LAST INFORMATION

GENERAL COVID -19 MEASURES:

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Social distance 2 meters should be kept all the time.

1. Accreditation Office / Regatta Cash Desk (point 1)

The Accreditation Office / Regatta Cash Desk is situated in the administration building near 200 m mark. Here you will get all necessary documents for your team. The Accreditation Office is open from Wednesday, September 8th till Friday, September 10th, 2021.

Opening times:

Wednesday, September 8th:	8:00 - 12:30	13:30 - 18:00
Thursday, September 9th:	8:00 - 12:30	13:30 - 18:00
Friday, September 10th:	8:00 - 12:30	13:30 - 15:00

Please, send us the passport copies of your athletes

(mail to: makovickova@canoeracice.com), non-infectivity form and reservation on Covid -19 test (if needed) in advance (mail to: adam@cuscz.cz). For more info please see the Regatta web page www.canoeracice.com.

Please follow the Covid rule 4. from Covid -19 Information attached.

2. Accreditation cards

All participants need accreditation cards for the areas of the regatta course with restricted access. The passes have different numbers which designate the special allowance.

3. Team leaders meeting & Crew change

The Team leaders meeting will be **held on-line on Thursday, September 9, 2021, at 17:00.** For the on-line meeting the ZOOM application will be used and the link will be shared to the Whats App group "Olympic Hopes 2021 Racice". For joining the Whats App group, you can use the link:

https://chat.whatsapp.com/Lret5trRnaWLJZ7S9J1RaT or QR code below:



Within the Team Leaders meeting, technical information will be provided only.
All Crew Change forms must be submitted in hard-copy version to the Accreditation centre before the Draw:

The deadline is Thursday, September 9, at 14:00.

The forms must be signed by the team manager.

In exceptional, justified cases the crew change can be made at least one hour before the start of the day session. It must be submitted to the Chief official on the official Crew Change form in electronic version. The email address will be communicate within the Team leaders meeting and via Whats App group after the meeting. Incompletely filled crew change forms may be rejected.

Crew changes form you can download HERE.

4. Test starts

The test starts will be provided on Thursday, September 9:

- on 1 000 m start line 16:00-16:45 and
- on 500 m start line 17:00-17:45.

5. Boat & body numbers (point 11)

Body numbers are obligatory. The competitor/crew without the body number of each athlete may be disqualified. If an athlete/crew forgets the body number, the team leader must contact the Chief official immediately.

The boat numbers are free of charge and can be collected before race at the designated place. All rented numbers must be returned after the race directly. Non- returned boat numbers will be charged to the national federation.

6. Training area within the races

The return channel and the area over the dedicated start line can be used for heating and training only:

Friday, September 10: over 1 100 m

Saturday+Sunday, September 11 and 12: over 600 m.

To approach the start line, please, use the return channel only. To use the competition channel part is forbidden.

7. Pre-race boat control (point 14)

The pre-race control is self boat control and it is the responsibility of competitors/ team leaders. The pre-race boat scale will be available in the Athletes area every day from Wednesday, September 10, 9:00-17:00.

8. Uniform & uniformity

In a crew boat there must be uniformity among all athletes including sleeve length, hats, headbands. If used, spray covers must be the same. Using the spray cover for the first competitor in the crew boat is optional. Glasses are optional.

9. Victory ceremony

Victory ceremony will be held directly after each Final A race under the finish tower. The victory ceremony will be contactless – it means that the madailists will take over the medals themselves. Medals will be prepared in front of the podium on the tables. The uniforms are not obligatory, the racing clothing may be used. The team leaders may bring the uniforms to the 2nd boat control building before the ceremony for changing. All athletes whose are not just in time will be excluded from the ceremony.

Please follow the Covid rule 8. from Covid -19 Information attached.

10. Bicycles and drones

Bicycles are allowed only on the island during the race.

All unbraked vehicles and drones without permission of Organisation committee are strictly forbidden during the race.

Rent of bicycles will not be provided.

11. Team Info (point 12)

The start lists and results and other important information will be available in the Team Info. Print on - demand will be available here - please note that only one person delegated by team can enter into the Info at one time.

12. Storage of boats (point 9)

When your boat transport arrives to Racice please put them on boat racks (**point 9**) at Athletes' Area. After having unloaded the trailers you have to park them without any dalay on designated parking (**point 18**).

13. Changing rooms and shower rooms (point 13)

Participants not staying at Racice venue will have the changing rooms. *Please note* that the showers will be open on Sunday afternoon, September 12 only due to the Covid reason.

