

# Slovak MTBO championships 2022

## *Instructions*

*Open Slovak MTBO championships  
4th and 5th round of Czech cup  
Competitions within Austrian and Hungarian cup  
MTBO competition for the general public*

<b>Organizer</b>	Slovak Orienteering Association (SZOŠ)																
<b>Technical support</b>	<a href="#">ŠK VAZKA Bratislava</a>																
<b>Webpage</b>	<a href="http://mtbo.vba.sk/2022/">http://mtbo.vba.sk/2022/</a>																
<b>Date and classification</b>	Open Slovak MTBO championships on Middle and Long Czech MTBO cup - 4th and 5th round Hungarian MTBO cup Austrian MTBO cup - 3th and 4th round																
<b>Date</b>	28.5.2022 (Saturday) - Middle 29.5.2022 (Sunday) – Long																
<b>Event centre</b>	Šaštín-Stráže – Recreation centre area Gazárka ( <a href="#">map</a> )																
<b>Parking</b>	Parking is available near the Event Centre <a href="#">HERE</a> , possibly along the road to the end of the garden settlement. Parking for caravans in the back part of the parking place.																
<b>Presentation</b>	28.5. (Saturday) - 10:30 - 12:00 at the Event centre  29.5. (Sunday) - 08:00 - 09:00 at the Event centre (only for competitors who didn't participate in Saturday's races)  <i>On-site entries according to the capacity of the organizer.</i>  <i>In order to ensure a trouble-free check-in at the presentation, we ask you to hand in the bank transfer confirmation in case you did not find your entry fee payment entered at the webpage ORIS.</i>  <b><u>Payment at the presentation is possible only in EUR.</u></b>																
<b>Distances</b>	<table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th></th> <th>28.5. (Saturday)</th> <th>29.5. (Sunday)</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Event Centre –presentation</td> <td>0 km</td> <td>0 km</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Event Centre - parking</td> <td>0,8 km</td> <td>0,8 km</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Event Centre - Start</td> <td>3,84 km</td> <td>2,75 km</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Event Centre - Finish</td> <td>1 km</td> <td>0 km</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p>The route to the start will be marked from the event centre with blue-and-white ribbons. The route from finish to the event centre will be marked with red-and-white ribbons.</p>			28.5. (Saturday)	29.5. (Sunday)	Event Centre –presentation	0 km	0 km	Event Centre - parking	0,8 km	0,8 km	Event Centre - Start	3,84 km	2,75 km	Event Centre - Finish	1 km	0 km
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	<p><b>WARNING:</b> On Sunday, the road to the start leads along a busy road and crosses the railway crossing twice, pay attention!</p>
<b>Classes</b>	<p>M11, M14, <b>M17, M20, M21E</b>, M21A, M21B, <b>M40A</b>, M40B, <b>M50, M60</b>, M70  W11, W14, <b>W17, W20, W21E</b>, W21A, W21B, <b>W40, W50, W60</b>  M10, W10 – possible for parents to accompany the child  Open, Open E-bike  <i>In bold are written master classes, i.e. classes in which the title “Master of Slovak Republic in MTBO for 2022” will be awarded.</i>  <i>At least 3 competitors must start in the class to be awarded the master’s title.</i>  <b>In case of a small number of registered, there is a possibility of merging some categories.</b>  A picture track will be prepared for the youngest children directly at the Event centre.</p>
<b>Map holders</b>	<p>Possibility to rent at the presentation for a <b>2€</b> fee.</p>
<b>Starting numbers</b>	<p>Each competitor will receive a start number at the presentation.</p> <p>All competitors are obliged to place the number visibly on the bike before the start. It will not be possible to start without the start number. The start numbers are the same for Saturday and Sunday. Please return unused start numbers to the presentation. The MW10 and OPEN / OPEN E-bike categories also have start numbers.</p>
<b>Start 00</b>	<p><b>28.5.2022 (Saturday)</b>  At 13:00.  Interval start according to the start list.</p> <p><u>Saturday (MW10)</u> – free start between 15:00-16.00, the route to the map start will be marked with red-and-white ribbons. The race route will not be marked. Start and finish is at the kindergarten at the Event centre. Possible for parents to accompany the child.</p> <p><b>29.5.2022 (Sunday)</b>  At 9:30.  Interval start according to the start list.</p> <p><u>Sunday (MW10)</u> – free start between 12:30 -13.30, the route to the map start will be marked with red-and-white ribbons. The race route will not be marked. Start and finish is at the kindergarten at the Event centre. Possible for parents to accompany the child.</p>
<b>Terrain</b>	<p>Mostly flat, in places passages with short steep exits and descents, sandy ground, dense network of roads and sidewalks. Forest work was taking place in the forest, which could have changed the passability on some sections of the roads. This change may not have been captured on the map.</p>
<b>Map details</b>	<p><b>28.5. (sobota)</b>  Šaštínske lesy, scale 1:15 000 (for some classes 1:10 000), e=2,5m, size A3 (for MW10 and MW11 size A4), April 2022</p> <p><b>29.5. (nedel'a)</b>  Šaštínske lesy, scale 1:15 000 (for some classes 1:10 000), e=2,5m, size A3 (for MW10 and MW11 size A4), April 2022</p>

