


CHALLENGESAMORIN TRYATHLON

SAMORIN 2020 General Information



Entry Information for CHALLENGESAMORIN TRYATHLON

Name of event	CHALLENGESAMORIN TRYATHLON
Organizer	X--BIONIC® SPHERE a. s. Dubová 33/A, 931 01 Šamorín, Slovak Republic triatlon@x-bionicsphere.com CHALLENGEFAMILY GmbH Werner-von-Siemens-Straße 27 92224 Amberg, Germany thechampionship@challenge-family.com  CHALLENGE SAMORIN-SLOVAKIA wearetriathlon! official side event of THE CHAMPIONSHIP
Date and place of the event, travel information	May 30, 2020 in Samorin, Slovakia For travel information, please visit: www.thechampionship.de
Eligibility to participate	All participants have to sign at the registration office a "Release and Waiver of Liability and Indemnification Agreement" form.
Categories	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Individual
Individual participants (athletes)	In accordance with the ITU regulations, participants must reach the age of 13 of the year of the competition. Participants under the age of 18 will have to provide a Waiver signed by parent at registration, otherwise will not be allowed to enter the competition!

Entry fees	<p>Registration <u>until 31.12.2019</u>: Euro 39.00 per individual participant</p> <p>Registration <u>from 01.01.2020 - until 31.3.2020</u>: Euro 49.00 per individual participant</p> <p>Only 300 slots are available.</p> <p>Furthermore, the entry fee includes the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • swimming cap, food and drink during and after the race, • traffic control, • security service, • medical service, • medal, • finisher's shirt, • online list of results
Methods of payment	Only online registration is possible; payment can only be made by credit card
Additional costs	<p>An additional fee of 7,5% of the total registration fee will be charged by the online registration platform provider; this fee covers all charges for credit card payment as well as additional costs for international bank transactions</p> <p><u>PASTA PARTY</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • for all participants, participation in the carbo party (Pasta party) on Saturday is included in the entry fee. • for accompanying persons tickets are available: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) at Euro 15.00 each at the online registration b) at Euro 15.00 each at the registration office from 28-30May • free entry for children under 12 years.
Registration	<p>Registration can only be completed online via homepage with the qualification code - www.thechampionship.de</p> <p>Any bank fees and fees for online registration services are at the participant's expense.</p> <p>Registration closes on Sunday, 24th May 2020 11:59 (local time)/or the maximum limit of slots are sold out.</p> <p>Registration on site is not possible.</p>

Further information regarding registration	<p>The organizer is entitled to reject a registration without giving any specific reasons (so-called freedom of contract).</p> <p>If there is a legitimate reason (e. g. if participants are suspected to disturb the race), the organizer reserves the right to subsequently withdraw the registration and to exclude the participant from taking part.</p> <p>In addition, in case of any violation of rules, the organizer always has the right to disqualify participants in consultation with the race jury. Other reason for withdrawal of registration are set up in the Agreement.</p> <p>Swapping start places/numbers is generally excluded for individual participant. In any case of contravention, a lifelong prohibition from participation in CHALLENGESAMORIN TRYATHLON and all other CHALLENGEFAMILY Events will be imposed on both participants.</p>
Withdrawal of registration	<p>Registration can only be withdrawn via the Withdrawal Form on our homepage at www.thechampionship.de or at thechampionship@challenge-family.com</p> <p>a) cancellation/withdrawal until 31.01.2020: 50% refund from entry fee b) cancellation/withdrawal until 29.02.2020: 30% refund from entry fee c) after 1st March 2020 entry fees will no longer be reimbursed.</p> <p>No explanation or medical certification is necessary for cancellation</p> <p>After cancellation, it is not possible to transfer your payment to another participant or race.</p> <p>Transfer of registration from one participant to another one is only possible until 1st March 2020. To transfer your registration you are obliged to do so at thechampionship@challenge-family.com and give reason for the transfer.</p> <p>Allowing the transfer is subject to evaluation from the side of the Organizer.</p> <p>After March 1st no transfer will be accepted.</p> <p>It is not possible to transfer your registration to following years under any circumstances.</p>
Rules	<p>CHALLENGESAMORIN TRYATHLON confirms to the rules and regulations by the International Triathlon Union (ITU).</p> <p>https://www.triathlon.org/uploads/docs/itusport_competition-rules_2019.pdf</p>