14. Doping Control

There can be doping controls carried out.

15. Transport (point 5)

The shuttle bus lines will be operating on a regular basis between the regatta course and the official hotels. You can find the routes and the timetables on competition web page. For any info reffering to to transport please visit Transport Info.

16. Catering (point 2)

There will be a central catering for the lunch at the regatta for all participants, and also breakfest & dinner for accommodated teams in Racice.

Meal times at the Regatta Venue:

Monday, September 6 till Thursday, September 9, 2021:

Breakfast: 7:00 - 9:00 Lunch: 11:30 - 14:00 Dinner: 18:00 - 20:00

Friday, September 10 till Sunday, September 12, 2021:

Breakfast: 6:00 - 9:00 Lunch: 11:30 - 14:30 Dinner: 18:00 - 21:00

Meal times at the hotels:

Breakfast and dinner will be served at the hotels. Please arrange your meal times directly at the hotel, standard meal times are:

Monday, September 6 till Thursday, September 9, 2021:

Breakfast: 7:00 - 9:00 Dinner: 18:00 - 21:00

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Breakfast: 6:00 - 9:00 Dinner: 18:00 - 21:00

17. Accreditation fee

The fee will be charged from Tuesday, September 7 through September 12 to all accredited participants.

18. Internet

There is a free wifi connection in the Athletes' Area and the Grandstands.

19. Venue opening & closing time

On the training days, September 7-9, opening at 7:00, closing at 19:00 On the racining days, September 10-12, opening at 6:00, closing at 21:00

20. First aid, water rescue & medical centre

The first aid (**point 3**) and water rescue services (**point 8**) will start operating from Tuesday, September 7 and from September 10 Regatta Doctor will be on duty at medical centre (**point 3**) as follows:

Water rescue: on the training days, September 7-9, from 8:00 till 18:00

on the racining days, September 10, from 6:30 till 18:30

September 11, from 6:30 till 20:00

September 12, from 6:30 till 19:00

First aid: on the training days, September 7-9, from 8:00 till 18:00

Regatta Doctor, Ambulance:

on the racining days, September 10, from 7:30 till 18:30

September 11, from 7:00 till 20:00

September 12, from 7:15 till 19:00

21. COVID-19 testing

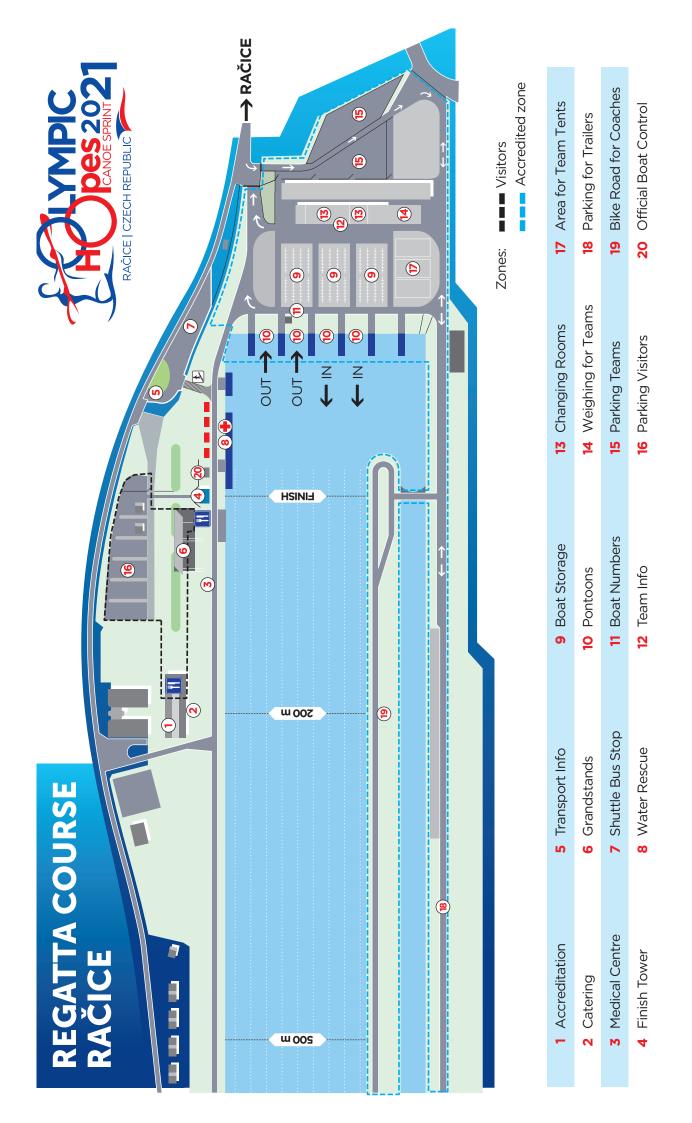
- Testing area will be avaible on Friday, 10 September 15:00 19:00 and on Saturday, 11 September 8:00 – 11:30.
- Covid 19 Reservation Form must be send to adam@cuscz.cz latest 7 days before booking date.
- PCR test is compulsury for all participants from High Risk, Very High Risk and Extreme Risk countries.
- Test result certificate of all team members will be sent to team manager via email on Sunday, 12 September.

