

GRÜEZI

The 1st day of competition is over and the decisions in the Sprint Men & Women are made. Respect for your great performance! With a few photos we look back on the 1st day of competition and the Flower Ceremony at Gallusplatz. Tomorrow, we will expect another exciting competition in the Middle category in Gais/Hirschberg.

Good luck to all of you! Samuel

INCLINES ARE PART OF THE CITY OF ST. GALLEN

The qualification race in the sprint opened the three-day event programme and showed the athletes that the city of St. Gallen has some ardous inclines to offer. With the start at the Marktplatz and the finish in the Square of the HSG, the four qualification runs meant to be a mental nut to crack as well as hard work for the legs. However, the finish over the red carpet into the Square was rewarding. The best 60 men and 48 women qualified for the A-final in the afternoon and were admitted to fight for the sought-after medals. The women launched the final runs through the Old Town and the medals were won by students from three different universities. In the subsequent men's final, the podium was exclusively taken by competitors of Swiss universities.

Many curious passers-by followed the competition around Gallusplatz with great interest. The contenders in the finish area followed the ongoing competition on the big screen and cheered on their team mates. Needless to say, route comparisons via GPS, intermediate rankings and interviews made sure that there were very positive vibes throughout the Gallusplatz.















RESULTS

The winners of the Sprint finals are:

- 1. Hanne Hilo, University of Helsinki
- 2. Eline Gemperle, University of Applied Sciences Northwestern Switzerland
- 3. Florence Hanauer, INSA Lyon https://results.picoevents.ch/EUOC2023SPRINTE2/katg/kat_LZ.php?katg=W*F:A
- 1. Rancan Riccardo, ETH Zürich
- 2. Joey Hadorn, University of Applied Sciences Bern
- 3. Florian Attinger, ETH Zürich

https://results.picoevents.ch/EUOC2023SPRINTE2/katg/kat LZ.php?katg=M*F:A



ONLINE TECHNICAL MEETING

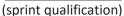
Daniel Studer (Chairman of EUOC 2023), Jürg Hellmüller (Vice Chairman of EUOC 2023) and Dusan Vystavel (EUSA Technical Delegate) were providing information on technical aspects and organizational matters of the 2nd day's competition in Gais/Hirschberg. You can download their presentation here:

https://orienteering2023.eusa.eu/document s/orienteering2023/news/EUSA%20EUC%20 Orienteering%202023%20-

%20Technical%20meeting%2025.8.23%20for %20Middle%20race.pdf

LIVELOX







(sprint final)

EVENT PROGRAM DETAILS

SATURDAY, 26 AUGUST 2023

06.00-08.00h Breakfast, hotels No quarantine 09.30-13.00h Middle, Gais/Hirschberg 14.30h Flower ceremony,
Competition Centre Gais

14.45h Reception EUSA/Heads of

delegation

11.00-16.00h Lunch,

Competition Centre Gais

17.30-18.30h Cultural activity,

City of St. Gallen

18.00-20.00h Dinner, Säntispark20.30h Technical Meeting

Online

https://unisg.zoom.us/j/668

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STARTLIST MIDDLE FOR MEN AND WOMEN

Tomorrow's start list is online:

https://orienteering2023.eusa.eu/document s/orienteering2023/news/ORexpStart-EXCEL_EUOC2023MIDDLE-Single.pdf

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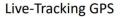
QR-CODE GPS-TRACKING

The GPS tracking will be in operation as follows:

 Middle women and men: Saturday, 26.08.2023, 14.00h







WEATHER FORECAST

The temperature in Gais will not exceed 20°C or 68°F. Shower will set in throughout the entire day.

DID YOU KNOW?

Did you know that the Biber that were handed over to the medal winners at the Flower Ceremony today come from the Conditorei dreischiibe in Herisau? It is part of the dreischiibe organization, a social enterprise that creates new perspectives for people with a mental impairment with jobs and training places as well as day structure offers, supported by a specialised team of experts. Biber is a tasty and sweet speciality, a brown honey biscuit filled with an almond paste. This may be the reason for the origin of its name (in German Bienenbrot or in English bee bread). Biber comes from the Eastern Swiss cantons of St. Gallen and both Appenzell and is popular throughout Switzerland. Don't miss out on to trying a Biber

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Breakfast	At the hotels
	- Hotel NewStar and one66 from 6.00am
	- Hotel B&B from 6.15am
Drinks	Before and after the race / Power bars available after the race
Lunch	After the race at the Competition Center Gais, from 11.00am to 4.00pm
Dinner	Guests from ALL hotels will dine at Migros Restaurant Säntispark, Wiesenbachstrasse 7, 9030 Abtwil SG, from 6.00pm to 8.00pm





