



## **Invitation**

Spend with us a weekend filled with sports & culture

in Oradea

on European Cooperation Day!



Oradea Regional Office for Cross Border Cooperation, BRECO, within the Hungary-Romania Cross-Border Co-operation Programme 2007 – 2013, in partnership with the Oradea State Philharmonics, the Municipality of Oradea and ProBikers Association have teamed up to organise in **Oradea** a series of cultural and sports events on **20-21 September 2014**, dedicated to the **European Cooperation Day** and **European Mobility Week** annual campaigns.

Everyone is invited to join the celebrations, which will be marked by many colourful events, including a classical music concert performed by the Oradea Philharmonic Orchestra

On **September 20**, let's roll together in the **BikeFest Semi Marathon** starting at 8 o'clock a.m. from the Olympic Swimming Pool! The event is organised for mountain bike lovers, be they individuals or families. On the same day, in the 1 Decembrie Park, very skilled bikers can also test their skills on wheels within the national championship entitled **BikeTrial Gravity Fighters**. The organisers expect a large number of participants at both events, coming from Romania and Hungary. Several promotional gifts will be distributed to the competitors, such as EC-day T-shirts and lunch boxes.

In addition, a **HURO pavilion** will be set next to the BikeTrial area, where the general public will be able to receive information about the celebration, as well as informational materials showcasing project results and highlighting the importance of territorial cooperation.

If you are not the typical marathon runner but you are fond of biking and saving the environment, don't worry! We have just the right program for you on **21 September**! All you need is a bit of enthusiasm to cycle with us on the new bike path connecting Oradea and Berettyóújfalu, which is financed within the BEORKER project.

The half an hour long route sets of at 17 o'clock p.m. in Borş Commune and ends in Oradea, in Magnoliei Park, right in time for the participants to join the **BikeFest Critical Mass** from 18 o'clock p.m. Critical mass events aim to increase awareness towards using alternative and non-polluting means of transportation. Hurry, if you are one of the first 1000 participants, you will get a vest, to keep you safe and visible in traffic!

As for the second part of the day, celebrations will continue from 19 o'clock with a **classical music concert**, including a mixed repertoire of well-known Romanian and Hungarian composers, performed by **Oradea Philharmonic Orchestra**. Entry to the event is free.

The detailed agenda of the events is available below:

## Calendar of events - 20 September - Oradea

Let's bike together on EC Day - BikeFest Semi Skills on wheels on EC Day - BikeTrial Gravity

Marathon Fighters

1. Individuals – 40 km National championship for very skilled bikers, 3

2. Families – 25 km categories: race, juniors, elite

Start and finish: Olympic Swimming Pool, Aleea Location: Parcul 1 Decembrie

Ştrandului nr. 1

Finish: Parcul Magnoliei

Spend your day with us on EC Day!

**From – to:** 10.00 – 17.00 o'clock

HURO Pavilion, in partnership with the Municipality of Oradea and HURO projects from the area

Location: Parcul 1 Decembrie, next to Bike Trial area

## Calendar of events - 21 September -Oradea

Let's cycle together for a better environment on Cycling together for a better environment –

the new bike path developed in the BikeFest Critical Mass 2014 HURO/0802/091 - BEORKER project

**From – to:** 18.00 – 18.45 o'clock

From – to: 17.00 – 17.30 o'clock
Start: Parcul Magnoliei

**Gathering:** 16:30 o'clock, Borş Commune, in front **Finish:** Oradea City Hall, Piaţa Unirii nr. 1

of the City Hall

**Classical music concert: Romanian and Hungarian composers** 

Bringing people together by means of music

**From – to:** 19.00 – 20.00 o'clock

Location: Filarmonica de Stat Oradea, Str. Moscovei nr. 5

The organisers reserve the right to modify the agenda.

For more information on European Cooperation Day and European Mobility Week annual campaigns, please visit the following websites: <a href="www.ecday.eu">www.ecday.eu</a>, <a href="www.mobilityweek.eu">www.mobilityweek.eu</a>.

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