



Urban Orienteering Graz

19.-21. July 2019



Welcome to Graz, a wonderful City of Design!

UNESCO World Heritage since 1999!
Historic Center and Schloss
Eggenberg



Schedule

Friday 19th July 2019

14:00 Information Centre opens at BGBRG Kirchengasse
19:00 Sprint Race University Graz (additional race)

Saturday 20th July 2019

long distance shortend Graz-Geidorf District

8:00 CC opens at school BG/BRG Kirchengasse
19:00 City Race 1 > 0-time
22:00 Race closed
Finish at Augustinum

Sunday 21th July 2019

long distance shortend City of Graz

7:00 CC opens at BG/BRG Kirchengasse
10:00 City Race 2 > 0-time
13:00 Race closed
Finish at Landessportzentrum

Getting to Graz



Graz-Thalerhof: The nearest airport, 13 km away from the city centre.
Is good connected with other airports.
Vienna International Airport: is 180 km away.
Ljubljana/Slovenia (200 km) or Zagreb/Croatia (240 km).



Railways arriving to Graz look to:
Austrian Railways: www.oebb.at



Public transport companies to move around the city:
Graz-Holding-Linien: www.busbahnbin.at

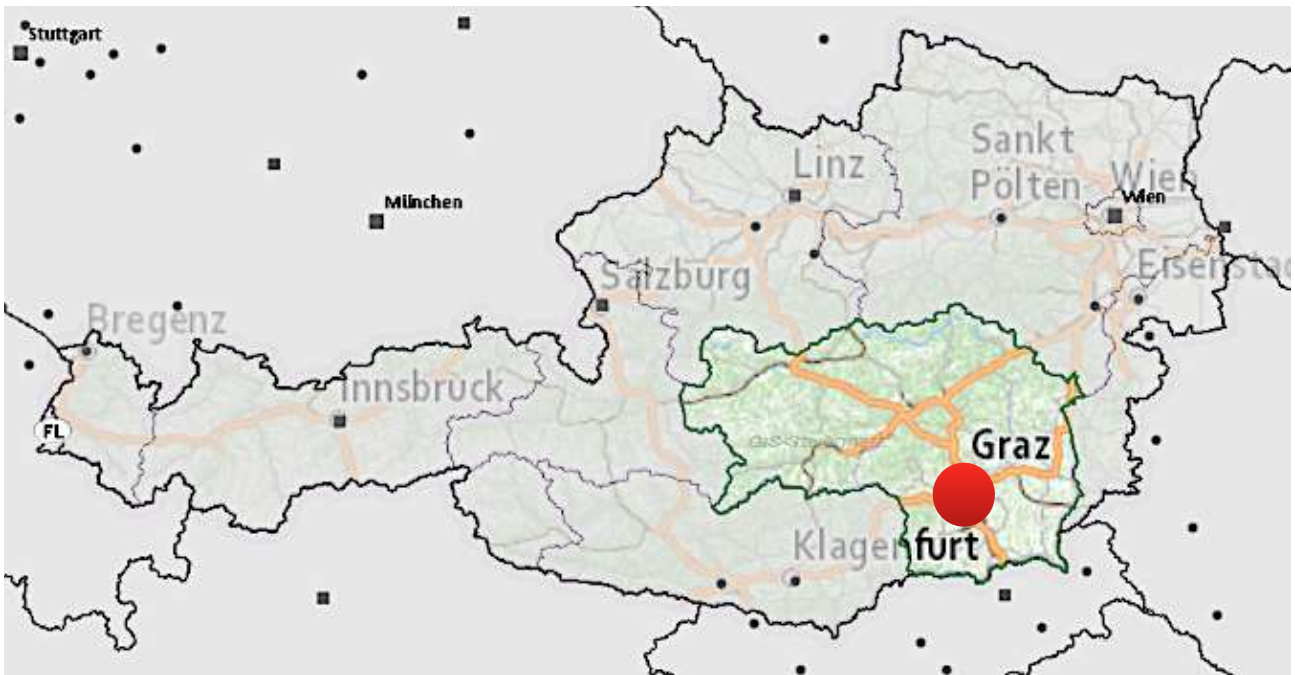


Tourist information about accommodation and the surroundings
Graz: www.graztourismus.at
Styria: <https://www.steiermark.com/en>



