

# MAXIMUS WINTER O-CAMP

BURGOHONDO-MADRID (SPAIN) 



INVITATION 2026 



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## What is Maximus Winter O-Camp?

Maximus Winter O-Camp is a project organized by the Spanish Orienteering Club Maximus, and 2026 will mark the 7th edition of this professional training camp for the international orienteering community.

The Burgohondo area offers a rich variety of high-quality terrains, with updated maps from 2021 onwards and several new additions every year, ensuring fresh and challenging courses. The generally mild winter weather, often snow-free, creates ideal conditions for a focused winter training period. Here you will experience technically demanding trainings combined with good overall runnability, allowing you to build a solid base while also including high-intensity sessions—perfect preparation for the season ahead.

We provide everything you need on site: comfortable accommodation, training maps, sessions with SportIdent, gym access, swimming pool, trail-running routes, physiotherapy, and sport nutrition.

Additionally, the camp runs in parallel with the Maximus O Meeting, an internationally recognized event, giving participants the chance to combine intensive training with exposure to world-class competition. Throughout your stay, several contact persons will be available to assist with any needs, ensuring a smooth and productive



## Our team

The **Maximus Winter O-Camp** is formed by a **strong and multidisciplinary team** with plenty of motivation and specific skills, which allows us to offer the best professional services before and during your stay. Everyone is important and have a role here. Have a look at our main team for this 2026 training camp.



**RAÚL FERRA (41)**

- **Camp Director & Training Setter**
- International experience (athlete & coach)
- Professional coach and sport manager



**YULIAN NAYDENOV (58)**

- **Maximus Chairman**
- Experience as World Ranking event director
- Contact person with the local authorities



**SVETLANA MIRONOVA (39)**

- **Training Setter & Advisor**
- International medals as orienteer
- Professional athlete and coach



**ISAAC HERNÁNDEZ (24)**

- **Camp Coordinator and Contact Person**
- Direct contact with the groups
- Multidisciplinary workflow



**IRYNA BEKETOVA (55)**

- **SportIdent Officer & Map Maker**
- Administrative tasks and invoicing
- Multidisciplinary workflow



**PABLO DE LA PASCUA (28)**

- **Order Processing Clerk**
- Managing orders through OMAPS
- Printing quality control

## What does the 8 times World Champion **Matthias Kyburz** 🇨🇭 say about us?

“In 2022 I was injured in the autumn so I wanted to collect many controls early in the season. For that purpose, I choose Maximus. **The maps and the courses are of high quality and I enjoyed a very good training week which was a perfect basis to build on towards WOC!**

I remember very well the night mass start training. It felt like you opened the cage of 100 hungry lions... All were so crazy about orienteering and the speed and the intensity was high. I tried to follow and play with the boys until I was completely lost...That was a special moment in 2023!”

Matthias Kyburz



## What do some of the world class athletes say about us?



**Vojtěch Král** 🇨🇪: "Burgohondo has many good opportunities for different kinds of trainings. Well drawn maps in technical terrains. With strong and hardworking team of Maximus it all together makes **a great place for winter camp that you should experience!**"



**Lucas Basset** 🇫🇷: "Maximus camp offered **trainings and service of a quality way over my expectations!** Terrain and trainings were perfect for a really technical experience getting out of winter and setting the base for a successful competition season. And on top of that, the organizing team was available for any question or specific requirement, which is great to personalize your camp! Will go to Burgohondo again for sure!"



**Mark Nixon** 🇬🇧: "The Maximus Winter O-Camp gives **you everything you need for a high-quality training camp.** Great terrain, great maps, and great courses. The team are great, and will help you every step of the way to create your ideal camp. Having pre-planned training with SI-timing meant I could spend my time coaching, not putting out controls. Warm and comfortable accommodation in beautiful Burgohondo is the perfect place to be in winter. Give it a try, you won't regret it!"

**Megan Carter-Davies** 🇬🇧: "I love Maximus! It's always something I look forward to throughout Winter and MOM is a great competition as the season start. You can always trust that the Maximus team will be putting on great courses in these epic terrains, and make a great atmosphere of it too."

