




## INVITATION

**Dear FISTC Members! Dear Mushers!**

We are pleased to invite you to the 2024 FISTC Dryland Sprint and Middle Distance European Championships.

The location is Kaszó village, a small nice village in Somogy county, in Hungary.

Kaszó is well known for its beautiful scenery. It is called: Somogy's Green Heart. 

### DATE

20 – 24. November, 2024.

### LOCATION

Kaszó Hotel & Hunting lodge (Főherceg fogadó),

Kaszó village, Somogy county, Hungary.

Adress: H-7564 Kaszó, Kaszó puszta 1.

GPS coordinates: 46.320662567650984, 17.22400276322743

### TRAIL LENGHTS:

#### **Middle Distance**

*all categories:* 17,3 km

#### **Sprint**

*O* (8+ dogs), *A* (8 dogs) and *B* (6 dogs) teams: 7,6 km

*C* (4 dogs), *D* (2 dogs), *Scooter* (both 1 and 2 dogs), *Bikejöring* (both 1 and 2 dogs), *Canicross* (all, except Youth) categories: 5,1 km

*Canicross Youth* category: 2,1 km

### ORGANIZERS

*Race Marshall:* Kilyan Klotsch (GER)

*Trail boss:* Attila László (HUN)

*Race Jury:* Nathalie Mannato, László Nagy, Kilyan Klotsch

Main Organiser: Andrea Dér (HUN)

### ENTRY DEADLINE

We ask all member organizations to send their entries as soon as possible, but **no later than October 25, 2024**, to help the organisational work of the European Championship.

## PROGRAM

*20. November, 2024. Wednesday*

12.00 – stake out opening

*21. November, 2024. Thursday*

8.30 – 16.00 Check of the competitors and their dogs in the stake out

17.00 – 18.00 Delegates' meeting in the hunting lodge of the hotel (startnumbers pick up)

18.30 – Parade to the opening ceremony from the stake out

19.00 – 20.00 Opening ceremony

*22. November, 2024. Friday*

from 9.00 First heat of the European Championship

from 17.00 Delegates' meeting in the Hunting lodge of the hotel

*23. November, 2024. Saturday*

from 9.00 Second heat of the European Championship

from 17.00 Delegates' meeting in the Hunting lodge of the hotel

from 18.00 – Musher party

*24. November, 2024. Sunday*

from 8.00 Third heat of the European Championship

16.00 – Prizing ceremony

## STAKE OUT

In the hall at the stake out, there are bathrooms for those arriving with caravans or campers. The price for staying overnight in the stake out: 20 euros / caravan or camper, during the whole European Championships. This must be paid upon arrival.

There is no electricity possibility in the stake out.

There is a restaurant 50-100 meters from the stake out, where the participants can have breakfast, lunch and dinner.

## AGE OF THE DOGS, VACCINATION

The Age of the Dogs has to be 15 Months in Sprint and 18 Months in Distance on the first Day of the Race.

Any dog at the racing site (also not dogs in teams) has to be vaccinated against RABIES, CANINE DISTEMPER, HEPATITIS, LEPTOSPIROSIS, and PARVOVIRUS to the demands of own country, the organizers country and those of the FISTC.

We recommend vaccination against kennel cough.

All dogs and/or Equipment coming from an infected kennel by Virus like Rabies, Distemper, Hepatitis, Parvovirus, or any infectious disease are not allowed at the racing site.

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Official homepage of the European Championship: <http://ec2024.sleddogsportclub.hu/>

*Come and join to us to the FISTC Dryland European Championship 2024.!* 

*You are warmly welcome!*  *See you in Kaszó, Hungary!* 