

Regulations for the cycling competition

“Wyścig by Tomasz Marczyński III edition Kuźnia Raciborska 2026”

Polish Championships for Uniformed Services in gravel cycling 2026

1. Goal of the competition

- 1.1. Popularization of gravel cycling and MTB in Poland.
- 1.2. Promotion of the State Forests, the Rudy Raciborskie Forest Inspectorate, the City and Commune of Kuźnia Raciborska.
- 1.3. Identification of the best Participants of the race organized in Rudy Raciborskie on April 25, 2026.
- 1.4. Identification of the Polish Uniformed Services Champions 2026.
- 1.5. Promotion of a healthy lifestyle, active rest and recreation.

2. Event name

„Wyścig by Tomasz Marczyński: III edition Kuźnia Raciborska 2026”
„Polish Championships for Uniformed Services in gravel cycling”

3. Date and place of the event

April 25, 2026, the area of the Municipal Stadium in Kuźnia Raciborska, 47-420 Kuźnia Raciborska.
Long distance: 142 km, short distance 71 km*
Polish Championships for Uniformed Services in gravel cycling short distance 71 km*
*The Organizer reserves the right to change the route length due to a change of the start location.

4. Organizer

Velo Creation sp. z o.o.
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NIP: 6343023050
Contact: kontakt@wyscig.cc
Official website: www.wyscig.cc

5. Registration

- 5.1. Registration can be made online from February 22 to April 24, 2026 exclusively through the Organizer's website: www.wyscig.cc. In exceptional cases, the Organizer may consent to registration and payment of the entry fee in cash on the day of the Competition. The amount of the on-site entry fee is 299 PLN and does not guarantee receiving a full value start package.
- 5.2. Entry fees:
 - 5.2.1. Until April 24, 2026, until 23:59: 199.00 PLN, with the option to purchase special packages;

5.2.2. Registration on the day of the competition, April 25, 2026, at the Race Office: 299.00 PLN subject to available places.

5.3. All entry fees are gross amounts and include VAT.

5.4. The Organizer reserves the right to close the acceptance of applications and entry fees earlier in the event of the participant limit being reached. The Organizer sets the limit of Participants at 500 people. The Organizer reserves the right to change the limit of Participants.

5.5. VAT invoices for payments made by bank transfer are issued automatically based on the data provided by the applicant. Contact regarding invoice corrections: biuro@s-time.pl

5.6. The fee once paid is not refundable and not transferable to another Participant. This does not apply to the cancellation of the Competition due to the Organizer.

5.7. The Organizer has prepared a code entitling the first 70 paid Participants of each edition to receive a Velo eBon worth 60 PLN. To receive a Velo eBon, you must register your code on the website ssl.velo.pl (Customer Panel). The registration code will be received from the organizer. Registration codes are valid until November 30, 2026. Each competitor may receive a maximum of one eBon when registering for the event edition organized by the Organizer in 2026.

6. Conditions of Participation

6.1. „Wyścig by Tomasz Marczyński: III edition Kuźnia Raciborska 2026” „Polish Championships for Uniformed Services in gravel cycling” is a generally accessible gravel race held in a closed forest area belonging to the Rudy Raciborskie Forest Inspectorate. A Participant of „Wyścig by Tomasz Marczyński” can be a person who meets the following conditions:

6.1.1. Is an adult;

6.1.2. Registers by filling out the application form;

6.1.3. Makes the entry fee payment and is able to present appropriate proof of payment on the day of the Race at the request of the Organizer;

6.1.4. Confirms knowledge and acceptance of the regulations during registration.

6.2. The Race is open to participants using technically efficient bicycles in accordance with applicable regulations. Participants starting on bicycles with drop handlebars and bicycles with straight MTB type handlebars will be admitted to the race.

6.3. The use of full wheels and "baton" type wheels, any type of handlebar extensions (used in time trial bikes, so called lemondki), and wheel axle extensions (known from acrobatics bikes) that may pose a danger to participants moving along the race route is prohibited.

6.4. Starting on electric bicycles, as well as those with mechanical assistance, is prohibited. Any violation found by the competition judges will be punishable by disqualification.

6.5. It is strictly forbidden to warm up or ride against traffic on the route during the race under penalty of disqualification.

6.6. The main idea of the Race is fair play sports competition.

6.7. Each Participant is obliged to ride in a hard shell helmet.

6.8. By registering, the Participant accepts the clause: „The Organizer, all persons cooperating with them, as well as persons associated with the conduct and organization of the race are not liable to the Participants for personal injury, property damage, and material damage that occurs before, during, or after the race. Participants start at their own risk. Participants bear civil and legal liability for all damage caused by their own fault”.

6.9. Each Participant starts at their own risk and should have third party liability and accident insurance for their own benefit.

6.10. The Organizer reserves the right to allow medical or paramedical personnel employed by or on behalf of the Organizer to provide first aid or perform other medical procedures, as well as transport the injured Participant to a safe place. The Participant agrees to these actions.

