

Information Letter no. 23-2016

Dear Member Federations,

with this letter you receive our traditional "Information for Delegations" dedicated to the 2016 European Senior Championships in Torun.

Please forward this information, prepared by our Technical Director, to your team captain who will be in charge for the championship.

We hope this will be a little help in your preparations for Torun.

With best regards,

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European Senior Championships 2016

Torun (Poland)

20 to 25 June 2016

INFORMATION for DELEGATIONS

I – Officials and designated referees

Mr. SHKLAR	Vladimir	ISR	EFC President
Mr. GEUTER	Max	GER	EFC General Secretary - Protocol
Mr. KRALIK	Julius	SVK	EFC Sport Director Regional – DT member ex offo
Mr. TSUKHLO	Evgueni	RUS	President of Directoire technique
Mr. DUMITROV	Veselko	SRB	Member of Directoire technique
Mr. DRYLA	Wojciech	POL	Member of Directoire technique
Mrs. DAKOVA	lanka	USA	Referee's Comm. Delegate FIE
Mr. BORSODI	Andras	NOR	Referee's Comm. Delegate EFC
Mr. BASHIR	Gareth	GBR	Medical Commission delegate
Mr. CLAUSEN	Stefan	SWE	SEMI Commission delegate

EFC Referees:

Civiero, Ambre	SUI	Florea, Marius	ROU
Mádr, Vilem	CZE	Scomparin, Isacco	ITA
Delattre, Deffrey	BEL	Cojocari, Olga	MDA
Henkelmann, Mathias	GER	Hejrskov, Mads	DEN
Milenchev, Vassil	BUL	Valiyev, Fikrat	AZE
Ochotorena, Jose Luis	ESP	Krey, Run	NOR
Güclüer, Ilgin	TUR	Machado, Miguel	POR

Grönholm, Peter	FIN	Gross, Gregory	ISR
Viseur, Eric	FRA	Egorov, Viacheslav	RUS
Mchedlidze, Zaza	GEO	Reuműller, Martina	AUT
Douvis, Andreas	GRE	Ostrovski, Denis	EST
Kósa, Miklos	HUN	Králik, Dávid	SVK
Rose, Julian	GBR		

Referees provided by organising federation:

Kielpikowski, Piotr	POL	Kisiel, Jaroslaw	POL
Mojski, Jaroslaw	POL	Nowinowski, Dariusz	POL
Fogt, Przemyslaw	POL	Gniewkowski, Marek	POL
Fogt, Zdzislaw	POL	Dul, Michal	POL

II - Programme of the events (details can be modified)

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	10h00	EFC CONGRESS			
19	08h00	Start of initial weapon control –Delivery of accreditation cards and athletes presence confirmation			
June	16h00	DT Meeting			
	18h00	Posting of pools			
	19h00	Meeting of referees			
	09h00	Men's foil	la dividual		
20 June	13h30	Women's sabre	- Individual		
June	18h00		OPENING CEREMONY		
21	09h00	Women's foil			
June	10h00	Men's épée	Individual		
22	09h00	Women's épée	Individual		
June	13h30	Men's sabre	illulvidual		
23	09h00	Men's foil Teams			
June	10h30	Women's sabre	reams		
24	09h00	Men's épée	Teams		
June	11h00	Women's foil	I Gains		
25	09h00	Women's épée	Teams		
June 10h30		Men's sabre	Icallis		
			Closing ceremony		

NB: detailed schedule will be published every day for following day by 16h00.

III - General rules of the Tournament

The competitions are organised in **principle according to FIE Rules in force**. However, it should be stressed the following:

- 1) Name and nationality on the back of fencers are obligatory
- 2) National colours obligatory
- 3) Video refereeing will be available
- 4) Wireless system will not be used
- 5) In a respect of current FIE decision mask with visor is prohibited in all weapons
- 6) Conductive bib of the mask for foil is obligatory
- 7) New kind of glove in sabre obligatory, the rule in force since April 1st 2014
- 8) General information in details about venue and hotels are available on web site of Championships: www.EFC2016.EU

IV - Confirmation of presence

- 1) Final confirmation of participation at individual and team competitions must be done within delivery of accreditation cards (further only AC); this proceeding replaces any kind of confirmation of presence at the DT.
- 2) The AC will be distributed only to head of delegations, following possible payment of entry fees. The entry fees were defined by the organisers as follows:

Individual fee 60 € Referees fee 80 € Team fee 300 €

3) The accreditation of fencers must be done not later than the day before concerned competition by 12h00.

FIE defined principles are adopted also for EFC Championships, where accreditation cards (AC) are issued for delegations under conditions as follows:

- a) Any AC for athlete is personal with photo of the person
- b) Transferable ACs are issued for officials of delegations with concerned NOC indication (National Olympic Code) without name. The number of cards is proportional by 75% to the number of participants in individual competitions.

Besides quota for officials, President and General Secretary of concerned delegation present at Championships are entitled to obtain their personal AC. /Ref. EFC Handbook of regulations updated May 2014/. **In case, their names and photos should be sent to the OC**.

V – Competitions

Entries in competitions must be done at FIE web site by 13 June 2016.

Will be posted:

- 1) at 12h00 the day before the event
 - a) List of participants by country
 - b) List of participants by initial seeding
- 2) **15h00** is deadline for possible complaints or giving up from competition to be submitted to the DT. No changes will be carried out after deadline.
- 3) at 16h00 will be posted (except first day)
 - a) Final version of pools
 - b) Detailed schedule of competitions, pistes and time assignment for the next day
 - c) Formula of the competition
 - on screens and on the wall
 - in boxes of delegations
 - in official hotels (little bit later)

4) Criteria for initial ranking of fencers

- 1. FIE senior ranking
- 2. The places of non ranked fencers will be randomly drawn

VI – Team competitions

- 1) Initial ranking of teams will be established upon current FIE teams ranking (Art. o.47.1).
- 2) Any modification concerning team's composition must be presented to the DT by 13h00 the day before the competition.

VII - Venue

Only concerned fencers, referees and piste personnel are entitled to enter inside of barriers. Chairs for fencers in the pools and direct elimination phase will be installed as it is for team events, where possible, from the beginning of Championships.

Fencers have to keep their bags closed during their fights of matches.

Fencers and referees are entitled to enter inside of barriers to indicated pistes 15 minutes before the start of fights.

VIII - Information points

The information and results will be available on the venue on the wall and on screens of TV installed in the hall. The same refers to official hotels.

IX - Results confirmation

- 1) Responsibility lies with the fencers at verifying results of pools and bout sheets of direct elimination in order to control correct registration of results. Several screens and posted documents will allow prompt control of results.
- In order to avoid some mistakes DT will publish results of pools and list of qualified and eliminated fencers after pools. Any complaint should be brought to DT within a deadline of 5 minutes after published results.
- 3) <u>In general no calls by microphone will be used.</u>

X - Organisation of direct elimination table

- 1) The fencers should be present in call room 15 minutes before indicated time schedule.
- 2) The fencers qualified for T 32 should join the call room on time in order to deliver their equipment for the control preceding their next bouts.
- 3) Special places for coaches at direct elimination will be prepared, which will be used from the beginning of competitions and thus will be used also at pools and team events by the fencers.

Directoire Technique of European Fencing Senior Championships in Torun 2016.