

# 29<sup>th</sup> EUROPEAN UNDER 19 JUNIOR INDIVIDUAL CHAMPIONSHIPS AND 35th EUROPEAN UNDER 19 JUNIOR TEAM CHAMPIONSHIPS

24 MAR - 1 APRIL 2018

**BIELSKO-BIAŁA, POLAND** 





# 29<sup>th</sup> European U19 Junior Individual Championships and 35th European U19 Junior Team Championships 12 Mar – 1 April 2018 Bielsko-Biała, Poland

# On behalf of the European Squash Federation (ESF) and Polish Squash Federation, we are very pleased to invite your players to participate in the Under 19 Junior Championships.

Detailed regulations for these Championships are referred to throughout this document and may be found on the ESF website at <a href="http://www.europeansquash.com/page/25680/Regulations">www.europeansquash.com/page/25680/Regulations</a>

# TIMETABLE

# DEADLINES

# DATES

Online entry opens on ESF website	1 January 2018
Notification of accommodation requirement to host (teams and individuals)	31 January 2018
Closing date for entries (Regulation A2) – teams	31 January 2018
Closing date for entries (Regulation A2) – individuals	28 February 2018
Payment of team entry fee to ESF (Reg. A1)	10 February 2018
Payment of event package fee to ESF (Reg.A1) teams + individuals	10 February 2018
Provide travel details to Host	By 11 February
Squad orders to be submitted in order of strength to ESF Office (Reg. D1)	By 22 Feb 2018
Payment of individuals entry fee to ESF (Reg. A1)	By 10 March 2018
Publication of seeding and draw information by ESFindividuals (Reg. W4.2)	By 10 March 2018
INDIVIDUAL	
Arrival date	Fri 23 Mar 2018
Managers meeting	Sat 24 Mar 2018
Start Day	Sat 24 Mar 2018
Day 2	Sun 25 Mar 2018
Semi Final Day	Mon 26 Mar 2018
Finals Day	Tues 27 Mar 2018
Departure Day	Weds 28 Mar 2018
Rest day	Weds 28 Mar 2018







TEAM	
Arrival day	Weds 28 Mar 2018
Pool stage 1	Thurs 29 Mar 2018
Pool stage 2	Fri 30 Mar 2018
Knock out stage	Sat 31 Mar 2018
Finals date	Sun 1 April 2018
Departure date	Mon 2 April 2018

# CONTACT DETAILS

### **Organising Committee**

Maciej Kliś – Owner : Enjoy Squash&Fitness Club Telephone Maciej Kliś +48 501 925 899 Email: macieksquash@gmail.com

Championships Website: www.juniorsquash.pl

#### Venue

The Championships will be held at: Enjoy Squash, ul. Rejtana 3, 43-300 Bielsko-Biała, Poland

#### Championship Adjudicating Panel (CAP)

ESF Technical Delegate Championship Director Championship Referee Pavel Sladecek Maciej Kliś Paweł Winiarczyk

#### **ENTRY TERMS & CONDITIONS**

#### Please note:

Any entries received after the closing date (31 January 2018 for teams, 28 February 2018 for individuals) will not be allowed.

Any entry and package deposit payments not received by or on 10 February 2018 for teams / 10 March 2018 for individuals will result in the entry being cancelled.

Any outstanding membership or championship invoices as of 10 February 2018 for teams / 10 March 2018 for individuals will result in the entry being cancelled.

#### How to enter

Only entries from ESF member nations will be accepted. Please complete the entry form online at <u>http://esf.tournamentsoftware.com</u>. The hotel, squad order and travel forms can be completed on the championships website at <u>www.juniorsquash.pl</u>







Entries can be made from 1 January 2018 and must be submitted by 31 January 2018 for teams and 28 February 2018 for individuals. The hotel form (if accommodation is required) must be submitted by 31 January 2018, the squad order form by 22 Feb 2018 and the travel form by 11 Feb 2018.

#### Closing date

The closing date for entries is 31 January 2018 for teams and 28 February 2018 for individuals.

### Entry fee

This must be paid to ESF in Euros using the bank details below.

- €152 entry fee per team for the team championships payment must be made by 10 February 2018.
- €15 entry fee per player for the individual championships payment must be made by 10 March 2018.

