

Tartu Peace Treaty anniversary celebration plan, 02.02.2026

Estonian Defence League Võrumaa District and Kagu single company organized on the 106rd anniversary of the Tartu Peace Treaty biathlon competition. The competition has already been held 21 times.

Schedule

12:30 – Gathering in Västseliina at the Monument of the War of Independence, placing of the wreath (Car parking in front of the Västseliina COOP store. Võidu street 21, Västseliina, Võru maakond);

12:45 – 13:00 - Registration of teams (address Võidu street 1b, Västseliina, Võru maakond);

13:20-14:00 – Rifle “ZEROING”

14:05 - START of the Tartu Peace Treaty biathlon competition

15:30 – Awarding of the best teams

16:00 – Sauna

Competition general rules:

It is team relay competition (3 members). Skis and pole are provided by the organizer (military skis). Each team gets one pair of skies and poles. They are “the stick” for handing over the shift.

Rifle “ZEROING”

The rifles are provided by the organizer (biathlon rifle). Introduction of the rifle before the “ZEROING”. Each team member gets 10 practice shots.

Competition rules:

Each competitor of the team completes 2 bouts of shooting and the associated 3 ski loops (500m). Competitors must ski the penalty loop for every missed target after the shooting bout.

Shooting is in the prone position. The rifle may only be in contact with their hands, shoulder and cheek. Shooting distance is 50m and each target diameter is 11,5 cm. All shots must be aimed and fired at the targets only. Rifles are not carried while skiing.

If the snow conditions do not allow skiing, the competition takes place while running.

Competition dress code:

Military or sports uniform. Military boots.