

12th European Veterans Fencing Team Championships

Porec, Croatia

15th – 18th May 2014

INFORMATION for DELEGATIONS

**12.European Veterans
Fencing Team
Championships**



Porec, 22.01.2014.



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Program, Programme, Programa

Thursday 15.05.2014.	10:00 – 12:00	Equipment control and accreditation
	16:00 - 18:30	Equipment control and accreditation
	15:30	Meeting of DT, Réunion DT, Reunión de DT
	16:00	Briefing of Delegations, Suivie du briefing des délégations, Seguida de briefing de delegaciones
	16:30	Meeting of referees, Réunion des arbitres, Reunión de los árbitros
Friday 16.05.2014.	8:00 - 13:00	Equipment control and accreditation
	14:00 - 19:00	Equipment control
	9:00	Foil men 150+
	10:00	Ladies épée 150+
	11:30	Men sabre 195+
	13:00	Ladies sabre 195+
	17:30	Opening ceremony
	18:00	Finals
Saturday 17.05.2014.	8:00 - 13:00	Equipment control and accreditation
	14:00 - 19:00	Equipment control
	9:00	Ladies foil 150+
	9:00	Men epee 195+
	11:30	Men's sabre 150+
	11:30	Ladies épée 195+
	17:00	Finals
Sunday 18.05.2014.	8:00 - 10:00	Equipment control
	9:00	Men epee 150+
	10:00	Foil men 195+
	11:30	Ladies sabre 150+
	13:00	Ladies foil 195+
	17:00	Finals
	18:00	Closing ceremony
	20:30	Gala Dinner, Dîner de Gala, Cena de Gala

II – Participation Confirmation and Accreditation

- 1 Accreditations will be issued during the whole Championships (according to the schedule in the program) until the day before the last day of competition
- 2 Competitors and other participants may confirm their participation and get accredited in their hotel (if they are accommodated in an official hotel) or at the competition venue (Intersport Hall) according to the schedule in the program.
- 3 The official hotel (in which participants may get accredited and in which there will be info desks) is

Hotel Albatros, ****

4 Accreditation, competitors need:

- A valid passport or identity card (for identification, proof of European Citizenship and confirmation of date of birth) and, if fencing for a country other than of his or her birth, proof of ordinary residence for the required period in that country.
- A valid licence card from the national fencing federation for whom the participant is registering to compete
- To sign a statement of participation at own responsibility (it can be found on the website):

<http://www.fencingveterans2014.com>

- 5 Competitors need to get accredited by 13:00 on the day before their competition at the latest. Accredited competitors do not need to make any additional application with the DT to enter the competition.

III – Information

VERY IMPORTANT

1 Visa Requirements

You can find basic information about the visa regime between the Republic of Croatia and all other countries at: <http://www.mfa.hr/>

- 2 General information (transportation, accommodation, tourist offer, etc.) may be obtained at info desks in all official hotels and the competition venue (Intersport Hall).

The official Championships agency is:

F.A. Tours ARLEN

Vukovarska 26, 52440 Porec, Croatia

Phones: ++385 (0)52 453 145

++ 385(0)52 434 819

++ 385(0)91 219 4340 (Denis Zivolic, manager)

Internet: www.arlen.hr

E-mail: restaurant.arlen@gmail.com

- 3 Information regarding the competition (start lists, daily bulletin, results) will be available to the Heads of Delegation in pigeon holes at the competition venue (Intersport Hall). Groups for following days and results of the previous days will be posted on the information boards at the venue and in the official hotel.
- 4 There will be no organized transportation between hotels and the competition venue as they are very close to one another.

