



Technical Guide

Crater XCO Cup UCI C2 Elite Men

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Betfia and Baile 1 Mai Resort Forest, Bihor, Romania



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Overview

The 6th Crater XCO Cup is an UCI Class2 Elite Men MountainBike Cross-Country Olympic event scheduled for the 21th of July 2016.

Location

GPS: N 46° 58.895' E 022° 01.166'

Betfia and Baile 1 Mai Resort Forest, Bihor, Romania, 15 km from Oradea (DE-Großwardein, HU-Nagyvarad) an important city in Western Romania, 25 km from the Hungarian border, 180 km from the Ukrainian border and 250 km from the Serbian border.

Acces

For easy acces with the car, follow this route: Oradea – Sinmartin (acces through the european road E79 – national road DN76) – Baile 1 Mai – Betfia (acces through the local road DC 59) – Şomleu Hill (acces through 1 km gravel road) with the Betfia „Crater” Cave.



Event rules

The race is conducted based on the UCI regulations for Mountain Bike Races. Valid UCI international licenses are required for the Elite Men race. Holders of UCI international licenses that do not bear a photograph will be required to present an approved and valid government photo ID in addition to their UCI license. Amateur riders will participate in a separate race on their own responsibility.

Categories

- UCI Elite Men
- Hobby Men and Hobby Women with different age categories (15-18, 19-29, 30-39, 40+)
- Child Races with different age categories (6-10, 11-14)

Racing age: a rider's racing age for all categories is determined by 2016 minus the riders year of birth.

Registration

- Registrations for this race are open to Elite riders (with UCI license) and also for Hobby riders, which will be made on their own responsibility (with parental approval for riders under 18 years).
- Pre-registrations can be made online 10.06. – 27.07.2016, filling the form online at <http://www.velosportoradea.ro/cupa-crater-xco-betfia/>
- Online registration closes in 27 July, 24:00 PM (Romanian Time).
- Registration can be also made on the race venue according to the schedule posted, by filling in the form.
- Validation will be done on race venue, after the payment of the registration fee. Registration validation for Hobby riders under the age of 18 will be done only if a parent/legal guardian is present or by presenting a written accord from the parent authenticated by a public notary.

Fees

- between 10.06 – 21.07: 80 lei for the UCI Elite Race, 40 Lei for the Amateur, Child and Family Races;
- between 22.07 – 27.07: 90 lei/20 Euro for the UCI Elite Race, 50 Lei for the Amateur Races, 30 Lei for the Child and Family Races;
- between 30.07-31.07 at the Race Venue: 90 lei/20 Euro for the UCI Elite Race, 50 Lei for the Amateur Races, 30 Lei for the Child and Family Races.

Schedule

27.07.2016, Wednesday:

24.00 – Online registration closes.

30.07.2016, Saturday:

16-20 – Registration at event;

17-19 – XCO Course open for practice (helmet and race numbers are obligatory).

31.07.2016, Sunday:

08:00-09:30 – Registration at the event;

09.45 – Briefing and call up;

10:00 – Start Hobby Race;

11.45 – Briefing and call up;

12:00 – Start UCI Elite Men Race

14:10 – Start Childrens Race;

15:00 – Awards Ceremony.

Projected Lap Numbers

UCI Elite Men: 6 laps

Hobby: 3 laps

Children: between 1-3 laps on a specially designed track close to the Start/Finish Zone.

Number of laps may be subject to changes on race day as decided by the PCP.

Event facts

- The UCI category of the event is for the Elite Men categories only. A separate, Under 23, category is not offered at this race, they will participate in Elite category.
 - UCI points are being awarded as per the UCI Regulations for the Elite points scale for the first 10 places in Elite Men categories as follows: 1st–30p, 2nd–20p, 3rd–15p, 4th–12p, 5th–10p, 6th–8p, 7th–6p, 8th–4p, 9th–2p, 10th–1p.
 - This year with bigger prizes: UCI Europe 1 prizes for Elite Men according to UCI Financial Obligations for Europe 1 as follows: 1st–250 Euro, 2nd–200 Euro, 3rd–150 Euro, 4th–125 Euro, 5th–100 Euro, 6th–90 Euro, 7th–80 Euro, 8th–70 Euro, 9th–60 Euro, 10th–50 Euro
 - Money prizes at the Hobby's: 300-200-100 Lei in the age categories (at least 5 riders in the age categories)
 - Riders in the Elite category must present a current race license, issued by their National Cycling Federation or proof thereof. Registration will not accept entry of non-licensed Elite riders.
 - Race numbers are provided at registration and the numbers are allocated by the Secretary Commissaire.
 - All race license holders are subject to drug testing to ensure competitions are fair and riders are free from the use of performance enhancing drugs. As a licenced rider, you could be tested at any time.
 - Any medical problems should be reported to the Commissaires Panel or to the medical staff.
 - An area allocated for riders/managers meeting will be setup on site at the event.
 - Changing rooms will be set up in a tent near the Start/Finish line.
 - Toilets for participants will be set up near the Start/Finish line.
- The organizer reserves the right to use the image of the Crater XCO Cup participants in promotional materials such as: photos, posters, films, and so on.

