

# Race Info

## Enduro Gradec, June 23<sup>rd</sup>/24<sup>th</sup>, 2018

Austria National Championships, Central European Enduro,  
Enduro World Series Qualifier Event

**Name:** Enduro Gradec  
**Date:** June 23<sup>rd</sup>/24<sup>th</sup>, 2018  
**Location:** Stattegg & Schöckl near Graz, Styra, Austria  
**Race office:** Lässerhof, Hofweg 2, 8046 Graz, Austria  
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**Urgent race info:** [www.enduro-gradec.at](http://www.enduro-gradec.at) and. [www.facebook.com/events/232235550649480](https://www.facebook.com/events/232235550649480)

### Description

Enduro Gradec is a mountain bike enduro race, hosting the Austrian national championships, the third round of the Central European Enduro series and has the status of an Enduro World Series Qualifier event. The event center will be located in Stattegg near Graz. All courses will start from here onto Schöckl mountain and return back here. Training and prologue will take place on Saturday. On Sunday six special stages will be on the program. Riders with and without a national license starting from the age of 16 are eligible to participate.

### Timetable

<b>Friday, June 22<sup>nd</sup></b>	4.00 pm – 7.00 pm from 7.00 pm	Race office open Riders' welcome party
<b>Saturday, June 23<sup>rd</sup></b>	10 am – 3.00 pm from 11.00 am 3.30 pm 4.00 pm – 6.00 pm	Race office open official training Riders' meeting Prologue
<b>Sunday, June 24<sup>th</sup></b>	from 8.30 am from 9.30 am 1.30 pm– 5.00 pm 4.30 pm	Race start Start Stage 1 Race office open Award ceremony

### Registration

Registration fee: € 40,- (please have € 50,- chip deposit ready in cash)  
Late registration fee: € 50,- (if the maximum number of 300 has not been reached)

online (until June 20<sup>th</sup>, 2018): [www.enduro-gradec.at](http://www.enduro-gradec.at)  
on site (until June 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2018, 3.00 pm); no event licenses possible  
Race participation, gondola ticket for Sunday, feed-/technical zone,  
after-race-meal

Service:

Eligible to race:

You need to fulfill one of these three requirements:

1. License  
according to the rules of your national cycling federation
2. ÖRV (Austrian Cycling Federation) Bike Card  
The ÖRV Bike Card is valid for 12 months at all ÖRV races in Austria and can be purchased at a special price of € 25,- on site.
3. Event license  
Basically a one event insurance for Saturday and Sunday. Event licenses need to be purchased online until June 20<sup>th</sup>, 2018 together with your starting fee. The prize is € 15,-. **It is not possible to purchase event licenses on site due to insurance reasons!**

## Categories

U21 m	2002 to 1998	license
Women	from 2002	license & non-license
Men	1997 to 1989	license
Master 1 m	1988 to 1978	license
Master 2 m	1977 and older	license
Hobby m	from 2002	non-license

### **Austria National Championship Categories**

According to the rules of the ÖRV, the national championships will be awarded to the following categories (a separate registration is not necessary):

Juniors	2002 to 2000	license
Men	1999 and older	license
Women	from 2002	license

## Course

Start and finish is in Stattegg near Graz. A short prologue (about one minute) will be held close to the start/finish area. On Sunday the course winds its way up to the top of Schöckl mountain. Appr. 1.000 meters of climbing will be done the riders themselves. The Schöckl gondola takes care of the rest. Between stages 2 and 4 will be a feed/technical zone. The majority of stages is on natural singletrails with roots and rocks.

## Gondola

A special ticket for training will be on sale at the bottom station of the gondola, which costs € 15,- and is valid on Friday and Saturday. The gondola ticket for the race on Sunday is included within the starting fee.

## Accommodation & Amenities

Accommodation can be found at [www.regiongraz.at](http://www.regiongraz.at)

Parking spots for camper vans are located directly at the event area Lässerhof (Hofweg 2, 8046 Graz, Austria). Showers are close by at the local sports field. Bike washing places will be signed.

## Rules

- The race will be held according to the rules of the ÖRV ([www.radsportverband.at/images/Verband/Reglement/4-mtb\\_2017-02-26.pdf](http://www.radsportverband.at/images/Verband/Reglement/4-mtb_2017-02-26.pdf)) and the UCI.
- Participants below the age of 18 need to present a signed letter of consent of a legal guardian.
- The race will be held on marked trails with natural and man-made obstacles.
- The following gear is mandatory on stages:
  - Fullface helmet (a halfshell helmet is sufficient on transfers)
  - Back protection/protection backpack
  - Gloves
  - Knee protectionProtection gear will be checked at the start. Missing protection gear results in disqualification.
- The bike needs to be in a flawless state and is not permitted to possess any engine (i.e. electro motor).
- The bike needs to be fitted with the official race number on the handle bars.
- Frame, wheels and fork will be marked and are not allowed to be switched during race start and race end.
- Starting order of the stages will be in order of race numbers.
- The start interval on stages is 30 seconds.
- Timing chips and start numbers need to be returned immediately after the race. In case of loss a fee of € 50,- will be charged.
- Winners are the persons with the lowest overall time on all timed stages (including prologue) in their categories.
- The winner of each category will be awarded a trophy.
- Results will be published on [www.enduro-gradec.at](http://www.enduro-gradec.at) after the race.
- All participants take part on their own risk and cost.
- The organizer does not take any liability for damages between riders and or third parties.
- In case of bad weather or other unforeseeable events, the organizer reserves the right to alter the course.