Old map



Maps will be collected in the finish until the start of the last competitor.

**Punching system**

SportIdent, contactless system AIR+ will be used (allows embossing to a distance of 150-200 cm). **Stamping will be possible only using SIAC, the controls do not have a hole.** For competitors who do not own a SIAC, the renting will be possible (*SI rental: 2 € / day, in case of damage or non-return: 70 €*)

**The only exception will be the MW10 category, where the standard controls will be used, so it will be possible to use standard SI as well.**

The competitor is obliged to reset and check the SI (Clear + Check) before the start. In case of a failure of the SportIdent electronic punching system, the competitor punches the control with pliers in one of the reserve squares on the map. He/She is obliged to report this fact at the Read out at the Event centre.

There will be no control in the finish, but a passage through the finish carpet with a timer. Please do not stay near the carpet. The children's category MW10 punches the finish control manually.

MW10 does not have collective control for either MIDDLE or LONG - from the last control the children go directly to a separate finish.

Don't forget to have your SI read out when you arrive at the Event centre - do so as soon as possible so that we have current results. Competitors who did not finish the race and eventually did not cross the finish line are also obliged to read out the SI.

Return the borrowed SI to the organizers immediately after reading out on the last day of competition

**Technical control**

All competitors without exception are required to wear a properly fastened helmet on their head while moving on the track. **A competitor without a helmet will not be allowed to start.**

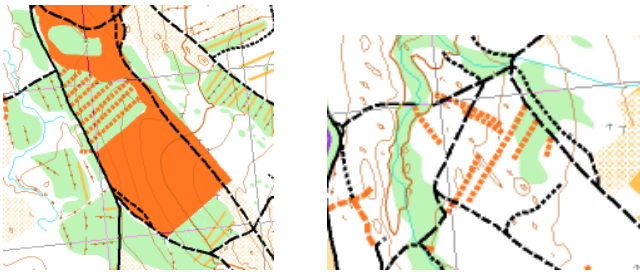
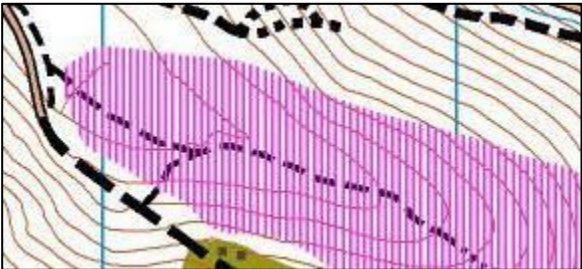
The minimum width of the tires is 1.5".

**Course details**

They are published in a separate document - PARAMETRE TRATÍ in ORIS

**Refreshment station on the course**

Organizers do not provide.

