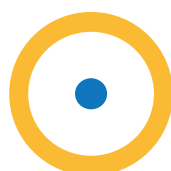
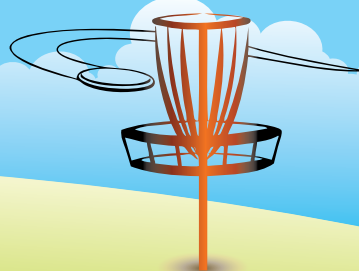


3rd Varaždin disc golf challenge
7th - 9th November 2014.

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Drava Forester 2014

DraFo is organized by executive organizer Lagoda Disc Golf (Maja Šimenc, Dinko Šimenc), with help from Disc Golf Club Varaždin (Maja, Dinko, Danica Pajtak, Aki Vucković) and friends.

Three years ago we have started the first international disc golf tournament in Croatia with the goal to make it bigger and more fun every year - and we have succeeded. For the third time we were happy to host the disc golfers from all over the Europe and to have some super nice time with all of you.

Drava Forester 2014 was played by 85 players from 12 countries and we are really satisfied with how everything turned out. But, it's still not the best of us, so make the plans to join the 4th Drava Forester, as we believe it will keep growing and getting more and more fun for everyone.

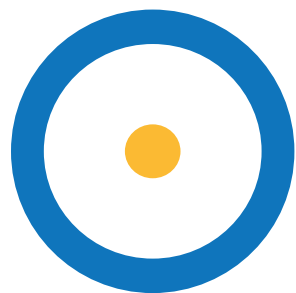
On the following pages you can find a summary of the tournament and everything that was going on. I hope that you will enjoy reading it and think of the fun times in Varaždin.

Before you proceed I'd like to say thank you to a people who helped make this happen - Davor Zimić and Hrvoje Potrebica who were driving the shuttles; Vanja Brozović and Bojan Trojok who helped to set up the course; Andreja Zimić for taking care of tournament fees; Mia Horvat for press and Facebook stuff; Eda Rain and Valentina Fabijančić for decorations, Hana Hanžek and Kristina Lisica who helped with the shop and putting contest and to Tommy Vacca for good english. Special thanks also goes to our Hungarian friend Robert Furka and other Budapest guys who have picked up a rent-a-car van and gave a ride to Finnish players from the Budapest Airport to Varaždin. We have had "home made" table where several people contributed with cookies, cakes or wine and brandy. For that thanks goes to: Ivančica and Maja Šimenc, Danica and her mother, Vanja's mother, Ira Molnar and Hrvoje.

And, of course, this report and social networks would be way less cool if it weren't for great photos made by photo volunteer Darko Mareš, and player Rene Westenberg who let us use his shots.

Dinko Šimenc, Tournament Director





PLAYERS

3rd Drava Forester (main and recreational) was played by this 85 discgolfers from 12 countries:

- Austria (22):** Bernie Stadler; Christian Veselka; Harald Dehner; Harald Neumayr; Irmgard Derschmidt; Jakob Gusenbauer; Johannes Hielfer; Julia Buchinger; Katharina Gusenbauer; Magda Kiss; Mike Kalcher; Norbert Eder; Otfried Derschmidt; Reinhold Schachner; Roland Dunzendorfer; Susanne Giendl; Thomas Spritzendorfer; Eric Osterwinter; Günther Kaimberger; Michael Seitlinger; Tom Hlina; Tommy Vacca
- Croatia (19):** Aki Vucković; Aleksandar Sudžuković; Andreja Zimić; Bojan Trojok; Boris Dolenc; Danica Pajtak; Eda Rain; Franjo Kirić; Ira Molnar; Jasna Gordon; Kristijan Sklepić; Marinko Mesarić; Mike Gordon; Miljenko Katunarić; Natalija Jarec; Nino Đurak; Tomi Gorički; Radule Mikić; Zvonko Slavić
- Czech Rep. (4):** Krystof Novak; Michal Grepl; Petra Javorkova; Premysl Novak
- Denmark (3):** Janus Hajsland; Kenneth Andersen; Lars Weirsø
- Finland (3):** Jenni Eskelinen; Matias Söderström; Teemu Malmelin
- Germany (9):** Alessa Schwarz; Emanuel Kroll; Florian Menzel; Henning Jacobs; Martin Rentsch; Michael Lueders; Paul Davies; Ralf Hüpper; Bene Heiß
- Hungary (5):** Ákos Szabó; András Racz; Daniel Hatvani; Péter Hársfai; Róbert Furka
- Iceland (1):** Haukur Árnason
- Netherlands (1):** René Westenberg
- Slovakia (7):** Anna Rusnakova; Katka Bodova; Michal Kudela; Pavol Kudela ; Richard Kollar; Roman Miezga; Stefan Dobrev
- Slovenia (9):** Aleš Repotočnik; Andrej Gerbec; Bojan Trost; Boštjan Babič; Miha Obreza; Mitja Leskovec; Primož Tertinek; Simon Arh; Jasmina Pištan
- UK (2):** Derek Robins; Simon Luard

Players of the past events:

2nd Drava Forester was played by 50 players from 12 countries:

- Austria (15):** Harald Neumayr, Simon Ceh, David Wojak, Otfried Derschmidt, Irmgard Derschmidt, Reinhol Schachner, Markus Fuchs, Christian Stepanek, Phillip Gould, Michael Seitlinger, Wiltrud Derschmidt, Günther Kaimberger, Eric Osterwinter, Wolfgang Pratl, Tom Hlina
- Croatia (10):** Danica Pajtak, Kristijan Sklepić, Vanja Brozović, Bojan Trojok, Marko Šurlan, Predrag Persak, Dražen Petrek, Radule Mikić; Snežana Nedelkovska, Zvonko Slavić
- Denmark (3):** Morten Kristensen, Janus Hajsland, Lars Weirsoe
- Finland (1):** Matias Söderström
- Germany (6):** Bene Heiß, Robert Mayer, Jesse Hawkins, Dominik Stampfer, Anna Sachanidou, Marcus Holzmüller
- Hungary (4):** Dani Hatvani, Szilard Palinkas, Robert Furka, Peter Harsfai
- Iceland (1):** Haukur Árnason
- Netherlands (1):** Rene Westenberg
- Norway (1):** Jonathan Gewirtz
- Slovakia (5):** Pavol Kudela, Marcel Gala, Richard Kollar, Katka Bodova, Stefan Dobrev
- Slovenia (2):** Jasmina Pištan, Simon Arh
- UK (1):** Derek Robins