Race course

The track's paths are mostly solid, but we have free downhill parts on boulders and gravel (Piton, RockyDH, Cariera), four downhill parts (Pizza, Hopps, MoSS, Wall) and two steep climbing parts with some roots and gravel (Peak, RockyUP).

In case of rain or mud the „Pizza”, the „Peak”, the „MoSS”, and „The Wall” section will not be entirely included in the race course, instead the ”Rain Options” shortcuts will be used. In this case the route will be ~4.4 km long, with total ~200 m uphill.

The Startloop will be outside the circuit, on the Child Race track, and will pass through the Finish area.

The Startloop length is 300 m, 10 m climb.

Race course details

Length: ~ 4.6 km

Elevation: ~ 250 m per lap

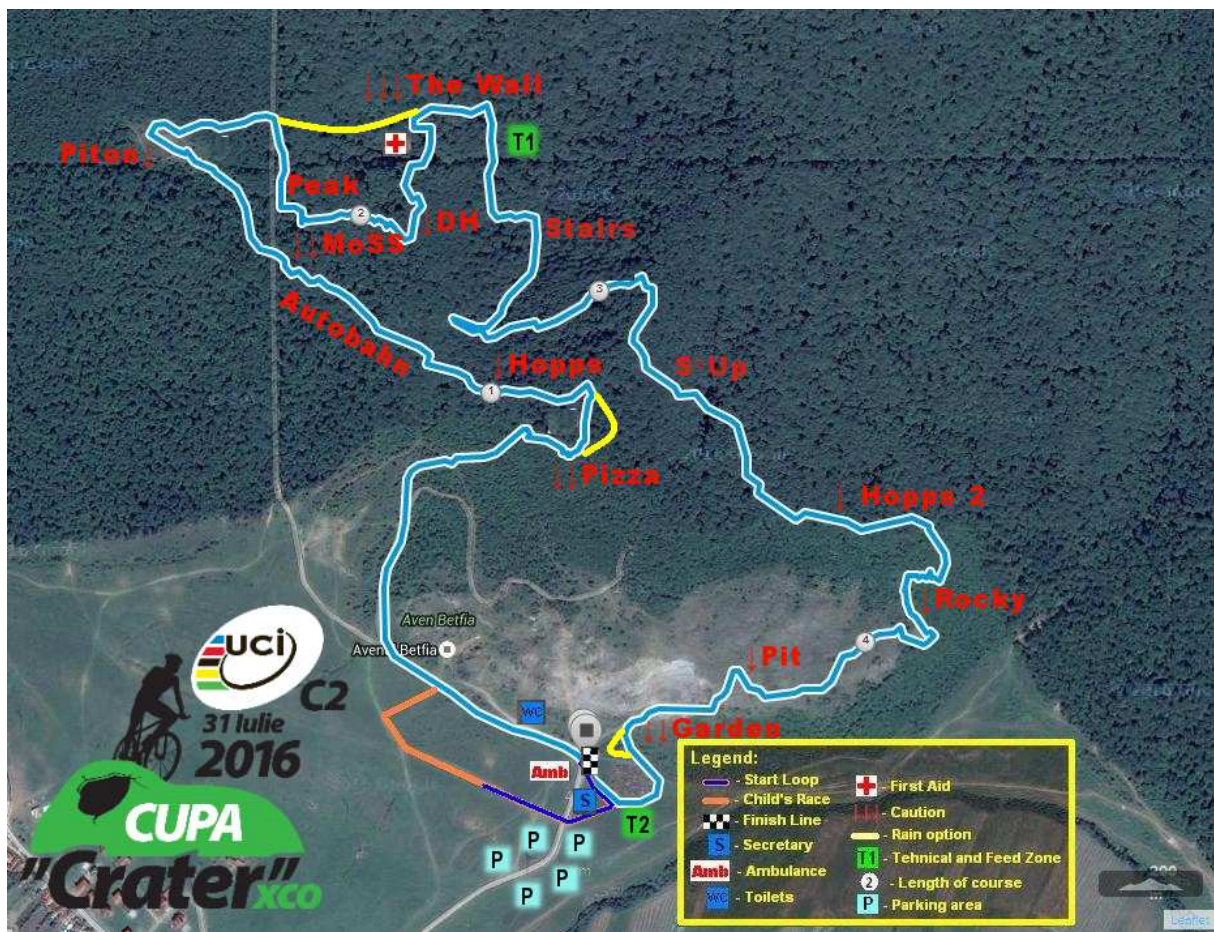
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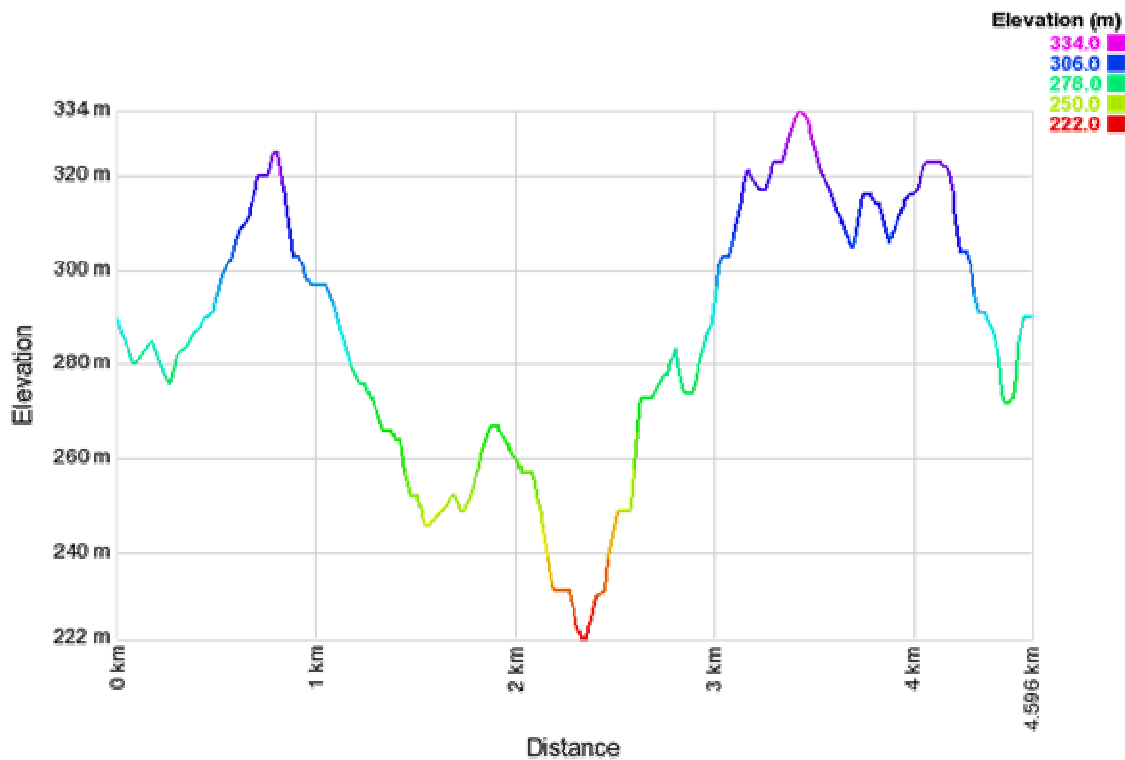
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Map



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Profile



Nearest Hospital

Spitalul Clinic Judetean de Urgență, Str. Gh Doja nr. 65, Oradea

Accommodation Possibilities

Baile 1 Mai Resort and Baile Felix Resort offers a wide variety of accommodation possibilities, from high-class hotels to hostels and even camping area. For accommodation possibilities access the links below:

- www.turismbaile1mai.com/index2.html
- www.turismbailefelix.com/index2.html
- www.cazarebaile1mai.ro
- www.cazarebailefelix.ro
- www.bailefelix.net

Please note that in July-August these accommodations in Baile 1 Mai Resort and Baile Felix Resort are very popular, try to book early enough.

Event Organiser

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