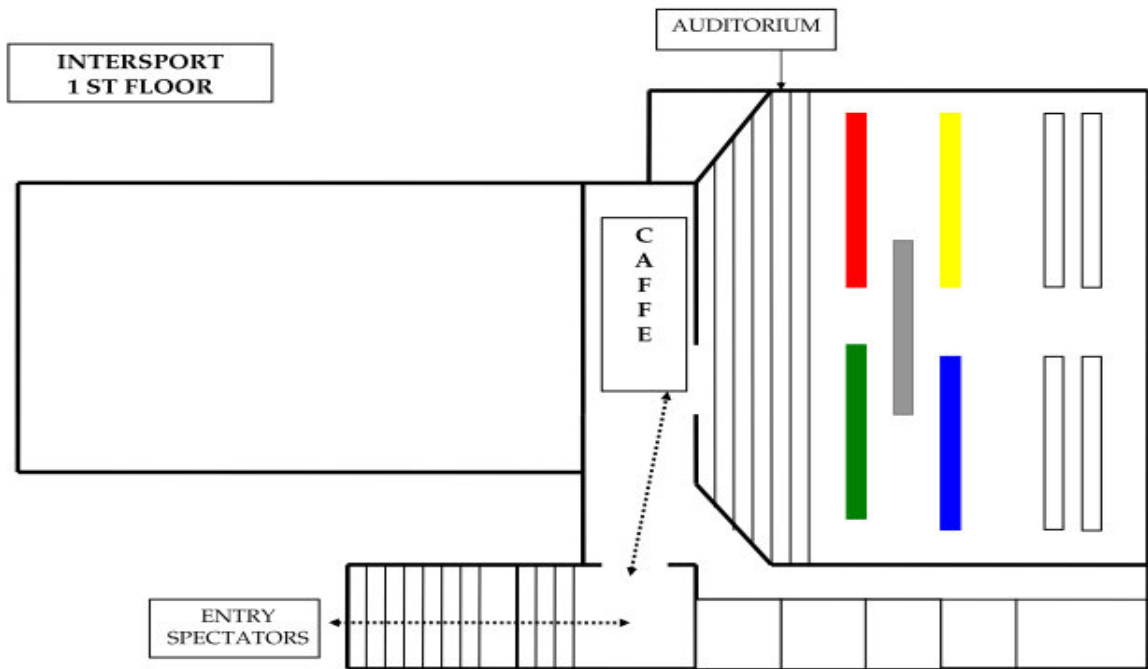
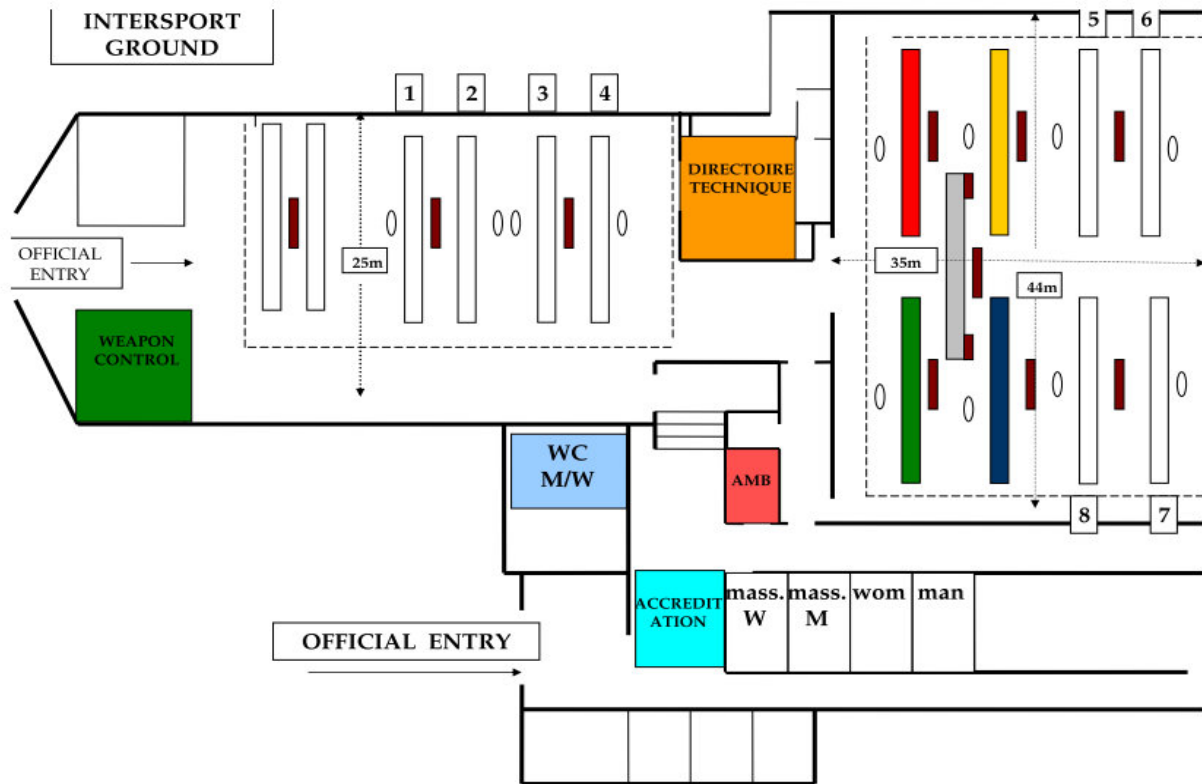
IV –Competition Formula and Equipment Control

1. Competition will be carried out **according to the EVFC rules**
2. The finals will only include the gold-medal bout in each event.
3. Results will be processed in **En Garde** program.
4. Equipment control will be conducted according to the schedule in the program, and additional control only before the final bouts.
5. There will be no doping control.

