











# RACE GUIDE



# WELCOME TO BALTIC DRIFT FINAL 2023, RIGA, BIKERNIEKI RACE TRACK- WITCH KETTLE LAYOUT **09.-10.09.2023**

- ❖ LATVIA DRIFT CHAMPIONSHIP SEMI PRO CLASS 5<sup>TH</sup> STAGE
- ❖ LIVONIA DRIFT CHAMPIONSHIP 5<sup>TH</sup> STAGE
- ❖ BALTIC DRIFT CHAMPIONSHIP 6<sup>TH</sup> STAGE

ALL CHAMPIONSHIPS ARE OPEN TO DRIVERS FROM ANY COUNTRY WHO ARE HOLDING VALID LICENCE!

Dear Driver's, We are welcoming you all to Bikernieki race track.

We are going to have two exciting drifting days ahead of us all with Semi Pro and Pro league! AND REMEMBER THIS TIME WE WILL MEET IN WITCH KETTLE!!!





















#### **SUMMARY**

This document contains all information you, as a driver, and your team should need to know about this event

# **SCHEDULE**

THERE WILL BE 2 OPTIONS OF SCHEDULE, WE WILL FOLLOW UP REGISTERED DRIVER LIST, AND INFORM DRIVER NO LATER THEN 04.09.2023 ABOUT SCHEDULE WE WILL USE! OR PRIORITY IS NICE SCHEDULE, SO IF DRIVER COUNT WILL GO UP TO 45 DRIVERS WE WILL CONSIDER TO MAKE QUALIFICATION IN SATURDAY!

#### **SEMI PRO AND PRO**

#### SCHEDULE MAIN OPTION, WHICH WE USE AT THE MOMENT

#### **SATURDAY 09.09.2023**

11:30-16:00 ADMINISTRATIVE CHECK

12:00-16:00 TECHNICAL SCRUTINEERING

14:00-19:00 PRACTICE IN GROUPS SEMI PRO AND PRO SEPARATE- TIME WILL BE SET UP

**DEPENDING ON REGISTER DRIVERS** 

19:10 DRIVERS BRIEFING QUALIFICAION AND TANDEMS

#### **SUNDAY 10.09.2023**

09:00-10:00 OFFICIAL PRACTICE PRO

10:10-11:10 OFFICIAL PRACTICE SEMI PRO

11:30 PRO QUALIFICATION

13:00 SEMI PRO QUALIFICATION

14:30-17:00 PRO TANDEMS

17:15-19:30 SEMI PRO TANDEMS

19:30 PRIZE GIVING CEREMONY





















#### **SCHEDULE OPTION 2**

#### **SATURDAY 09.09.2023**

09:30-13:00 ADMINISTRATIVE CHECK 09:30-13:00 TECHNICAL SCRUTINEERING

12:00 DRIVERS BRIEFING SEMI PRO QUALIFICAION13:00 DRIVERS BRIEFING PRO QUALIFICATION

10:50-12:50 PRO PRACTICE

13:00-15:00 SEMI PRO PRACTICE 15:30-17:15 PRO QUALIFICATION 17:30-19:00 SEMI PRO QUALIFICATION

19:00 TANDEM BRIEFING

#### **SUNDAY 10.09.2023**

10:00-11:00 OFFICIAL PRACTICE PRO TANDEMS

11:15-12:15 OFFICIAL PRACTICE SEMI PRO TANDEMS

12:30 RACE OPENING CEREMONY

13:00-16:00 PRO TANDEMS

16:15-19:00 SEMI PRO TANDEMS

19:00 PRIZE GIVING CEREMONY

Reminder to everyone that the agenda can be changed and this time chose based on the number of registered participants. If training time or maybe some schedule parts will be changed, the organizer will inform all drivers, about it, no later than 04.09.2023 21:00

#### **TRACK**

BIKERNIEKI RACE TRACK- WITCH KETTLE Track contact information: www.bksb.lv

Bikernieki race track address:

Rīga, Sergeja Eizenšteina iela 16, LV – 1079 GPS coordinates: 56.9665° N, 24.2326°

















