

# 30. KOPRAKARIKAS 30<sup>th</sup> KOBRAS CUP



**Palojärve, Kanepi parish, Põlva county**  
**June 22-24, 2018**

## INVITATION

Orienteering Club Põlva Kobras invites all orienteering enthusiasts to 30<sup>th</sup> Koprakarikas. We are gladly welcoming all participants from beginners and rising stars to seasoned masters.

### ▣ TIME, VENUE and PROGRAM

Road signs will be on 15<sup>th</sup> km of Tartu (Reola)-Põlva road (no 61) in Vooreküla and on 10th km of Põlva- Saverna road (no 89) in village Ihamaru.

Friday,	June 22	<b>Middle distance</b>	18.00	first start
Saturday,	June 23	<b>Long distance</b>	11.00	first start
Sunday,	June 24	<b>Shortened long distance</b>	11.00	first start

### ▣ ORGANIZERS

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### ▣ CATEGORIES AND APPROXIMATE COURSE LENGTHS (KM)

	DAY 1	DAY 2	DAY 3		DAY 1	DAY 2	DAY 3
<b>W8,910NR</b>	1,5	1,5	1,5	<b>M8,910NR</b>	1,5	1,5	1,5
<b>W12</b>	2,0	3,0	2,5	<b>M12</b>	2,5	3,5	3,0
<b>W14</b>	2,5	4,0	3,5	<b>M14</b>	3,0	5,0	4,0
<b>W16</b>	3,0	5,0	4,0	<b>M16</b>	4,0	6,0	5,0
<b>W18</b>	3,5	6,0	5,0	<b>M18</b>	4,5	8,0	6,5
<b>W20</b>	4,0	7,0	5,5	<b>M20</b>	5,0	9,0	7,0
<b>W21E</b>	4,5	8,0	6,0	<b>M21E</b>	6,0	11,0	8,5
<b>W21Techno</b>	4,0	6,0	4,5	<b>M21Techno</b>	4,0	7,0	5,5
<b>WVIP</b>	3,0	4,0	3,5	<b>MVIP</b>	3,0	5,0	4,0
<b>W35</b>	4,0	7,0	5,0	<b>M35</b>	4,5	8,5	7,0
<b>W40</b>	3,5	6,0	5,0	<b>M40</b>	4,5	7,5	6,0
<b>W45</b>	3,0	5,0	4,0	<b>M45</b>	4,0	7,0	5,5
<b>W50, 55</b>	3,0	5,0	4,0	<b>M50, 55</b>	3,5	7,0	5,5
<b>W60</b>	2,5	4,0	3,5	<b>M60</b>	3,0	5,0	4,0
<b>W65,70</b>	2,5	3,5	3,0	<b>M65,70</b>	2,5	4,0	3,5
				<b>M75,80</b>	2,5	4,0	3,5

**E** – elite, **Techno** – technical short, **W/MVIP** – open for all ages (suitable for beginners), **NR** – marked course. **OPEN**- score-orienteering (participant gets a map with all controls, free starts time).

## MAPS AND TERRAIN

### **Middle distance, Friday, June 22<sup>th</sup>**

Map scale 1:10 000. Map scale for marked courses 1:7500. Contour interval 2,5 m.

### **Long distance, Saturday, June 23<sup>th</sup>**

Map scale 1:10 000 and 1: 15 000. Map scale for marked courses 1:7 500. Contour interval 2,5 m.

### **Shortened long distance, Sunday, June 24<sup>th</sup>**

Map scale 1:10 000. Map scale for marked courses 1:7500. Contour interval 2,5 m.

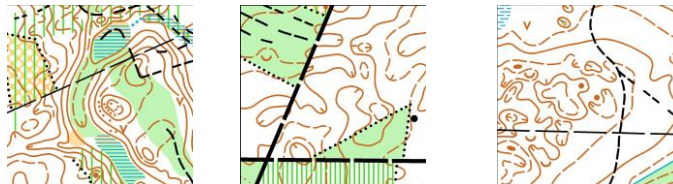
**1 day:** The terrain is located on the banks of the river Ahja, where height differences in the terrain could be up to 30 meters. Runnability varies from excellent to very poor.

