

## Barents GP / BCC 26.-27.5.2012

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### Barents GP

Barents GP is an open stage race for all race licenced cyclists. Barents GP consists of three stages: uphill prologue, criterium and road race. The following race categories will be combined (the overall competition): M18, Men, M40, M50, N40 and N50. These combined categories will be competing for the same bonus seconds (criterium and road race). There will be a special prize in Sunday 's road race for the fastest man and woman in group 1.

### MiniGP

MiniGP is an open two stage stage race (criterium and road race) for the categories M/W12-14. No bonus seconds for this competition.

### BCC - Barents Cycling Championship

Barents Cycling Championship prizes (for three best) will be awarded for those categories and cyclists which have completed all three stages in their own category and are member of the Barents region cycling club. The total time of three stages will be decisive (minus the earned bonus seconds).

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## Race program

### Saturday 26.5.2012

<b>1. stage: Prologue (uphill)</b>	Start 10am, ITT, 3min break between categories, in order to get the racers who have passed the finish line safely off the track.	
	Distance: 2,2km	
	Effective height: 130m	
	Start: The cycling path between the parking lot of Pirunkirkko and intersection of Royal Ruka.	
	Finish: Chalet Ruka Peak (Mastontie)	
	Award ceremony for the categories M/W16: 7pm school of Ruka.	
Categories	10am	M/W16-18
		Women
		Men
		M/W40-50
		M60-70

<b>2. stage: Criterium</b>	Start 4pm, next group 10 minutes after the previous have finished.			
	Circuit length: 1070m (not completely closed circuit).			
	Start/Finish: Vuosselintie (East-Ruka, see the route maps and directions)			
	Bonus seconds in the overall competition of Barents GP: - M16, W18 and Women sprint race in each age group - M18, Men, M40-50 joint sprint race. - in sprint finish 3sec, 2sec and 1sec - Finish line 3sec, 2sec and 1sec			
	Award ceremony for all junior categories: 7pm school of Ruka: M/W8-16 for the stage awards (open) and M/W8-10 BCC awards.			
Categories and distances	4pm	group1:	M/W8 M/W10	1 lap (1,5km) 2 laps (3,0km)
		group2:	M/W12, W40-50 M/W14, W16, M60, M70	3 laps (3,2km) 5 laps (5,3km)
		group3:	M16, W18 and Women	15 laps (16km), 2 sprint laps (6,12)
		group4:	M18, Men, M40-50	25 laps (26,7km), 3 sprint laps (8, 16, 22)
		Group 3 and 4 competitor will be removed from the race if he/she get caught by his own race class competitor. In addition to the overall competition he/she gets same time as the last one made to the finish line + 1minute and group 4 +2minutes.		

## Sunday 27.5.2012

<b>3.stage: Road race</b>	Start/Finish: S-Market Ruka (Rukanriutantie)			
	Bonus seconds: in the overall competition of Barents GP: - group1 sprint finish 3sec, 2sec and 1sec (men ´s sprint, women´s sprint) - Finish line 3sec, 2sec and 1sec - group1: such as sprint finish, group2: M16, W18			
	Award ceremony: 1pm S-Market Ruka: - stage prizes (open competition): all M/W12-16 - MiniGP-prizes, 3 best (open competition): M/W12-14 - Barents GP-prizes, 3 best (open competition): M/W16, W18, W40(-50), Women, Men (M18, M40-50), M60, M70 - BCC, 3 best (only for Barents-members): M/W12-70 - a Special Award for the fastest man and woman in group 1!			
	Routes (lap): - group 1: 38km - group 2: 38km - group3: 5km			
Categories and distances	10.00am	group1:	M18, Men, M40-50, Women	2 laps (76km)
	10.05am	group2:	M/W16, W18, W40-50, M60	1 lap (38km)
	10.15am	group3:	M/W12	2 laps (10km)
			M/W14 and M70	3 laps (15km)