

***26th of May
2018***

***Vocational
Competition for
Handcrafted Log
Home Builders***

Estonia



Estonian Woodhouse Association

Centuries of experience

The Estonian Woodhouse Association is organizing for the 8th time on the **26th of May 2018** in [Räpina](#) the **Vocational Competition for Handcrafted Log Home Builders**. The Competition takes place during the Hea Kodu Päevad festival (Good Home Festival).

The aim of the competition is to popularize the profession of a handcrafted log home builder.

During the competition the contestants will build different examples of log home corner types. Every contestant can choose between four different corner types: Estonian dovetail corner with wind-lock, Estonian square notch with wind-lock, Scandinavian notch and Saddle notch. Every contestant must fix a 1.5 m log to a prepared base – incl. building of one corner joint and 1.2 m long groove, and cut straight the log ends, following the lower logs. Judges will evaluate the building quality and speed.

Competition video: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=K0P5UcB-2bQ>

Allowed tools: all hand tools and electric power tools, all other work equipment.

Safety equipment: all participants are required to use protective goggles, earphones (or ear plugs), gloves, safety boots, protective clothing (incl. long work trousers).

The prize fund: the prize fund includes financial awards and various **Milwaukee** Pro tools from **B&B Tools Eesti AS**.

For registration please send an email to lauri@putmajaliit.ee, specifying the name of the participant, organisation and the corner type chosen for the competition (Estonian dovetail corner with flashing, Estonian square notch with flashing, H-notch or Saddle tenon).

Place: R pina, Estonia

Time: 26th of May 2018; competition starts at 10.00, registration at 9.00

Participation fee:0-

P.S. Deadline for the submission of registrations is **12th of May 2017**.

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