



ROGAINE SLOVENIA 2026

Event information.

1. WHERE AND WHEN

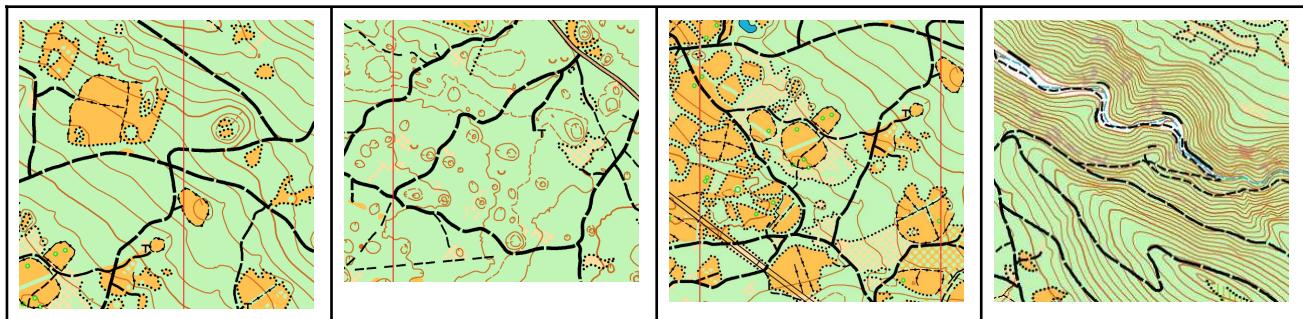
The meeting point is located near the settlement of Štorje (Sežane area). The exact location will be announced in early March. The event will take place on March 21, 2026.

The easiest way to get to the competition center is by car, but there are also public transportation options available, including trains and buses.

2. MAP

The map is at a scale of 1:25,000, with contour lines every 10 meters. The north-south grid lines are 1 km apart and are aligned with magnetic north. The map is A3 in size and printed on waterproof synthetic material. Although the map is waterproof, additional protection is recommended in case of bad weather. Plastic bags will be provided, but for extra durability, you can also use transparent tape.

Sample cards:



The control point descriptions are printed directly on the map in the form of special pictograms/microlocations (see example below). If you need a text description, it will be provided on separate plain paper sheets (which are not waterproof). [More information](#) on reading control point descriptions.

Microlocations on the map	Text description on a separate sheet of paper															
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Special and non-standard symbols

	<p>Black Cross - any significant man-made feature</p>	
	<p>Black circle - picnic areas, benches</p>	
	<p>Big Black Cross - Church Building</p>	
	<p>Blue Bucket - natural springs/small rivers equipped for drinking water</p>	
	<p>Roads with a white outline running through olive areas - transport roads/paths in residential areas</p>	<p>Roads/paths in residential (olive) settlements that do not have a white outline are not vehicular and are not used. If a road/path is olive-colored on only one side, it is considered vehicular and will not have a white outline.</p>

3. TERRAIN

The course covers approximately 70 square kilometers and consists mainly of forests, meadows, agricultural areas and private land. The terrain is mostly flat in the northwest, moderately hilly in the southeast, and marked by a deep mountain gorge in the northeast. The altitude ranges between 300 and 640 meters.

The forests are mixed (coniferous and deciduous), typical of the Mediterranean area, with a predominantly dense undergrowth and generally poor traversability. On the map, the traversability of the vegetation is mostly marked as "light green", with a few exceptions in areas where this is important for orientation.

Participants are strongly advised to use the numerous paths, trails and forest trails for navigation. These are very common on the route, provide excellent cross-country ability and are very suitable for cycling. Direct "straight" navigation with a compass is generally not recommended.

Although the trail network is very accessible and fast to traverse, the deep mountain gorge in the northeast contains passable and well-trodden trails that are significantly more technical and physically demanding for cyclists due to rough, rocky terrain and steep slopes. This part of the map is recommended only for highly experienced cyclists.

Many open grasslands are enclosed by low electric fences, marked on the map as "broken fences", to prevent livestock from leaving the pasture. Although these fences can be crossed, grasslands and agricultural areas are generally private property and must be respected, even if there are no warning signs. The course is designed to minimise the need to cross fenced grasslands, so these are usually an unlikely choice when choosing the shortest route between controls.

Areas marked as "no entry" are marked on the map with purple lines (or purple grid) and must not be crossed under any circumstances.

4. CLIMATE AND ANIMALS

Daily temperatures at the end of March usually range from 10°C to 16°C.

Participants may encounter roe deer, which are common in the area. Other animals such as foxes and wild boars also inhabit the area, but encounters with them during the day are rare.

5. TIME MEASUREMENT

The SPORTident system will be used for timing. All participants must use SI or SIAC chips with enough memory for at least 50 stamps. **Please note:** SI-Card8 and pCards do not have sufficient capacity and cannot be used. If necessary, SI/SIAC chips are available for rent from the organizers for an additional fee.