1st Drava Forester was played by 30 players from 4 countries:

- Austria (6):** Christian Stepanek; David Wojak; Eva Maria Pirchenfellner; Harald Neumayr; Otfried Derschmidt; Tom Hlina;
- Croatia (22):** Aki Vucković; Barbara Prprović; Bojan Trojok; Boris Dolenc; Danica Pajtak; Dario Novak; Dinko Šimenc; Franjo Kirić; Ivan Slavić; Ivo Šprem; Jasna Gordon; Maja Šimenc; Marko Mofardin; Marko Šurlan; Mike Gordon; Mislav Topolnjak; Nikola Perišić; Nino Đurak; Predrag Peršak; Radule Mikić; Vanja Brozović; Zvonko Slavić
- Norway (1):** Jonathan Gewirtz
- Slovenia (1):** Jasmina Pištan

Drava Forester Regulars

Apart from the local players Bojan Trojok, Danica Pajtak and Radule Mikić only 5 other players traveled to Varaždin and took part in all three Drava Forester tournaments - Harald Neumayr; Otfried Derschmidt; Tom Hlina; Zvonko Slavić and Jasmina Pištan. This five regulars will receive a free of charge tournament T-shirt!



Open Women

12 ladies competed in the Open Women category and from the start it seemed like a sure victory for Katharina Gusenbauer (Austria) who managed to stay in the lead from the start till the end.

Katharina started strong from the start with a great round of 60 but was closely followed by Katka Bodová (Slovakia) who played 61. Few more players were still quite close - Jenni Eskelinen (Finland) and Alessa Schwarz (Germany) played 64 while Petra Javorkova (Czech Republic) had 65.

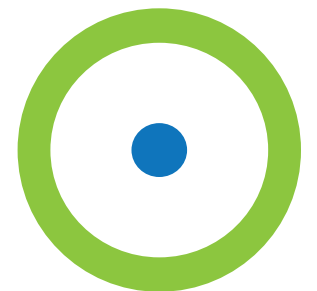
And while everything was still open after the 1st round, Katharina decided to step up in the 2nd round and played an awesome round of 55 (three under the course par of 58). Both, Katka and Jenni managed to improve their scores by 1 or 2 strokes but they were already few steps behind.

In the third round Jenni kept on improving and played a 59 while Katka played 64 and that got them tied for the 2nd place, 9 strokes behind the leading Katharina. Alessa Schwarz with the constant scores of 64, 65 and 66 secured the 4th place and Austrian Susanne Giendl (68, 63, 67) ended up on the last spot for the Finals.

In the finals, played by top 5 players on a 6 new holes designed just for the ladies, Katharina had played 2 under the par with 2 birdies and two good birdie chances. That was the best way to show off in front of the gallery.

Katka Bodová and Jenni Eskelinen were battling for the 2nd place and Katka was more focused in the finals where she played in par and took the 2nd place. Alessa and Susanne remained on their positions.

The best round of the tournament was 55 by Katharina Gusenbauer what is PDGA rated at the awesome 955.



Past Winners

1st Drava Forester in 2012 was won by Jasmina Pištan (Slovenia) in front of Maja Šimenc (Croatia) and Eva Maria Pirhcnfellner (Austria)

2nd Drava Forester was won by Katka Bodová (Slovakia) in front of Wiltrud Derschmidt (Austria) and Jasmina Pištan.





Open Men

55 guys competed in the Open Men category and a lot of changes in the top have happened until the last hole of the finals.

Ralf Hüpper (Germany) took the lead after round 1 with a score of 49. He was followed by Matias Söderström (Finland) and Richard Kollar (Slovakia) who played 52 and six more guys with 53.

Second round was won by Teemu Malmelin (Finland) who played 48 and that got him the leading position, two strokes in front of Ralf and three strokes in front of Emanuel Kroll (Germany) and Matias.

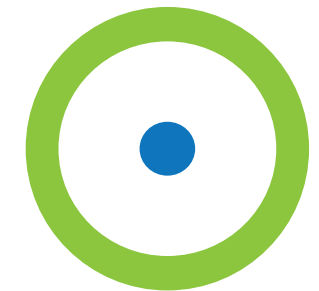
Third round was won by Matias, the defending champion, with the score of 48 what had put him in the lead by one before the finals as Teemu played 52. Mike Gordon (USA/Croatia), the winner of the 1st Drava Forester, managed to keep improving his score with 53, 52 and 51 what was enough to place him on the 3rd spot. German players Emanuel and Ralf did not perform as good as on the day one so their places in the top 5 Finals were taken by Austrians Günther Kaimberger and Johannes Hielfer who were tied at the 4th place.

The Finals were played in front of almost 100 spectators and the top guys showed some really good skills.

From the start it seemed like Matias is in a good way to defend the title as both him and Teemu played 2 and 3 on first two holes and then Matias parked it by the basket for the birdie on the longest hole of the finals while all other guys played a par. That had got him the 2 points lead over Teemu, but Teemu then decided to step up and it paid off. On the last three, short but tricky, holes of the finals Matias got three par's while Teemu got three birdies and with that awesome performance he had earned himself the title!

Before the Finals Mike was 3 strokes behind the 2nd placed Teemu and 2 strokes in front of the Austrians tied up on the 4th place but with the furious start by the leading Finns his main goal was to stay third and he did achieve that by playing all par's. Günther Kaimberger and Johannes Hielfer played different games but at the end they were tied again, but this time just one stroke behind Mike.

The best round of the tournament was 48 played by Teemu in 2nd round and Matias in 3rd. This round was rated by the PDGA at 1025.



Past Winners

1st Drava Forester in 2012 was won by Mike Gordon (USA/Croatia) in front of Otfried Derschmidt (Austria) and Harald Neumayr (Austria)

2nd Drava Forester was won by Matias Matias Söderström (Finland) in front of Dominik Stampfer (Germany) and Otfried Derschmidt (Austria).



