

# Arctic Midnight Orienteering

## July 1 – 4, 2015

Orienteering competitions in magnificent Greenland nature

### **EVENT PROGRAMME**

#### **Revision: June 28, 2015**

The terrain is situated at the city of Ilulissat with a view of the Kangia (Ilulissat Ice Fiord) and the Disko Bay. It is an open, hilly area with bare rock, stones or topsoil covered with moss, lichen, crowberry, heather and grass. At this time of the year there is daylight 24 hours per day. The temperature will normally be between +5 and +15 °C. The maps are orienteering maps based on photogrammetry in scale 1:10,000 and 1:15,000. Contour interval is 5 meters.

The following races will be available:

#### **UNOFFICIAL GREENLAND CHAMPIONSHIP on Wednesday, July 1**

Long distance.

First start at 5 pm.

Classes, course length and climbing:

Children	M -12	2,0 km-medium	Climbning: 80 metre
	W -12	2,0 km-medium	Climbning: 80 metre
Junior	M 13-16	4,1 km-medium/difficult	Climbning: 130 metre
	W 13-16	4,1 km-medium/difficult	Climbning: 130 metre
Youth	M 17-20	4,8 km-difficult	Climbning: 200 metre
	W 17-20	4,8 km-difficult	Climbning: 200 metre
Senior	M 21-34	7,8 km-difficult	Climbning: 320 metre
	W 21-34	6,7 km-difficult	Climbning: 240 metre
Oldboys/-girls	M 35-49	6,7 km-difficult	Climbning: 240 metre
	W 35-49	5,4 km-difficult	Climbning: 220 metre
Very oldboys/-girls	M 50-59	5,4 km-difficult	Climbning: 220 metre
	W 50-59	4,4 km-difficult	Climbning: 170 metre
Really oldboys/-girls	M 60 -	4,4 km-difficult	Climbning: 170 metre
	W 60 -	3,7 km-difficult	Climbning: 150 metre
Open Course (Free enrolment)		4,8 km-difficult	Climbning: 200 metre

Assembly area and finish: At the Qaqiffik / Old Heliport, (further details will be shown on a map at the Event Centre).

Start: 300 metre from the assembly area.

#### **SPRINT in Ilulissat town on Thursday, July 2**

First start at 7 pm.

Classes and course length:

Children	M -12	1,8 km	W -12	1,8 km
Junior	M 13-16	1,8 km	W 13-16	1,8 km
Ungdom	M 17-20	3,2 km	W 17-20	3,2 km
Senior	M 21-34	3,2 km	W 21-34	3,2 km
Oldboys/-girls	M 35-49	3,2 km	W 35-49	3,2 km
Very oldboys/-girls	M 50-59	2,3 km	W 50-59	2,3 km
Really oldboys/-girls	M 60 -	2,3 km	W 60 -	2,3 km
Open Course (Free enrolment)		2,3 km.		

Assembly area and finish: On the path between Ilulissat Museum and the fish shop "Brættet", (further details will be shown on a map at the Event Centre).

Start: 100 metre from assembly area.

## **ARCTIC MIDNIGHT ORIENTEERING on Friday / Saturday, July 3 – 4**

Joint start Friday, July 3 at 9:00 pm.

The start time is changed to meet participants who want to combine AMO in Ilulissat with NATLOC in Nuuk. Can be achieved with departure from Ilulissat Airport on Saturday morning (July 4th) with Air Greenland ([www.airgreenland.com](http://www.airgreenland.com)).

Courses and course length:

Course 1	19,7 km. – difficult	Climbning: 1000 metre
Course 2	15,0 km. – difficult	Climbning: 700 metre
Course 3	10,1 km. – difficult	Climbning: 450 metre
Course 4	5,4 km. - medium/difficult	Climbning: 250 metre

There is a free course choice.

Assembly area and finish: Close to Ilulissat airport building.

Start: 200 metre from assembly area.

Arctic Midnight Orienteering Run is an individual event with a touch of the extreme. It takes place in a very physically demanding terrain during the arctic night in a nearly deserted but grandiose scenery with no trees and a lot of bare rock. Head lamps are not needed due to the midnight sun.

