



# Welcome to Mersin 2013

## Sprint Orienteering Race to the Olympics 22.06.2013



Mersin Büyükşehir  
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# **BULLETIN 2**

**Sprint Orienteering -Race to the Olympics**

**[www.orienteering.org.tr](http://www.orienteering.org.tr)**

**Mersin, Turkey**

**22nd of June 2013**

**ORGANISING COMMITTEE**

**Turkish Orienteering Federation**

With the main goal of introducing the orienteering sport to the Mediterranean Games participants, officials, spectators and also the local people

**Place: Mersin, Atatürk Park**

**Start-18:00**



**Classes:**

MW10, MW12, MW14, MW16, MW18,  
MW20, MW Elit, MW35+  
“Open class”

**Prizes:**

All winners will receive medals and souvenirs from the Turkish Orienteering Federation. Prize giving ceremony will be held at 20:30h. at Atatürk Park assembly area.

**Assembly area:**

Atatürk Park amphitheater  
36°47'51.01"N  
34°37'56.05"E

**Entries:**

Entries will be available at our web site [www.orienteeing.org.tr](http://www.orienteeing.org.tr) from 1st of June 2013. There won't be any entry fees for this competition.

**Map and terrain:**

Scale 1:4000, Contour interval: 2m  
According to ISSOM  
Drawn May 2013  
Map Maker: Mehmet KüçükçolakTUR

Atatürk Park is a nice city park on the sea coast. The terrain is flat and suitable for very fast running.

**Accommodation:**

Normally due to Mediterranean games there is no possibility to stay anywhere in Mersin. Please, plan your travel with possibilities to stay at other cities, which have direct flights to Adana such as Istanbul and Ankara. But we have limited amount of place to stay for free for foreign runners in 30 minutes from Mersin. Please contact organizers. The bus will be organized from prize giving ceremony.



## **How to get there:**

### **By plane**

There are flights to and from Istanbul and Ankara to the closest airport, Adana Sakirpasa Airport. There are shuttles from the airport to Mersin. Also it is possible to take a train to Mersin from Adana. Adana – Mersin 85km

### **By bus**

There is a bus station in eastern part of the city. There are city buses running between the city center and the bus station. Usually each bus company has its own shuttles running between the city center, western (coastal part) and the bus station.

From the bus station there are buses to almost every city in Turkey and to small cities and villages in Cilician Mountains (the rest of Mersin Province), including buses from Gaziantep (5hrs).

Some possible flights:

22nd of June

Atlasjet Ist-Adana 07:00-08:30

THY Ist-Adana 08:45-10:20

THY Ist-Adana 10:05-11:40 and some others

Return flights

22nd of June

Pegasus Adana-Ist 22:25-23:50

THY Adana-Ist 22:40-00:20

23rd of June:

THY Adana-Ist 03:35-05:15

THY Adana-Ist 06:45-08:25

THY Adana –Ankara 03:35-07:15

## **Contact information:**

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