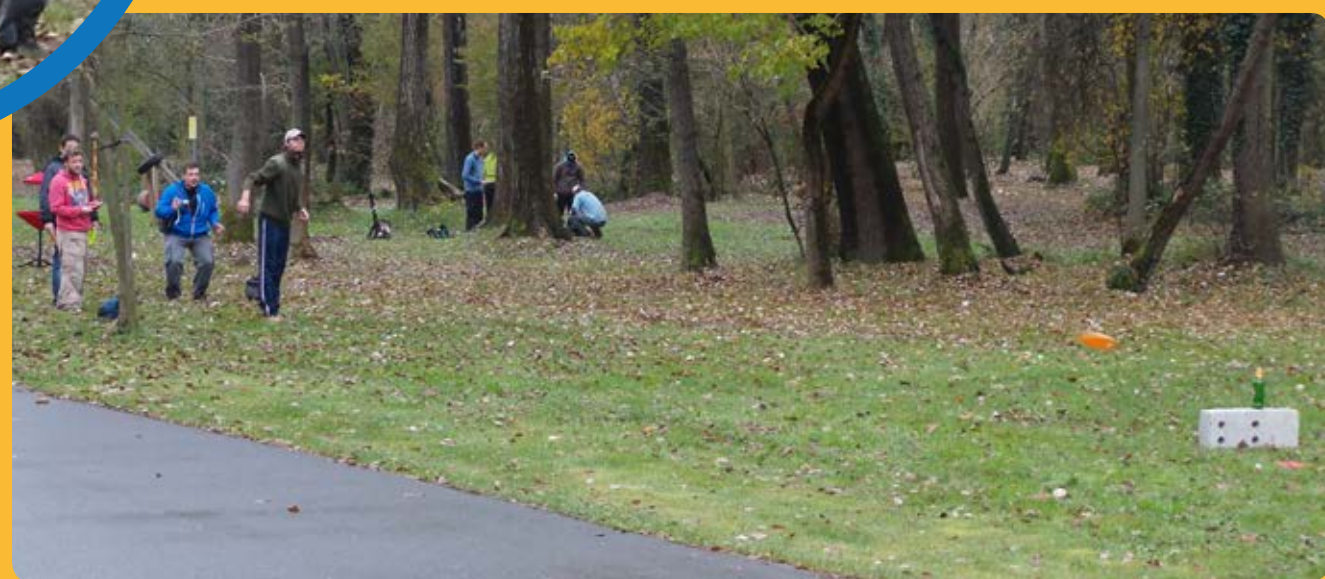
Recreational Tournament

With the growth of the Drava Forester we have realized that the main event will most likely be full so not all players will be able to join us in Varaždin, and on the other hand not all players would enjoy playing two long rounds a day. Therefore we have organized a recreational tournament that was played in one round a day on a separate course with shorter holes, less strict rules and a lot of fun. And already in the first year it was a success.



A TD that Cares (if you get a free beer)

The last hole of the recreational tournament had some extra fun - you had 2 attempts to hit a beer bottle and if you'd make it you'd get a free beer and a -1 on your score. It was done only once by Aleksandar Sudžuković - Bato. The TD for this tournament was Vanja Brozović and you can see how excited he got when Bojan was close to hitting it.



RESULTS

Recreational Women

6 ladies competed in this tournament and they had a lot of fun!

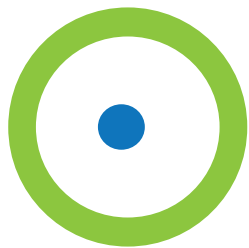
Bernie Stadler (Austria) played two rounds of 64 what had earned her a title. Anna Rusnakova (Slovakia) ended up on the 2nd place with the scores of 73 and 69 while Jasna Gordon (Croatia) finished 3rd with 70 and 75.



Recreational Men

12 guys preferred more partying and later start of play so they joined this category. Tommy Vacca (USA/Austria) was registered for the main tournament but after the Friday evening Players meeting and the long after party he decided to change his event and join the recreational tournament (yes, he did not wake up on time for the 1st round of the main event). It turned out to be a great thing for Tommy as he went to win the tournament with the scores of 44 and 49. Second place was won by Harald Neumayr (46, 50) and third was Tom Hlina (51, 52) - both from Austria.





RESULTS

Open Men							
	Player	R1	R2	R3	F	Score	On PAR
1	Teemu Malmelin	53	48	52	14	167	-25
2	Matias Söderström	52	52	48	16	168	-24
3	Mike Gordon	53	52	51	18	174	-18
4	Günther Kaimberger	54	51	53	17	175	-17
	Johannes Hiefner	53	52	53	17	175	-17
6	Ralf Hüpper	49	54	57		160	-14
7	Otfried Derschmidt	55	52	56		163	-11
	Emanuel Kroll	53	51	59		163	-11
9	Michal Kúdela	56	53	56		165	-9
	Premysl Novak	54	56	55		165	-9
	Róbert Furka	57	55	53		165	-9
12	Benedikt Heiß	55	56	55		166	-8
13	Derek Robins	57	55	55		167	-7
	Janus Hajslund	58	55	54		167	-7
15	Richard Kollar	52	57	59		168	-6
	Rene Westenberg	57	55	56		168	-6
17	Michal Grepl	53	60	56		169	-5
18	Daniel Hatvani	58	60	53		171	-3
	Michael Lueders	58	56	57		171	-3
20	Harald Dehner	53	63	57		173	-1
	Jakob Gusenbauer	59	60	54		173	-1
22	Simon Luard	57	58	59		174	E
	Krystof Novak	62	57	55		174	E
24	Bostjan Babic	60	53	62		175	1
25	Eric Osterwinter	60	59	57		176	2
	Florian Menzel	59	58	59		176	2
27	Norbert Eder	63	56	58		177	3
28	Mike Kalcher	57	60	61		178	4
	Haukur Arnason	56	60	62		178	4
	Ákos Szabó	55	60	63		178	4
31	Nino Durak	56	59	64		179	5
	Stefan Dobrev	59	56	64		179	5
33	Michael Seitlinger	63	60	57		180	6
34	Reinhold Schachner	58	60	64		182	8
	Zvonko Slavic	62	61	59		182	8
36	András Racz	63	60	60		183	9
37	Andrej Gerbec	62	60	63		185	11
	Pavol Kudela	61	62	62		185	11
39	Aleksandar Aki Vuckovic	59	68	60		187	13
40	Franjo Kiric	62	63	67		192	18
	Radule Mikic	64	62	66		192	18
42	Tomi Goricki	63	62	68		193	19
44	Mitja Leskovec	63	60	70		193	19
	Lars Weirsøe	64	65	65		194	20
45	Paul Davies	63	64	68		195	21
	Péter Hársfai	68	65	62		195	21
47	Roman Miezga	67	65	66		198	24
48	Simon Arh	70	66	63		199	25
49	Roland Dunzendorfer	66	66	69		201	27
50	Henning Jacobs	66	69	68		203	29
51	Primož Tertinek	68	68	68		204	30
52	Kristijan Sklepici	69	69	68		206	32
53	Bojan Trost	74	66	70		210	36
54	Thomas Spritzendorfer	75	69	70		214	40
55	Martin Rentsch	68	76	72		216	42

