Expression of interest to host European Rogaining Championships 2014

Proposed dates: March 14-15, 2014

Planned location: Southern Judean Hills (see map below)

Rules:

The Rogaining Championships will be organized in compliance with the IRF Rules of Rogaining, in combination with a national rogaining event.

Organiser:

Israel Sport Orienteering Association (www.nivut.org.il).

Experience: Annual Rogaining events between years 2005-2013, http://israelorienteering.org/rogaine/

Terrain:

Competition area located at Southern Judean Hills, with elevation variety between 100-430 meters above sea level. Competitors will be challenged by the various vegetation and terrain of Mesuah Ridge, Britannia Park, Haruvit Forest, Adullam Reservation.

On the eastern part of the map is a relatively high and steep ridge, which slopes gradually to the west. The region has a mix of planted forests, natural Mediterranean woods and both fallow and cultivated fields. Several rural villages are within the map.

Mean minimum/maximum air temperatures for March in relevant area are 9-20 deg C.

Map and Punching system:

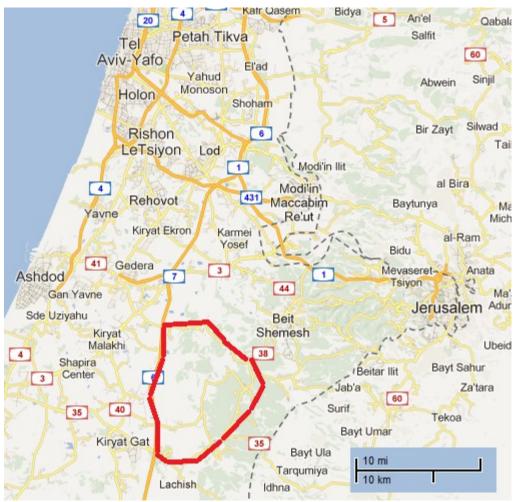
Orienteering/rogaining map covering over 150 square kilometers. Scale 1:30000; contour interval 10m. Electronic punching system will be provided by organisers.

Accommodation:

TBD.

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Terrain pictures taken from http://www.nivut.org.il/Projects/Rogaine/ImageGallery.aspx

