

**FINNISH DIVERS'  
FEDERATION  
HOSTING  
XXIX EURO  
AFRICAN  
SPEARFISHING  
CHAMPIONSHIP  
IN HELSINKI  
WELCOME!**



**SUKELTAJA**



**XXIX EURO-AFRICAN  
SPEARFISHING  
CHAMPIONSHIPS 2013  
HELSINKI, FINLAND  
COMPETITION DAYS  
SAT 29. AND SUN 30.6.  
2013**



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(OPENS IN FALL 2012)



# SPEARFISHING IN FINLAND

WATER IN GULF OF FINLAND IS BRACKISH WATER. IT IS NOT AS SALTY AS THE WATER IN ATLANTIC OCEAN OR MEDITERRANEAN SEA. BALTIC SEA'S SALT LEVEL IS 0.1 – 0.3 %, AND IN ATLANTIC OCEAN SALT LEVEL IS 3,5 %. HOWEVER, THAT MAKES NO DIFFERENCE FOR THE DIVING OR SPEARFISHING.

MOST FISH ARE FROM 2 TO 20 METERS.

VISIBILITY IS FROM 2 TO 8 METERS.

WATER TEMPERATURE FROM +10°C TO +18°C.

## **FISH IN FINLAND**

OVER 20 DIFFERENT FISH SPECIES

MOST COMMON FISHES IN FINLAND ARE PIKE, FLATFISH, TURBOT, PERCH, ROACH, BREAM, IDE, WHITEFISH, TROUT, BURBOT, COD, PERCH PIKE, EEL, SALMON, GAR PIKE.

ALL FISH GROUP WILL BE MINIMUM WEIGHT.





# BOATS FOR COMPETITORS

FEW DIFFERENT BOATS AND ENGINES

EVERY NATIONAL TEAM GET SAME KIND BOAT SETS (3 BOAT / NATIONAL TEAM)

BUSTER WITH 20 – 50 HP ENGINE

RIB-BOATS WITH 40 – 90 HP ENGINE

EVERY BOAT INCLUDES LOCAL BOAT DRIVER / JUDGE

BOAT CAPACITY FROM 3 TO 7 PERSONS





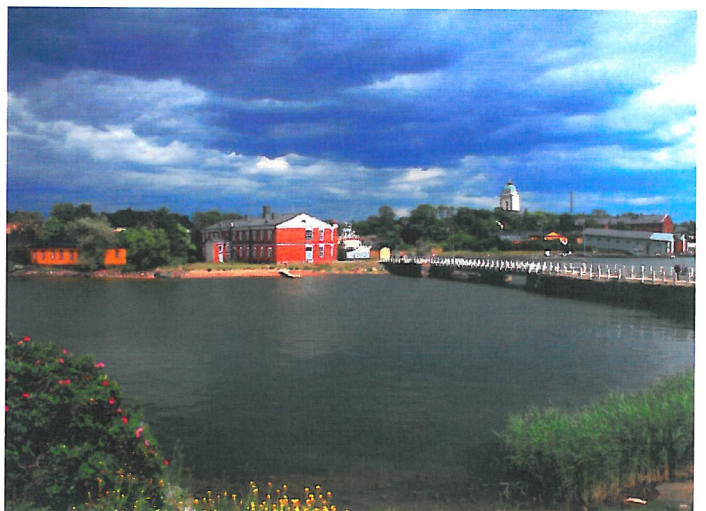
# COMPETITION CENTER

WE ARE GATHERING TOGETHER TO SUOMENLINNA

**[WWW.SUOMENLINNA.FI/EN/](http://WWW.SUOMENLINNA.FI/EN/)**

SUOMENLINNA IS A WORLD HERITAGE SITE. IT IS A MARITIME FORTRESS LOCATED OFF THE COAST OF HELSINKI. IT IS ALSO A GARRISON TOWN AND A BASE FOR ARCHIPELAGO NAVY.

THE CONSTRUCTION OF THE FORTRESS BEGAN IN 1748. IN 1991, THE FORTRESS WAS ADDED TO THE UNESCO WORLD HERITAGE LIST AS A UNIQUE MONUMENT OF MILITARY ARCHITECTURE.