Open Women							
	Player	R1	R2	R3	F	Score	On PAR
1	Katharina Gusenbauer	60	55	61	16	192	0
2	Katka Bodová	61	60	64	18	203	11
3	Jenni Eskelinen	64	62	59	21	206	14
4	Alessa Schwarz	64	65	66	20	215	23
5	Susanne Giendl	68	63	67	22	220	28
6	Irmgard Derschmidt	67	66	67		200	26
7	Petra Javorkova	65	67	70		202	28
8	Jasmina Pištan	72	72	73		217	43
9	Magda Kiss	73	79	69		221	47
10	Danica Pajtak	68	85	73		226	52
11	Ira Molnar	80	75	76		231	57
12	Natalija Jarec	87	92	87		266	92



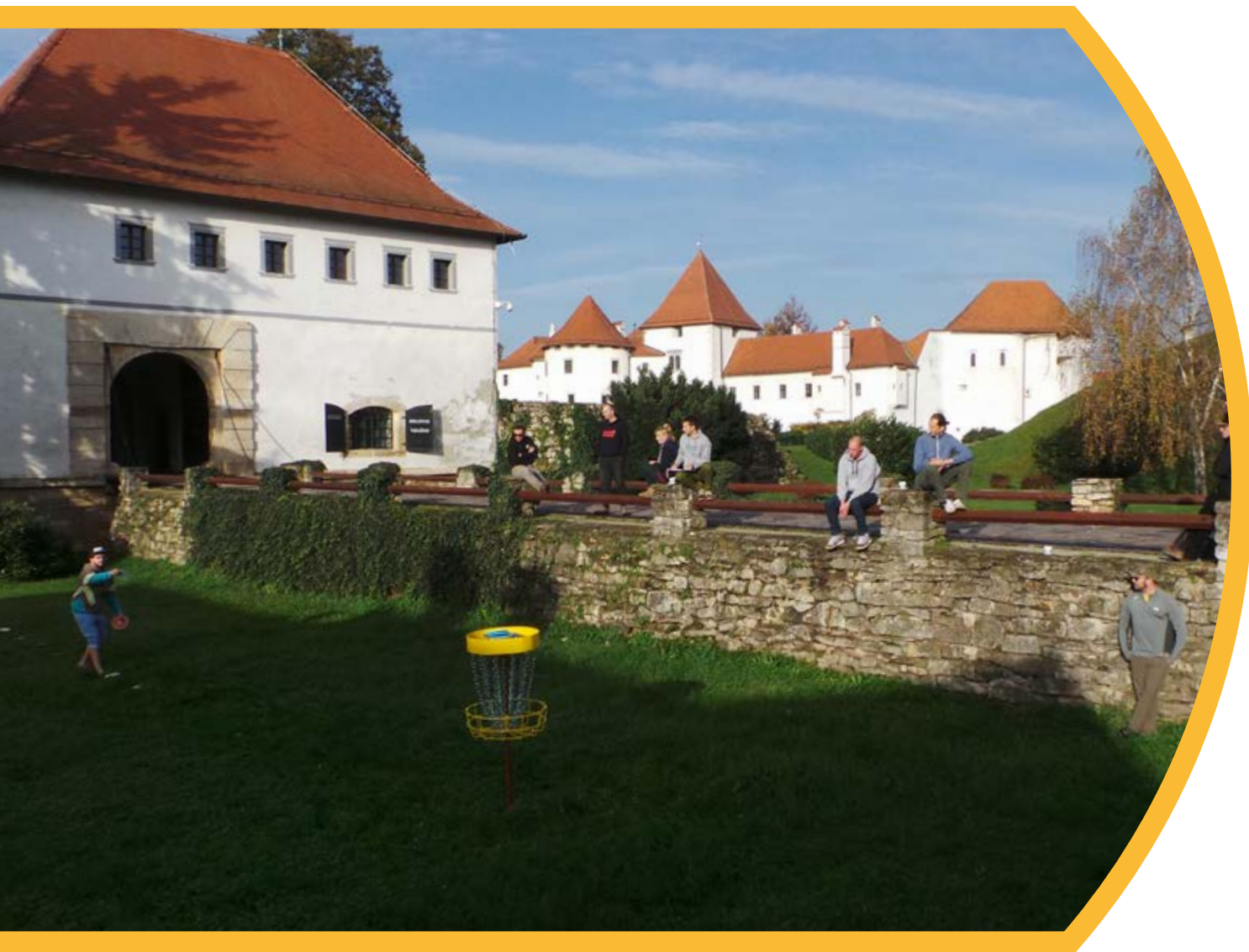
The Scores On-Line

The scores of the Open Men and Women categories are available at the PDGA website

Recreational Men				
	Player	R1	R2	Score
1	Tommy Vacca	44	49	93
2	Harald Neumayr	46	50	96
3	Tom Hlina	51	52	103
4	Bojan Trojok	51	54	105
5	Aleksandar Sudžuković	53	53	106
6	Christian Veselka	50	57	107
7	Kenneth Andersen	54	53	107
8	Hrvoje Potrebica	56	55	111
9	Miljenko Katunarić	67	66	133
10	Miha Obreza	53	x	DNF
11	Boris Dolenc	x	53	DNF
12	Aleš Repotočnik	54	x	DNF

Recreational Women				
	Player	R1	R2	Score
1	Bernie Stadler	64	64	128
2	Anna Rusnakova	73	69	142
3	Jasna Gordon	70	75	145
4	Andreja Zimić	77	75	152
5	Julia Buchinger	78	83	161
6	Eda Rain	79	x	DNF





Lagoda Putting Contest

Putting contest qualifiers were held indoor on 2 evenings at the tournament area in the official hotel. The system was to putt 10 discs from the distance of your choice (5 to 12 meters) and get as much points as the distance you have putt in is.

Each player could try it once for free and for additional 5kn (0,7€) per try could go up to 4 more times.



LAGODA PUTTING CONTEST



Bare Footed Bene

As the putting area for the finals was a bit wet, and not wanting to wet his shoes Bene was competing bare footed. In November.



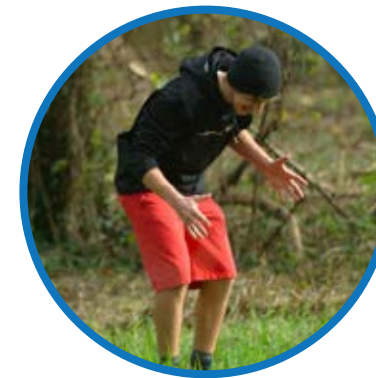
Top 5 players qualified for the finals that were played on Sunday morning downtown by the castle. As not all qualifiers showed up for the finals, replacements joined the competition.