I love all of the terrains that I've run on there but I think my favorite is Valle Iruelas (2020 competition map), which was so much fun navigating through the rock detail, especially as it is mapped so well."



**Simona Aebersold** 🇨🇭: "It was really cool to have a training camp there with IFK and have organized trainings/tapes in the forest. Also, I think that **the variety of maps is good and you get a lot of good trainings within not that many kilometers.** The terrains are special with the many rock formations and sometimes really technical but fast, what I liked 😊."



**Marika Teini** 🇫🇮: "Burgohondo area was a new experience for me last year and I was happy to **find lots of new interesting and demanding orienteering terrains.** Most of them were really close to our accommodation so we didn't have to waste time sitting in the car. Also we found nice mountain trails for long runs and hikes with great views. Really good place to develop one's orienteering skills."



**Marianne Andersen** 🇩🇰: "I think the area around Burgohondo is really good for basic orienteering training, with interesting and varied terrains. The trainings were also both varied and comprehensive, **so you could really tailor your own perfect training week.** The only negative thing I have to say about my stay, is that I was injured and couldn't run as much as I wanted. But fortunately, the possibilities for alternative training were also great, and the area is really nice also for cycling."

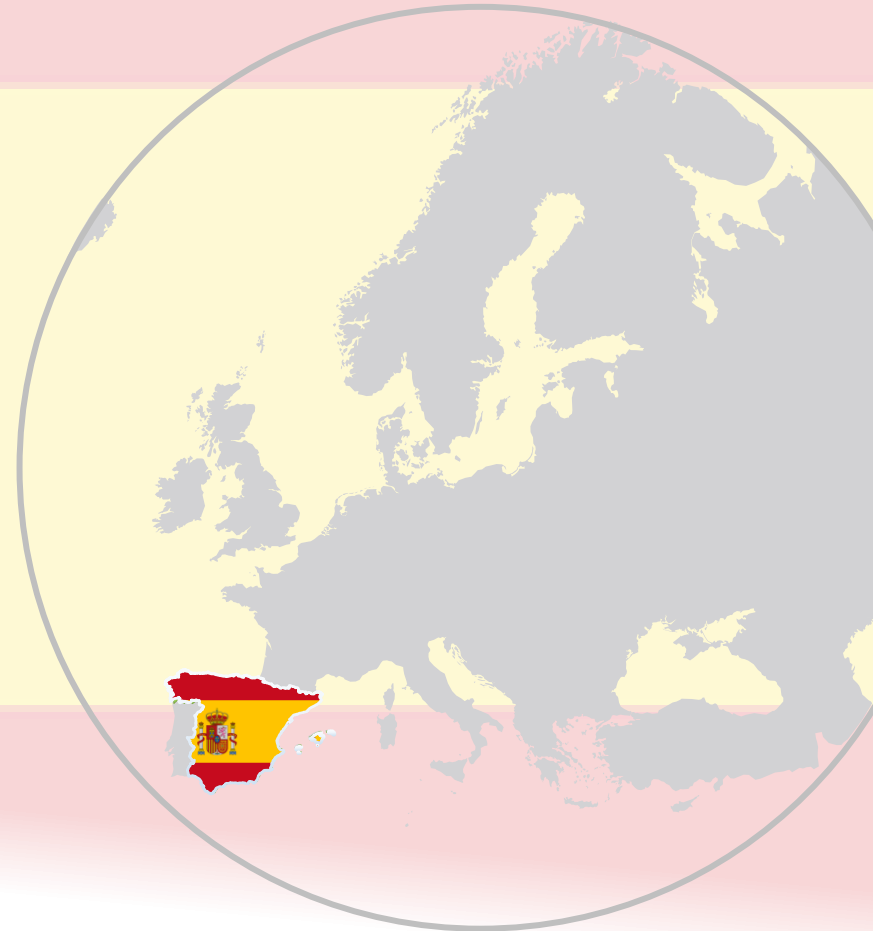
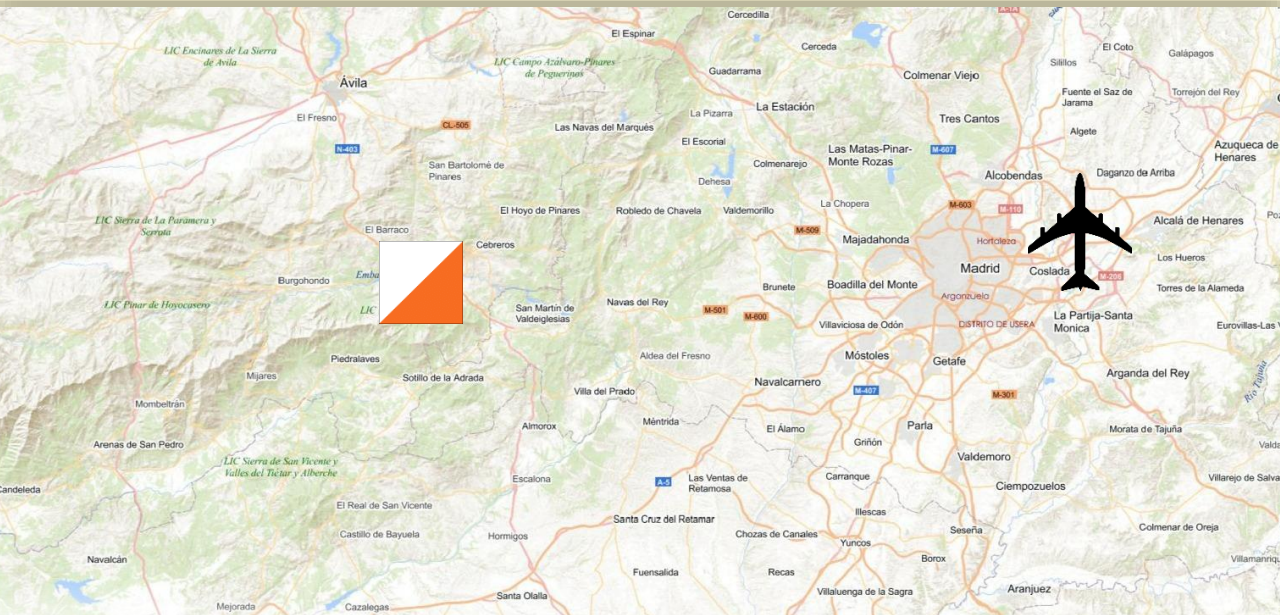


