

NOC2009 Public Event, Ankkurirastit

Salo, Finland

INVITATION

Date:

June 6-10, 2009 (Saturday – Wednesday). See all the best runners in the world in action, support your favourites to victory and then attack the same terrain yourself!

Organizer:

NOC2009 Organizing Committee, Angelniemen Ankkuri

Event Centre:

The village of Toppjoki in the city of Salo in south-western Finland. See map: <http://www.noc2009.fi>
-> Embargoed areas

NOC2009 + World Cup and Public Event Programme:

Date	Public Events	NOC2009 + World Cup	Location
Sat June 6, 2009	Day 1 middle (14.00 -)	NOC Long Distance (9.00 – 13.45)	NOC2009 Event Centre
Sun June 7,2009	Day 2 long (11.30 -)	NOC Relay (9.30 –11.15)	NOC2009 Event Centre
Mon June8, 2009	Sightseeing	Rest Day	Salo area
Tue June 9, 2009	Open Event on NOC/WC – courses (16.30 -)	NOC Middle Distance + World Cup Event 1 (10.00 – 16.00)	NOC2009 Event Centre
Wed June 10, 2009	Cheering Your Compatriots	NOC Sprint + World Cup Event 2 Qual. (9.00 – 12.30) Final (16.00 – 18.45)	Salo City Centre

After NOC you can continue your orienteering adventures in Forssa Games on June 11 and in Jukola/Venla Relay on June 13-14 in Mikkeli! For more information visit <http://www.forssagames.fi/> and <http://www.jukola2009.net/>.

Categories and Entry Fees:

The NOC2009 Public Event is a 2-day competition. The fees include participation in Public Event Day 1 & Day 2 (June 6-7). It is also possible to enter only one of the days, in which case the entry fee will be half of the sum mentioned below.

Categories	Entry Fee
H21 E, H20E, D21E, D20E	34 €
H21A, H21AL, H21C, H20, H35, H40A, H40AL, H45A, H45AL, H50A, H50AL, H55A, H55AL, H60A, H60AL, H65A, H65AL, H70, H75, H80 D21A, D21AL, D21C, D20, D35, D40A, D40AL, D45A, D45AL, D50A, D50AL, D55A, D55AL, D60A, D60AL, D65, D70	30 €
H18, H16, H15 D18, D16, D15	22 €
H14, H13, H12, H12TR, H10RR D14, D13, D12, D12TR, D10RR Young open	16 €

H classes are for men and **D** classes for women.

AL classes are short (both days) but technically challenging.

C classes are short and easy and are meant for beginners.

Young open is open to every young orienteer in the age of 13-18, the course is short and easy.

For the youngest participants in classes H12TR, D12TR, H10RR and D10RR there is a continuous and clearly visible demarcation tape laid out in the terrain and also marked on the map to make their run safer. In the **TR** class the control points are a short distance from the demarcation tape (app. 100-200 metres) whereas in the **RR** class all the control points are by the demarcation tape. In case there is a large number of entries the classes can be split into subclasses.

Of those entered, 30 best men and 25 best women from the Finnish Orienteering Federation's online-ranking system on May 28, 2009 will be selected to the **H/D21E** classes. In addition, up to 15 foreign men and 10 foreign women can be selected. These will be decided by the World Ranking positions on May 28, 2009. Furthermore, the organizer can allocate 3 wild card entries to both classes. Those not selected to H/D21E class will automatically be moved to H/D21A class.

Open Event:

There is recreational orienteering on Saturday June 6, at 14 - 16 and on Sunday June 7 at 11.30 – 14, no entry in advance.

There is an Open Event on NOC/WC –courses and recreational orienteering on Tuesday June 9 at 16.30 –19, no entry in advance.

The registration for these Open Events will be made on the day of the competition, at the competition centre, before your start, for a fee of 5 € + possible Emit card rent 3 €.

On Tuesday June 9 you can run the NOC/WC –course of your choice and test your ability against the best runners in the world on exactly the same courses. Don't miss this

opportunity! You can choose your start time freely right after the NOC/WC-races have been completed.

Punching system: Emit

Classification and prizes:

The combined time of the Public Event days 1 & 2 will be calculated to the overall classification. Prizes are given in each class according to the overall classification. Competitors participating in only one of the days will not be counted to the overall classification. For the Open Event on NOC/WC –courses on June 9 no prizes will be given.

Entries:

Public Event Days 1 & 2 entries primarily through the registration system on the official NOC2009 website <http://www.noc2009.fi> by May 30, 2009. It is also possible to enter by mail to Risto Kivinen, Karjaskyläntie 87, FI-24100 Salo, FINLAND. Late entries at double price by June 2 only via the registration system. Please state your Emit card number when registering. If the numbers are not given, a rental Emit card will automatically be arranged by organisers for 3 euros/day. The cards can be obtained from the Information Desk at the Event Centre. A fee of 50 € has to be paid for a lost rental card.

Entries to the Open Event on NOC/WC –courses on June 9, see above.

Maps and terrain:

6 colours, scale 1:10 000, contour interval 5 m. Made by Jussi Silvennoinen 5/09. Forest land with detailed bare rock areas with moderate slopes and some marshes. Very few roads and paths. Competitors will keep their maps after finish, remember fair play.

Training:

See www.noc2009.fi -> Training.

Event details, starting lists and starting time requests:

All the information will be available on the NOC2009 web pages <http://www.noc2009.fi>.

Directions:

Signs directing to the Event Centre from the Salo-Turku road nr 110: about 6 km from Salo to the west, on the junction to Angelniemi (road number 1835). 60°22' 37.096" N, 23°0' 53.394" E
Approximate driving time of 30 minutes from the junction.

Parking:

Please allow for plenty of time for arriving to the Event Centre due to its location at the end of a small village road. **On Saturday June 6**, parking in the Event Centre for those who have arrived before 14.00. Please observe that from this parking you can not leave before 16.45! For those arriving later than 14.00 and for those wishing to leave before 16.45, a road side parking app. 1,8 – 2,5 km from the Event Centre. **On Sunday June 7 and on Tuesday June 9** all parking in the Event Centre. No parking fees collected. **On June 10** no organized parking will be arranged but there are numerous free parking halls in Salo city centre right next to the Event Centre for NOC/WC Sprint.

Catering:

In the Event Centre, meals and refreshments will be available at a restaurant and stalls.

Childcare:

Provided at the Event Centre. Also an activity track (Rastiralli) will be arranged where all the participants will be given a small prize.

Washing facilities:

Outdoors, warm water.

Accommodation:

No accommodation arranged by the organizer. For possibilities around Salo area, please check: <http://www.salonseutu.net/majoitus/> (in Finnish only).

Payments:

All entry fees must be paid upon registration.

Banking information:

- Account name: Angelniemen Ankkuri
- Account number: 541050 - 11008
- Bank name: Salon Seudun Osuuspankki
- Bank address: Turuntie 7, FI-24100 Salo.
- IBAN: FI07 5410 5010 0010 08
- SWIFT: OKOY FI HH

All transfer and other banking costs are to be paid by the sender.

Organization:

Event director Päivi Mäkinen, +358-40-7344469, [paivi.makinen\(at\)angelniemenankkuri.com](mailto:paivi.makinen@angelniemenankkuri.com).

Course planners Risto Kallio (Saturday) and Ilkka Saarimäki (Sunday).

Result service Risto Kivinen +358-44-058 3583.

Controllers Anssi Saarinen, Paimion Rasti (Saturday), Markku Sipponen, Paimion Rasti (Sunday)

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Welcome to Salo!

Angelniemen Ankkuri