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**NEZ 4X4 CHAMPIONSHIP 2016 STAGE 1,  
Latvian Open Trophy raid championship  
stage 1**



**“SIGNĀLS EM TROPHY 2016”**

**Additional Regulations**

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**1. PROGRAM.**

- 1.1. **FIA 4x4 NEZ 2016 Trophy-raid Championship stage 1 and Latvian Open Trophy-raid Championship stage 1 "SIGNĀLS EM TROPHY 2016"** (hereinafter - Competition) takes place in Latvia, Madona municipality, on 29-30 April and 1 May 2016.

**Participant registration and technical commission for ALL sport vehicle categories (TR1, TR3, OPEN and ATV) is on Friday, 29 April from 12:00 – 17:00 in Madona; Gaujas street 41a; coordinates: N 56,8668 / E 26,2253.**

Technical assistance vehicles, trailers together with their towing cars and lorries must go to the secretariat of the Competition and the area of Technical commission (Madona, Gaujas street 41a), and accomplish all preparatory procedures – unload the sport vehicles, participant registration, vehicle marking and technical commission.

All teams must receive a **GPS tracking device (GPS "black box")** during registration on 29 April. Team takes full material responsibility for the tracking device.

**On 30 April the secretariat of the Competition is relocated** to "Lāci" in Madona municipality, Liezēre rural territory, coordinates N 57,03.356 / E 25,55.813; and remains there until the Competition is over (evening of 1 May).

- 1.2. A trophy-raid tourism competition **"SIGNĀLS EM TROPHY TŪRISMA KAUSS 2016"** – takes place parallel to the stage of Competition – see attachment **No.1**.

**Friday, 29 April:**

15:00 - 17:00 Participant registration, sport vehicle categories TR1, TR3, OPEN and ATV\*

15:00 – 17:30 Technical commission (*arrival for technical commission within 30 minutes after administrative commission, the exact time of arrival will be stated during the administrative commission*)

- 16:00-17:45 vehicles of the competition placed in the closed park

18:00 opening of the Competition

18:30 briefing

19:00 start for the first team

21:00 finish

22:30 meeting of the jury

**Saturday, 30 April:**

8:00 - Announcement of preliminary results and publication of the Start List on the official board of information in the secretariat of the Competition and on the website: [www.trofi.lv](http://www.trofi.lv).

8:30 - Briefing

09:00 - Start for the first team

21:00 - Finish of the first team

22:30 - Meeting of the jury

**Sunday, 1 May:**

8:00 - Announcement of preliminary results and publication of the Start List on the official board of information in the secretariat of the Competition and on the website: [www.trofi.lv](http://www.trofi.lv).

08:30 – Briefing

09:00 - Start for the first team

17:00 - Finish of the first team

17:30 - Announcement of unofficial results on the official information board in the secretariat

18:00 - Publication of official results on the official information board in the secretariat of the Competition and on the website: [www.trofi.lv](http://www.trofi.lv).

18:30 - Award ceremony

- 1.3. The Competition is organized in accordance with the regulations of 4x4 FIA NEZ Championship 2016, National Sport Code of LAF (Latvian automobile federation), and the regulations of Latvian Trophy-raid championship (LTC) 2016 and in accordance with these additional regulations.

**2. ORGANIZATION**

**The Competition is organized by:** member of LAF – sports club “LUKSTI TEAM”, reg. No. 40008186703, address: „Ķirši”, Trapene rural territory. Ape municipality LV-4348, tel. +371 29174981, e-mail:

- ✓ **Director of the Competition** – Austris Gailītis (LV), GSM +371 29174981
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**3. COMPETITOR'S VEHICLE AND EQUIPMENT**

- 3.1. Any individual who has attained the age of 16 years and has Latvian Trophy-raid competitor's full season license or full season license of Trophy-raid competitor in other member state can participate in the Competition. One time license can be obtained on the day of the Competition at the registration (price EUR 10). The driver must have valid driving license of the appropriate category.

- 3.2. The categories of evaluation in the Competition are:

- ✓ “TR1” – crew driving individually the vehicle of category TR1;
- ✓ “TR3” – crew driving individually the vehicle of category TR3;
- ✓ “Open” – crew driving individually the vehicle of category Open;
- ✓ “ATV” (quadricycles) Competitors make a team of two ATV's.
- ✓ “TEAM COMPETITION” – two or three crews united, making a team, irrespective of categories.