6.11. The Participant agrees to the free use of the Participant's image recorded in the form of photographs or video by the Organizer, including making them available to sponsors, official Partners, and Subcontractors. The Participant grants the Personal Data Administrator and the Organizer a non exclusive, unlimited territory and unlimited time license to use the recorded image. This consent applies to the use of the Participant's image for marketing purposes, including in particular for posting and publishing in the press, on websites, broadcasting in television and radio broadcasts, publishing photos of the Participant from participation in the Competition on social media with the possibility of tagging the Participant by name and surname.

6.12. Participants of the „Polish Uniformed Services Championships” must comply with all paragraphs of point 6. Conditions of Participation, and attach a copy of the document confirming belonging to the Uniformed Services when filling out the competition application form.

7. Race program

April 25, 2026 (Saturday) *

7:30 – 9:00: Collection of numbers, start packages, and registration at the race office (Municipal Stadium in Kuźnia Raciborska, 47-420 Kuźnia Raciborska).

9:15: Opening of the VIP and BASIC start sectors, separately for the long and short distance.

9:30: Start of the men's long distance (from standing start).

9:35: Start of the men's short distance (from standing start) Polish Championships for Uniformed Services in gravel cycling.

9:40: Start of the women's long distance (from standing start).

9:45: Start of the women's short distance (from standing start) Polish Championships for Uniformed Services in gravel cycling.

12:00:14:00: Competitions and games for children.

15:00: Decoration of children's competitions.

17:00: Closure of the route.

17:30: Start of decorations (Municipal Stadium in Kuźnia Raciborska, 47-420 Kuźnia Raciborska).

the competition schedule may change and will be adapted to the currently applicable recommendations of the Ministry of Health and the Chief Sanitary Inspectorate aimed at protecting against the SARS-CoV-2 coronavirus.

8. Race

8.1. „Wyścig by Tomasz Marczyński: III edition Kuźnia Raciborska and Polish Championships for Uniformed Services in gravel cycling 2026” will be held on the routes of the Rudy Raciborskie Forest Inspectorate on April 25, 2026 at distances of 71 and 142 km (Polish Championships for Uniformed Services in gravel cycling 2026). The route map will be made available by the Organizer on social media channels and/or the website.

8.2. The race will be held in accordance with the Sports Regulations of the Polish Cycling Association.

8.3. The start of all age categories will be a mass start. The long and short distances will start separately. The Organizer reserves the right to use a different start method, about which they will inform the Participants at the technical briefing on the day of the event. In the event of a change in the

start time of individual distances, the organizer will inform about this fact at least 3 days before the event.

8.4. The race route will be marked.

8.5. A nutrition point will be located on the route and/or at the finish line.

8.6. The classification of the Participant will be limited by a time limit. If a limit is not set, the applicable time is 17:00. After the time limit expires, Participants may not be included in the final classification. In special situations, the organizer reserves the right to postpone the route closing time.

8.7. The winners in all categories with age and gender divisions will be the Participants who complete the Wyścig by Tomasz Marczyński routes in the shortest time.

8.8. Participants can start individually and simultaneously within one team. The team consists of 4 to 6 people of different genders, from any age categories, starting on the long distance. The team can represent only one club. Team registration can be done during the registration of the Participant of the Competition. The same name must be provided without exception. The result is decided by the summary time of the four best Participants of the team at the finish line, including one woman.

8.9. During the race, Participants are obliged to comply with these regulations and treat other Participants of the competition, judges, organizers, security services, and medical services with due respect. Participants are obliged to maintain personal culture (in particular, not to use profanity), comply with fair play rules, and respect the natural environment.

9. Withdrawal of the Participant during the race

9.1. Participants resigning from participating in the competition during the Wyścig by Tomasz Marczyński, regardless of the reason for withdrawal, are obliged to immediately inform the organizer and/or medical services, technical services (emergency phone number +48 789 231 877) to avoid initiating a rescue operation.

9.2. In the event that search operations are undertaken as a result of not informing the organizer about withdrawal from the race, all costs of the rescue operation shall be covered by the sought Participant.

9.3. In special cases, with the well being of the Participants in mind, the Organizer, in consultation with the race medical team, has the right to withdraw a Participant from the competition.

10. Benefits for Participants

10.1. As part of the entry fee, the Participant receives:

10.1.1. Start number with an electronic chip and judging service;

10.1.2. Marked route of the Wyścig by T. Marczyński, closed to traffic;

10.1.3. Full medical security;

10.1.4. Support and assistance from the organizer's services in situations requiring it;

10.1.5. The right to use the buffet on the route and a regeneration meal;

10.1.6. A commemorative medal after completing the Race, issued in the competition village;

10.1.7. Prizes (for winners) and the right to participate in a prize competition.

10.1.8. Prizes, medals, and Polish Champion jerseys for participants of the Polish Uniformed Services in gravel cycling 2026 (individual general classification among women and men and team classification). Participants can start individually and simultaneously within one team. The team consists of 4 to 6 people of different genders, from any age categories, starting on the short distance. The team can represent only one club. Team registration can be done during the registration of the Participant of the Competition. The same name must be provided without exception. The result is

decided by the summary time of the four best Participants of the team at the finish line, including one woman.