Ralf Hüpfer (Germany) was the top qualifier with the score of 96. From first and only qualifying attempt he had missed the 1st putt and then putt 10, 10, 10, 10, 11, 11, 11, 11 and 12. The other players taking part in the finals were Otfried Derschmidt, Boštjan Babič, Bene Heiß and Tommy Vacca. The finals were played on elimination system where starting from 2nd round of 6 throws the player with the lowest accumulative score was eliminated from the further competition. Boštjan was the first to drop out, followed by Ralf and Otfried. The final two were Bene and Tommy and at the end Tommy Vacca got the title with the score of 120.





FUN



Fun To Mention

15 players played the same score in 2 rounds.

Primož Tertinek (Slovenia) managed to play the same score of 68 in all three rounds.

Mike Gordon (USA/Croatia) managed to improve by one in each round (53,52,51) while Robert Furka (Hungary) did it by two (57,55,53). Michael Seitlinger (Austria) and Péter Hársfai (Hungary) were improving by three with the scores of 63,60,57 and 68,65,62.

Five more players managed to keep improving from round to round.

As opposed to the players who kept improving two players were messing it up step by step - Alessa Schwarz with 64,65,66 and Simon Luard with 57,58,59.

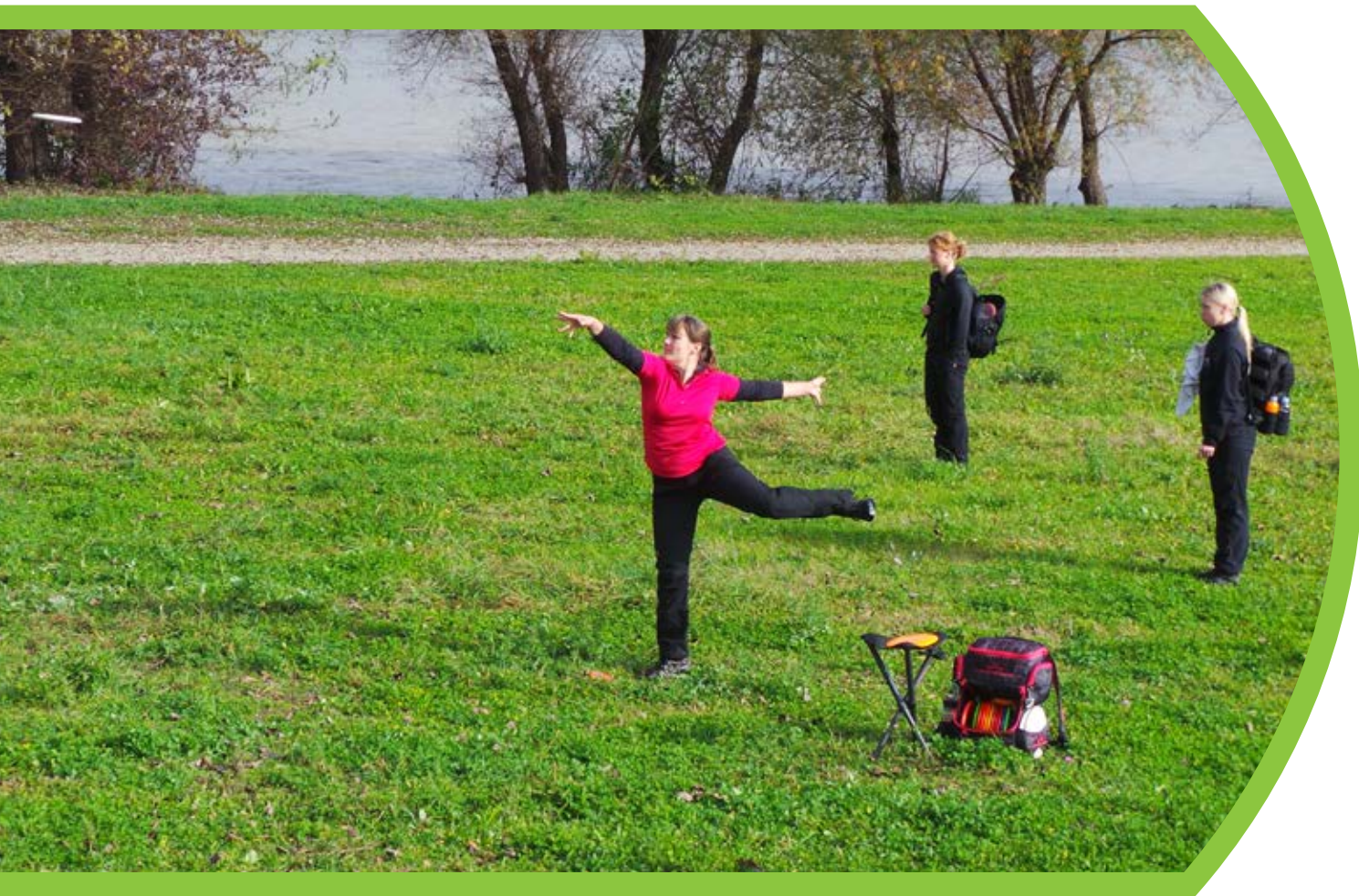


Hole In One

This year there were three training aces but when it counted then there were none. During the Friday practice round there were aces. Two have been made on "blindfolded" hole 4 by Hening Jacobs (Germany) and Kryštof Novák (Czech Republic) and one on hole 18 by Czech player Přemysl Novák.

As for now the only tournament ace at the Drava Forester remains the 2013 "show off" ace by that year's winner Matias Soderstrom on the last hole of the finals.





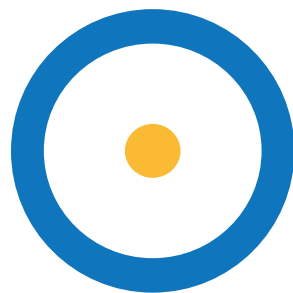
PDGA RATING GAME

PDGA rating game

Comparing the player's PDGA rating before the tournament and the average rating of three rounds played in Varaždin gives us an idea of how good did the players perform according to their skills. We can see who enjoyed the course or who was in top form for DraFo 2015.

Alessa Schwarz played 51 points over her current rating - awesome! If this would be a competition Michal Grepl would earn himself the 2nd place with the improvement by 36 and Petra Javorkova would win the 3rd place improving by 35.

