The 1st European Snow Plough Championship is organised by the Austrian PIARC Committee for Winter Service (Österreichisches Komitee für Straßenerhaltung und Winterdienst) and will be hosted from 11th until 13th October 2022 at the “NÖ Feuerwehr- und Sicherheitszentrum” in Tulln, Lower Austria.

VENUE

The “NÖ Feuerwehr- und Sicherheitszentrum” in Tulln (Lower Austria’s firefighters and fire safety training center) has been chosen as a venue for this event being situated around 40 kilometers west of Vienna’s city center at Langenlebarner Strasse 106, 3430 Tulln an der Donau.

You can have a look at the venue through a virtual tour following this link: https://www.noe122.at/feuerwehrwesen/feuerwehrwelt/virtueller-rundgang

HOW TO GET THERE?

Arrival by car
Free parking is available on-site at the venue. Navigation with all common navigation apps is possible by using the following destination address: Langenlebarner Strasse 106, 3430 Tulln an der Donau, Austria.

Arrival by plane
If you decide to arrive by airplane, the nearest airport is Vienna International Airport (VIE). From Vienna International Airport it takes about 45 minutes by train to the train station “Tullnerfeld”. We will organise a transfer service from the train station “Tullnerfeld” to the event venue in Tulln.

Reservation of the transfer service will be possible with your official registration.
An individual taxi service from Vienna’s airport will take about one hour and it will cost about 120 Euro and you will need a pre-reservation.

Arrival by train
For international train connections, you have to go via Vienna. From Vienna, you can either take a local train directly to the train station “Tulln Bahnhof” or you can take an express train to the train station “Tullnerfeld” and then make use of our transfer service provided, which could be booked during your official registration to the event. We recommend using Austrian Travel Planner “VAO” for public transport routing: https://anachb.vor.at/?&language=en_EN

ACCOMMODATION

On-Site for Drivers
A limited number of single and double rooms is available on-site at the event venue. Due to the limited number of rooms, a room reservation will be only possible via the official registration website (first come, first serve principle). There is no other way of booking a room on site. You can have a look at the rooms on-site following this link: https://www.noefsz.at/?kat=71&op=8&dok_id=33199
**Guests, Fans, Family Members**

Additional single and double rooms are available at the Hotel Römerhof and have been blocked for the event. The Hotel Römerhof is located within 10 minutes walking distance from the event venue. If you choose the Hotel Römerhof for your overnight stay in Tulln, please book directly at the hotel, mentioning the event “Snow Plough 2022”. You can find the website of the Hotel Römerhof under following link: [https://www.hotel-roemerhof.at/englisch/e_hotel_ausstattung.html](https://www.hotel-roemerhof.at/englisch/e_hotel_ausstattung.html)

In Tulln, there are several additional hotels available for your overnight stay. If you need further information, you can contact the tourist service in Tulln. You’ll find the link here: [www.snowplough2022.eu](http://www.snowplough2022.eu)

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**REGULATIONS**

**Participation at the competition**

The maximum number of participants is limited to four drivers per each European country. One official contact person per country shall do the registration process for the national team. This person has to be named during the online registration process.

There is NO registration fee to be paid. Teams have to cover the costs of their travel and stay (hotel, meals). Audience and fans will be granted FREE ADMISSION.

**Vehicle**

Mercedes Unimog Type UGE 405.105 (U423 4×4 Wheelbase 3.000 mm)

**Snow Plough**

Plow width: 3,2 m (with curb deflector 3,44 m), clearing width 2,77 m

**Obstacle course**

The course consists of different tasks, where the drivers could gather different points; referees will evaluate the performance of each driver. The running time of the driver will be measured electronically.

After training courses and a qualification round the final will consist of two separate runs. The final score will be calculated by adding the points from both final runs.

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**PROGRAMME**

**Schedule of the event**

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Details will be provided to registered drivers.

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Side events
Expert presentations and talks on the latest findings in winter road maintenance.
Presentation and demonstration of vehicles and equipment for winter services.
A detailed program of lectures and demonstrations is in preparation and will be provided on the website.

Registration and information
www.snowplough2022.eu

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