

FinTrailO 2015

BULLETIN 1



Organisers

The events will be organised by the orienteering clubs Espoon Suunta and OK 77.

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Event Programme

Saturday 2 May	9:00	Introduction to trail orienteering	Hanikka, Espoo
	10:00	PreO 1	Hanikka, Espoo
	15:00	TempO	Puolarmaari, Espoo
Sunday 3 May	11:00	PreO 2	Haukilahti, Espoo

Start times can be adjusted for competitors having to catch a flight or a ferry. If you have troubles with time schedule with either arrival or departure, and would like to have an adjusted start time, please write to fintrailo2015@ok77.fi before 26 April. After that date we cannot guarantee changes in start times.

Competition Venue and Embargoed Areas

PreO 1, Saturday: Hanikka, Espoo. Coordinates: N 60° 07' 45", E 24° 41' 28" Street address: Suvisaarentie 3, Espoo. Sign posting from Soukanväylä, Espoo.

TempO, Saturday: Puolarmaari, Espoo. Coordinates: N 60° 10' 38", E 24° 41' 49" Street address: Kylänvanhimmanpiha 7, Espoo. Sign posting from Finnoontie/Puolarmetsäntie junction.

PreO 2, Sunday: Haukilahti School, Espoo. Coordinates: N 60° 09' 57", E 24° 45' 59" Street address: Haukilahden koulu, Koulutanhua 3, Espoo. Sign posting from Hauenkalliontie.

PreO terrains are open coastal forests with moderate climbing and good visibility. The road surface is very good for wheelchairs. TempO terrain is partly forest and partly park-like terrain.

All embargoed areas (below) are out of bounds for all potential FinTrailO E class participants from 25 February 2015 until the start of each competition.



Classes and entry fees

We offer two classes, Elite (E) and A. The TempO and PreO 2 in Elite class are part of the Unofficial European Cup in Trail Orienteering. Finnish E class competitors must have a valid orienteering license. There are no requirements for A class competitors. A class has in PreO less controls and easier tasks than E class. In TempO, both classes have the same controls.

Entry fees:

E class: 15 euro/competition

A class: 10 euro/competition

Competition Rules

The Competition Rules for IOF Trail Orienteering Events (valid from 1 January 2015) apply. Copy of the rules is available for download on the IOF website www.orienteering.org. More detailed instructions will follow in Bulletin 2 and in event directives.

For more information about trail orienteering (in Finnish), please check here: <http://www.trailo.fi/lajiesittely/>

Possibilities for Trail Orienteering on 1 May 2015

There will be a national PreO competition on 1 May in Kerava, 50 km from Espoo, organised by Antti Rusanen and Lauri Kontkanen.

On the evening of 1 May there will be a relay demonstration in Espoo at 17:00, and after that training and discussion on international matters.

Accommodation

Scandic Hotel Espoo is the FinTrailO 2015 hotel:

<http://www.scandichotels.com/Hotels/Finland/Espoo/Scandic-Espoo/#.VOmudS7zMhQ>

You can book the rooms for special price by using the code ESP010515. The code is valid until 17 April 2015, but there is a limited number of rooms available, so the sooner you can book, the better!

Single room: 67 eur/night, double room: 77 eur/night.

For other accommodation in Espoo, please see here:

http://www.visitespoo.fi/visitors_guide/sleep/hotels

Entries

Finnish competitors enter to FinTrailO 2015 via IRMA, foreign competitors via email to fintrailo2015@ok77.fi. Foreign competitors can pay either via bank transfer (OK 77, IBAN: FI2740552920007558, BIC: HELSFIHH) or on-site. Entry deadline is Sunday 26 April 2015 at 22:00 GMT.