**If there will not be at least 5 crews per category applied until 1 April, the Competition shall be cancelled for the respective category.**

- 3.3. Equipment:

- ✓ Food and drinking water supply minima for each crew member (for 10 hours).

- ✓ Clothing according to weather.
- ✓ Digital camera with memory card or USB cable.
- ✓ GPS, laptop (recommended).

All crew members during the Competition must wear an orange vest with reflecting elements.

Each competitor must wear a safety helmet: According to Paragraph 15.2 of LTC regulations for competitions.

The use of helmet is mandatory during the Competition in all SS. Acceptable types of helmets: helmets of motor sports with certification "E22" or higher as well as helmets with firm outer cover, with impact reducing filling (foam plastic, foam polystyrene etc.), with inner lining, that is integral part of helmet and with air holes for ventilation. It is also allowed to use helmets of rafting corresponding to standards EN 1078, EN 1077 or ASTM 2040, MTB helmets corresponding to standard Snell B 90, down hill or ice hockey helmets. It is forbidden to use construction site, cycling as well as all kinds of soft (textile) helmets.

- 3.4. Each vehicle participating in the Competition must be equipped with charger plug-in to ensure power supply for route control device.
- 3.5. There are two ways to receive the coordinates of control points:
- ✓ from the documentation;
  - ✓ Submitting the USB memory module (flash card) at the registration for electronic introduction of coordinates. Other information mediums (GPS devices, laptops, etc.) are not accepted!

#### 4. COURSE

- 4.1 Total distance of the Competition course is ~300 km or ~30 hours.
- 4.2 Competitor's task – to complete the track, made by the Competition organizer, in a defined period of time using legend, directions and map, to find and complete all tasks in controlpoints by driving the vehicle close to them. The complexity of driving close to object depends directly from the category of vehicle.

#### 5. RESPONSIBILITY AND SAFETY

- 5.1. During the race all vehicle movements must comply with road traffic regulations. Any damage caused to himself, to other competitor or other person is on competitor's own liability.
- 5.2. Signed entry form confirms that participant has become acquainted with "LTC regulations for competitions 2016", "4X4 FIA NEZ Championship 2016 Regulations", and with regulations of the particular competition, fully agrees with them and undertakes to follow them.

#### 6. APPLICATION AND DONATIONS

- 6.1. Amount of donation for categories TR1, TR3 and "Open", if submitted and paid **before 1 April** – with LAF license (or any other ASN license) EUR 100, without license EUR 115 from one vehicle; if submitted and paid **before 15 April** – EUR 150, **on the day of Competition** – EUR 200.
- 6.2. ATV (quadricycles), if submitted and paid **before 1 April**, – EUR 45 from one ATV, if submitted and paid **before 15 April** – EUR 65, **on the day of Competition** – EUR 70.
- 6.3. Donations can be made via bank transfer, indicating the name of driver and the aim of payment – donation to the organizer of "SIGNĀLS EM TROPHY 2016"; account of the organizer: **Austris**

**Gailītis, personal ID number 220169-12668; IBAN LV42UNLA0091022573220, A/S SEB BANKA, SWIFT code: UNLALV2X.**

- 6.4. In the day of the Competition in case of delay of not more than 1 hour, competitor has to pay additional EUR 15.
- 6.5. The organizer has the right to free (fully or partially) a participant from the obligation to pay donation.
- 6.6. To apply for the Competition, participants must fulfil the entry form on [www.trofi.lv](http://www.trofi.lv). If any questions arise about the registration, please call +371 26664992.
- 6.7. If any questions arise about the payment via bank transfer, please call +371 29174981.

#### **7. PROTESTS AND APPEALS**

Submission procedure of appeals and protests must be in accordance with LTC regulations for competitions 2016, National Sport Code of the LAF and Trophy-raid regulations of the competition; security deposit for the protest – EUR 100.

#### **8. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**

- 8.1. Organizer guarantees parking place for technical cars and trailers near the base camp of the Competition. Accommodation possibilities – in the tent camp site at the base camp, and in the guest houses in the surroundings of Madona city and municipality; for detailed information please visit [www.madona.lv](http://www.madona.lv). There will be outdoor cafeteria in the competitor's base camp that will provide catering services for competitors and spectators.
- 8.2. Information about competitors vehicles, evaluation, awarding and placement of advertising, see in LTC regulations 2016.
- 8.3. Additional information the spectators available on the site of the Competition and on website [www.trofi.lv](http://www.trofi.lv). For any additional information about the Competition please call +371 29174981 (Austris); +371 29276239 (Ēvalds).