6. RULES

The event has three formats: 4-hour Rogaine (walk), 8-hour Rogaine (walk) and 6-hour MTB Cyclogaine (bike). Participants compete in teams of 1 to 5 members in the following categories:

4-Hour Rogaine:

- Men Open (4R_MO) - men, no age restrictions.
- Women Open (4R_WO) - women, no age restrictions.
- Mixed Open (4R_XO) - at least one man and one woman, no age restrictions.

6-hour MTB Cyclogaine:

- Men Open (6MTB_MO) - men, no age restrictions.
- Women Open (6MTB_WO) - women, no age restrictions.
- Mixed Open (6MTB_XO) - at least one man and one woman, no age restrictions.

8-Hour Rogaine:

- Men Open (8R_MO) - men, no age restrictions.
- Women Open (8R_WO) - women, no age restrictions.
- Mixed Open (8R_XO) - at least one man and one woman, no age restrictions.
- Men Veteran (8R_MV) - men, all aged 40 or over.
- Women Veteran (8R_WV) - women, all aged 40 or over.
- Mixed Veteran (8R_XV) - at least one male and one female, all aged 40 or over.
- Men Super Veteran (8R_MSV) - men, all aged 55 or over.
- Women Super Veteran (8R_WSV) - women, all aged 55 or over.
- Mixed Super Veteran (8R_XSV) - at least one male and one female, all aged 55 or over.

Age categories may be added or removed depending on the number of participants in each category.

There will be 50 checkpoints set up in the competition area. Each checkpoint has a specific value based on the first digit of its number (e.g. checkpoint # 34 is worth 3 points, checkpoint # 52 is worth 5 points, checkpoint # 68 is worth 6 points). Teams will navigate a course to collect as many points as possible within a set time limit. Participants can choose their own route to achieve the highest final score.

The cards will be distributed to the teams 1.5 hours before the start to give them enough time to plan their strategy.

To earn points, **EVERY team member must confirm a checkpoint**.

Teams finishing after the time limit has expired will be penalized with a deduction of 1 point for each minute over the time limit. Teams finishing more than 30 minutes late will be disqualified and their result will be recorded as LATE.

The team's final score will be the total value of all checkpoints visited and correctly marked by the team, minus any penalty points. The team with the most points will be ranked higher, and in the event of a tie, the team that finished first will be ranked higher.

The organizers reserve the right to change, combine or remove categories depending on the number of applications.

7. LIMITATIONS, DANGERS, SAFETY

The use of phones and/or GPS devices for navigation is strictly prohibited. Phones may be carried for safety reasons only. Navigation should be done using a magnetic compass and the provided map.

Be especially careful when navigating roads with car traffic.

Avoid entering private property marked with warning signs or as "no trespassing" areas on the map.

Be especially careful when moving off-road in hilly areas, as there may be impassable cliffs or other hazards not shown on the map.

The undergrowth in forests and semi-open areas can be dense and thorny. We recommend using foot protection.

There are many ticks in the area. Participants are strongly advised to take appropriate precautions (long clothing, repellents) and to check themselves for ticks after the event.

Make sure you have suitable clothing, enough food and a sufficient amount of water.

In case of an emergency, call 112.

8. EVENT SCHEDULE

Saturday, March 21, 2026

08:00 - Opening of the event center.

08:30 - Dealing of cards.

10:00 - Start, 4-/8-hour Rogaine.

10:15 - Start, 6-hour MTB Cyclogaine.

14:00 - Finish, 4-hour Rogaine.

14:30 - 4-hour teams that finish late will not receive a score.

14:40 - Results and awards, 4-hour Rogaine.

16:15 - Conclusion, 5-hour MTB Cyclogaine.

16:45 - 6-hour teams that finish late will not receive a result.

16:55 - Results and awards, 6-hour MTB Cyclogaine.

18:00 - Conclusion, 8-hour Rogaine.

18:30 - 8-hour teams that finish late will not receive a result.

18:40 - Results and awards, 8-Hour Rogaine.

19:00 - Closing of the event center.

9. REGISTRATION AND ENTRY FEES

Registration for the event opens on December 1, 2025. Registration online at

www.orienteeringonline.net. The entry fee is 20 EUR per person. Payment must be made via bank transfer to the following bank details:

Orienteering Club Komenda
Zajčeva cesta 23
1218 Komenda, Slovenia

VAT Number: 26432587
SWIFT code: HDELSI22
IBAN: SI56 6100 0001 6421 380

If you need an invoice with a tax number, please send your club/company details to orientoeering.komenda@gmail.com no later than March 19, 2026. The entry fee amount must be transferred to the bank account listed above.

10. ORGANIZERS

The event is organized by [OK Komenda](#).

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