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## Rogaining in Europe

Finnish Open Rogaining Championships were held on 20-21 August 2011 in southern Finland

near Raseborg. There were 80 teams in the 24-hour championship event with a quarter from Estonia, Russia, Latvia and Sweden. Several teams had just competed at the European Rogaining Championships in Latvia a month previously. A further 50 teams opted for the simultaneous 8-hour rogaine. The terrain was a typical southern Finnish granite basement rock covered mainly with coniferous forests and numerous lakes. The landscape offered many beautiful views, while navigation was technically rather challenging. The course presented some difficult choices between points and distance and for those who aimed for higher points returning to the hash house was not an option.

Marko and Mikko Vapa from Finland were the overall winners, Estonian veteran team Armo Hiie and Lauri Lahtmäe on the second place. The best women's team was Ulla Silventoinen and Riita Siltanen and they were 8th overall. Ulla is the current world champion in mixed class. XO category was won by an Estonian team Reigo Lehtla and Aljona Karloseva.

Poland: The first rogaining event organised entirely by Polish people was held in Bialy Kosciol near Strzelin in the southwestern part of Poland on 19-20 November 2011. 46 people entered including the team of Aigars Actins and Ilze Lapina from Latvia. The rogaine was held entirely at night, from 7 pm to 5 am.

[http://rogaining.pl/marsze/ maria14/mapa1d\\_e.htm](http://rogaining.pl/marsze/ maria14/mapa1d_e.htm)

[http://rogaining.pl/marsze/ maria14/mapa2d\\_e.htm](http://rogaining.pl/marsze/ maria14/mapa2d_e.htm) (checkpoints descriptions and maps)

[http://rogaining.pl/marsze/ maria14/rogaining\\_maria.xls](http://rogaining.pl/marsze/ maria14/rogaining_maria.xls)

DATE	EVENT	LOCATION
	WEB-SITE	
14.01.2012	<b>German-Czech Skirogaining (6 h)</b>	Klíny ski centre, Ore Mountains, Czech Republic
	<a href="http://skirogaining.tojnar.cz/">http://skirogaining.tojnar.cz/</a>	
15.01.2012	<b>Winter Xdream (6 h)</b>	Kõrvemaa, Estonia
	<a href="http://www.xdream.ee/nike-winter-xdream-uudised">http://www.xdream.ee/nike-winter-xdream-uudised</a>	
15.01.2012	<b>Winter Kiev Rogaining (4 h)</b>	Puscha-Vodytsia, Kiev, Ukraine
	<a href="http://rogaining.kiev.ua/">http://rogaining.kiev.ua/</a>	
21.01.2012	<b>The Wild Boar Rogaining (6 h)</b>	L'Espluga Calba, Catalonia, Spain
	<a href="http://thewildboar.org/">http://thewildboar.org/</a>	
21.01.2012	<b>Bedřichov ski-rogaining (5 h)</b>	Bedřichov village, Jizera Mountains, Czech Republic
	<a href="http://www.b5h.cz/">http://www.b5h.cz/</a>	
19-20.02.2012	<b>Russian Championships in ski rogaining (24 h)</b>	Leningrad Oblast, Russia
	<a href="http://100x24.ru/">http://100x24.ru/</a>	
19.02.2012	<b>Ski Adventure (5 h)</b>	Nové Město na Moravě, Czech Republic
	<a href="http://ski-adventure.cz/2012/">http://ski-adventure.cz/2012/</a>	
17-18.03.2012	<b>Brutus Extreme Orienteering (6 h + 5 h)</b>	Ondřejov, surroundings of Sázava river, Czech Republic
	<a href="http://klobouk.fsv.cvut.cz/~hora/web/brutus12/">http://klobouk.fsv.cvut.cz/~hora/web/brutus12/</a>	
17.03.2012	<b>Isostar XT Winter Rogaine (4 h)</b>	Saku, Estonia
	<a href="http://www.xtsport.ee/en/">http://www.xtsport.ee/en/</a>	
24.03.2012	<b>Israel Annual Rogaine (8 h)</b>	Ramat Hanadiv, Israel
	<a href="http://israelorienteering.org/rogaine/">http://israelorienteering.org/rogaine/</a>	
7.04.2012	<b>Wild Boar (5 h)</b>	Saaremaa island, Estonia
	<a href="http://www.saaremaa.ee/SOK/">http://www.saaremaa.ee/SOK/</a>	
30.04.- 1.05.2012	<b>XT Night Rogaine (4 h)</b>	Illuka, Estonia
	<a href="http://www.xtsport.ee/en/">http://www.xtsport.ee/en/</a>	
5-6.05.2012	<b>9th European Rogaining Championships (24 h)</b>	Poviliškis village, Molėtai district, Lithuania
	<a href="http://erc2012.lt/">http://erc2012.lt/</a>	
12.05.2012	<b>Salpaus-Rogaining (12 h)</b>	Lahti, Finland
	<a href="http://rogaining.info/">http://rogaining.info/</a>	
12.05.2012	<b>Adventure-rogaine "Werewolf's footprint" (6 h)</b>	Estonia
	<a href="http://libahunt.kutimuti.ee/">http://libahunt.kutimuti.ee/</a>	
26.05.2012	<b>Mini Retki Rogaining (8 h)</b>	Pirkanmaa, Finland
	<a href="http://rogaining.fi/">http://rogaining.fi/</a>	