Reservation of OF COVID-19 test and Confirmation of non-infectivity forms you can download HERE.

22. Camping and caravan camping

We regret but there is no possibility for camping or caravan camping in the venue area. Overnight staying at the Visitors Parking Lot (**point 16**) is strictly forbidden.

Looking forward to seeing you in Racice. Organizing Committee.



Olympic Hopes

10. - 12.9.2021 RAČICE

COVID-19 INFORMATION

1. Overview of actual travel rules to the Czech Republic is here:

https://www.mvcr.cz/mvcren/article/coronavirus-information-of-moi.aspx

before entering the territory of the Czech Republic, it is necessary to fill in the arrival form (event venue address: If you type in the form Racice, there should be option Račice (Ústecký kraj), then do not fill street and land registry number type 1 and choose the option č.p. 1 (Račice))

https://plf.uzis.cz/

2. Contact information:

OC Covid-19 Officer
Jakub Adam
+420 728 116 994, adam@cuscz.cz

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4. Accreditation and Access to the Event:

Team leader will have and on request presents proof of Covid 19 test with negative result, performed in the last 72 hours (PCR), or 48 hours (rapid antigen) or EU COVID Digital Vaccination Certificate or EU COVID Digital Certificate on suffering Covid 19 disease in the past (no older than 180 days after the first positive test) of all team members. Please email a one-page summary of the negative PCR/Antigen tests/EU COVID Digital certificate of your entire team to adam@cuscz.cz as soon as you have it. The summary form to be found in the attachement.

PCR test will be mandatory for all participants after arrival in Racice travelling from countries with high, very high and extreme risk of Covid-19 transmission. Listed countries can be found here:

https://www.mvcr.cz/mvcren/article/coronavirus-information-of-moi.aspx

Details about testing can be found in Article 7 below.

Participants from countries where the measure of the Ministry of Health of the Czech Republic requiresisolation are not subject to the quarantine obligation until the PCR test result after entering the Czech Republic.

Only one person in the accreditation centre at a time and only the designated National Team Manager is allowed to enter the centre.

5. Athletes and Team leader viewing area – Grandstands:

There will be a dedicated area available. All attending the area must wear mask covering mouth and nose, sanitize hands very often, keep a social distance of at least 2 metres.

6. Victory Ceremony protocols:

During the victory ceremony all athletes must wear a mask covering mouth and nose. The awarded athlete will take the medal directly from the tray to carry it around their neck.

7. Covid – 19 PCR tests

Mandatory PCR test for teams travelling from countries classified as high, very high and extreme risk of Covid-19 transmission (see Article 1 for a list of countries) will be performed after arrival in Racice at the event venue testing facility.

Departure PCR/antigen test can be organized upon request.

We kindly ask all teams to book the test via the booking form and send it to the OC not later than 7 days before arrival. Testing facility will be open on September 10 in the afternoon and September 11 in the morning.

Tests are at the participants own costs and will be paid directly by each National Federation at the Accreditation Office before undergoing test. The price of the PCR test is 50 EUR, rapid antigen 30 EUR. More information on the exact procedure will be provided.

8. Showers at the venue

For safety reasons showers at the venue will not be avaible, except Sunday afternoon for those teams departing home and had to check out from hotels.

9. Responsibility

The Host National Federation and the Host Organizing Committee do not have and accept any responsibility for COVID-19 infection that occurs before, during or after the competition.

The Host National Federation and Host Organizing Committee will respect all the recommendations and obligations imposed by the Ministry of Health of the Czech Republic and local authorities to reduce the risk of transmission.

Each Participating National Federation is responsible for all costs should any member of their team be required to go into quarantine at any time from arrival to departure and/or be hospitalized or to return to the country of departure.