



**FCI SIGHTHOUND WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS RACE**  
**6 – 7 SEPTEMBER 2014**  
**TAMPERE, FINLAND**

Fédération Cynologique Internationale (FCI) and Suomen Kennelliitto – Finska Kennelklubben (the Finnish Kennel Club) will organize the FCI Sighthound World Championships races in co-operation with the Finnish Sighthound Association and Pirkanmaan Vinttikoirakerho.

The dogs shall fulfil the regulations according to competition rules stated of the FCI.

CACIL will be awarded according to the FCI rules for International Races and FCI Championships.

Please, send entry forms by e-mail latest on Wednesday August the 6th 2014 to [mmracing2014@gmail.com](mailto:mmracing2014@gmail.com).

Entries for the Championships can only be done by the National Organization of each country.

Entry fee 25 € per dog, IBAN FI39 5068 0620 1299 97, SWIFT OKOYFIHH no later than August 31st 2014, payment of entry fee by team leader is also possible on site.

**Control measurement of Whippets and Italian Greyhounds:**

According to the decision of the CdL Commission on June 21th, 2013 all Whippets and Italian Greyhounds (P.L.I) will be remeasured in height at the veterinary control.

Effective from the European Championships 2013 in Versoix, Whippets and Italian Greyhounds will be remeasured at the veterinary inspection.

The CdL-delegate has the competence to exclude dogs for participation to the WC that are not in accordance with the given height at the withers as stated in the FCI-Rulebook.

Dog owners who refuse the remeasurement are automatically excluded from participation to the WC. Appeal against the decision of the CdL-delegate is not possible. By entering for the WC the owner takes note of the CdL decision."

Racetrack : Kaupin Vinttikoirarata, Kaupinpuistonkatu 21, 33500 Tampere, Finland  
GPS N/lat: 6822645, E/lon: 2489390, Lat: N 61° 30' 27.55" Long: E 23° 48' 35.44"  
Map link <http://www.fonecta.fi/s/wrP>

Schedules: **Saturday September 6<sup>th</sup> 2014 - 9.00 am**  
Azawakh, Borzoi, Chart Polski, Deerhound, Galgo Español, Magyar Agar, Sloughi, Italian Greyhound, Irish Wolfhound, Podenco Ibicenco, Cirneco dell'Etna, Pharaoh Hound and Podenco Canario.

**Sunday September 7<sup>th</sup> 2014 – 9.00 am**  
Afghan Hound, Greyhound, Saluki and Whippet

The organizing committee reserves the right to reschedule breeds according to the number of entered dogs. The team leader of every country will be informed about rescheduling at the latest 8 days after the closing date

We wish you all very welcome to Finland!





**General information:**

Track: Double U sand track – slanted curves – radius 42 meter - irrigation

Timing: ALGE-TIMING OPTIc2 photofinish systems

FCI delegate: Mrs. Lida Will (NL)

Director: Mrs. Päivi Kulmala (FI)

More information: A muzzle for all breeds is obligatory, except Italian greyhounds.

Dogs have to be kept on leash.

Please clean up after your dogs (bags available).

First aid resources are available at the premises.

If the Championships have to be cancelled because of force majeure, the organizer is not responsible to refund the costs this may cause to the competitors or the teams.

Vaccinations: The FCI Sighthound World Championships observes the vaccination regulations approved by the board of the Finnish Kennel Club. In addition to Finnish Kennel Club vaccination regulations, dogs arriving from overseas must comply with the Finnish Food Safety Authority EVIRA's requirements in force at the time of the event. Please note that the Finnish Kennel Club's vaccination regulations may differ from the vaccination requirements associated with the importing of dogs to Finland. The requirements in force at the moment can be checked through the EVIRA website. More information :

<http://www.kennelliitto.fi/EN/events/shows/dogshowsEN.htm>

<http://www.evira.fi/portal/en/animals/import+and+export/>

Identification markers: An identification marker (either Lifechip (Indexel) or Datamars microchip or tattoo) has been compulsory in all official Finnish Kennel Club dog trials and competitions since 1.1.2001. Starting from 1.1.2009, the Finnish Kennel Club has approved all microchips compliant with the ISO 11789 standard that do not contain a county code. ISO 11784 standard-compliant chips were approved on 1.6.2009.

Antidoping: The event will observe the antidoping regulations approved by the Finnish Kennel Club council. These regulations (in Finnish) are available at [www.kennelliitto.fi/FI/toiminta/antidoping/](http://www.kennelliitto.fi/FI/toiminta/antidoping/).

Prizes: World Champions: White presentation jacket

Finalists: special prize

All participants: a souvenir





Accommodation <http://www.visittampere.fi/accommodation>

Camping: Accommodation for motor homes, caravans and tents is provided. Sanitation (toilets, water supply) is available. Electricity is not available for all campers. Access to the camping from Thursday 4 September till Monday 8 September. Bookings 15 August 2014 at the latest by e-mail: [mmracing2014@gmail.com](mailto:mmracing2014@gmail.com). Without a booking no space is guaranteed.

Motor homes and caravans:  
Thursday – Monday 30 €  
Friday – Monday 20 €  
Tent 15 €

Links : Homepage of the Championships : <http://www.suomenvinttikoiraliitto.fi/mm2014/>

Facebook : <https://www.facebook.com/svklmm2014?fref=ts>

The Finnish Sighthound Association : <http://www.suomenvinttikoiraliitto.fi/in-english>

Useful travel links : [www.finnlines.com](http://www.finnlines.com)  
[www.tallinksilja.com](http://www.tallinksilja.com)  
[www.vikingline.fi](http://www.vikingline.fi)  
[www.eckeroline.fi](http://www.eckeroline.fi)  
[www.alandstrafiken.ax](http://www.alandstrafiken.ax)

Helsinki-Vantaa Airport, [www.helsinki-vantaa.fi](http://www.helsinki-vantaa.fi)  
Tampere-Pirkkala Airport, [http://www.finavia.fi/lentoasemat/lentoasema\\_tampere-pirkkala](http://www.finavia.fi/lentoasemat/lentoasema_tampere-pirkkala)





## SCHEDULE

### FRIDAY 5 SEPTEMBER 2014

- 1.00 pm – 3.00 pm: Control measurement of Whippets and Italian Greyhounds
- 3.00 pm – 6.00 pm: Veterinary examination for dogs competing on Saturday
- 5.30 pm: Meeting of team leaders
- 7.00 pm: Opening ceremony

### SATURDAY 6 SEPTEMBER 2014

- 6.30 am – 7.30 am: Veterinary examination for dogs competing on Saturday
- 7.30 am: Meeting of team leaders
- 9.00 am: First race
- 5.00 pm – 7.00 pm: Control measurement of Whippets and Italian Greyhounds
- 5.00 pm – 7.00 pm: Veterinary examination for dogs competing on Sunday
- 7.00 pm: Meeting of team leaders

### SUNDAY 7 SEPTEMBER 2014

- 6.30 am – 7.30 am: Veterinary examination for dogs competing on Sunday
- 7.30 am: Meeting of team leaders
- 9.00 am: First race
- 5.30 pm: Closing ceremony