**Gernot Ymsen** 🇦🇹: "We really enjoyed our stay in Burgohondo. Many different challenging technical exercises, mostly close to our very good accommodation, great landscape for long distance running or biking and alternative training possibilities. Especially if you want to improve your technic in stony but good runnable terrain, **it's heaven on earth for an orienteer.** It's just a question of time until we will be back after our visit in 2020."



## Location

Our training area is situated in the central part of Spain, Ávila province, and only **1.5 hours driving West from Madrid**, where the main airport “Adolfo Suárez – Barajas” offers many both good and cheap flying options.



## Map locations

Among the mappers who works for us are some of the most valued as **Janne Weckman** , **Timo Joensuu** or **Tommi Hakuli**

### MAXIMUS WINTER CAMP 2026 - LOCATIONS



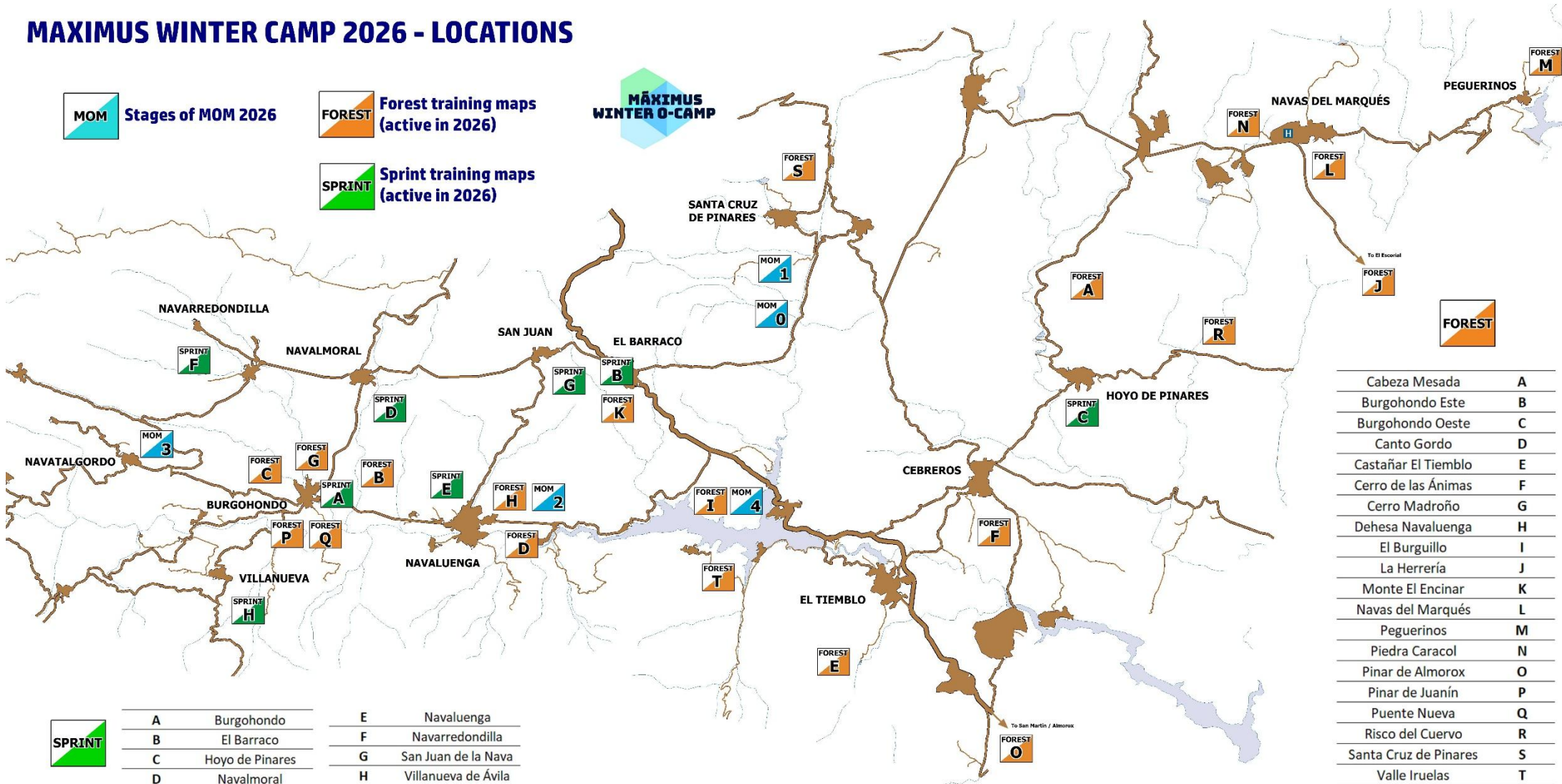
Stages of MOM 2026



Forest training maps  
(active in 2026)



Sprint training maps  
(active in 2026)



Cabeza Mesada	A
Burgohondo Este	B
Burgohondo Oeste	C
Canto Gordo	D
Castañar El Tiemblo	E
Cerro de las Ánimas	F
Cerro Madroño	G
Dehesa Navalunga	H
El Burguillo	I
La Herrería	J
Monte El Encinar	K
Navas del Marqués	L
Peguerinos	M
Piedra Caracol	N
Pinar de Almorox	O
Pinar de Juanín	P
Puente Nueva	Q
Risco del Cuervo	R
Santa Cruz de Pinares	S
Valle Iruelas	T



A	Burgohondo	E	Navaluenga
B	El Barraco	F	Navarredondilla
C	Hoyo de Pinares	G	San Juan de la Nava
D	Navalmoral	H	Villanueva de Ávila

## ORIENTEERING TRAININGS

- Permanent forest trainings
- Permanent sprint trainings
- Weekly SportIdent trainings
- Other trainings (on demand)
  - Knock out
  - Test races
  - Relay
  - ...