Location of City Race Euro Tour - Graz

Austria / Österreich



Styria / Steiermark



Graz

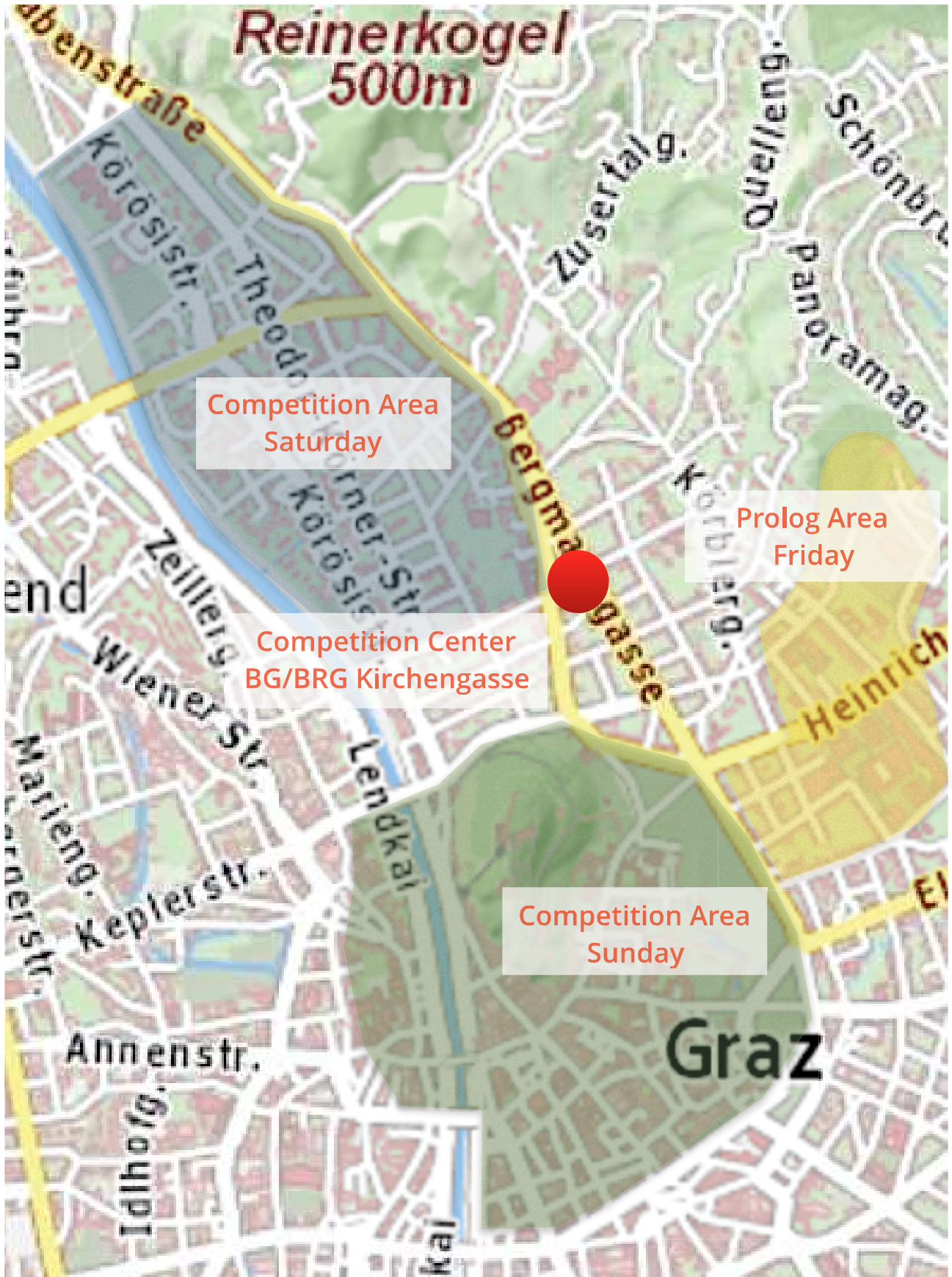


Competition Center

Bundesreal- und Bundesgymnasium Kirchengasse Graz, Kirchengasse 5, 8010



Competitions - prolog, stages 2 and 3



Tourism - Graz, City of Design

In Graz you may visit following sights:

