



# **BK KOLKA - DUBULTI [136km 55h] 2017 TREK CHARTER**

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Trek (event) is organized by the society "Baltā Kalna komanda" (Baltais Kalns), registration number 40008210102.

**Event starts at:** the Kolka White Pine Cemetery (26th of May at 16:00) and **will conclude** at Dubulti beach lifeguard station (28th of May, at 23:00).

## **General provisions**

1. Participant movement route should be as close to the sea shore as possible, avoiding walking on the paved roads and highways, with the exception of port circumvention and largest river crossings.
2. Minimum age for participation is 18 years or 16 years with written parental permission.

3. Each participant shall assume full responsibility for their own health. Participants themselves evaluate their ability to continue participating in the event and are responsible for the personal safety and health, each participant undertakes not to raise any objections to the event organizers for injuries resulting from the overvaluing of his/her ability, failure to examine the circumstances, their neglect, or lack of experience.
4. Participant undertakes to comply with organizer's and the technical staff's instructions, as well as safety instructions.
5. A participant has the right to terminate his/her participation from the event at any time for any reason. **Note that the party itself must provide transportation to leave the event site.**
6. If participant terminates his/her participation in the event, he/she is obliged to inform the event organizers immediately. Participant entry fee will not be refunded upon termination of participation.
7. Each participant undertakes to comply with road traffic regulations, as well as general laws of the The Republic of Latvia.
8. Each participant undertakes to assist any other fellow participant in case if they face serious difficulties, as well as to immediately report all observations of possible acute health problems and/or injuries among other participants besides themselves.
9. If a participant observes that one or more of the participants are using motorized, mechanical or water transportation means for their advantage, he/she is required to report it to the organizers/staff immediately. However, carrying other participants is permitted.
10. The organizers hold no responsibility over participants failing to familiarize themselves with the event rules.
11. The organizers have the right to make changes and amendments to the charter.
12. Participants should treat the environment with respect. Waste must be discarded only in specially designated places.
13. The organizers will hold on to the rights to use photos and videos taken during the event for future marketing purposes without additional consent of those seen in them.
14. By fulfilling the registration form, the party confirms that he/she agrees that data provided will be used in the registration system, for sending out SMS during the current and upcoming events, as well as for the profile creation in BK social network, if such need arises.
15. By carrying out the wire transfer of the participation fee, each participant confirms that he/she has read the event rules and undertakes to comply with them.
16. Mandatory equipment:
  - charged mobile phone;
  - reflective vest;
  - a cup.

17. In case of lost RFID chip, renewal – 5 euro.

### **Event process**

1. Participant registration will take place at the Kolka parking lot from on 26<sup>th</sup> of May from 13:00 till 15:40. Opening speech from 15:40 till 15:55.
2. Participants will be given a common start signal on 26<sup>th</sup> of May at 16:00 at Kolka White pine cemetery.
3. Total trekking distance is 136km with control time of 55 hours.
4. Three camps, where members will be able to relax, get a snack, water and medical consultation will be operating during certain time periods. Camp operating hours and information about the event will be published in the "Baltais Kalns" Facebook page at least one week before the event date. Participants will receive a wristband- one before the start, one upon visiting each camp and one upon finishing within the control time.
5. Event is considered as being fully completed if participant has received all 5 wristbands and has reached the finish before 23:00 28<sup>th</sup> of May.

### **Event time table**

	Working Hours
Registration (Kolka parking)	F. 13:00 – 15:40
Start	F. 16:00
Roja (32nd kilometer)	F. 19:00 – Sat. 2:00
Mersrags (62nd kilometer)	Sat. 0:00 – 16:00
"Zivartiņš" (100th kilometer)	Sat. 8:00 – Sun. 17:00
Finish (Dubulti, 136th kilometer)	till Sun. 23:00

### **Registration and entry fee**

1. Applications for the event are accepted via [online registration form](#) form from 6<sup>th</sup> of February to 25<sup>th</sup> of May or at the location of the event.
2. Applicant is considered as being a participant of the BK Kolka - Dubulti [136km 55H] trek once (and only if) he/she fully completes the payment within the set timeframe and reads the event charter.

Date	Participation fee, €
05.02. – 28.02.	29
01.03. – 31.03.	36
01.04. – 30.04.	43
01.05. – 11.05.	49
12.05. - 26.05.	59

### **Bank details:**

Will be provided via the email upon completing the registration form. The form is available at [www.kolkadubulti.lv](http://www.kolkadubulti.lv)

\* In case if the applicant has paid the participation fee, but for personal or other reasons is not able to participate in the event, membership fee in the amount of € 15 will be refunded till 19<sup>th</sup> of May. There will be no refunds after 19<sup>th</sup> of May.

\* Payments for bag transfer and T-shirts are non-refundable.

\* Application is available only on the website of the society *Baltā Kalna komanda* [www.kolkadubulti.lv](http://www.kolkadubulti.lv), by fulfilling the form and completing payment. It is not permitted to sell the participation in the event to 3rd parties.

### **Event organizers undertake to:**

1. Set up camps, where participants will have an opportunity to receive first aid, snacks, hot water, as well as recommendations, motivation (or demotivation) from the camp service staff.
2. To inform ASAP all applicants and participants of any changes that could directly or indirectly affect any event participants (via organization's Facebook page).
3. Give a firm handshake to anyone who will be able to (while complying with all the rules) complete the 136km distance within the 55 hours timeframe.
4. To act in good faith and to best knowledge in order to deliver all promises made to participants.

## **Transportation to the event starting point**

1. Baltais Kalns commits to provide buses for at least half of the participants for an additional fee. Further information and application will be announced on organization's Facebook page at least one week before the event date.
2. Information on bus departure time and location will be sent to participants who will be paid via SMS.

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