All in all, 26 players played better than their rating and one (Mike Gordon) performed just the same as his rating was.



	Player	Rating before DraFo	Average rating for 3 rounds	Difference
1	Alessa Schwarz	804	855	51
2	Michal Grepl	906	942	36
3	Petra Javorkova	797	832	35
4	Johannes Hielfer	947	978	31
5	Richard Kollar	917	945	28
6	Janus Hajsland	921	948	27
6	Lars Weirsøe	831	858	27
6	Katharina Gusenbauer	891	918	27
9	Róbert Furka	929	955	26
10	Premysl Novak	930	955	25
11	Florian Menzel	894	918	24
12	Haukur Arnason	889	912	23
13	Danica Pajtak	733	752	19
14	Michael Seitlinger	887	905	18
15	Jakob Gusenbauer	915	928	13
16	Michal Kúdela	943	955	12
17	Jenni Eskelinen	877	888	11
17	Pavol Kudela	877	888	11
17	Roman Miezga	834	845	11
20	Susanne Giendl	839	845	6
21	Günther Kaimberger	973	978	5
22	Katka Bodová	884	888	4
22	Ákos Szabó	908	912	4
24	Teemu Malmelin	992	995	3
24	Benedikt Heiß	949	952	3
26	Eric Osterwinter	917	918	1
27	Mike Gordon	985	985	0
28	Matias Söderström	1001	998	-3
29	Henning Jacobs	831	828	-3
30	Irmgard Derschmidt	841	838	-3
31	Michael Lueders	938	935	-3
32	Rene Westenberg	949	945	-4
33	Emanuel Kroll	966	962	-4
34	Ralf Hüpper	979	972	-7
35	Kristijan Sklepici	828	818	-10
36	Zvonko Slavic	909	898	-11
37	Otfried Derschmidt	976	962	-14
38	Nino Durak	923	908	-15
39	Krystof Novak	940	925	-15
40	Aleksandar Aki Vuckovic	902	882	-20
41	Daniel Hatvani	958	935	-23
42	Derek Robins	973	948	-25
43	Stefan Dobrev	934	908	-26
44	Bostjan Babic	948	922	-26
45	Reinhold Schachner	927	898	-29
46	Simon Luard	954	925	-29



Science Fiction Score

Imagine that you could have all your best throws in a tournament included in just one round. How good would you do? This is what we let you see with this fictional score. SF score shows us what are players capable of playing and how good would they be if they would be able to consistently throw their best shots. The best players of the regular tournament proved to be the best in SF score too, but at the top places there are few more players who, apparently, have skills but just need a bit of concentration to perform as good as they can through all three rounds. The best SF score of the tournament is 43 by Matias Soderstrom, and he is followed by tournament winner Teemu Malmelin with 44. For the third place there is a tie between Gunther Kaimberger (who ended up on 4th place) and Michal Kudela (who was 9th). Among the ladies Katharina Gusenbauer was the best with 50, and was followed by Jenni Eskelinen (54) and Alessa Schwarz (55).

	Matias Söderström																		
Round	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	Score
1	4	2	2	2	5	4	4	2	3	3	2	2	2	3	3	3	3	3	52
2	3	2	2	2	4	4	5	3	3	2	3	2	2	3	4	3	3	2	52
3	4	2	2	2	3	3	3	3	3	2	2	3	2	2	3	2	4	3	48
SF Score	3	2	2	2	3	3	3	2	3	2	2	2	2	2	3	2	3	2	43

	Teemu Malmelin																		
Round	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	Score
1	2	3	3	2	3	5	4	3	3	3	3	3	3	2	4	2	3	2	53
2	4	2	3	2	3	3	2	3	3	3	2	2	3	3	4	2	2	2	48
3	2	2	3	2	3	3	3	2	3	3	3	3	3	2	6	3	3	3	52
SF Score	2	2	3	2	3	3	2	2	3	3	2	2	3	2	4	2	2	2	44

SCIENCE FICTION SCORE

	Player	Score
1	Matias Söderström	43
2	Teemu Malmelin	44
3	Günther Kaimberger	45
3	Michal Kúdela	45
5	Otfried Derschmidt	46
	Michael Lueders	46
	Michal Grepl	46
	Mike Gordon	46
9	Bene Heiß	47
	Premysl Novak	47
	Johannes Hielfer	47
	Ralf Hüpper	47
13	Robert Furka	48
14	Boštjan Babič	49
	Richard Kollar	49
	Harald Dehner	49
	Emanuel Kroll	49
	Jakob Gusenbauer	49
	Derek Robins	49
	Eric Osterwinter	49
	Katharina Gusenbauer	50
21	Ákos Szabó	50
	Krystof Novak	50
	Simon Luard	50
	Dani Hatvani	50
26	Michael Seitlinger	51
	Janus Hajsland	51
	Florian Menzel	51
	Stefan Dobrev	51
	Norbert Eder	51
31	Rene Westenberg	52
	Reinhold Schachner	52
	Andrej Gerbec	52



	Player	Score
34	Haukur Arnason	53
	Aki Vucković	53
	Mike Kalcher	53
37	Jenni Eskelinen	54
	Franjo Kirić	54
	András Racz	54
	Nino Đurak	54
	Mitja Leskovec	54
42	Zvonko Slavić	55
	Paul Davies	55
	Pavol Kudela	55
	Alessa Schwarz	55
46	Roland Dunzendorfer	56
	Radule Mikić	56
48	Irmgard Derschmidt	57
	Susanne Giendl	57
	Katka Bodova	57
	Péter Hársfai	57
	Primož Tertinek	57
53	Roman Miezga	58
	Simon Arh	58
	Petra Javorkova	58
56	Kristijan Sklepić	59
57	Tomi Gorički	60
	Lars Weirsøe	60
	Bojan Trost	60
60	Martin Rentsch	61
61	Hening Jacobs	62
62	Danica Pajtak	63
63	Magda Kiss	65
	Thomas Spritzendorfer	65
65	Jasmina Pištan	66
66	Ira Molnar	68
67	Natalija Jarec	81



The Course Statistics

On our request, for the first time in several years, the forest part of the course was completely mowed down by the city, but that was completed just a week before the tournament and by then all holes have been already designed.

It is likely that we will make few changes to the course in the forest area for the 4th Drava Forester, as now we can see all possible corridors and openings that would make fun and challenging holes, but it's also very likely that the changes we make for 2015 will be final adjustments to the course and that after this the course will remain the same for all future events.