Unsere Top Sehenswürdigkeiten im Überblick



Accommodation

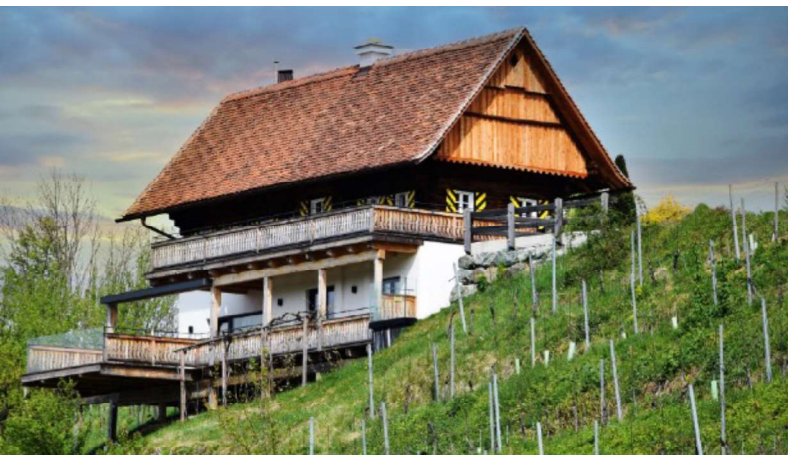
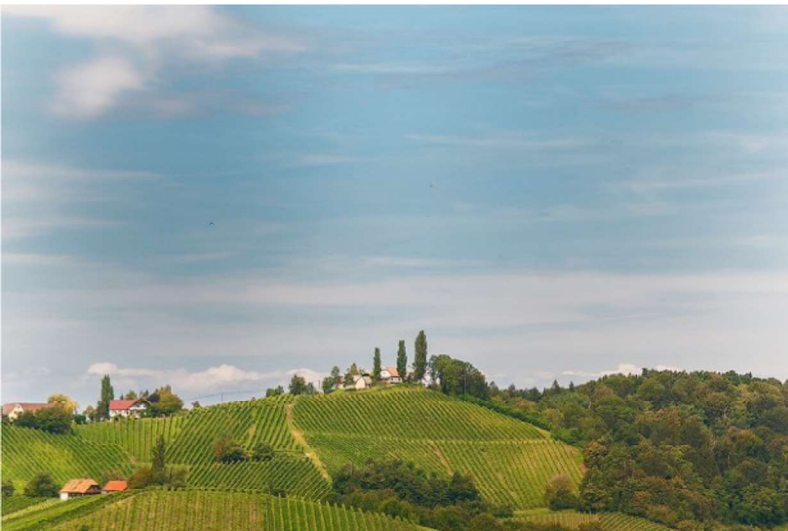
Recommended Hotels:

Look at Graz Tourismus. www.graztourismus.at



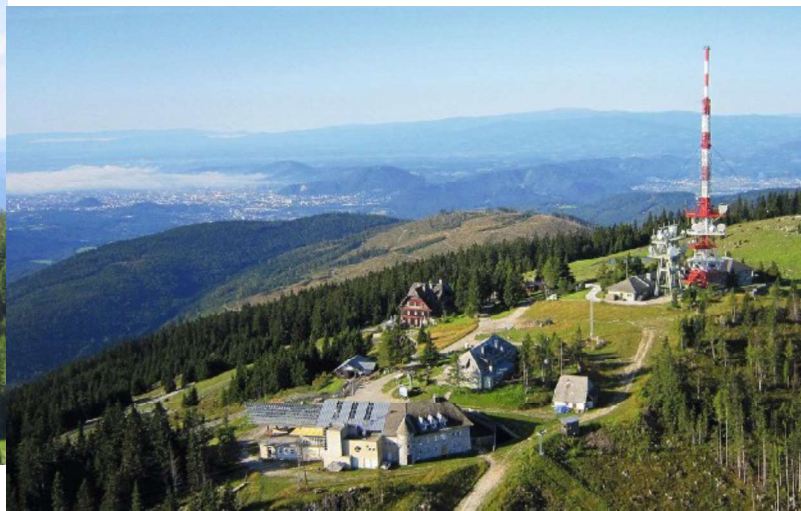
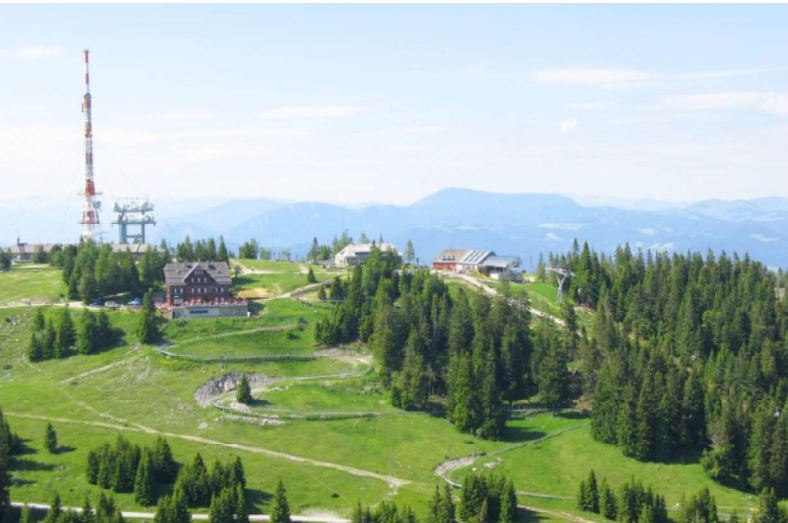
Tourism, Wine Region

45 km south of Graz, on the border to Slovenia, you can find the "Styrian Tuscany". A famous wine region with lovely wineries, wonderful wines and wonderful "Buschenschenken", a specialty in Austria, with local delicacies!



Tourism, Schöckl mountain

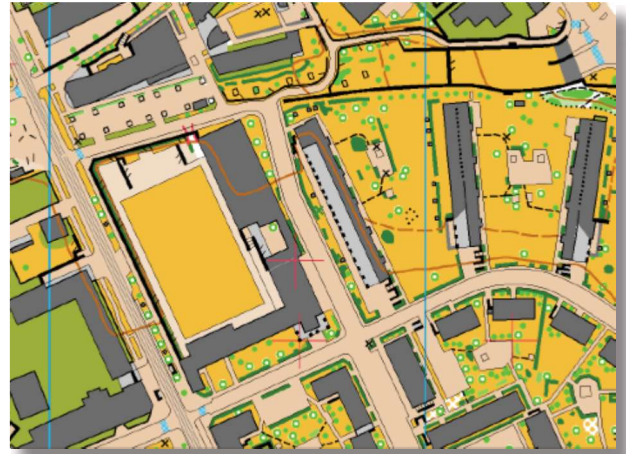
The Graz mountain Schöckl with 1450 meters altitude is only 20 km from Graz away and can also be visited by gondola. There are numerous leisure activities on the mountain. Among other things, there is also an Orienteering Park with 30 permanent controls.



Maps/Terrain

Scale 1:4000 for both maps.

Geidorf:



City of Graz:



Categories

Categories for the Euro City Race Tour. Ranking for men/women:

Youth (16-) Age <= 16	- 2003
Junior (20-) 16 < Age <= 20	2002 - 1999
Men/Women Elite City Race 21 <= Age <= 39	1998 - 1980
Veteran (40+) 40 <= Age <= 54	1979 - 1965
Supervet (55+) 55 <= Age <= 64	1964 - 1955
Ultravet (65+) 65 <= Age <= 74	1954 - 1945
Hipervet (75+) 75 <= Age	1944 -

not included in CRET-Ranking;

Open short; Open middle; Open long; Beginners children; Beginner adults

Entry fee

Registration will be through the platform: www.orienteeringonline.net

Price € 15.- per race / Price for all three € 40.- / Youth/Juniors. € 10.- / 25.-

Deadline Entry date 5.July 2019

20% discount early registration until 31.May 2019 with payment.

