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# ESF Masters Circuit 2017

## Polish Masters Grand Prix

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### Dates

This European Masters Grand Prix event will be held October 27-29.  
The tournament will start on Friday Oct 27 at 9.00 am.  
The Prize Giving Ceremony takes place at the latest at 8.00 pm on Sunday Oct 29 .

### Closing date for entries

Friday, October 6  
Late entries are only acceptable before the seeding is published at the discretion of the  
Tournament Director and Masters Sub-Committee in the interest of the tournament.

### Venue

SQUASH4YOU PÓŁNOC ( 7 courts club)  
Nad Strugą 7 Street, 31-408 Cracow  
<http://www.squash4you.pl/pms0>  
<https://www.facebook.com/pms02014>





## Categories

Men's: +35, +40, +45, +50, +55, +60, +65, +70,  
Women's: +35, +40, +45, +50, +55, +60, +65, +70

The TD reserves the right to amalgamate age groups if there are insufficient entries to make a workable draw. Players are only allowed to enter one category.

## Eligibility

This event is open to all players who are over 35, 40, 45, 50, 55, 60, 65, 70 on the first day of the event. As specified by the WSF and ESF, to compete in all ESF Registered events players must hold an active Squash Player Identification Number (SPIN), which is approved and validated by his MNA. Objections after the closing date will not be accepted. Players without a SPIN can register through the WSF website [www.worldsquash.org/spin](http://www.worldsquash.org/spin)

## Seeding

The seeding will be carried out by the Masters Sub-Committee Seeding Panel using the latest available results and ESF Masters Rankings valid at the closing date and in accordance with the ESF Masters Circuit Guidelines.

## Matches

All matches played will consist of the best of five games, under the rules of the WSF. All players are guaranteed a minimum of three matches. The Tournament Organisers will organize plate matches consisting of the best of five games. PAR 11 scoring (to 2 clear points) will be used.

## Draws

Maximum draw size: 64 for 3 day event.

## Refereeing

Both players will be expected to mark and referee matches, usually the next match on the court, where they played.

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### **Ball**

DUNLOP PRO XX.

### **Prizes**

Medals for 1st, 2nd and 3rd place in each age group and other prizes.  
The Prize Giving Ceremony takes place at the latest at 8.00 pm on Sunday Oct 29 .

### **Insurance**

Players enter and play in the tournament at their own risk. Neither the organisers nor the ESF will accept responsibility for any claims including injury or accident. Suitable insurance must be organised by the player or the participating federation.

### **Accommodation**

Reservations for packages can only be made by the tournament organisers.

#### **1<sup>st</sup> Option**

PURO HOTEL KRAKOW \*\*\*\*\*  
Ogrodowa 10  
31-155 Krakow, Poland  
[www.en.purohotel.pl/krakow](http://www.en.purohotel.pl/krakow)  
( for tournament packages B and C)

#### **2<sup>nd</sup> Option**

DWOREK ZŁOTY RÓG  
Legnicka 3  
31-216 Krakow, Poland  
<http://www.zlotyrog.com/>  
( for tournament packages E)





## **Transport**

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Players who book a package B, C, or E will be picked-up and dropped off at Krakow Airport or Krakow main railway station.

On all playing days there will be a regular bus transfer service between the hotel and the venue.

## **Entries**

The European Masters Circuit is open to all Masters of any nationality provided the player is not banned by his MNA. All entries must be made on the official entry form and sent to:

[turniej@squash4you.pl](mailto:turniej@squash4you.pl)

## **Payment**

The entry fee and package fee, as detailed below, must be paid to the host by the closing date by bank transfer (net of bank charges) to:

Bank: Bank Zachodni WBK

Account holder: Squash4You s.c.

Account number: 18 1090 1795 0000 0001 2087 3133

IBAN: PL 18 1090 1795 0000 0001 2087 3133

SWIFT/BIC: WBKPPLPP

Reference: PMSO-2017

Please mark payment clearly with the name of the player and his SPIN.



## Tournament Packages

**Package A** ..... / **€ 50 per person**

Basic Entry fee (includes the ESF /PFS levy, tournament t-shirt)

**Package B** ..... / **€ 195 per person** / € 150 euro accompanying - partners, coaches

Entry fee, 2 nights bed and breakfast, accommodation in double room (PURO Hotel\*\*\*\*), meals in the club, transport between arrival/departure point (airport, main railway station) and hotel, local transport, player package, tournament t-shirt (includes the ESF/PFS levy)

*please, note there is extra charge for single room!*

**Package C** ..... / **€ 255 per person** / € 210 euro accompanying - partners, coaches

Entry fee, 3 nights bed and breakfast, accommodation in double room (PURO Hotel\*\*\*\*), meals in the club, transport between arrival/departure point (airport, main railway station) and hotel, local transport between hotel and venue, player package, tournament t-shirt (includes the ESF/PFS levy)

*please, note there is extra charge for single room!*

**Package D (meals)** ..... / **€ 85 per person**

Basic Entry fee (includes the ESF levy €4 per person and PFS levy 10 zł per person), tournament t-shirt, meals in the club ( lunch, dinner)

**Package E (cheaper hotel option )** ..... / **€ 160 per person**

Entry fee, 2 nights bed and breakfast (Dworek Złoty Róg Hotel next to the club), meals in the club (includes the ESF,PFS levy), tournament t-shirt, transport between arrival/departure point (airport, main railway station) and hotel

*please, note there is extra charge for single room!*

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Extra charge for single room	(B and C packages) (E package)	/ € 40 per person per night / € 20 per person per night
Extra night double room	(C package) (E package)	/ € 60 per person per night / € 40 per person per night
Extra night single room	( C package) (E package)	/ € 90 per person per night / € 50 per person per night

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### **Draws**

The seeding lists and time of the first matches for specific age groups will be published 7 days prior to the start date on the ESF Website

Finalised draws for the event will be published on the ESF Website at about 17:00 on the day before the tournament.

Up-to-Date information about this and all other ESF Masters Tournaments will be published regularly in the Facebook group "European Squash Masters". Please join up today!

### **ESF regulations & penalties**

This event complies with the ESF Masters Circuit Guidelines, a copy of which is available on the ESF website.

A late withdrawal is a withdrawal made 2 days or less before the start date of a tournament. Ranking penalties may be applied to the records of players who fail to turn up or who make a late withdrawal not supported by a medical certificate.

Following a withdrawal, fees and packages should be reimbursed as follows:

- a) Withdrawal up to 30 days before the start date of a tournament: fees reimbursed in full (less bank charges).
- b) Withdrawal 7-30 days before the start date of a tournament: 50% of fees reimbursed (less bank charges).
- c) Withdrawal 6 days or less before the start date of a tournament: reimbursement at the discretion of the tournament organiser

If a player:

- a) Has entered a tournament and fails to turn up, he/she may receive zero ranking points for the tournament
- b) Fails to play out all scheduled matches for any reason other than illness or injury, he/she may receive zero ranking points for the tournament
- a) Commits either of these offence for a second time within a 12 month period, he/she may be banned from the ESF Masters Circuit for a period of 12 months