



Chief of the General Staff of the Czech Armed Forces

Prague, April 3 2009

Air Chief Marshal Sir Jock STIRRUP
Chief of the Defence Staff

London, the United Kingdom
of Great Britain and Northern Ireland

Dear Marshal,

I have the honor to invite your military sport team to participate in the International Outdoor Championship of the Czech Armed Forces - Summer Survival 2009, to be held under my auspices in the Military Training Area Vyškov - Dědice and protected landscape area Moravian Karst from the 5th to 9th of October, 2009. The competition is a joint event of the Czech General Staff and the Training Directorate - Military Academy Vyškov. In respect to the highly demanding and difficult conditions of the competition, we recommend selecting competitors experienced in staying and surviving in open air.

With best regards,

Lieutenant General Vlastimil PICEK

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**INVITATION TO THE
9th INTERNATIONAL OUTDOOR CHAMPIONSHIP
OF THE CZECH ARMED FORCES**

- SUMMER SURVIVAL 2009 -

**October 5th – 9th, 2009
VYŠKOV**

Annex 1:

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Distribution List:

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Turkey

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- 1. Organizer** General Staff of the Armed Forces of the Czech Republic, Prague
Training Directorate - Military Academy Vyškov
- 2. Location** Military Training Area Dědice
Moravian Karst - Protected Landscape Area
- 3. Date** October 5th –9th 2009
- 4. Contact** LTC Ladislav NAGY
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- 5. Additional Information:** www.survival.vavyskov.cz
or:
kotrmelci.vav@seznam.cz
- 6. Meals and Accommodation** Accommodation for the participants will be provided by the organizer from October 4th, 2009, according to their requirements (paid in cash). Meals will not be provided.
- 7. Transport** Teams arriving in their own cars will be provided with parking lots in the location of the championship. Teams arriving at the Prague airport will be transported from Prague to the location of the Championship on October 4th 2009, as required.
- 8. Medical Care** The organizer will provide first aid service, if necessary. Medical care service will be available to all participants for the whole duration of the competition.

9. Rules The competition will be held in compliance with the competition rules. All participants will be briefed on the competition rules at a technical meeting of the team leaders.
10. Dress Code Full dress uniform is required for the opening and closing ceremonies. Battle uniform is required during the course of the competition.
11. Mandatory Equipment Each individual competitor:
- dress: battle uniform, firm and solid military or hiking boots reaching above the ankles,
 - survival kit (knife, torch, field bottle, field bandage, matches, kit for meal preparation)
 - climbing equipment (sitting and chest harness (combined), three carabines with lock (1 HMS), figure eight descender, helmet, 2 flat ropes (2 m)
 - two 4-6mm prussik cords
 - a pen, a notebook
 - a swimming suit
 - compass
- Each team:
- 50-meter dynamic climbing rope
12. Dates of Registration Preliminary registration: **July 24th, 2009**
Binding registration on the competition's website: **September 11th, 2009.**
13. Team 3 members in a team
1 team leader – can be one of the team members
14. Number of Teams 20 competing teams including up to 5 teams from abroad (each team representing one country)
15. Conditions of Participation Punctual delivery of preliminary registration, binding registration made in time on the competition's website, valid health certificate, personal documents.

Annex 3:**9th INTERNATIONAL OUTDOOR CHAMPIONSHIP OF THE CZECH ARMED FORCES****SUMMER SURVIVAL 2009**

Date	Time	Activity	Location
Monday, October 5 th	to 12:30	Arrival Presentation	Training Directorate – Military Academy Vyškov
	14:00	Opening Ceremony	
	17:00	1 st Competition Day	
Tuesday, October 6 th	All day	2 nd Competition Day Technical endurance competition, Part 1	Dědice Military Training Area Moravian Karst (PLA)
Wednesday, October 7 th	All day	3 rd Competition Day Technical endurance competition, Part 2	Dědice Military Training Area Moravian Karst (PLA)
Thursday, October 8 th	00:00-14:00	4 th Competition Day	Dědice Military Training Area
	17:30	Traditional gathering	Training Directorate – Military Academy Vyškov
Friday, October 9 th	10:00	Closing ceremony Announcement of the results	Training Directorate – Military Academy Vyškov
	12:00	Departure of the participants	

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PRELIMINARY REGISTRATION

To be sent back before July 24th, 2009:

NATION:

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Contact address of the participating delegation:

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E-MAIL:

TEL.:

Tick the box to indicate whether you participate as:

Participant:

Observer:

Date : _____

Signature : _____

Rank/Name: _____

Annex 4b:

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BINDING REGISTRATION FORM

Due to the great interest in this competition, a maximum number of competing teams has been set. 5 places have been designated for teams from abroad. One country can be represented by only 1 team.

Electronic registration (binding registration form) can be found on the competition websites: www.survival.vavyskov.cz After you fill in the form and confirm your participation, you will be registered in the competition and your team will appear on the teams' list on the competition websites. When the maximum number of competing teams is reached, any further registration is not allowed. If any team signs off the competition by the registration due date, this place will be provided to the next team. You can sign off by sending an e-mail to the organizer: kotrmelci.vav@seznam.cz

Registration forms shall be filled in by September 11th 2009