



# Bulletin 2

4 days Orienteering event 25-28 July  
 48th edition of BULGARIA CUP 2024  
 Gabrovo Cup 2024





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SPORT CLUB UZANA GABROVO**

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## PLACE AND ARENA

**Cup Gabrovo - competition center and finish arena is at [Tota Venkova \(42.7881, 25.2500\)](#) about 20 km on the road from Gabrovo to the resort Uzana.**

**Cup Bulgaria - competition center and finish arena is competition center [SPORT CENTER UZANA \(42.7608, 25.2329\)](#) at resort UZANA.**

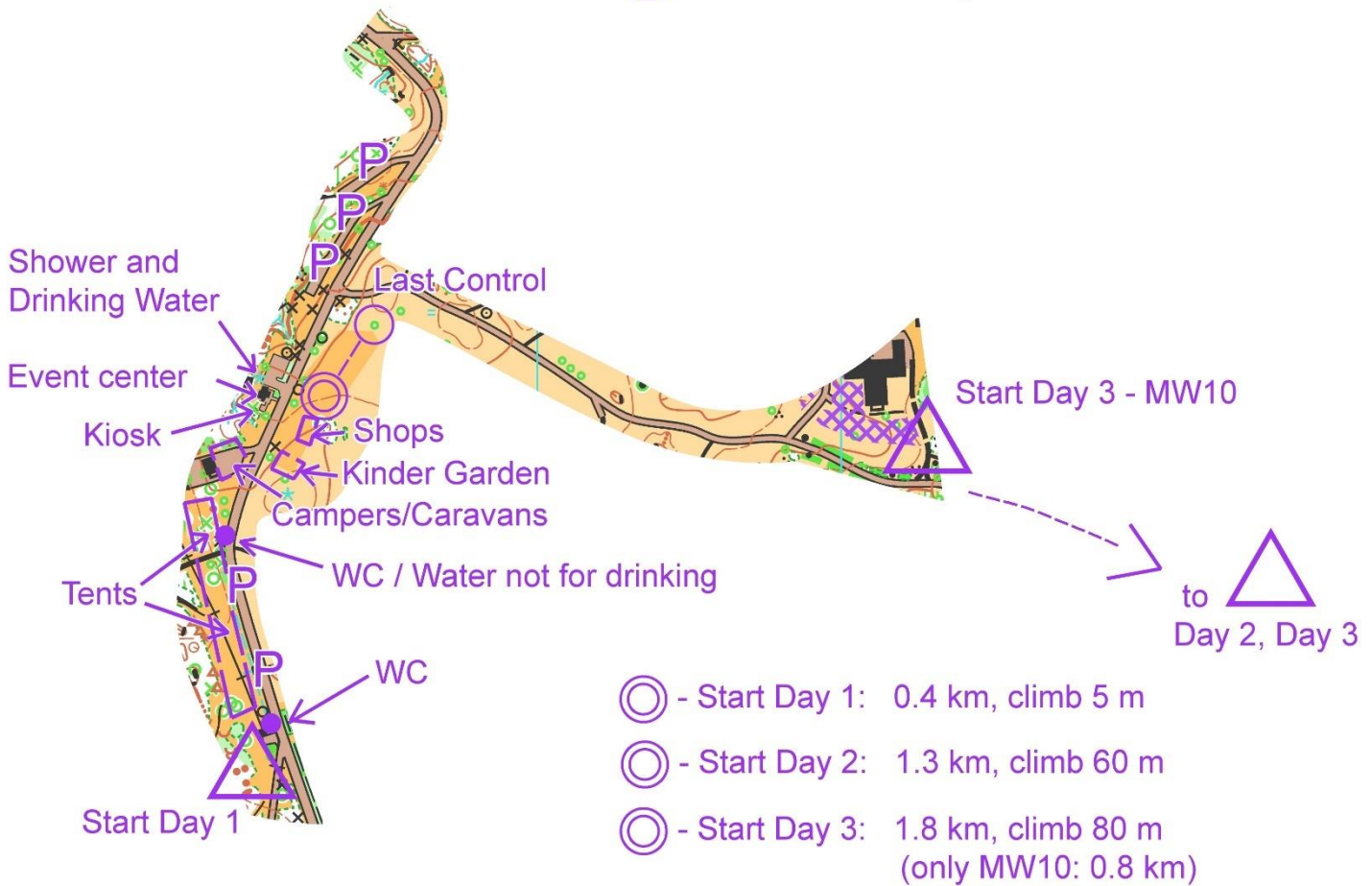
**The finish arena and last control for all 3 competition days of the Bulgaria Cup are the same. Parking for cars, buses and camper vans will be advised in Bulletin 2.**