Distances / Course details	<p>Swim 300m in the Pool (50m swimming pool in AQUATIC sphere)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Warm-up swim only before the first start possible • The start procedure is following a time trial procedure. Every 10 seconds one participant will start randomly, one by one. • Estimated water temperature 23-25°C <p>Bike 13 km (1 Loop):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Surface – concrete; public roads • On the bike course, the road traffic regulations are binding! • All riders are required to wear bicycle helmets • Ride on the right side of the road • Surface – concrete • Public roads closed to traffic <p>Run 3 km (1 Loop):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Surface – cobblestone, asphalt, sand surface (compact base used in show jumping and horse races) • Route marked for competitors – start of every kilometer • One aid station
Time-keeping	All participants will receive a timing chip from the organization. After the race you have to bring the timing chip to the bike check out to receive your bike.
Sanitary facilities	<p>Toilets are located at the swim start, transition zone, and at the finish-line area.</p> <p>Shower facilities are available at the aquatic® sphere (SUMMER ENTRY)</p>
Food and drink	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • no aid station on the bike course • run course: one aid station at KM 2 • finish-line area <p>Details regarding the aid stations and the food and drinks that are offered there are included in the Race Regulations.</p>
Start times and finish closing time	<p>The race will be started as a chase start, beginning at 9:30 a.m. Each 10seconds will start one participant.</p> <p>Finish closing time: Depending on last finisher, latest 1:00 p.m.</p>
	<i>* Detailed information will follow a few weeks before the race in a race manual</i>
Collecting starting documents	<p>Thursday, May 28 between 03:00 p.m. and 06:00 p.m.</p> <p>Friday, May 29 between 11:00 a.m. and 06:00 p.m.</p> <p>Saturday, May 30 between 07:00 a.m. and 08:00 p.m.</p> <p><i>* Detailed information will follow a few weeks before the race</i></p> <p>Attention: Please bring your identity card and your start number when collecting your start documents.</p>

Check-in and check-out times for bikes and participant bags	<p>Saturday, May 30th near the Farrier's restaurant in the x-bionic® sphere between 7:00 a.m. and 9:15 p.m.</p> <p>Bike and Bag check out: Saturday, May 30th between 01:30 p.m. and 03:00 p.m.</p> <p><i>* Detailed information will follow a few weeks before the race</i></p>
Race Briefing	<p>It is highly recommended for all participants to attend the race briefing:</p> <p>Race briefing will take place on Saturday, May 30th , 2020 at 9:10 a.m the start area of the pool (x-bionic® aquatic sphere)</p> <p><i>* Detailed information will follow a few weeks before the race</i></p>
Award ceremony	<p>CHALLENGESAMORIN TRYATHLON award ceremony takes place on Saturday, May 30th at 04:00 p.m.</p>
Non-cash prizes	<p>Every participant will after crossing the finish line receive the official CHALLENGESAMORIN TRYATHLON finisher's shirt and finisher medal.</p>
Prizes	<p>TOP 3 overall (female and male) will receive trophies.</p>
Personal responsibility of participants for technical safety of equipment	<p>Each participant is responsible for the technical safety of their equipment and is to make sure that the equipment is in line with the rules.</p>
Closing Provisions	<p>The triathlons will be held on the scheduled date, regardless of the prevailing weather conditions.</p> <p>The triathlon organizer reserves the right to change rules, regulations, locations and the timing of the triathlon.</p> <p>In order for the triathlons to run smoothly, competitors will be receiving news of interest regularly from the organizer.</p> <p>Organisers reserves the right to implement an emergency plan in the interest of the competitors' safety. At the same time, it assumes no responsibility for any possible consequences or impact resulting from the implementation of the plan. If the emergency plan remains in effect, the organizer has the right to cancel the event without refunding registration fees to the participants.</p> <p>Any dispute will be considered and resolved by the Referees Committee.</p> <p>The triathlon organizer will provide an interpretation of the rules in the case of contentious issues and all competitors are governed and bound during the entire triathlon by instructions from the organizer.</p>

It is important for all competitors to recognize the principle of FAIR PLAY during the triathlons and not to have their behavior threaten themselves or anyone else participating in them.

The organizing committee, including volunteers, will be monitoring the behavior of competitors during the race and violations will result in disqualification.

Any protests must be submitted to the Referees Committee either within two hours of having been disqualified from the race or at latest two hours after the event ends. A fee of € 50 is required to be paid in order to submit a protest, which will be returned if the protest is acknowledged, but will be retained by the race organizer in the event of an unsuccessful challenge.

When using public roads during the race, participants will follow the organizer's instructions and those given by the police. Any disregard of these rules will result in the competitor's immediate disqualification. The race director and route referees have the right to disqualify any competitor with immediate effect.

Please comply with traffic rules during the entire triathlon. Even when the route is closed to traffic, please remember to give first aid, police and the organizer's vehicles access.

Competitors that fall from their bicycles are required to move to the side of the road so as not to endanger other riders.

The rescue service and the organizer's healthcare staff have the competence to evaluate the condition of any competitor and decide on their ability to continue in the race. Their decision is final. Unless the health service allows a participant to continue, they will be eliminated from the race.

The use of any painkillers, performance enhancing drugs or doping methods is prohibited. The triathlon organizer has the right anytime to test competitors for the presence of prohibited substances. A positive test means immediate disqualification.

These triathlons are governed by the rules of the International Triathlon Union and are in accordance with the approved description of them.

Any decision by a competitor to withdraw from a triathlon should be communicated to a route marshal as soon as possible.

During the triathlons competitors will not be permitted to use hand-free mobile phones, MP3 players or any other types of these devices.

Competitors are not allowed to compete with a bare midriff or no shirt.

Race numbers must remain visible during the entire triathlon.

Every competitor agrees to follow the predetermined route and in their own interest to remain on the marked route.

Littering is only allowed in designated areas.

	Participants are required to mount their bicycles at the stands assigned to them by a specified time limit. The organizer reserves the right to check compliance with all rules.
General Terms and Conditions	http://www.thechampionship.de/race-information/waiver-rules/