## ALTERNATIVE TRAININGS

- Trail routes for long runs
- Fully equipped gym
- Swimming pool
- Rental bikes
- Leisure activities
  - Horse riding
  - Kayaking
  - Other (on demand)

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## COMPETITIONS

- Maximus O Meeting  
(4 competition days)
- Other competitions in the area  
(regional a national races)

## LOGISTICS

- Best accommodations
  - Fully equipped houses
  - **[NEW]** Hotel Maximus
- Partner restaurants with  
sport food (menu on demand)
- Physiotherapy service
- Rental cars counselling

## Orienteering trainings

The permanent trainings package 2026 is ready to go, and combines new courses set in 2026 with courses of the 2025 package. If you need anything else, just write us!

**Maps will be printed with high quality laser, and available for purchase in our webshop:**

**<http://maximusocamp.omaps.io>**

## Forest trainings 2026

All the permanent trainings will be marked with tapes (or wooden sticks) and reflectors (except those marked with \*), weekly revised.

### New forest courses 2026

CODE	TYPE	MAP
<b>PET26-01</b>	Middle	Cabeza Mesada
<b>PET26-02</b>	Diamond	Cabeza Mesada
<b>PET26-03</b>	Forked interval	Cabeza Mesada
<b>PET26-04</b>	Middle	Dehesa Navaluenga
<b>PET26-05</b>	Diamond	Dehesa Navaluenga
<b>PET26-06</b>	Middle	El Burguillo
<b>PET26-07</b>	Diamond	Risco del Cuervo
<b>PET26-08</b>	Shortened long	Risco del Cuervo
<b>PET26-09</b>	Unforked interval	Peguerinos
<b>PET26-10</b>	Diamond	Peguerinos

CODE	TYPE	MAP
<b>PET26-11</b>	First leg relay	Navas del Marqués
<b>PET26-12</b>	Forked interval	Navas del Marqués
<b>PET26-13</b>	Middle	Piedra Caracol
<b>PET26-14</b>	Forked interval	La Herrería
<b>PET26-15</b>	Middle	Pinar de Juanín
<b>PET26-16</b>	Diamond	Pinar de Juanín
<b>PET26-17</b>	Forked interval	Santa Cruz de Pinares
<b>PET26-18</b>	Middle	Santa Cruz de Pinares
<b>PET26-19</b>	Forked interval	Cerro de las Ánimas
<b>PET26-20</b>	Long	Cerro de las Ánimas

*Some trainings from **package 2025** will also be available (Cerro Madroño, Valle Iruelas, Almorox...) All info in our website.*

**ORIENTEERING TRAININGS**

## Sprint trainings courses from 2025

CODE	TYPE	MAP
SP25-01	Sprint	San Juan de la Nava
SP25-02	Sprint	Navarredondilla
SP25-03	Sprint	Burgohondo
SP25-04	Sprint	Hoyo de Pinares

CODE	TYPE	MAP
SP25-05	Unforked interval	Navalmoral
SP25-06	Unforked interval	Navaluenga
SP25-07	Unforked interval	Villanueva de Ávila
SP25-08	Forked interval	El Barraco

The sprint trainings of the **package 2024** will be also available, as there are no major updates on the maps. We can create more trainings on demand.

## SportIdent trainings

According to the schedule, trainings with SportIdent timing will be organised weekly. It's a good opportunity to **do fast quality trainings together with other clubs** or groups who are also training in the area.

- Registration can be made up to **24 hours before the training**.
- SportIdent trainings are **NOT the same courses** than Permanent Trainings.
- Start Time will be at **11am** (when mass start) and from **10.30am to 11.00am** (when individual free start).
- Schedule is published in our website, and entries are made via **control200.com**.
- Timing control** (with splits) and **results** will be provided.
- Air+** SportIdent system (free touch) will be used.
- Minimum participants number for the training: **10 people**.



Tip! We can prepare any extra training you need on demand!