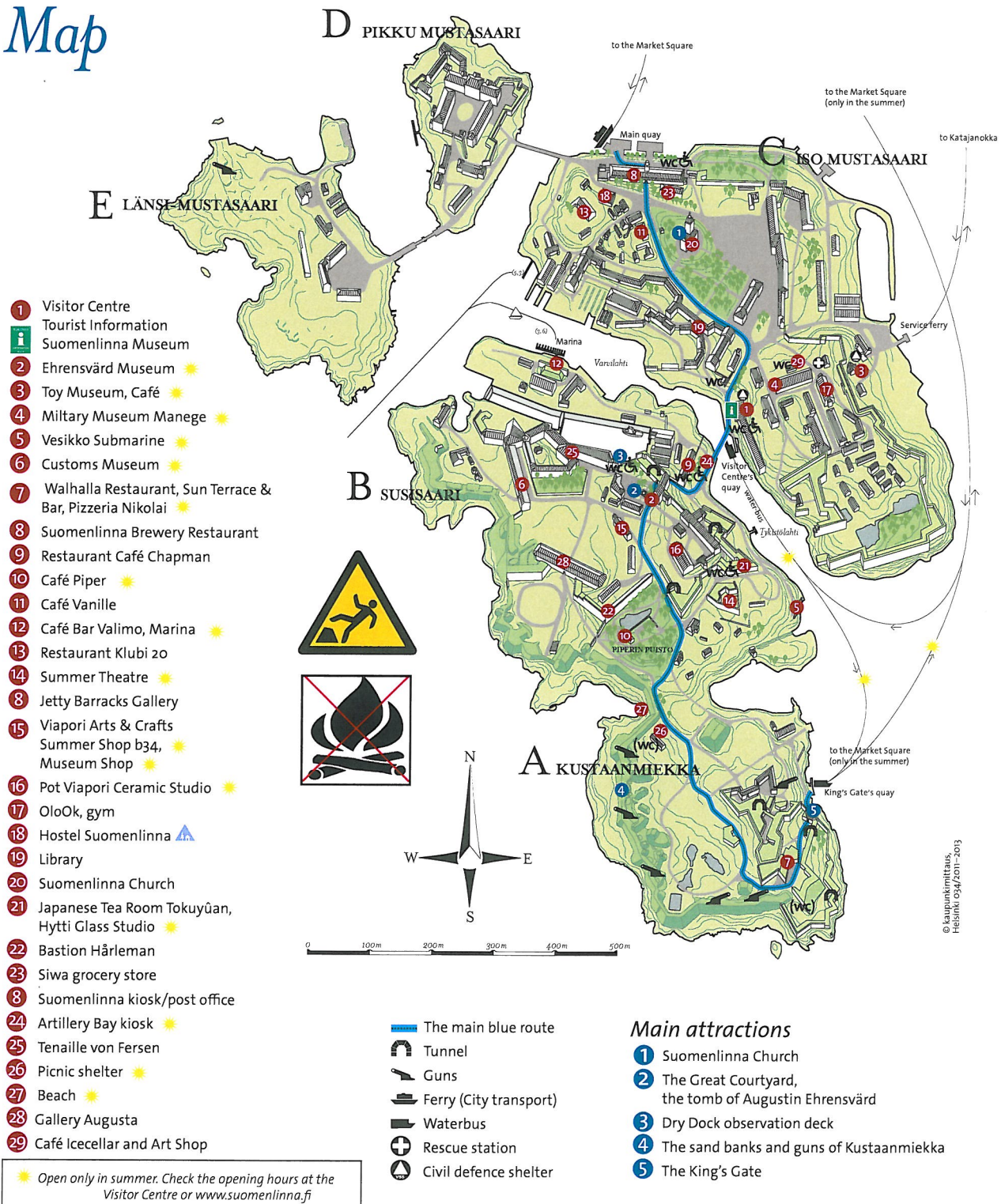


# SUOMENLINNA MAP

**COMPETITION CENTER** AT HOSTEL SUOMENLINNA (SEE MAP, NR 18)

**COMPETITION OFFICE** OPEN EVERY DAY 18–21 PM, STARTING ONE WEEK BEFORE THE COMPETITION

## Map



☀ Open only in summer. Check the opening hours at the Visitor Centre or [www.suomenlinna.fi](http://www.suomenlinna.fi)



# ACCOMMODATION

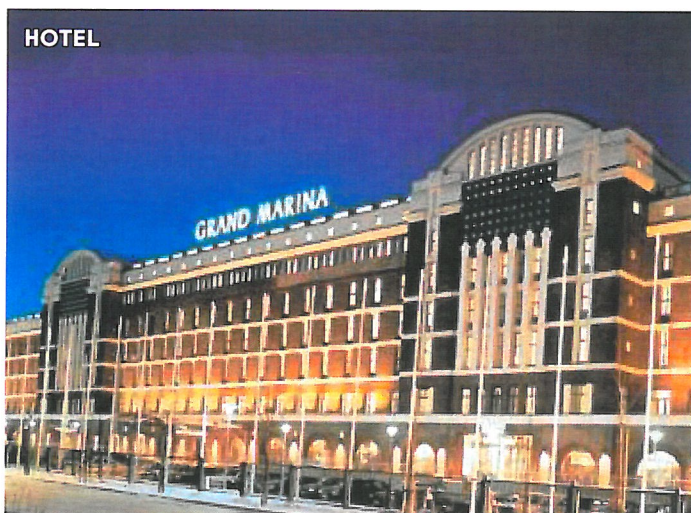
ALREADY RESERVED FOR 50 PERSON DURING 22.6. – 1.7. 2012

HOTEL GRAND MARINA, HELSINKI  
ROOMS FOR 1, 2 AND 3 PERSONS.  
[WWW.SCANDICHOTELS.FI/GRANDMARINA](http://WWW.SCANDICHOTELS.FI/GRANDMARINA)

VARIOUS HOTELS AND HOSTELS ALSO AVAILABLE.

## NOTE!

ALL ACCOMODATION RESERVATIONS VIA EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF  
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# COMPETITION TIME

6 HOURS PER DAY

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# COMPETITION AREA

HELSINKI WATERFRONT ARCHIPELAGO

**NOTE!**

THIS IS A PREMILINARY PLAN. CORRECT AREA INFORMED LATER.