Therefore, before making this "final design" we'd be happy to hear from all of you who have some opinion regarding the course. Feel free to send an e-mail to info@lagoda.hr with notes on what you liked and disliked about the course, either in the forest or by the river.



COURSE STATISTICS

Hole 3, with the length of 99 meters was birdied 16 times, but only Matias Soderstrom made a birdie in all three rounds.

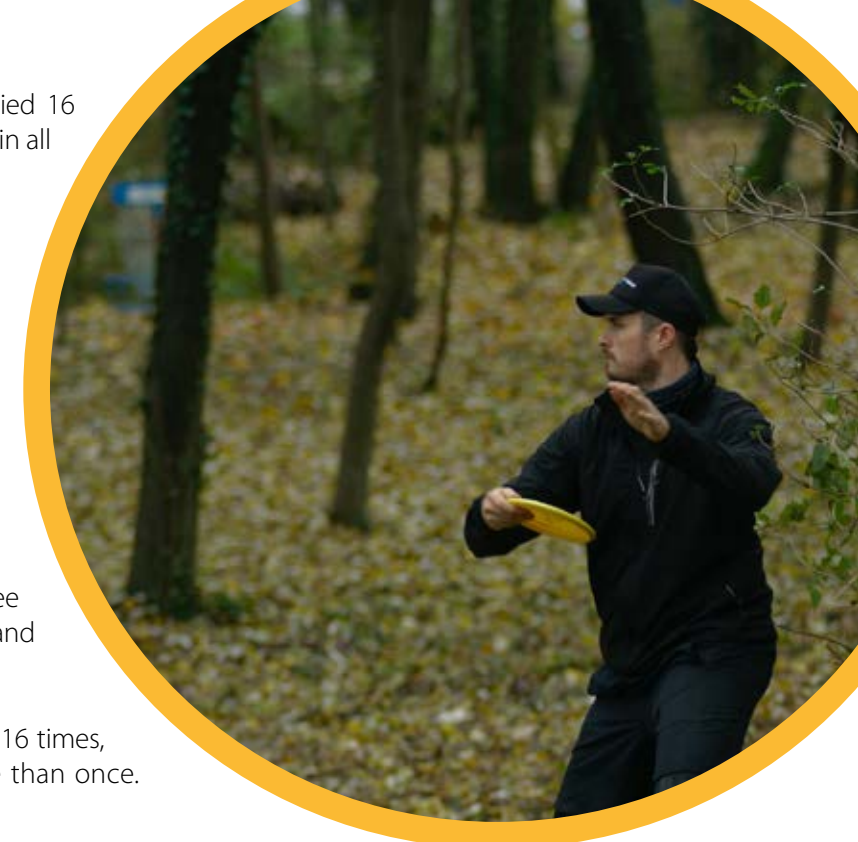
Hole 5, with the length of 84 meters, was reachable for a birdie by almost everybody on the field but only two players managed to get it - Richard Kollar did it twice and Michal Grepl once.

Hole 6 with 242 meters was the longest on the tournament and on it we have seen 5 eagles. That was done by Norbert Eder, Mike Gordon, Matias Soderstrom and twice by Teemu Malmelin.

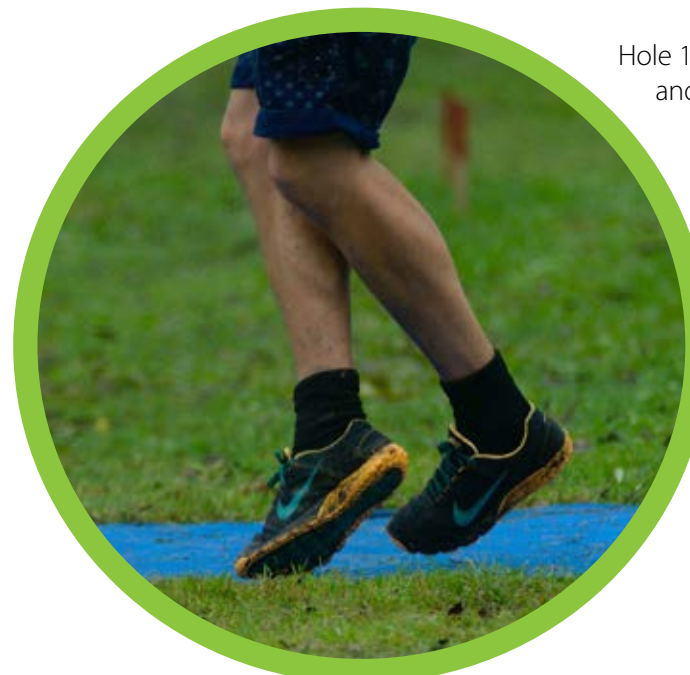
The birdie on the "island" hole 7 was made all three times only by Janus Hajsland, Otfried Dersmidt and Mike Gordon.

Hole 8, with the length of 86 meter was birdied 16 times, but only Michal Grepl managed to do it more than once. Actually he did it in all three rounds.

Hole 12, with the length of 96 meters was birdied 20 times, but only Ralf Hüpper did it in all three rounds.



Score	Number of par's (green) and other scores in rounds 1, 2 and 3 per hole																	
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
2	10	46	16	73	3	0	32	16	0	16	51	20	44	39	0	32	6	25
3	112	134	139	106	110	5	65	142	71	103	127	129	137	131	21	132	91	133
4	60	18	43	22	61	61	67	36	92	63	22	43	17	27	76	33	84	34
5	15	2	3	0	21	69	19	5	28	15	1	9	2	4	63	4	18	9
6	4	1	0	0	5	44	10	2	8	4	0	0	1	0	31	0	2	0
6+	0	0	0	0	1	22	8	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	10	0	0	0



Hole 17, with the length of 108 m was birdied only 6 times, and Michal Kudela managed to do it twice.

Hole 18, with the length of 89 meters was birdied 25 times, but only Gunther Kaimberger did it in all three rounds.

Matias Soderstrom played consecutive birdies on holes 2, 3 and 4 in all three rounds.



Lottery

For the price of 10 kn (1.5 €) the lottery tickets were sold and all who bought them were able to win some of the cool prizes provided by organizers, sponsours or donators like Haukur Arnason who gave us few discs with special print.

One of the best winnings was a "Nike Box" that allowed three winners to check out a box full of random Nike stuff and to choose one item. In 20 seconds.

Auction

A disc signed by Avery Jenkins and Simon Lizotte was offered on auction. The bidding started with 10 kn (1.5 €) but the price went up to 100 kn.



