



Medal (Badge) of the Champion of a District, 7th DOSAAF Summer Spartakiada of the Nations of the USSR, 1979.

Brass, "cold" enamels, lacquer; the medallion is 35.1 mm in height incl. eyelet, 32.5 mm in width; overall height with suspension is approx. 51 mm. The medallion features the emblem of the DOSAAF in the center. The suspension device has the inscription "Champion of a District".

Excellent condition. The enamel and finish are perfect. A bit of tarnish to the reverse, not detractive.

Starting from the 70s, the DOSAAF Summer Spartakiada sports competitions coincided with the regular All-Union Spartakiadas. Unlike the latter however, the DOSAAF events encompassed competitions in "technical and applied military sports" e.g. sharpshooting, radio proficiency, motorcycle and car races etc. Like all major Soviet sports activities, DOSAAF Spartakiadas were supervised by the Committee for Physical Culture and Sports, but they were mainly a DOSAAF responsibility and were run under the watchful eye of the communist party and VLKSM youth league.

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