2-3.06.2012	<b>Kholodnyi Yar Rogaining (24/12 h)</b>	Sunky, Cherkasy Oblast, Ukraine <a href="http://rogaining.kiev.ua/">http://rogaining.kiev.ua/</a>
3.06.2012	<b>Sawo Rogaining (8 h)</b>	Varkaus, Finland <a href="http://personal.inet.fi/urheilu/sasu/index2.htm">http://personal.inet.fi/urheilu/sasu/index2.htm</a>
23-24.06.2012	<b>Rogaine Ireland (24 h)</b>	Wicklow National Park, Ireland <a href="http://setantaorienteers.org/event/rogaine-ireland-2012">http://setantaorienteers.org/event/rogaine-ireland-2012</a>
23-24.06.2012	<b>Czech Rogaining Championships (24 h)</b>	Ralsko, Czech Republic <a href="http://roz.ini.cz/rog12/">http://roz.ini.cz/rog12/</a>
7-8.07.2012	<b>Ukrainian Rogaining Championships (24 h)</b>	Chernivtsi, Ukraine <a href="http://rogaining.org.ua/">http://rogaining.org.ua/</a>
14-15.07.2012	<b>Latvian Rogaining Championships (24 h)</b>	Alūksne municipality, Latvia <a href="http://rogaining.lv/">http://rogaining.lv/</a>
21.07.2012	<b>Orion rogaine (8 h)</b>	Keila-Joa, Estonia <a href="http://www.orion.ee/rogain">http://www.orion.ee/rogain</a>
21-22.07.2012	<b>Russian Rogaining Championships (24 h)</b>	Leningrad Oblast, Russia <a href="http://rogaining.ru/">http://rogaining.ru/</a>
27-28.07.2012	<b>Icebug24 (24 h)</b>	Hemavan, Sweden <a href="http://www.icebug24.com/?language=english">http://www.icebug24.com/?language=english</a>
28-29.07.2012	<b>Retki Rogaining (24 h)</b>	Finland <a href="http://rogaining.fi/">http://rogaining.fi/</a>
31.08.- 1.09.2012	<b>World Rogaining Championships (24 h)</b>	Přebuz, Czech Republic <a href="http://www.rogaining.cz/wrc2012/en/">http://www.rogaining.cz/wrc2012/en/</a>
22-23.09.2012	<b>Kiev Rogaining (12/6 h)</b>	Puscha-Vodytsia, Kiev, Ukraine <a href="http://rogaining.kiev.ua/">http://rogaining.kiev.ua/</a>
30.09.2012	<b>Tautas rogaining (8 h)</b>	Garkalne, Latvia <a href="http://magnets.lv/?p=macs&amp;fid=606&amp;lang=en">http://magnets.lv/?p=macs&amp;fid=606&amp;lang=en</a>
6.10.2012	<b>TAOK rogaine (8 h)</b>	Lindora, Estonia <a href="http://rogain.ee/">http://rogain.ee/</a>
27-28.07.2013	<b>World Rogaining Championships (24 h)</b>	Alol, Pskov Oblast, Russia <a href="http://rogaining.ru/">http://rogaining.ru/</a>
5.10.2013	<b>TAOK rogaine (8 h)</b>	Jänedä, Estonia <a href="http://rogain.ee/">http://rogain.ee/</a>
16-17.08.2014	<b>World Rogaining Championships (24 h)</b>	Black Hills, South Dakota, USA <a href="http://peakassurance.net/">http://peakassurance.net/</a>