Director of the Competition:

**/Austris Gailītis/**

**20 January, 2016**

Attachment No. 1  
LATVIAN TROPHY-RAID TOURISM CUP  
STAGE 1 "SIGNĀLS EM TROPHY TŪRISMA KAUSS 2016"  
REGULATIONS

**1. PROGRAM.**

"SIGNĀLS EM TROPHY TŪRISMA KAUSS 2016" (hereinafter – Competition) shall take place 29-30 April, 2016, in Latvia, Madona municipality. Base camp and registration **Madona; Gaujas street 41a; coordinates: N 56,8668 / E 26,2253.**

**1.1 Saturday, 30 April:**

08:00 -10:15 - participant's registration

09:00 - 10:30 - Technical commission

10:45 – Briefing

11:00 – Start

21:00 - Finish of the first team

22:00 - Announcement of unofficial results on the official information board in the secretariat

23:00 - Publication of official results on the official information board and on the website:  
[www.trofi.lv](http://www.trofi.lv).

23:30 - Award ceremony

1.2 Competition is held in accordance with the regulations of Tourism cup "TŪRISMA KAUSS 2016".

**2. ORGANIZATION**

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**3. COMPETITOR'S VEHICLE AND EQUIPMENT**

3.1 Any individual can participate in the Competition. The driver must have valid driving license of the appropriate category.

3.2 Vehicle participating in Competition must have a valid label of annual roadworthiness test and valid MTPL insurance policy.

3.3 Participants in category AUTO participate individually (all forms of self-towing equipment allowed). There are two categories for cars **Standard** and **Prepared**. **Standard** – cars that have undergone to some little improvements, installing one of the following: winch, mud terrain (MT) wheels, car body lifted (example - if vehicle has only winch and no other improvements, it participates in Standard category). **Prepared** – cars with several improvements – winch, mud terrain (MT) wheels, car body lifted. (example – if vehicle has winch and its body is lifted, it participates in Prepared category).

3.4 Equipment:

- ✓ Food and drinking water supply minima for each crew member (for 12 hours).
- ✓ Clothing according to weather.
- ✓ Digital camera with memory card or USB cable.
- ✓ GPS, laptop (recommended).
- ✓ Each vehicle participating in the Competition must be equipped with charger plug-in to ensure power supply for route control device.
- ✓ Torch, towing rope and map of Madona municipality.

#### 4. COURSE

- 4.1 Total distance of the Competition course is ~250 km or ~10 hours.
- 4.2 Competitor's task – to complete the track, made by the Competition organizer, in a defined period of time using legend, directions and map, to find and complete all tasks in controlpoints by driving the vehicle close to them, and take a photo if that's demanded. To complete all the tasks given by the organizers.

#### 5. RESPONSIBILITY AND SAFETY

- 5.1 During the race all vehicle movements must comply with road traffic regulations. Any damage caused to himself, to other competitor or other person is on competitor's own liability.
- 5.2 Signed entry form confirms that participant has become acquainted with regulations of SIGNĀLS EM TROPHY 2016 Tourism Cup, fully agrees with them and undertakes to follow them.
- 5.3 Organizers have the rights to make any changes or restrictions and participants are obliged to comply with them.

#### 6. APPLICATION AND DONATIONS

- 6.1 Donation for **all vehicle categories**, if application submitted and paid **before 1 April**– EUR 80 from vehicle, if application submitted and paid **after 1 April** – EUR 100, if application submitted and paid **on the day of Competition** – EUR 120. Regular participants that have submitted their application can make the payment on the day of Competition.
- 6.2 To apply for the Competition, participants must fulfil the entry form on [www.trofi.lv](http://www.trofi.lv). If any questions arise about the registration, please call +371 26664992.
- 6.3 Donations can be made via bank transfer, **indicating the name of driver, the category of Competition, and the aim of payment – donation to the organizer of "SIGNĀLS EM TROPHY 2016"**; account of the organizer: **Austris Gailītis, personal ID number 220169-12668; IBAN LV42UNLA0091022573220, A/S SEB BANKA, SWIFT code: UNLALV2X.**

#### 7. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Accommodation possibilities – in the tent camp site at the base camp, and in the guest houses in the surroundings of Madona city and municipality; for detailed information please visit [www.madona.lv](http://www.madona.lv). There will be outdoor cafeteria in the competitor's base camp that will provide catering services for competitors and spectators.

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