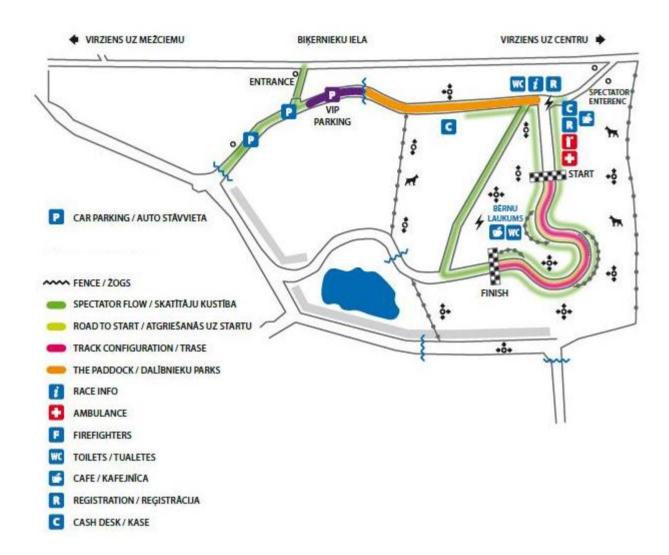








### **VENUE OF THE COMPETITION- EVENT MAP**























### LAYOUT SEMI PRO/PRO

#### https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=MBfabH2Bxkc

The organizer informs that this is not maybe the final version for configuration zones! Reminding that the judges have the right to make corrections if necessary during training!

The organizer informs that this is not the full version of the track configuration with zones; this is a virtual version to make it easier for drivers to understand the location and type of the respective track configuration.

#### **OFFICIALS**

Race Director: Jānis Blušs

Steward: Elīne Berķe Bluša

Clerk of the course: Gunārs Ķeipāns

Secretary of the Competition: Laila Ķeipāne

Chief scrutineer: Dainis Akmentiņš

Safety officer: Gatis Bajinskis

SEMI PRO/PRO- Zigmārs Eigmins (LV), TBC (EE), LT- TBC

# **REGISTRATION FOR RACE**

#### **REGISTRATION FOR DRIVERS IS OPEN UNTIL 04.09.2023:**

http://www.driftlatvia.com/dazadi/witch-kettle-drift-09-1009/

or direct link: https://forms.gle/zbfpBDLjfjNRFQJC7

\*small notice, there will be also option to register in the same time for NEZ grand finale, 07.-08.10.2023 Bikernieki-DMEC layout

### Supplementary regulations you can find in:

http://www.driftlatvia.com/dalibniekiem/dokumenti/





















Baltic regulations you can find in: <a href="http://www.driftlatvia.com/baltic-drift-championship/">http://www.driftlatvia.com/baltic-drift-championship/</a>

#### PLEASE REGISTER UNTIL LATEST 04.09.2023

**ENTRY FEE: 125 EUR** 

**BALTIC PRO extra 30 EUR** 

Entry fee will be paid to the race office during administrative checks.

NOTE! If you need invoice for company please mention that in registration form and you will receive invoice before race from us.

#### **FOR MEDIA**

#### **REGISTRATION FOR MEDIA OPEN UNTIL 04.09.2023:**

https://forms.gle/bk3yAeNKu4RFBrVM9

Location of Media center
BIĶERNIEKI RACETRACK- NEAR TO THE START LINE

Media center opening hours Every day from 09:00-20:00

Please read the media accreditation and safety rules: http://www.driftlatvia.com/medijiem/

MEDIA REGISTRATION WILL BE CLOSED 04.09.2023 09:00

#### **TRAVEL**

sallu@driftime.ee +3725289380 Please contact Kristjan Sallu Salmre who need a discount for the ship Tallink