<p><b>Special map marks</b></p>	<p><b>It is strictly prohibited to move (by bike or on foot) outside the roads marked on the map.</b> Exceptions are grassy strips marked with orange (map mark No.824 "Open land" and No.827-830 "Crossroads or terrain route"), where the movement is allowed.</p>  <p>There are forbidden areas, which are marked on the map. It is not allowed to cross them (by bike or on foot). This also applies to roads leading through these forbidden areas.</p> 
<p><b>Forbidden area</b></p>	<p>Is marked on the map</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• By red hatching in case of forbidden area,</li> <li>• Red zigzag line in case of forbidden road</li> <li>• <b>No off-road movement - the competitor must use only the road when completing the course, he/she must not move on a bicycle or on feet in open terrain.</b></li> </ul>
<p><b>SI-read</b></p>	<p>At the Event centre.</p>
<p><b>Estimated winning times</b></p>	<p>According to Rules <a href="#">Pravidiel OC SZOŠ</a></p>
<p><b>Time limit</b></p>	<p><b>28.05.2022 (Saturday)</b>  120 minutes  Finish closes 120 minutes after the start of the last competitor.</p> <p><b>29.05.2022 (Sunday)</b>  180 minutes  Finish closes 180 minutes after the start of the last competitor.</p>
<p><b>Results</b></p>	<p>The preliminary results will be posted at the event centre. The official results will be published at the webpage <a href="http://mtbo.vba.sk/2022/">http://mtbo.vba.sk/2022/</a> as well as in the system orienteering.sk and ORIS</p>

	There will also be online results at <a href="https://liveresultat.orientering.se/">https://liveresultat.orientering.se/</a> - the exact link can be found on Facebook and in ORIS just before the race.
<b>Prize-giving ceremony</b>	Will be held after the race – on Saturday at app. 16:30, on Sunday at app. 14:30.
<b>Complaints</b>	They are submitted to the Referee in writing for a deposit of € 10 and no later than one hour after the scheduled finish. The Chief Judge will then form a three-member Jury from those present at the race and submit a protest to the hearing. The decision of the Jury is final.
<b>Nursery</b>	At the Event center; a picture track will also be available
<b>Catering</b>	Aone regeneration drink at the finish. At the Event centre there will be a refreshment stand, there is also The Tropic Restaurant nearby which offers a menu.
<b>WC</b>	At the Event centre + mobile toilets. Drinking water only at the Event centre. Water used to wash bikes is not drinkable.
<b>First aid</b>	There will be medical service with ambulance at the Event centre.
<b>Bike washing</b>	At the Event centre.
<b>Bike storage</b>	Organizers does not provide.
<b>Accommodation</b>	<p>Possibility to book accommodation directly at the Event center in small cottages (please reserve via +421 905 412 568 or e-mail: <a href="mailto:info@gazarka.eu">info@gazarka.eu</a>, all the information are available on website <a href="http://www.gazarka.eu/site/">http://www.gazarka.eu/site/</a>), or possibly in the surrounding municipalities</p> <p>Near the competition centre, there will be a possibility of parking for caravans (see map below; closer to the lake; the caravan park marked on the map is not in operation). If you plan to spend the night with the caravan, please notify the operators of the Gazárka recreation area <b>via +421 905 412 568 or by e-mail: <a href="mailto:info@gazarka.eu">info@gazarka.eu</a></b>. There are also toilets nearby, and you can pick up the shower keys after registering at reception.</p>
<b>Warnings</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Drive carefully! The safety of you and others is more important than winning</li> <li>● Each competitor must cross the finish line, even if he or she has technical or other problems. In the extreme case, please let us know on tel. No. + 421 907 646 551</li> <li>● <b>All starting cyclists must wear a bicycle helmet.</b></li> </ul>

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<b>Contact</b>	<a href="mailto:katarina.papugova@gmail.com">katarina.papugova@gmail.com</a>
<b>Officials</b>	Event director: Katarína Müller Papugová (tel: +421 907 646 551) Main referee: Barbora Šmelíková Course planner: Matej Müller (middle), Peter Mlynárik (long) Competition secretary: Eva Králová Map and graphics: Miroslav Lago Web admin: Juraj Opršal

**Warnings:** Competitors accept the hazards associated with participating in the event, and that they take part at their own risk, are responsible for their own safety, and have no claim against the Organizer in case of injury during the event, or caused by it later on. Marketing and sales activities at the event centre only with the permission of the director. By taking part in the event, every participant consents to storing his personal data (name, class, club) in the information system of the Slovak Orienteering Association and publishing them on the event websites (in entry and start lists and in the results). Unless you ask the photographer for a specific exclusion, by taking part in the Event, you consent to be photographed, and waive any and all rights of publicity or privacy and grant the Organiser permission to utilise your image in documentation and marketing materials.

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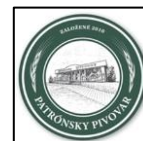
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