**2 day and 3 day:** The terrain is located near lake Palojärv. Mainly coniferous forest with runnability from good to very good. There is a dense network of forest roads, paths and rides in the area, but the terrain is rather poor in landforms. Longer courses extend to the more technical part of the terrain, Hatiku. Some parts of the terrain have been mapped by using the ISOM 2017 symbol no 407 (vegetation, slow running, good visibility), mainly due to logging residue and dead wood. A new area has been mapped on the northern side of lake Palojärv. Mapper Avo Veermäe, summer 2017.

Previous maps:

[9726](#), [2011073](#), [2013013](#), [2015034](#)

Map samples:



## PUNCHING SYSTEM

SPORTident punching system will be used in all categories. All types of SI-cards can be used (including series 8 and 9). SI-cards can be rented from the organizers (1€ per day). In case of losing or breaking the SI-card, fee of 35 € will be charged.

## STARTING PROCEDURE AND MAXIMUM RUNNING TIME

Individual interval start is used on all competition days. Participants must enter the pre-start area 2 minutes before the actual start time and referee checks the SI-card number. 1 minute before the start participant moves to his/her map and starts with the sound signal.

Maximum running time for middle distance is 90 minutes and for long distance 180 minutes.

The start of the children's marked courses is open for 2 hours and the young participants can start at freely chosen times during this period.

## ▣ PARTICIPATION FEES

M,W 8-12	3 €/day
M,W 14-20	5 €/day
M,W 65-80	6 €/day
M,W 21-60	10 €/day
OPEN (no pre-registration required)	4 €/day (M,W 14-20), 8€/day (M,W 21-80)

OK Põlva Kobras bank account no EE772200001120074588 in Swedbank  
(bank address: Liivalaia 8, 15040 Tallinn, Estonia)  
SWIFT/BIC: HABAE2X

**IBAN: EE772200001120074588 Orienteerumisklubi Põlva Kobras**

Participation fee must be paid at the same time with registration up until 18.06.2018.

## ▣ REGISTRATION

Registration is open until Monday, June 18, 23:59. Registration can be done using the following ways:

- online registration <https://www.osport.ee/>
- e-mail: [okkobras@gmail.com](mailto:okkobras@gmail.com)

Registration is confirmed when participation fee has been paid.

**NB! The previous winners of MW21E are invited to participate for free on the 30th Koprakarikas if they participate on all 3 days.**

## ▣ PRIZE-GIVING

According to overall 3-days result prizes will be given to the best tree runners. Winners of MW21E will be awarded every day. Participants of the marked course who attended on all 3 days will be awarded with mini-prizes, the best 3 runners will get the cups.

## ▣ RESULTS AND ONLINE-COVERAGE

Online results and GPS-tracking is available for some categories. After the finish, every competitor will receive his/her split times. Results will be available in the competition centre and on competition website: <http://kobras.polvamaa.ee/>

## ▣ ACCOMMODATION AND CATERING

Area for tents is prepared at the competition centre. Cafe at the competition centre.

Accommodation possibilities:

Hotel Pesa <http://www.kagureis.ee>

Mammaste Sports Centre <http://tervisespordikeskus.ee>

Other accommodation and catering possibilities nearby can be found at:

<http://www.visitpolva.ee/index.php?lang=en>

## ▣ PARKING

At the competition centre, parking is free of charge.

## ▣ CULTURAL PROGRAMME

There will be a big midsummer fire with cultural programme on Saturday (June 23) on beach of lake Palojärve.