FUN THINGS GOING ON

The Model Contest

For the 2nd time Drava Forester had chosen it's classiest player. Special jury was checking out both female and male players on the course during Friday practice and two rounds on Saturday. Based on that they have chosen six finalists - Bene (The Model of 2013), Danica, Manu, Lars, Alessa and Simon.

During the player's party, with the dress code set to yellow and/or purple and/or green, the finalists were asked a "Miss of the World" kind of question that, having in mind the dress code outfit, determined the final winner - Simon Luard. Simon's answer to the tricky question about the meaning of life was plain simple but a sure winner - "I love puppies, and i want world peace". When Tommy Vacca, as the co-host, was questioning the finalists everybody had a lot of laugh, and he made the phrase "...and why?" immortal in the Drava Forester terms.



To the Restaurant with the Sash

As a proud winner Simon was wearing his "Model of the Drava Forester" sash out on a "closing dinner" in a restaurant downtown. Way to show off!





Welcome Drinks and Dinner

All players that have arrived on Thursday have enjoyed a drink on the TD in a local pub (yes, it was cheaper to pay a drink to all players on Thursday than on Friday :)) and afterwards we all had a nice dinner in the "Golden Goose" restaurant.



On the Air

On Friday morning, Derek Robins and Janus Hajsland, along with the TD Dinko Šimenc were guests at the local radio station where they spoke live on the air with the host about disc golf and Drava Forester for over 10 minutes.



FUN THINGS GOING ON

The closing Dinner

Over 20 players stayed in Varaždin until Monday and all of them, along with the hosts, took part in the closing dinner in the restaurant "Verglec", and those that were still up for some more fun had a few more drinks in a local rock bar "Lavra".





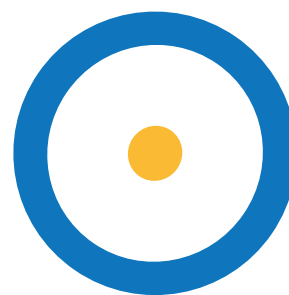
4th DraFo will be bigger!

Having in mind the feedback by players of Drava Forester 2014 and how the tournament developed since it's first edition we are planning to make it even bigger for 2015 and in the future years.

Therefore, to be able to host more players and include more side events with added fun to this big disc golf gathering, are planning 4th Drava Forester as a three day event played in one round of 21 holes a day. That way, with the golf start no earlier than 9 AM, we could have up to 120 players in the main event and unlimited number of players in the 2 day (weekend) recreational event/s.

So, check out your calendar and plan your free days for **6th to 8th of November**, or even 5th (if you want to have a drink on TD) and 9th (if you want to stay for a closing dinner).

To conclude with this tournament report - enjoy a few more pages of cool photos from DraFo 2014.



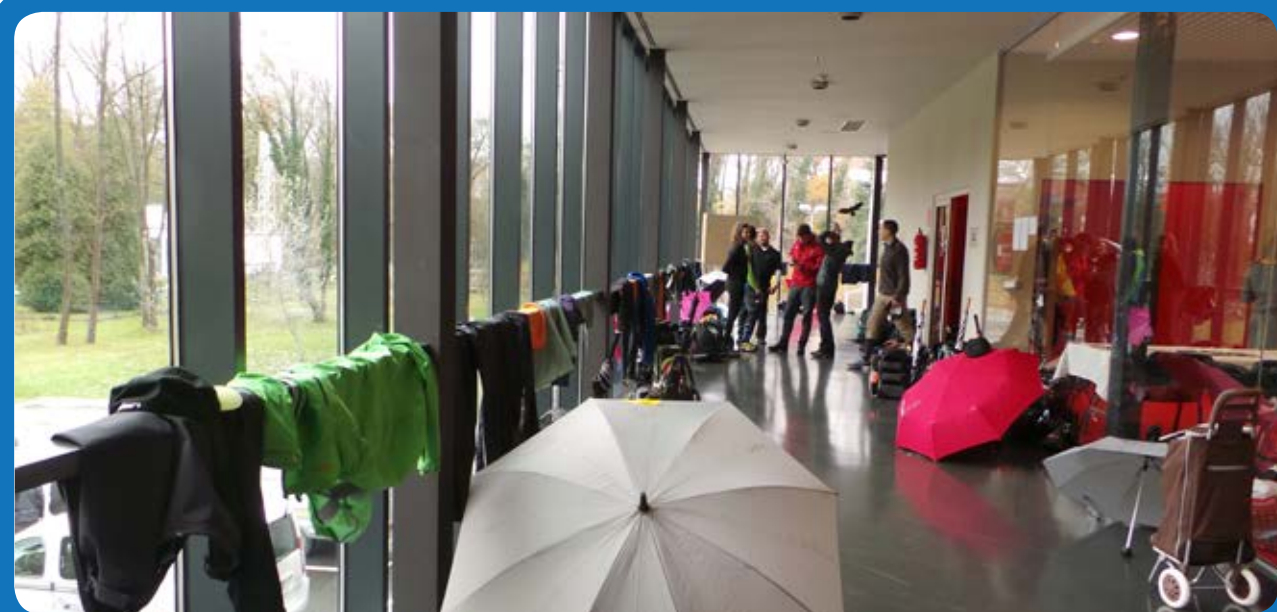


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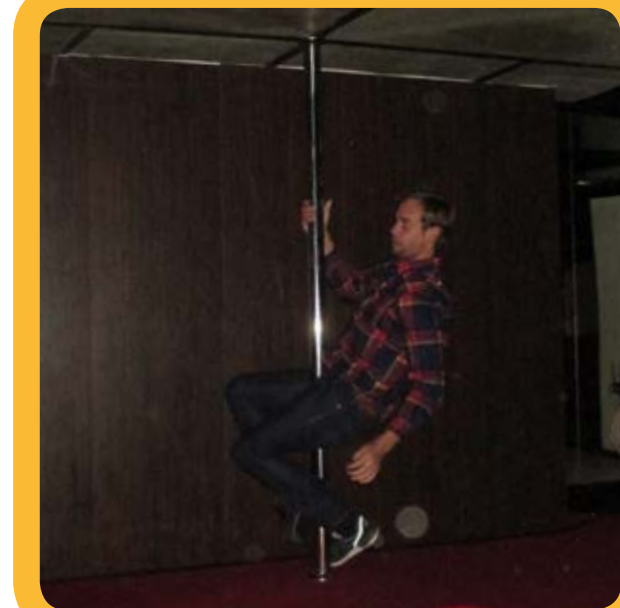


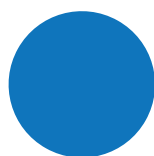
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