## ARENA SCHEME

# Scheme Bulgaria Cup 2024



## PROGRAM

**25.07 (Thursday)**

**Gabrovo Cup**  
**Model Event Bulgaria Cup**  
**Event Office**

**start 13:30**  
**16:30-18:30**  
**18:00 - 20:00**





<b>26.07 (Friday)</b>	<b>Event Office</b>	<b>8:00 - 18:00</b>
	<b>Bulgaria Cup Day 1</b>	<b>start 11:00</b>
<b>27.07 (Saturday)</b>	<b>Event Office</b>	<b>8:00 - 18:00</b>
	<b>Bulgaria Cup Day 2</b>	<b>start 11:00</b>
	<b>Prize-giving ceremony for Gabrovo Cup and class winners Bulgaria Cup Day 1 and 2</b>	<b>19:00</b>
	<b>Open party for all participants</b>	<b>20:00</b>
<b>28.07 (Sunday)</b>	<b>Event Office</b>	<b>8:00 - 16:00</b>
	<b>Bulgaria Cup Day 2</b>	<b>start 10:30</b>
	<b>Prize-giving and closing ceremonies</b>	<b>14:00</b>

## MAPS

### Gaborovo cup

Map Garneto, Scale 1:7500, Contours 5 m, ISOM 2017-2, drawn by Georgi Hadjimitsiev June 2023, updated July 2024. The maps are printed on waterproof paper.

The model map for the Bulgaria Cup is on a part of the map for the Gabrovo Cup.

The terrain is moderately to very hilly, with stones, rocks and landforms. Many rock fields, large rocks and depressions. Deciduous and coniferous forest with all types of runability.

All kind of paths. Main asphalt rode crossing for some of the classes. Be careful when crossing the asphalt road.

### Bulgaria cup

Uzana Map: Scale 1:10,000, enlarged to 1:7500 for classes MW10 and above MW50 (included). Contours 5 m, ISOM 2017-2, drawn by Georgi Hadzhimitsiev July-October 2023, updated July 2024. The maps are printed on waterproof paper.





Complex Uzana area is a resort with many lodges and hotels, located between 1200-1350 m above sea level, 25 km from the town of Gabrovo.

**Terrain:** The terrain is moderately hilly, with stones, rocks and landforms. Many rock fields, large rocks with a height of 2-3 to 10-15 m. Karst region with different sizes of depressions and holes.

**Vegetation:** Deciduous and coniferous forest with all types of runability. Open and semi-open areas with many microforms.

**Hydrography:** Very few water objects.

**Path network:** Many roads, paths and narrow rides of all categories. Some are hard to spot. Be careful when crossing the asphalt road.

## OLD MAPS

[2005 година Узана](#)

and

[2013 Узана](#)

## TIMING

The competitions will be organized with the electronic punching system - SPORTident. SI Stations will be set to touch-free punching mode. Older SI chips can be used. Chip rental - BGN 3 per start. For a lost chip, its value has to be paid.

## COMPETITION BIBS

For the Bulgaria Cup, it will be mandatory to start with a bib number, with the exception of M10/W10. A competitor without a bib number will not be allowed to start. For Bulgaria Cup Day 3 (chasing start) , there will be special numbers for the first 5 competitors based on the provisional results. A lost bib number can be replaced for BGN 2 at the competition center.

## KINDER GARDEN

There will be children's play area at the finish arena for Bulgaria Cup with free access, where children can have fun while parents compete. The working hours are from 10:00 a.m. until 2 p.m.





## TECHNICAL INFORMATION

### Gabrovo cup

Parking to Finish area – 50-200m

Finish to Start: 700 m with 50m climb. marked from Finish area.

**Be careful when crossing the asphalt road.**

### Bulgaria cup all days

Model event map and controls are part of Gabrovo cup. Maps are available at the parking for Gabrovo cup.

Distances finish to start:

Day 1: 0.4 km / 5 m climb

Day 2: 1.3 km / 60 m climb

Day 3: 1.8 km / 80 m climb

Marked from Event Center/Finish with white-red tape.

**Be careful when crossing the asphalt road.**

Only for M21E, W21E, M21A, M20 и M35 have a refreshment point with water for Day 1 at about 50-55 % and Day 3 at about 60-65%. There is spectator control for Day 2.

**At all alpine ski tracks the lift metal rope is still there. Be careful when crossing.**

In some areas forest maintenance was done and the maps are updated as best as possible.

## START ORDER DAY 3 – CHASING START

For day 3 all classes have a spectator controls except MW12B and MW14B. First start is at 10:30 except for MW21E (their start is at 11:00).

Note: Open Short, Open Long and MW10 do not have chasing start for the Bulgarian Cup Day 3. The overall results for these groups are the sum all three race days. These classes have a free start every day between 10:30-12:30. MW10 course is with taped route.





