

## Regulation of Climbing event



### 1. The purpose and objectives

- 1.1. Promote international climbing events in Riga
- 1.2. Find out the strongest climbers in each age group

### 2. Competition time and location

- 2.1. Climbing event RIGA OPEN will take place in Riga from 2nd to 3rd of April (02.04. qualifications, 03.04. finals), 2016 at Exhibition hall BT1, Ķīpsalas 8, Rīga, LV-1048, during exhibition Sport and Leisure 2016
- 2.2. Official site: [www.climbing.lv/RigaOpen16](http://www.climbing.lv/RigaOpen16)
- 2.3. Official site on FB climbingEventRigaOpen

### 3. Organisation

- 3.1. The competition is organised by RDIKSD, Sport centre of Mountaineering and Latvian Alpinist association.
- 3.2. Chief judge – Normunds Reinbergs
- 3.3. Event is supported by Riga City department of Education, Culture and sport, BT1, SIA LINEARIS, LEINOD TECHNICS, RAID.lv, kapsanassienas.lv

### 4. Participants

- 4.1. Competitions are held in three groups for men and women:

Group	DE	BC	A	Amateur (F)
Year of birth	<= 2001	2000 - 1995	>=1996	>=1996

- 4.2. Number of participants is limited to around 220 climbers
- 4.3. Amateur group – climber who during the last three years have not participated in any climbing competitions, excluding amateur group

### 5. Competition wall

- 5.1. Height 4m, width 15m, routes overhanging 1-2,5 metres
- 5.2. Opening and closing time for isolation zone and starting times will be announced in detailed program on web site [climbing.apollo.lv](http://climbing.apollo.lv)

## 6. Registration

- 6.1. Advanced registration till 25th of March 9:30 PM on web site climbing.apollo.lv by filling online registration form or on the event day at least 2 hours before your group starting time (group DE 10:30 AM)
- 6.2. Advanced registration should include following information:  
Name, Surname, Year of birth, sex, country, city, team, e-mail address.
- 6.3. If registered climber cannot attend event, we ask to notice organizers about that by writing to e-mail: ksc@inbox.lv
- 6.4. Foreign participants in case of winning event must hand in a copy of passport or ID card.
- 6.5. Deadline for applying for invitations in case one needs visa is 17th of March. Coast of this service is 7 EUR + 3 EUR for every person that is included in invitation.
- 6.6. If participant arrives for event without previous registration, we do not guarantee free entrance at the event venue. Coasts of entrance could be found at www.bt1.lv
- 6.7. Information about free entrance of team leaders and participants at the event venue and order of receiving entrance passes will be published later on www.climbing.apollo.lv.
- 6.8. For team leaders or representative's organizers guarantee one free entrance pass if team starts from 8 participants.

## 7. Participation fees (EUR)

7.1.

Group	DE	BC	A and F
Until 25.03	3	3	10
From 26.03.	5	5	15
On 02.04.	7,50	7,50	20

7.2. Participant completes registration by paying participation fee. Amount of participation fee is determined by payment date! Foreign guests from non-EURO zone countries (Russia, Belarus, Ukraine etc.) can pay participation fees on 28th of March at competition venue and amount of fee is determined by registration date on www.climbing.apollo.lv

7.3. Participation fee can be made using wire transfer to

**Biedrība „Kalnkāpēju sporta centrs”,**

**Address: Jēkabpils iela 19a, Rīga, LV-1003,**

**Registration number 50008022031**

**Bank A/s Swedbanka, SWIFT: HABALV22**

**Account number LV 46HABA000140J045072**

Purpose of payment: “participation in Climbing event RO – name and surname of participant”

7.4. On the competition day registration all fees shall be paid not later than 2 hours before the starting time of participants group (group ED 10:15 AM) It will be strictly observed.

7.5. In case of not participating but organizers have issued entrance pass participation fee is not reclaimable. Bank fees will be deducted from entrance fee if we have to send back money by wire transfer.

## **8. Rules**

8.1. Qualifying round on 2nd of April is set on 8 routes that all group climbs for around 1 hour. Within given time participants have to climb as much routes as possible. Each climber will have unlimited attempts on each route in their category. For climbing route on their first try they get 10 points, second try – 7points, third try 5 points, any try after that 3 points. For every bonus 1 point is awarded. For final result all scores for reaching tops are summed. In case of the even result bonus points will be added. If that does not change the final result will take into account order of handing in score cards. All results will be fixed by judges.

8.2. For final round on 3rd of April all routes are closed. Climbers enter arena one by one. Alternatively climbing and resting with the same length of time – 4 minutes. Result is determined by number tops, number of tries for tops, number of bonuses, and number of tries for bonuses.

## **9. Protests**

9.1. Protests are accepted not later than 0.5 hours after official results are posted. Protest consideration fee 35 EUR

## **10. Prizes**

10.1. Winners will be awarded in each age group separately with diplomas and medals

10.2. Total value of prize money and prizes will be detailed later

10.3. Amateur group will receive diplomas and medals. 50 EUR prize will be raffle on among presented participants separately form man and women category

This is official invitation for competitions. All travel (including visas and receiving invitation), accommodation, participation costs shall be covered by participant or teams they represent.

## **11. Additional information.**

In any matter regarding competitions you can contact Normunds Reinbergs – +371 29403822, e-mail: [nr@apollo.lv](mailto:nr@apollo.lv) or [ksc@inbox.lv](mailto:ksc@inbox.lv)

### **For participants from Latvia**

Some regulation rules in English and Russian can be different than in Latvian (those concerning registration deadlines and payments) For participants from Latvia official regulation should be read in Latvian !