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## Slovenian MTBO Cup - Stage 5

### 7. MTBO Austria Cup

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Organizer: **Orientacijski klub Slovenj Gradec**

Discipline: **MTBO**

Head of competition: Grega Raj

#### **Sunday, 3 September 2023 – MIDDLE DISTANCE**

**Map:** Klobuk (situation: August 2023)  
Map scale 1:10 000, ISMTBOM 2022, E = 5 m, map format B4 (250 x 350).  
Category M/W10 and Beginners: map scale 1:7500, map format A4.  
Maps will be printed on Pretex waterproof paper.



**Terrain:** Klobuk forest, interwoven with many paths. Steep terrain in some places. Numerous narrow and clearly visible trails. Part of the trails passes through a bike park. The area is not closed and can also be used by other mountain bikers and pedestrians. Some additional fallen trees due to storms are mostly marked on the map.

**Course planner:** Marko Dudić

**Course inspector:** Blaž Miheljčak

**First start:** 11:00

**Distance EC - start:** 1200 m, 60 m of ascent, the trail will be marked with white-red ribbons.

**Distance finish - EC:** 700 m, the trail will be marked with white-red ribbons.

#### Courses data:

| Category                                 | Length optimal | Elevation | KT |
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| W10, M10, BEGINNERS                      | 3200 m         | 20 m      | 9  |
| W14, M14. W60, M70                       | 5000 m         | 90 m      | 10 |
| W16, W45, W50                            | 6200 m         | 120 m     | 12 |
| M16, W17, W18, W40, M60, WB. OPEN/DIREKT | 7500 m         | 150 m     | 13 |
| M17, M18, W20, M45, M50, MB, E-BIKE      | 8500 m         | 180 m     | 16 |
| WE, M20, M40                             | 10000 m        | 220 m     | 17 |
| ME                                       | 12100 m        | 260 m     | 20 |

**Event centre:** [Piknik kočā](#), Picnic place, Cesta Andreja Bitenca 189, 1000 Ljubljana

**Parking:** Parking is available at the Event Center and at an additional location 500 meters from EC. Campers should park at the additional location. Please follow the parking attendants' instructions.

**Punching system:** SPORT Ident SIAC (AIR+) chip only! (Reach of 1.8 m) Rental AIR chips are possible (2€). Regular chips are not allowed.

**Start fee:** **€5,00** up to and including M/W18, **€10,00** for all other categories.  
Payment before or after the competition by bank transfer to the bank account of the organizer:  
**Orientacijski klub Slovenj Gradec, Muratova ulica 24, Slovenj Gradec, SI56 6000 0000 0440 160, SWIFT HLONSI22**

**Registration:** Until 29.8.2023.  
A: [ANNE](#)  
SLO: [OrienteeringOnline](#)

**Start list:** Announced the day before the competition. Beginners category start at the start control.

**Categories:** **M/W10, M/W14, M/W16, M/W18, M/W20, M/W21, M/WB, M/W45, M60, Beginners/Family**

Additional categories for Austria Cup: **M/W17, M/W40, M/W50, W60, M70, DIREKT, E-BIKE**

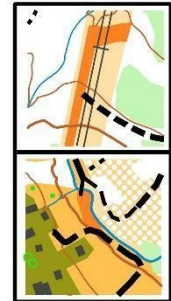
**Prizes:**

Practical prizes for the top three in each category. The award ceremony is scheduled for approximately 2:00 PM.

**Off-path riding:**

**Cutting outside paths/roads is forbidden!**

Off-path riding is only allowed on specific parts of the meadows marked in orange on the map. These passages are not specifically marked in the terrain. (symbol 829)



Similarly, riding on private lands marked in olive green is prohibited unless a road or path is drawn on the map crossing such land.

Riding is permitted in forested or open areas marked with black dots (symbol 825) or orange color (symbol 826).



**One-way paths:**

Parts of the map follow the paths of the bike park, where a designated direction of travel is mandatory. Such paths are marked with the symbol 841. Riding in the opposite direction is prohibited and dangerous.



**Dangerous areas:**

Dangerous areas are marked on the map with the symbol 719. A footbridge over a stream marked with this symbol must be crossed on foot, as it is not passable.



**Livelox:**

TBA

**Food&drinks:**

TBA

**Other information:**

The competition will take place in all weather conditions.

**Competitors participate at their own risk.**

**Wearing safety bike helmets is mandatory.**

**Riding off the designated paths is prohibited.** Violation will result in immediate disqualification. Controllers will be present in the field.

Beginners category starts at the start control.

A bike wash will be available at the event center.

The use of certain main roads is prohibited (marked with red crosses on the map).

When crossing main roads, follow the instructions of the attendants.

Competitors must follow road traffic regulations.

The event will be video recorded for the purposes of club and MTBO promotion. By registering for the competition, participants agree to the use of recordings obtained for this purpose.