



**POLSKI ZWIAZEK KROTKOFALOWCOW - PZK**  
(MEMBER OF INTERNATIONAL AMATEUR RADIO UNION - IARU)

**RADIO DIRECTION FINDING SPORTING CLUB**  
(SP ARDF CLUB OF PZK)

IN CO-OPERATION WITH  
**NATIONAL DEFENCE LEAGUE**  
(REGIONAL DIRECTORATE)

**7<sup>th</sup> IARU REGION 1**  
(EUROPE, NORTHERN ASIA, AFRICA, MIDDLE EAST)  
**YOUTH CHAMPIONSHIPS**  
**IN AMATEUR RADIO DIRECTION FINDING (ARDF)**  
**GRUDZIADZ, POLAND**  
**12 – 16 JULY 2006**



**BULLETIN No 1**

Dear Sport Friends,

Polish Amateur Radio Association (PZK) thanks for your confidence and commitment to organize the 7th IARU Region 1 Youth Championships in Amateur Radio Direction Finding.

Radio Direction Finding Sporting Club of PZK (SP-ARDF Club) as the direct organizer of Championships, has pleasure to invite all amateur radio societies and its members to participate.

We will do our best to fulfill your expectations and we promise that you will remember for long time the stay in the historical Polish town of Grudziadz. We are looking forward to your participation.

*Piotr Skrzypczak SP2JMR – President of PZK*

*Jacek Czerwinski SP2LQC – President of SP-ARDF Club*

*Krzysztof Slomczynski SP5HS – PZK ARDF Manager*

**Organising Society:**

Polski Związek Krótkofalowcow (Polish Amateur Radio Association)  
Radio Direction Finding Sporting Club of PZK (SP-ARDF Club)

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**Venue:**

Grudziadz, Northern Poland

18° 45' E, 53° 29' N

**Event date:** 12 - 16 July, 2006

**Programme of the Championships:**

Wednesday July 12, 2006 - arrival

Thursday July 13, 2006 - opening ceremony, excursions, training,  
Jury and team leaders meeting

Friday July 14, 2006 - 1st competition (144 MHz band), awarding ceremony,

Saturday July 15, 2006 - 2nd competition (3,5 MHz band), awarding ceremony,  
hamfest

Sunday July 16, 2006 - departure

**Categories (IARU Region 1 ARDF Rules apply):**

W 15, M 15. Only competitors born in 1991 and later are allowed to participate.

**Fee:** The participation fee is:

125 EURO per person in total if transferred prior to 15 June 2006

140 EURO per person in total if transferred after 15 June 2006 or paid on site after arrival.

The bank account will be given in Bulletin No 2 to be disseminated in April.

The above amount includes accomodation, full board, transportation to and from the competition area, hamfest

**Accomodation:**

School youth hostel, 2 and 3-bed rooms

**Board:**

In the school canteen

**Terrain characteristics:**

Continental sub-mountain type, 70% forested, competition areas are located  
10 - 15 kilometers from the Grudziadz

**Letters of intent:**

Letters of intent including the supposed number of participants should be send  
not later than by April 15, 2006, to the address: Polski Związek Krótkofalowców,  
P.O. BOX 54, ul.Modrzewiowa 25, 85-613 BYDGOSZCZ, POLAND,  
or by e-mail [7eycardf@interia.pl](mailto:7eycardf@interia.pl)



# Letter of Intent

We, \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_  
(name of Society) (abbreviation)

intend to take part in the **7<sup>th</sup> IARU Region 1 Youth ARDF Championships**  
in Grudziadz, Poland, from 12<sup>th</sup> to 16<sup>th</sup> July 2006

The expected number of members of our team is :  
Competitors (number per category) :

<b>W 15</b>	
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<b>M 15</b>	
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Officials : \_\_\_\_\_ Visitors : \_\_\_\_\_ TOTAL: \_\_\_\_\_ persons

Contact person regarding the Championships :

Name and surname: \_\_\_\_\_

Call : \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Fax : \_\_\_\_\_

e-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
(date, stamp and signature)

Please send back this Letter of Intent before **April 15<sup>th</sup>, 2006**

- By e-mail at the address : [7eyacardf@interia.pl](mailto:7eyacardf@interia.pl) (acknowledgement of receipt will be sent back)

- By registered mail (with acknowledgement of receipt), at the address of the Organizing Committee :

7th European IARU R1 Youth ARDF Championships 2006  
Klub Radiolokacji Sportowej PZK  
P.O.Box 54  
Modrzewiowa 25  
PL 85-613 Bydgoszcz 13  
POLAND

## SOME FACTS ABOUT GRUDZIADZ

Grudziadz is situated in the central part of Kujawsko-Pomorska Province, between the sea ports of Gdansk and Gdynia (110 km), Bydgoszcz (70 km) and Torun (60 km). The geographical position on the map of Poland as well as the well-developed system of highways and roads are its doubtless advantages. In 5 km distance from the town runs the North-South international highway E-75 Gdynia - Cieszyn. The important national road - No 16 connects Grudziadz through the eastern border check - points with Kaliningrad and Baltic countries. Planned new motorway A-1 which will connect Scandinavian states with the South of Europe as well as other roads for high - speed traffic (Poznan - Bydgoszcz - Grudziadz - Olsztyn), are creating splendid conditions for the development of the town.

Great importance has also the fact, that the whole region of Pomerania along the Vistula, is characterized by a high level of economical development. With the 100 thousands population, Grudziadz together with Bydgoszcz, Torun, Wloclawek, is one of the biggest towns of Kujawsko-Pomorska Province. Nowadays Grudziadz is considered as one of the most important economic centres of Poland. The main branches of infrastructure are consumer services, metal industry, light industry and construction industry. Last years proved that trade is constantly developing here and is on a high level now. Foreign investments play an important role. There are foreign investments from the Netherlands, Germany, USA, Portugal, Sweden and France.

Grudziadz has an ancient history: the town is 700 years old. There are a lot of historic monuments here, such as the fragments of the middle - age town walls with the Water Gate, Gothic Cathedral of St. Nicolas, complex of XVI - XVII century store - houses, XVII century Jesuit College and Jesuit Cathedral, XVII century Benedictines nunnery with the Opatok Palace, citadel dated the XVIII century and others. Not only places of interest make Grudziadz attractive to tourists, but also the fact that the town is a place of recreation and rest. Around the town three lakes are situated, with the sanatoriums, tourist and sport places on its shores. Here you can find places for camping and caravanning, numerous catering facilities, centres of boating and canoeing. Two rivers flow through the town – Vistula, the biggest Polish river, and the small Osa.

Grudziadz is active in international contacts and cooperation, especially with partner - cities, and within the framework of European Union programmes.