#### STICKER SCHEME

# **UZLĪMJU SHĒMA**

LATVIJAS DRIFTA SEZONA 2023

LATVIJAS PRO DRIFTA ČEMPIONĀTS, LATVIJAS SEMI PRO DRIFTA ČEMPIONĀTS UN LATVIJAS DRIFTA KAUSS



- 1. BRAUCĒJS VAR ATTEIKTIES NO OBLIGĀTO UZLĪMJU LĪMĒŠANAS BALSTOTIES UZ GADA NOLIKUMU.
- 2. ORGANIZATORU REKLĀMA TIEK IZSNIEGTA PIE REGISTRĀCIJAS SACENSĪBU DIENĀ, SEZONAS LAIKĀ TĀ VAR MAINĪTIES.
- 3. OFICIÁLÍA 2023 GADA LATVIJAS DRIFTA SEZONAS EMBLÉMA 1300X200NM. 1,GAB, UZ PRIEKŠĒJĀ STIKLA, JA NAV IESPĒJAMS AUGŠPUSĒ, TAD STIKLA APAKŠDAĻĀ. 4. STARTA NUAURS LĪNĒJAS UZ PRIEKŠĒJĀ STIKLA, ZEM SEZONAS EMBLĒMAS, PASAŽIERA PUSĒ.

#### **PADDOCK**

#### **PADDOCK OPENING TIMES:**

- **❖ SATURDAY 10:00-22:00**
- **❖ SUNDAY 08:00-22:00**

#### WHEN YOU ARRIVE AT THE TRACK:

- ❖ PLEASE PARTICIPANTS <u>USE FOREST ENTRANCE</u>
- ENTRY TICKETS CAN ONLY TAKE OUT THE DRIVER IN PERSON AT THE ENTRANCE



















- ❖ EACH DRIVER WILL GET 4 TICKETS ( DRIVER, 2 MECHANICS, SPOTTER) AND ONE <u>TECHNICAL</u> <u>TRANSPORT</u> CAR PASS
- ❖ THE DRIVER CAN PURCHASE EXTRA TICKETS IF NECESSARY, TICKET PRICE 10 EUR (MAX 3 TICKETS), IF SOMEONE HAVE BIGGER TEAM PLEASE INFORM ABOUT THAT ORGANIZER.
- ❖ THE DRIVER CAN LEAVE HIS CAR OVERNIGHT IN THE PARTICIPANT'S PARK! BUT PLEASE DO NOT LEAVE EXPENSIVE-IMPORTANT ITEMS IN THE PIT AREA, PUT INTO TECHNICAL CAR.
- DRIVERS HAVE THE OPPORTUNITY TO STAY OVERNIGHT IN THE PADDOCK

#### **IMPORTANT:**

- ❖ Paddock we will start to set up from first car one by one, please do not leave bigger place then 1 m from another paddock place, so there don't have empty places middle in paddock. We will try to also set up paddock based on registration list! Please if you need bigger paddock size then 8m inform us! Or leave note in field other!
- ❖ EACH DRIVER PADDOCK PLACE CAN BE 8 M LENGTH MAXIMUM! If you have some specific ask, please inform about that organizer, so they are informed about that!
- ❖ Paddock will be open for you from Saturday 10:00 (10:00).
- Every evening the paddock will be closed from 11:00pm (23:00)
- ❖ RESERVATION OF PLACES DOES NOT TAKE PLACE IN THE PADDOCK AND IT IS CATEGORICALLY FORBIDDEN RESERVE THEM- IF SOMEONE WANTS THE FRONT PLACES WE ASK TO ARRIVE FIRST! AND TEAMS COME TOGETHER!

#### **TECHNICAL COMMISSION INFORMATION**

There will be technical inspection at Round, so please remember to check and comply with all rules & regulations, and take care to note both the noise regulations and the maximum tire size. Technical inspection all days, in timing based on *schedule*. The technical commission will walk around the paddock! Please plan your time for the technical commission, without it the training will not be allowed.

If you need to reach technical guy please call him +37129560050 Dainis

TIRE SIZES

- **❖ SEMI PRO MAX 225 STREET TIRE**
- **❖** PRO MAX 265

#### **SEMI PRO TIRE RULE TIRES- MAX 225- STREET TIRES**

Front tires are free. Only the street legal rear tires is allowed. It is not allowed to use semi-slick
and full slick tires. Using of rethreaded tires is prohibited. Eligibility of the tires is checked during
the competition at the Line-up area. Maximum tread width of the rear tyres is 225 mm. In the
season 2022 it is prohibited to use performance, semi-slick or full slick tyres. If you have doubts



















about tyres you intend to use, please send the questions to dableds@gmail.com to avoid unnecessary problems at the scrutineering. If the driver violating the tyre regulations, scrutineers can eliminate the driver even from line-up. In practice time drivers can use any type of tires.