### **Rules for signing up**

#### **Unofficial Greenland Championship and Sprint:**

You are permitted to enter a stronger class than the one you are entitled to. E.g. younger competitors may start in older class up to M/W 21-34. Likewise, older competitors are allowed to start in younger class up to M/W 21-34. In class M- and W-12 is shading permitted.

#### **Arctic Midnight Orienteering:**

There is a free course choice and running in groups is permitted. Children below 14 year have to run together with adults.

In case of few competitors in a class/course it may be merged with another.

The open courses are intended for new or untrained participants. The open courses are not included in the competitions.

### **Timing System**

Sportident.

Own SI Card can be used, or you can hire a SI Card from IOG for 10. - DKK for the 3 runs.

Lost SI Card, if hired, replaced with DKK 200.-.

### **Event Centre**

Is situated at the Art Gallery (Kunstmuseet), Aron Mathiesenip Appuserna no. 7.

Open daily between 1 pm and 2 pm in the period June 30 to July 3.

### **Shower facility and changing**

After the GM and Sprint races on 1st and 2nd July it is possibility for a shower in Ilulissat Sport Centre.

Unfortunately we can not offer shower facilities after the midnight race during the 3.- 4. July.

### **Fee (DKK)**

Fee for all three runs                      Junior (age up to 20): DKK 150.-    Senior (age 21 and older): DKK 300.-

Fee for the individual runs

Unoff. Greenland Championship    Junior (age up to 20): DKK 75.-    Senior (age 21 and older): DKK 150.-

Sprint                                      Junior (age up to 20): DKK 40.-    Senior (age 21 and older): DKK 80.-

Arctic Midnight Orienteering        Junior (age up to 20): DKK 75.-    Senior (age 21 and older): DKK 150.-

Gala Night (Fee excl. drinks)        Free of charge if you bring a dish to the common buffet, otherwise the fee is DKK 250.- (Contact Event Centre for details).

### **Closing date for signing up**

Signing up until June 24 2015 on entry form (See the form on [www.iog.gl](http://www.iog.gl)).

## **Payment**

Bank money transfer no later than June 24 2015 to:

GroenlandsBANKEN A/S  
Postbox 1504  
DK-3952 Ilulissat Greenland  
Account no. 6471 7713735  
Swiftcode: GRENLGX  
IBAN no. GL 6464710007713735

Or by cash to the club.

## **Late signing up**

Eventual signing up after June 24 2015 must DKK 50. - be added.

## **Start lists and instructions**

Will be posted at the Event Centre on June 30.

## **Rules for participation**

The event will be open for everybody, but only Greenlanders or competitors living in Greenland and are members of a sporting club under The Sports Confederation of Greenland (GIF) can compete for the unofficial Greenland Championship title.

## **Awards**

Unofficial Greenland Championship (GM) Gold-, silver- and bronze medals in all course categories, and award to the eventual winner of each class which can't get a GM title.  
Sprint: Medal awards to 3 best placed W and M in each class.  
Arctic Midnight Orienteering: Awards to 3 best placed W and M in each course.

## **Award ceremonies**

Unofficial Greenland Championship: Immediately after the run.  
Sprint: Immediately after the run.  
Arctic Midnight Orienteering: On Gala Night.

## **GALA NIGHT on Saturday, July 4**

For all participants, officials and friends.

Location: Hotel Icefiord.

The party begins at 6 pm and includes dinner (buffet), award ceremonies and various entertainment, The party will be influenced by Greenlandic traditions.

Participant fee excl. drinks: DKK 250.-. Children 10-14 year: DKK 160.-. Children up to 10 year: DKK 100.-.

Beer and wine at the hotel's Happy Hour prices.

PS!

It was previously announced that you could bring your own dish to a common buffet. This is now not more possible.,

## **Event management**

Event manager and Course planners: Team consisting of experienced orienteer from IOG and from Denmark.

## **Additional Information**

Contact event manager:

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