11. Age categories

Women:

Open (born 2008 and earlier),
K2: 18:29 years (born 1997:2008),
K3: 30:39 years (born 1987:1996),
K4: 40:49 years (born 1977:1986),
K5: 50 and over (born 1976 and earlier).

Men:

Open (born 2008 and earlier),
M2: 18:29 years (born 1997:2008),
M3: 30:39 years (born 1987:1996),
M4: 40:49 years (born 1977:1986),
M5: 50:59 years (born 1967:1976),
M6A: 60:65 years (born 1961:1966),
M6B: 66 and over (born 1960 and earlier).

12. Prizes

12.1. During the „Wyścig by Tomasz Marczyński: III edition Kuźnia Raciborska 2026”, the following prizes will be awarded:

- 12.1.1. for the first three places in the OPEN women category on the long distance;
 - 12.1.2. for the first three places in the OPEN women category on the short distance;
 - 12.1.3. for the first three places in the OPEN men category on the long distance;
 - 12.1.4. for the first three places in the OPEN men category on the short distance;
 - 12.1.5. for the first three places in each age category on the short distance;
 - 12.1.6. for the first three places in each age category on the long distance;
 - 12.1.7. for the best team on the long distance;
 - 12.1.8. During the Polish Championships for Uniformed Services in gravel cycling 2026, medals and Polish Champion jerseys will be awarded in individual general classification among women and men and in the team classification.
- 12.2. Failure to collect the prize by 18:30 (on the day of the competition) results in the inability to collect it later.

13. Road traffic

- 13.1. During the race, the passage of Participants from the honorary start to the sharp start (approx. 2.1 km section from the Municipal Stadium in Kuźnia Raciborska to the road Na Czarne Świerki) will be individual.
- 13.2. The race will take place in a closed area of the Rudy Raciborskie Forest Inspectorate. Participants outside the time limit are obliged to comply with the provisions of the Road Traffic Code. Regardless of this, all Participants must exercise great caution due to the possibility of encountering pedestrians, animals, and single vehicles.

13.3. Participants must exercise particular caution keeping in mind the possibility of vehicles exiting fields, forest roads, or single buildings.

13.4. The Organizer is not responsible for any collisions and accidents on the route caused by the Participant's fault.

14. Penalties

14.1. The Judging Panel, in consultation with the Organizer, may impose the following penalties:

14.1.1. refusal of admission to the start;

14.1.2. reprimand;

14.1.3. time penalty;

14.1.4. disqualification.

15. Environmental protection

15.1. Participants must respect the natural environment and absolutely cannot litter the race route. All waste, garbage, and packaging should be left only in the so called BUFFET ZONE located at the start and finish of the Race and the nutrition point.

15.2. Littering the race route will be punished in accordance with point 14 of the regulations.

15.3. It is forbidden to use glass containers and other items that pose a threat to the life and health of Participants or fans near and on the route of the competition.

16. Protests

16.1. Protests to the Chief Judge of the competition can be submitted in writing during the competition. A deposit of 1000 PLN must be attached to the protest. The deposit will not be returned unless the Chief Judge in consultation with the Organizer does not grant the person submitting the protest a valid reason. The final decision belongs to the Chief Judge.

17. Personal data administrator

17.1. The administrator of personal data processed in connection with the organization of the event is the company S-Time: Michał Salamon, ul. Flisacka 24b, 34-460 Szczawnica

17.2. All information regarding the processing of personal data by the Administrator can be found in the Privacy Policy published at the address s-time.pl

18. Additional information

18.1. The Organizer reserves the right to change the route and/or schedule of the competition. The Organizer will inform about changes on the website www.wyscig.cc and in social media. Making changes does not result in any additional obligations on the part of the Organizer towards the Participant.

18.2. The Organizer is not responsible for random accidents that occur while the Participants are traveling to the competition and returning from it.

18.3. The Participant is forbidden from any interference with the appearance of the received start number, in particular removing and covering graphic elements placed on the number, as well as

placing new elements unrelated to the Wyścig by Tomasz Marczyński under penalty of disqualification.

18.4. The Organizer is not financially responsible for items lost during the competition.

18.5. The Organizer is not responsible for any collisions and accidents on the route caused by the Participant's fault.

18.6. Persons without start numbers moving along the event route may be removed by the technical staff.

18.7. The Organizer reserves the right to cancel the event due to natural disasters or other events considered an act of „force majeure”.

18.8. The Organizer and the Chief Judge reserve the right to interpret these regulations and to change them. Lack of knowledge of the regulations will not be accepted as an explanation.

18.9. Anti doping control will take place in accordance with Polish law and anti doping regulations.

For the organizational team:

Tomasz Marczyński

Węgrzce Wielkie, February 16, 2026