#### **NOISE**

Exhaust system - exhaust system starting from the cylinder head is not regulated, as long as the 103 dB(A) at 4500 RPM noise level (+3dB(A) possible error), measured in accordance with FIA noise measurement method, is not exceeded..."

No car is permitted to be drifted between the hours of 9:00pm (21:00) to 9:00am. Please also remember that it is also forbidden to take your competition vehicle onto the open road, and take a ride without informing race organizer and official marshals into the track area.

Music on the paddock must quiet at 11:00pm (23:00). THERE ARE QUIET HOURS FROM 23:00 PM-09:00 AM AND PLEASE UNDERSTAND IF YOU FIX YOUR CAR IN PERIOD MENTION UP, ITS PROHIBITED TO TEST IT, MAKE TESTS, MAKE SOUND, PENALTY 500 EUR, IF YOU DON'T HAVE PERMISSION FROM ORGANIZER, all around track are cameras, so please don't do anything without permission!

#### **TIRE CHANGING**

There will be tire changing equipment for you which will work at the place. Tire fitting is included in the entry fee! The tire assembly will be located in the paddock.

Tire changing will work as in Saturday as in Sunday! TIRE CHANGING WILL BE LOCATED IN SEMI PRO AND PRO PADDOCK AREA MIDDLE OF IT!

#### TRAILER PARKING

Trailer parking is outside of the paddock, in parking place, please park your trailer nice, so they don't disturb driver movement using circle system in race!

#### REGARDING THE PROMO MATERIALS

We kindly ask all teams and drivers to provide organizer with the photo and video promo materials, also materials how you get ready for race to use as advertisements in media, social sets and promote you. Please send them via e-mail to <a href="mailto:eline@driftlatvia.com">eline@driftlatvia.com</a> and most important tag us: latviadrift so we can share information!





















#### **STICKERS**

If you need to print any sticker, you do not have official name surname sticker our number, contact eline@driftlatvia.com latest 01.09.2023

#### **DRIVER BRIEFING AREA**

Drivers 'meetings will take place in a registration area.

#### **SECURITY**

For this event, security will be in night from Saturday to Sunday, but still we ask you to take care of your belongings, as track are huge, as forest is around!

#### IMPORTANT INFORMATION THAT CAN HELP YOU

#### **CLOSEST CAR PART SHOPS:**

- Adress: Dzelzavas iela 120 J, Rīga (1KM) www.apemotors.lv +37167387878
- Our use Intercars web page

#### **GASOLINE:**

- E85 you can get VIADA, Gunāra Astras street 4,2KM
- CIRCLE K 1,5km
- NESTE 1,5km

#### **CAR WASH**

- FORAUTO- Biķernieku iela 118, 2km
- Carwash service 1km

#### **CLOSEST SHOPS:**

- Food- RIMI, 280m from track
- Food and medicine- SKY- 1,7km from track
- Lidl 300m from track
- Shopping mall Alfa Park- Brīvības gatve 372, 2,8km

It is strictly forbidden to bring glass bottles and heavy alcohol into the paddock and race area, also forbidden to drink heavy alcohol in race time in you paddock area!





















#### **CLOSEST HOSPITAL:**

Rīgas Austrumu klīniskā universitātes slimnīca, Hipokrāta iela 2, Vidzemes priekšpilsēta, Rīga, LV-1038

#### **CLOSEST RESTAURANTS:**

FOOD COURT IN PADDOCK WILL WORK FROM SATURDAY MORNING UNTIL SUNDAY EVENING, THERE WILL BE OPTION ALSO TO EAT BREAKFEST.