# Bank details:

Salzburger Sparkasse Bank AG, Marktplatz 2, 5580 Tamsweg, Austria Account number: 0040719288 SWIFT/IBAN BIC: SBGSAT2SXXX IBAN: AT062040400040719288

# **EVENT PACKAGES**

Please refer to Section Y in the Regulations for detailed explanation

Payment of entry fee plus the event package cost per person is a mandatory payment within 10 days of the entry deadline.

If you wish to have the optional hotel/food package, please make the relevant additional payment (see below)

# **Event Package**

The price of the event package is: €182 per person championships (whether entering the team or the individual championships; this figure applies to support people such as coaches and managers as well as players; includes event organisation and the final dinner / party)

# Event Package Fee

This must be paid to ESF by 10<sup>th</sup> February

# Optional Hotel / Food Package (dinner at the hotel)

The price of the package for 5 nights is: €359 per person Extra night (bed & breakfast, per person, twin room): €40 / night Single room supplement: €55 per person per night

# Payment of Hotel Package

Payment of outstanding balance of event package to host must be done by 10 February 2018.

Bank details: Bank: Account holder: IBAN: SWIFT:

PEKAO SA Gal-Fructus sp. z o. o. PL54 1240 4881 1978 0010 7503 5298 PKOPPLPW





### SPIN

All players must have an active, paid-for SPIN (Squash Personal Identification Number) to participate. This can be obtained at <u>www.worldsquash.org/spin</u>

#### Withdrawals

In the event of a withdrawal from the Championships, after the closing date, penalty fees additional to the entry fee will apply in accordance with Regulations Section A.

#### CHAMPIONSHIP HOTEL(S)

http://www.vienna.pl

TRANSPORT

The organisers will provide transport between the official championship hotel(s) and venue. Is this only for people staying in the championships hotel

Details of transport options available and prices for local airport / train station pick ups and drop offs.

# ELIGIBILITY

Player eligibility for the Championships is shown in the Regulations - Section B2.

# SEEDING AND DRAWS

The seeding and draw will be carried out by the Seeding Panel under the direction of the Technical Delegate and in accordance with Section W4 of the Championships Regulations.

Team Championships: The seeding panel will seed the Teams in the presence of the CAP during the afternoon of the semi-finals of the Individual Events, based on the current form and order of the players nominated in each team. If there is no significant difference in the strength of up to 4 teams then the relative seeding of these teams will be done by lot. The Championships Director will announce the seeding and draw for the Team Event by 20:00 hours on the day of the Semi-Finals of the Individual Events.

Member nations have no right of appeal against final seeding or draws.

# PRACTICE COURTS

Practice facilities will be provided at no cost by the organiser and will be available at the venue starting the day before the Championships (Regulations – Section F6).

#### REFEREES

Qualified referees will be provided in accordance with ESF Referee Committee procedures relating to the specific Championships and Regulations - Section F9.







#### SCORING

PAR 11 scoring will be used (to 2 clear points).

#### SQUASH BALLS

The Dunlop PRO XX ball will be used.

# **CHAMPIONSHIPS OFFICE**

The Championships Office will be located at ENJOY SQUASH CLUB and will be open from 9:00 time on 23rd of March until 20:00 time on 1st of April.

#### DOPE TESTING

The ESF and the hosts reserve the right to implement compulsory dope testing for any player participating in the Championships. Dope testing may be carried out in line with the doping regulations published by the WSF. Member nations are responsible for informing all their participants (including managers, coaches and physiotherapists) about the latest WSF policy on doping; and must impose the standard WSF suspension from all forms of competitive squash upon a player who has used banned substances or practices.

# **INSURANCE AND RISKS**

Players enter and play in the Championships at their own risk. Neither the ESF, the Host Association, the Host Club nor the Organisers will accept any responsibility for injury or other damages arising from participation in the Championships. ESF recommends that all officials and participants have full travel, medical and possessions insurance when travelling to any Championships.

# EYE PROTECTION

All competing players U19 must wear approved eye guards at all time on court. All junior players (under 19 years of age) must wear protective eyewear (manufactured to an approved national safety standard) properly over the eyes at all times during practice and match play. The list of WSF Certified Eyewear allowable at the time of participation can be viewed on the WSF website.

#### CLOTHING AND ADVERTISING

The ESF clothing and advertising regulations will be adhered to. In all matters of judgement or opinion arising from the interpretation of this clothing regulation, the decision of the Championships Referee shall be final.

# **VISA PROCEDURES**

Please note that visas may be required to enter Poland. It is the responsibility of the member nation to ensure all players and officials have the appropriate documentation and that visas are applied for in good time before the Championships.