Rent Sportident € 10.- all races (a deposit fee of € 40.- will be required)

BANK-ACCOUNT:

Raiffeisenbank Mariatrost BIC: RZSTAT2G223 IBAN: AT38 3822 3000 0017 4409

Timekeeping

All categories, including beginners, are controlled through the Sportident system (touch free – 20cm distance).

You can use Cards from SIAC (SportidentAirCards) till SI-Cards5.

Only for the promotion categories, an electronic card will be lent free of charge (a deposit fee will be required). Other categories must hire it at € 4 fee.

Start Point

The starting procedure is as follows:

-3 Minutes: clean and check; -2 Minutes: last instructions;

-1 Minute: map handling; 0 Start (with start-base)

There will be a direct route for runners arriving late. This can only be used if authorized by the Starts Commissioner.

Please, keep in mind

- **Car Traffic:** The traffic will not stop at any time. Although traffic is limited to these areas, it is very important to watch every time you cross over. Please, respect the required neutralized crossings which will be monitored by the Organization staff and regulated with the SportIDENT system. Pedestrian crossings regulated by traffic lights must be respected too.
- **First aid and ambulance.** An ambulance will be located by to the competition centre ready to evacuate anyone to the hospital if required. In this case the runner injured will be transferred to the Hospital „Unfallkrankenhaus“
- **Traffic-Works:** We are running within an urban area, and it is possible that works that do not exist at the time of printing the map, may appear at the time of preparing the event. Similarly, the Parks and Gardens city service could change the green zone of the long race if, unexpectedly, started working on an area.
- **Locker-Space:** Staff will improvise a place where bags and objects could be placed, but they will not be held responsible for any objects left there.
- **Showers:** Since the race on Saturday will be at a sports venue there will be the opportunity to take a shower. Since the race on Sunday will be at a sports venue there will be the opportunity to take a shower.
- **WC Cabinets:** on Saturday it will be possible to use the toilets CC. On Sunday at the sports facility (Landessportzentrum)
- **Refreshments:** apart from public fountains existing along the circuit, a refreshment facility will be provided at the end of the race.
- **Footwear:** Metal studs are not recommended. Versatile/multipurpose footwear is advisable. Sand, wood, bricks, asphalt and metal plates are on the way..
- **Babysitting:** There will be a nursery to care for runner's children while running. Please, bear in mind that all parents with children at an early age can make a request, at the time of registration, to ask for tee times separated from their partners. These requests will be handled as far as possible.

Claims and Complaints

Due to the type of race, we ought to remark that no circuit will be annulled or cancelled in the event of a control suffering from vandalism of any sort.

In front of a claim for this reason, the technical jury might decide to nullify those sections defined by the appealed control. Therefore, all runners must consider finishing the race even though they find problems due to the accessibility of the public to the controls or to organizational errors. Any complaint must be submitted in writing before the awards ceremony.

Results

Results will be provisionally displayed at the Finish of each stage and on the Internet after race is finished.

We are offering live results as well.

Awards

The 3 first qualified in each official and unofficial category will be awarded.

Course details

Will be published in time, 2 month before competition.

Credits

Race Director: Hannes Pacher

Circuit Planning: Lisa Pacher and others.

Sportident & Chrono: Christopher Immervoll

Maps: Hannes Pacher

Starts: Armin Mariacher

Logistica: Reinhold Lueger



Organizer

Sportunion Schöckl Orienteering Graz
and Outdoor-Orienteering Graz



Our partner Competition

After the race in Graz you can take part at a marvelous 5-day-Event in Slovenia!

it is about 2h 30 min from Graz away



24. - 28. July 2019 *back to Julian Alps!*
Gorenjska region, Slovenia