- 🖶 Motor museum cafeteria –Sergeja Eizenšteina iela 8
- ♣ Rīga"Grill Vilavi" Druvienas iela 30
- ♣ Rīga"Pica LULU" 80005858
- ♣ You can also download "Wolt" application in your phone to order from various restaurants nearest to track- AND ORFER BEST KEBAB IN TOWN- FROM KEBAB FACTORY!
- More restaurants search here: www.liveriga.lv

#### **PORTS:**

- TALLIN PORT www.tallink.lv

#### TAXI:

- Baltic Taxi +37120008500
- ♣ Red Cab +37166119999
- ▶ You can also download "Bolt" application in your phone to order taxi quite cheap

#### **RULES OF THE ROAD:**

- Maximum permitted speed: 50 km / h in cities, 90 km / h outside cities, in some place 110km/h;
- In road traffic, photo radars are used to control speed;
- Safety belts must be worn by the driver and passengers at all times;
- While driving, it is forbidden for the driver to use the cell phone while driving;
- The traffic police may require drivers to undergo an alcohol test;
- ♣ The maximum level of alcohol in the blood is 0.05%, for drivers with less than two years of experience 0.02%.
- Please check Vinjete rules when travel to Latvia

#### Roads in LATVIA – most important info

**ALL CARS MUST HAVE:** 

- one warning triangle
- car fire extinguisher
- yellow jackets

Please also remember that there trucks who have bigger weight than 3000kg or the composition is bigger weight than 3500 kg need to buy "Vinjete", you can buy separate it for 1 day, 1 month our 1 year! There are different ways how you can buy "Vinjete" also by SMS:





















https://www.lvvignette.eu/

https://smsvinjetes.lv/?gclid=EAlaIQobChMIjIuRzLOC4wIVwpQYCh2SAw90EAAYASAAEgIN3PD BwE

http://www.viglat.lv/en

# **HOTELS INFORMATION**

#### WWW.BOOKING.COM

CLOSEST HOTELS TO TRACK:
TOMO HOTEL THE CLOSEST TO HOTEL
http://www.booking.com/Share-I4qRuU

RIJA VEF HOTEL SECOND CLOSEST HOTEL TO TRACK.

http://www.booking.com/Share-G4Oeu9

#### DRIVERS ALSO HAVE THE OPPORTUNITY TO STAY OVERNIGHT AT THE TRACK

#### **ADDITIONAL REGULATION**

- 1. During the event, it is not allowed for drivers to drift outside the track on the track teritory, any time!

  In the regulations this point is added and have even the possibility of being disqualified.
- 2. During the event, it is **strictly forbidden** to drift on the way to the starting zone or after the finish. The first offense will be fined with up to 100 EUR.
- 3. Doing a standing burnout is strictly forbidden.
- 4. Drivers are not allowed to drift outside their runs
- 5. During the event, each driver is fully responsible for their actions on the track and for the safety of themselves and others.
- 6. During the event, on the track teritory leading from the service park to the start zone, a driver takes full responsibility of any accidents with people, who might be on the track. It is suggested to drive no faster than 10 km/h from the service park to the start zone. If driver is catched with faster speed or drifting from the service park to the start zone, drift organizer can put penalty 100 eur
- 7. The service park will be located in the track territory, where only the race car and service car are allowed to enter.



















- 8. The maximum allowed speed in the service park is 10 km/h. For the first time, speeding can be punished with a warning or a fine, but if any driver or drivers representative violates this rule with the race and/or service car repeatedly, they will not be allowed to enter the service park anymore.
- 9. PRO CLASS AND SEMI PRO, FROM TOP8 DRIVERS WILL GO UP TO START LINE FOR TIRE CHANGING, SO PLEASE PREPARE READY YOU TECHNICAL CAR FOR THAT, IF RACE DIRECTOR DON'T INFORM DIFFERENT IN RACE DAY!!

10. TIRE SIZES

- ❖ SEMI PRO MAX 225 STREET TIRE IN LATVIA SEMI PRO CHAMPIONSHIP
- **❖ PRO MAX 265**

#### IN CASE OF EMERGENCY

In cases where there is an urgent need for police, firefighters or emergency medical care, call 112

Dialing is free and will work even if no SIM card is inserted in the phone.

RIGA CITY MUNICIPAL POLICE Rīga, Lomonosova iela 12A Tālr.: +37167037881, 112

FIRE AND RESCUE SERVICE Rīga, Hipokrāta iela 2 +37167000610, 112

EASTERN HOSPITAL Rīga, Hipokrāta iela 2 +37167000610, 11





















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