V – Competition Venue, Training

- 1 . The competition will take place on 13 pistes at the Intersport Sports Centre (Zelena Laguna, Porec).
A total of 9 pistes will be set up in Hall A: the finals piste, coloured pistes – red, blue, yellow and green, and 4 additional pistes numbered 5-8
2. A total of 7 pistes will be set up in Hall B: pistes numbered 1-4 and 2 unnumbered training pistes
3. Training will be possible in Hall B on 6 pistes on 15 May , on 2 training pistes and free pistes from time to time in Hall B from 16 May on, after the competition starts.
4. Competition area equipment and control: **PBT** (Hungary)
5. A **PBT** fencing equipment sales stand will be set up during the Championships.
6. There will be a cafe with food and drinks at the competition venue
7. There will be a Internet corner in the competition venue (2 computers with internet access)

Intersport Hall



OFFICIAL HOTEL ALBATROS



HOTEL ALBATROS

INTERSPORT HALL



General Information

Climate

Porec has a mild Mediterranean climate. Summers are delightfully warm, with low humidity and more than 10 hours of sun daily. Sea temperatures in summer peak at 28°C, which is higher than in South Adriatic. Winds in the region of Porec are moderate; mostly the light mistral in summer. Winters are temperate and snow is very rare.

Language

The official language is Croatian. Many people speak English and German.

Time Zone

GMT (Greenwich Mean Time) +1. From March through October, during DST, it is GMT +2

Mains Power

The voltage in Croatia is 230 V, 50 Hz, like in the rest of Europe.

Currency Exchange

1 € = 7,6 HRK

The basic Croatian currency unit is KUNA. There are 1 and 2 kuna coins, 5 kuna coins and notes, and 10, 20, 50, 100, 200, 500,1000 kuna notes. 1 KUNA has 100 LIPAS, with coins ranging from 1,2,5,10,20 to 50 lipas. Foreign currencies can be exchanged in banks, exchange offices, post offices, etc.

Bank Work Hours

Banks and exchange offices are open 8 - 19 Monday through Friday and 8 – 12 Saturdays. Most banks have ATMs, which operate 24 hours a day. Banks at the Zagreb Airport are open 7 – 21 daily (including Sundays and holidays).

Post Offices

Post boxes in Croatia are yellow and post collection times are indicated on the post boxes. The main post office in Porec is in Vukovarska Street. Work hours: 7 – 21 Monday through Friday, 7 – 19 Saturdays.

Work Hours

Work hours of governmental offices are 8:30 – 16:30 Monday through Friday. Most shops and department stores are open non-stop 8 – 20 Monday through Friday, 8 – 15 Saturdays and 8 – 13 Sundays.

Tipping

A service charge is already included in restaurant bills, but it is customary to "round up" the amount of a restaurant bill. Hotel personnel usually expect tips of 10-30 kunas for their services.

Credit Cards

All major credit cards, such as American Express, Diners Club, Eurocard/Master Card, Visa, JCB and Eurocheques, are usually accepted in Croatia and their logos displayed in points of sale.

Alcohol Law

The legal drinking age in Croatia is 18 years.

Telephone

Public phones take only phone cards, which can be purchased in post offices and department stores.

To call Porec from abroad, dial the international code for Croatia 385, the Porec area code 52 and then the desired telephone number. GSM mobile networks are available. Please check compatibility with your operator.

Medical Services – General Information:

No vaccination or other medical certificates are required to enter Croatia. Health insurance is not mandatory.

Pharmacies are open 7 – 20.

In case of illness or injury dial 94 free of charge to call an ambulance.

Police:

Dial 92 free of charge

Taxi in Porec:

The reception desk of each hotel can call a taxi for you. The taxi stand in the town of Porec is next to the Porec Bus Terminal.

Taxi fares from the Pula Airport to the Zelena Laguna resort and hotels in Porec are to be negotiated with the taxi driver.

Zagreb Airport: Pleso bb, 10150 Zagreb, Croatia

Information ++385 1 4562 170

www.zagreb-airport.hr

Pula Airport:

Information ++385 52 530 105

<http://www.airport-pula.hr/>

Organizing committee