## GPS-TRACKING

**Day 1 and Day 2: GPSs for all participants in M21E and W21E. And selected runners from M16, W16, M18, W18, M20 and W20.**

**Day 3: GPS-tracking for first 5-8 starting competitors for M21E, W21E, M21A, W21A, M16, W16, M18, W18, M20 и W20.**

**If you have a GPS vest bring it with you. Otherwise you will get one at the start.**

List with selected runners will be published at [bgof.org](http://bgof.org) and tracking inks on [www.loggator.com](http://www.loggator.com)

## COURSE LENGTHS

група	GABROVO CUP 25.07			BULGARIA CUP									class
	км	сб.изк	КТ	1 Ден -26.07			2 Ден-27.07			3 Ден-28.07			
				км	сб.изк	КТ	км	сб.изк	КТ	км	сб.изк	КТ	
Ж10	0,5	3	4	1,0	25	4	1,5	15	5	1,2	15	5	W10
Ж12А	1,4	55	7	1,9	75	10	2,2	40	10	2,5	30	10	W12А
Ж12Б				1,7	60	9	2,1	45	7	1,9	25	6	W12B
Ж14А	1,8	55	10	2,2	90	9	2,6	40	11	3,0	45	10	W14А
Ж14Б				1,7	60	9	2,1	45	7	2,0	20	6	W14B
Ж16	1,8	90	11	4,0	160	12	3,4	75	12	4,1	75	10	W16
Ж18	2,7	120	11	4,5	180	14	3,5	90	12	4,7	75	13	W18
Ж20				4,6	170	14	3,6	95	13	4,9	120	13	W20
Ж21Е	3,2	125	15	7,2	290	24	5,6	170	19	7,2	170	18	W21Е
Ж21А				4,9	210	15	4,2	90	14	4,6	100	11	W21А
Ж21Б				3,5	110	10	3,4	90	13	3,6	65	12	W21B
Ж35	2,7	120	11	4,6	170	14	3,6	95	13	4,4	90	11	W35
Ж40	2,6	125	12	4,0	160	12	3,4	90	13	4,4	85	11	W40
Ж45	2,6	110	13	3,9	140	11	3,4	75	12	4,3	65	13	W45
Ж50				3,7	140	13	3,4	80	11	4,1	60	11	W50
Ж55	2,2	100	11	3,4	125	13	3,1	100	12	3,7	55	11	W55
Ж60				3,2	115	11	2,7	90	12	2,9	40	9	W60
Ж65	2,2	75	13	2,5	100	10	2,2	40	8	2,7	40	9	W65
Ж70	2,2	75	13	2,0	80	9	1,8	40	8	2,4	35	8	W70
Ж75,Ж80				1,8	70	9	1,7	40	6	2,1	30	8	W75,W80
М10	0,5	3	4	1,0	25	4	1,5	15	5	1,2	15	5	М10





M12A	1,4	55	7	2,0	70	10	2,2	40	10	2,5	35	11	M12A
M12B				1,7	60	9	2,1	45	7	1,9	30	6	M12B
M14A	1,8	90	11	2,5	110	11	2,6	40	11	3,3	55	11	M14A
M14B				1,7	60	9	2,1	45	7	2,0	25	6	M14B
M16	2,7	120	11	5,0	190	14	4,0	95	12	5,5	95	13	M16
M18	3,2	145	12	5,9	240	17	4,7	115	14	6,4	170	16	M18
M20				6,8	300	19	5,8	190	19	7,2	155	16	M20
M21E	4,0	140	17	8,8	340	29	6,4	200	20	8,7	205	22	M21E
M21A				7,2	290	24	5,6	170	19	7,1	150	15	M21A
M21B				4,8	185	14	4,4	140	11	5,1	115	13	M21B
M35	3,2	145	12	6,2	240	20	5,7	175	17	6,1	145	16	M35
M40	3,2	125	15	5,7	225	15	4,4	110	13	5,5	115	12	M40
M45	2,8	135	14	4,9	210	15	4,2	90	14	5,0	120	13	M45
M50				4,6	180	17	4,0	110	10	4,8	85	13	M50
M55	2,6	125	12	4,5	180	14	3,5	85	12	4,5	85	14	M55
M60				3,7	140	13	3,4	80	11	4,1	95	12	M60
M65	2,2	100	11	3,4	125	13	3,1	100	12	3,8	70	10	M65
M70	1,8	70	9	3,2	115	11	2,7	90	12	3,0	45	9	M70
M75				2,5	100	10	2,2	40	8	2,9	40	9	M75
M80				2,0	80	9	1,8	40	8	2,4	35	8	M80
M85				1,8	70	9	1,7	40	6	2,1	30	8	M85
M90				1,6	65	7	1,7	30	7	1,9	25	6	M90
Отв. Дълъг				4,7	190	13	4,0	90	13	4,6	80	12	Open Long
Отв. Къс	1,8	55	10	3,5	140	12	2,7	55	10	3,4	55	10	Open Short
	km	climb	contr.	km	climb	contr.	km	climb	contr.	km	climb	contr.	
	CUP 25.07			BG CUP Day 1			BG CUP Day 2			BG CUP Day 3			

## PRIZES AND AWARDS

First three places in each class for Gabrovo Cup will be awarded with medals.

Only winners of the first two competition days for Bulgaria Cup and top three places for overall Bulgaria Cup results will be awarded with cups, medals and material prizes. In addition, MW21E will have prize money. A special prize "Vasil Shandurkov" will be awarded to the winner of class M65.

All participants in MW10 will have a prize medal after their finish at Bulgaria Day 3.







## ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Bulletin 2 and other additional information will be published few days before first race.  
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