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## Preliminary schedule with competitions and SportIdent trainings

JANUARY						
MO	TU	WE	TH	FR	SA	SU
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FEBRUARY						
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23	24	25	26	27	28	1 M

MARCH						
MO	TU	WE	TH	FR	SA	SU
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9	10	11	12	13	14	15
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
30	31					



# ORIENTEERING TRAININGS



# OFFICIAL SPORTIDENT TRAININGS 2026



<b>Tuesday</b> <b>3</b> FEBRUARY	<b>One Runner Relay</b> Navas del Marqués SI26-05	<b>Thursday</b> <b>5</b> FEBRUARY	<b>Forked Intervals</b> Cabeza Mesada (Hoyo de Pinares) SI26-01	<b>Saturday</b> <b>7</b> FEBRUARY	<b>One Runner Relay</b> Cerro de las Ánimas (Cebreros) SI26-03
<b>Tuesday</b> <b>10</b> FEBRUARY	<b>One Runner Relay</b> Pinar de Juanín (Burgohondo) SI26-02	<b>Thursday</b> <b>12</b> FEBRUARY	<b>Forked Intervals</b> Cerro del Madroño (Burgohondo) SI26-04	<b>Thursday</b> <b>14</b> FEBRUARY	<b>One Runner Relay</b> Navas del Marqués SI26-05
<b>Tuesday</b> <b>17</b> FEBRUARY	<b>Forked Intervals</b> Cabeza Mesada (Hoyo de Pinares) SI26-01	<b>Thursday</b> <b>19</b> FEBRUARY	<b>One Runner Relay</b> Cerro de las Ánimas (Cebreros) SI26-03	<b>Friday</b> <b>20</b> FEBRUARY	<b>MOM- Model Event</b> No SportIdent time-keeping
<b>Saturday</b> <b>21</b> FEBRUARY	<b>MOM - Stage #1</b> El Atizadero (Sta Cruz de Pinares) Long distance	<b>Sunday</b> <b>22</b> FEBRUARY	<b>MOM - Stage #2</b> Dehesa Navaluenga II Middle distance	<b>Monday</b> <b>23</b> FEBRUARY	<b>MOM- Stage #3</b> Navatagordo town Sprint distance
<b>Tuesday</b> <b>24</b>	<b>MOM - Stage #4</b> El Burguillo II (El Barraco) Chasing start	<b>Thursday</b> <b>26</b> FEBRUARY	<b>One Runner Relay</b> Pinar de Juanín (Burgohondo) SI26-02	<b>Thursday</b> <b>28</b> FEBRUARY	<b>Forked Intervals</b> Cerro del Madroño (Burgohondo) SI26-04

