accommodation and easy accessibility to both the centre of Alytus city and competition venue. The team hotels will be officially open from 17 September at 12.00 to 19 September at 12.00.

V. Meals

All meals will be served in each Hotel Dining Room according to the same timetable:

- Breakfast from 08.00 to 10.00, Saturday from 8.00 to 11.00
- Lunch from 12.00 to 14.30
- Dinner from 19.00 to 21.30

VI. Technical information

6.1. The Technical information centre (TIC) will be located on hotel "Dzūkija" (Pulko st. 14) on Friday 18 September from 14.00 until 20.00.

6.2. The TIC will be linked to all information desks set up for this event and shall be responsible for the following:

- Competition information
- Start list
- Receipt of appeals to the Jury of Appeal
- Publication of results
- 6.3. Results will be displayed on the notice boards near the Call Room.

VII. Competition Area

1 km closed lap based to Pulko Street (see Map). TIC and Call Room located near Hotel "Dzūkija". Call Room opens 16.30, closes 17.10. The warm up area has the following - Birutes Street.

VIII.Competition programme

- 15.00 1 km Girls (2007-2008), (2009 and younger)
- 15.10 1 km Boys (2007-2008), (2009 and younger)
- 15.20 3 km Girls and Boys (2005-2006), Veterans W
- 15.40 5 km Youth W and Youth M (2003-2004), Veterans (1985 -1970), (1969 and older)
- 16.10 1 km Kindergartners, Schoolgirls, Schoolboys walk and Childrens gala

17.00 – Opening ceremony

- 17.30 20 km Men
 - 10 km Junior M (2001-2002)
- 17.35 20 km Women
 - 10 km Junior W (2001-2002)

19.30 – Closing ceremony

IX. Competition Awards

International Meeting prizes:

20 km Women and Men: 1-6 place prize bounty 1st place - 1000 € + USA-USSR match winner Rimantas Šimkevičius prize 500USD, 2nd place -500 €, 3rd place - 400 €, 4th place - 300 €, 5th place - 200 €, 6th place - 100 €. 10 km Junior W and Junior M: 1 - 3 place prize. Individual for all distances: 1-3 place prize. Award ceremony will take place 15 min after the finish of the last competitor of that distance.

X. Appeal Jury

F. Bianchi - Chairman V. Kučinskas A. Bliūdžius

XI. Ceremonies

The Opening Ceremony will take place on Friday, 18 September from 17.00 at the Start- finish line. The Farewell Party will take place on Saturday, 18 September at the Theatre cafe (Rotušės a. – Town squire) from 21.00 to 24.00. Only with Invitation cards

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XII. Entries

Entries for participation are accepted until 14 September 24.00 h e-mail ltu.walking@gmail.com

XIII.Safety and Security

The competition is conducted in accordance with World Athletics regulations.

R.Jurgelevičius, technical director of the competition, is responsible for the participants and spectators.

Safety team "Komanda" is responsible for athlets safety at the Farewell Party. Alytus County Chief Police Commissioner responds according to the program of the event for the security of foreign delegations.

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