Cultural events in Põlva and surrounding parishes: <http://www.visitpolva.ee/events>

## ▣ OTHER

No number bibs are used. Clean drinking water, toilets, kindergarten and cafe available at competition centre. Instead of showers there is a nice outdoor swimming pool in lake Palojärve.

## ▣ SUPPORTERS

Põlva County Expert Group of Cultural Endowment of Estonia, Väraska Vesi AS, Lõuna Pagarid AS, Lemeks Põlva AS, Kanepi parish

## Previous winners of MW21E categories:

I	1989	Mammaste	(100)	Aleksei Nikitin (Pihkva)	Saima Värton (Kobras)
II	1990	Saverna	(181)	Rene Ottesson (ETKVL)	Ede Ümarik (Ilves)
III	1991	Krootuse	(242)	Rene Ottesson (ETKVL)	Ruth Vaher (Peko)
IV	1992	Janukjärv	(229)	Raul Kudre (Peko)	Ingrit Kala (Peko)
V	1993	Hatiku	(314)	Tarvo Avaste (Lehola)	Ruth Vaher (Peko)
VI	1994	Taevaskoja	(269)	Tarvo Avaste (Lehola)	Ruth Vaher (Peko)
VII	1995	Palojärve	(270)	Alar Viitmaa (Lehola)	Elo Saue (Ilves)
VIII	1996	Kanepi	(331)	Martin Veermäe (Ilves)	Laima Klauza (Kapa)
IX	1997	Palojärve	(371)	Sixten Sild (Võru)	Maret Vaher (Kobras)
X	1998	Küka	(376)	Tarvo Avaste (Võru)	Küllil Kaljus (Peko)
XI	1999	Karaski	(450)	Armo Hiie (Ilves)	Anu Annus (Peko)
XII	2000	Valgesoo	(472)	Erik Aibast (Tammed)	Kirti Rebane (Tammed)
XIII	2001	Pikajärve	(383)	Ville Vinkel (West)	Triin Vask (Ilves)
XIV	2002	Aarna	(657)	Igor Gorbatenko (Peterburg)	Kirti Rebane (Tammed)
XV	2003	Küka	(406)	Svajunas Ambrazas (Sakas)	Ingrit Kala (Peko)
XVI	2004	Hatiku	(365)	Marek Nõmm (Tammed)	Viivi-AnneSoots(Tammed)
XVII	2005	Akste	(371)	Peeter Pihl (Tammed)	Merike Vanjuk (Kape)
XVIII	2006	Piigaste	(401)	Rain Eensaar (Kobras)	Liis Johanson (Kobras)
XIX	2007	Krootuse	(450)	Timo Sild (Võru)	Merike Vanjuk (Kape)
XX	2008	Prangli	(472)	Timo Sild (Võru)	Merike Vanjuk (Kape)
XXI	2009	Leevi	(432)	Peeter Pihl (Tammed)	Merike Vanjuk (Kape)
XXII	2010	Janukjärv	(360)	Andreas Kraas (EKJ SK)	Merike Vanjuk (Kape)
XXIII	2011	Kooraste	(387)	Raido Mitt (Kobras)	Merike Vanjuk (Kape)
XXIV	2012	Lajavangu	(442)	Timo Sild (EKJ SK)	Kerstin Uiboupin (Võru)
XXV	2013	Saarjärve	(420)	Ats Sõnajalg (KEK RSK)	Merike Vanjuk (Kape)
XXVI	2014	Kuulma järv	(333)	Kaido Hallik (Ilves)	Mariann Sulg (Orvand)
XXVII	2015	Hatiku	(366)	Topi Hasu (OK Trian)	Eleri Hirv (OK Võru)
XXVIII	2016	Eoste	(337)	Reigo Teervalt (Peko)	Lorely Kõrvel (Kobras)
XXIX	2017	Poka	(297)	Kaur Kase (OK Võru)	Marianne Haug (OK Võru)
XXX	2018	Palojärve	(.....)	.....	.....