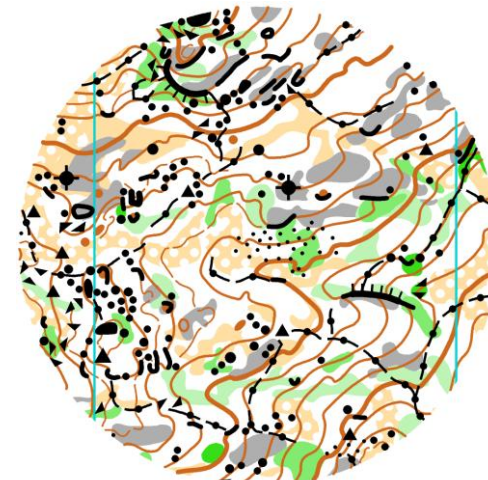
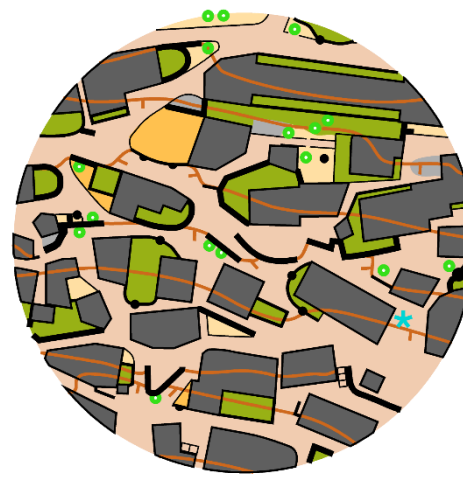
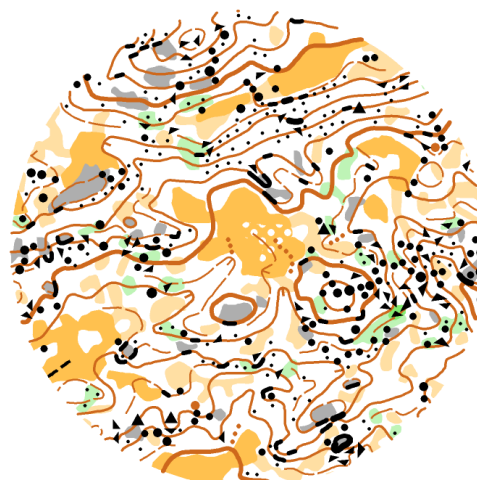
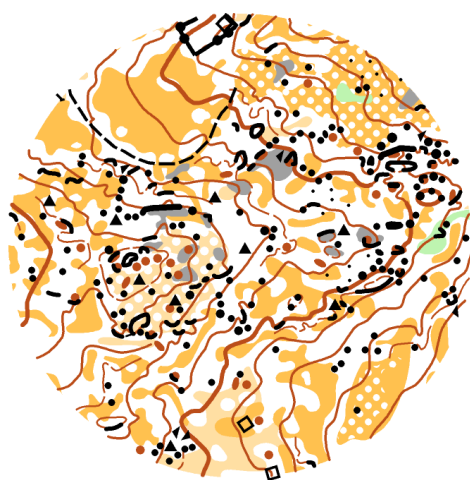
## ORIENTEERING TRAININGS

## Maximus competitions



During the training camp, you can enjoy also some **high quality competitions** in the area. One of the best competitions in the Winter will be the fifth edition of **Maximus Meeting** from **20<sup>th</sup>-24<sup>th</sup> February 2026**

**4 competition days, ALL NEW MAPS!**



# ORIENTEERING COMPETITIONS

## Alternative and complementary training

During your training camp with us, you'll have many chances to do different alternative and complementary training.



### GYM

We have in Burgohondo and Navaluenga towns - **full equipped gyms** where you can do strength and stretching exercises very comfortably. Open from Monday to Friday.



### SWIMMING-POOL

In Navaluega town it is possible to swim or do aqua-jogging in the local **climatized swimming-pool**. Open from Tuesday to Sunday.



### TRAIL RUNNING ROUTES

If you want also to do some **long runs or mountain routes**, this area is just perfect for that. Around the valley there are many high mountains with plenty of paths, and some marked routes.



### PHYSIOTHERAPY AND SPORT MASSAGE

If you need some **treatment or just sport massage**, we can provide the best professionals.

**ALTERNATIVE TRAINING**



**SEE TRAIL ROUTES**



**ARTEM POPOV AT (PICO LACHAMALA, 2000 METRES). 3/2/2020**

**ALTERNATIVE TRAINING**

## Official Accommodation

Different accommodation options are offered as official for the training camp. We'll book everything for you and be available to solve any problem you can find during your stay. One contact person will be in the area **full time**.



Currently we arrange **more than 30 rental houses in the area** with different characteristics and locations, so that we will offer you the ones which fit better to your needs, working always with the **best quality**. If you prefer other kind of accommodation like hostel or hotel, we also can arrange. Also a **good restaurant** in Burgohondo. Just ask!

## Prices

Below you can find the main prices of the o-camp.

### Orienteering trainings

Concept	Price
<i>Permanent Training (no markings)</i>	6 euros
<i>Permanent Training (with markings)</i>	7 euros
<i>SportIdent Training</i>	8 euros

### Logistics

Concept	Price
<i>Accommodation (Depending on the accommodation's type, number of people, number of days,...)</i>	25-30 euros/person/night
<i>Dinner (In our partner restaurant. Local food and traditional food on demand)</i>	12 euros/meal

### Alternative Activities

Concept	Price
<i>Gym</i>	5 euros/day
<i>Swimming-pool</i>	4 euros/day



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