



DIRECTIVES

Event ID: 14872

Dear FIG affiliated Member Federation,

The Gymnastics Federation of **Switzerland** has the pleasure to invite your Federation to participate in the aforementioned official FIG International Event.

DISPLINE	Mens Artistic Womens Artistic
HOST FEDERATION	Swiss Gymnastics Federation Elite Sport Department Bahnhofstrasse 38 Postfach 5001 Aarau Tel +41 62 837 82 41 Fax +41 62 837 82 44 Mail spispo@stv-fsg.ch Communications between the delegations and the host federation to be made exclusively through the SGF Office.
ORGANIZING COMMITTEE	Memorial Arthur Gander: www.memorialgander.ch
LOCATION	Chiasso / SUI
DATES	2nd of November 2016
VENUE	Palapenz via Passeggiata 6828 Balerna
APPARATUS SUPPLIER	Gymnova
RULES AND REGULATIONS	The event will be organized under the following FIG rules, as valid in the year of the event, except for any deviation mentioned in these directives: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Statutes • Technical Regulations • Code of Points and relevant Newsletters • General Judges' Rules • Specific Judges' Rules • Doping Control Rules • Licence rules (except for non competitive events) • Media Rules • Apparatus Norms • FIG Rules for Sanctioning (approval) of International Events • Advertising and Publicity Rules <i>and subsequent decisions of the FIG Executive Committee</i>
FEDERATIONS INVITED	The Organizing Member Federation will invite for Arthur Gander : <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 10 male gymnasts (MAG) and 10 female gymnasts (WAG) plus one accompanying person each. from 9-10 FIG member federation in good standing. The Federations and the gymnasts invited for the Memorial Arthur Gander

	and the Swiss Cup Zürich are in general identical.				
AGE LIMITS	WAG: Senior: 16 MAG: Senior: 18 All gymnasts with current valid FIG licence until the end of the event				
REGISTRATION DEADLINES	<table border="1"> <tr> <td>Provisional registration</td><td>31th of July 2016</td></tr> <tr> <td>Definitive/Nominative registration:</td><td>31th of August 2016</td></tr> </table>	Provisional registration	31th of July 2016	Definitive/Nominative registration:	31th of August 2016
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ENTRY FEES	No Entry Fee will be applied for these events.				
ACCREDITATION	Upon arrival on place.				
EVENT FORMAT	See separate competitions' rules for Memorial Arthur Gander				
PROVISIONAL SCHEDULE	<p>Mon, Oct. 31, 2016</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Arrival of delegations in Chiasso • Training <p>Tue, Nov. 1, 2016</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Training • Technical orientation meeting • Official welcome <p>Wed, Nov. 2, 2016</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Training • Competition „Memorial Arthur Gander“ • Banquet <p>Th, Nov. 3, 2016</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Transfer to Zürich (to the Swiss Cup) or individual departure for those who only participate on Memorial Arthur Gander 				
VISA	<p>Please verify immediately with your travel agent or the Swiss Embassy or Consulate in your country if a visa is required for your travel to Switzerland. The LOC will be happy to assist each Delegation member with an official invitation letter, provided that the request is made to the Swiss Gymnastics Federation.</p> <p>The request must include the function, full name, gender, date of birth, citizenship and passport number, passport expiry date, the arrival and departure dates of the Delegation Member as well as the city the visa application support letter must be sent to.</p>				
INSURANCE	<p>The Host Federation, the LOC and the FIG will not be held responsible for any liabilities in case of accidents, illness, repatriation and the like.</p> <p>The FIG Technical Regulations foresee that all participating Federations are responsible for making their own arrangements to have the necessary valid insurance coverage against illness, accidents and for repatriation for all the members of their Delegation.</p>				
INTERNATIONAL TRANSPORTATION	<p>Travel expenses for registered delegations are paid by the LOC.</p> <p>The registered delegations have to send travel proposals (including prices) to the LOC. After receiving the confirmation of the LOC, the flight or train ticket has to be booked by the respective national federation.</p> <p>For the reimbursement the national federations have to send after the definitive booking an invoice of the travel costs to the Department of sport elite of the Swiss Gymnastics Federation.</p> <p>Important information about the travel booking:</p> <p>Plane tickets are in economy class, railway tickets are in 2nd class:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Arrival for participants of <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Memorial Gander: Milano Malpensa (ITA) • Departure for participants of <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Memorial Gander: Milano Malpensa (ITA) 				

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Memorial Gander and Swiss Cup Zürich: Zürich (SUI) airport <p>The travel booking must be made by 30th of Sept. 2016.</p>																																																		
LOCAL TRANSPORTATION	<p>Transfer from the Memorial Arthur Gander to the Swiss Cup Zürich shall be organised by the LOC.</p> <p>A transport service will be offered by the LOC on the competition venues.</p>																																																		
ACCOMMODATION	<p>Accommodation will be covered by the LOC.</p> <p>Hotel TOURING Mövenpick Piazza Indipendenza 6830 Chiasso Tel: +41 (0)91 682 53 31 Fax: +41 (0)91 682 56 61</p>																																																		
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MEDICAL SERVICES	Medical and physiotherapist services are offered on the competition venues.																																																		
JUDGES AND JURIES	<p>Judges are invited directly by the Swiss Gymnastics Federation.</p> <p>All judges must have a current valid FIG brevet at the time of the event.</p>																																																		
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	Under Swiss cantonal law, artists and athletes have to pay tax on prize money. This tax is already deducted in the above-mentioned amounts.							
MARKETING	FIG advertising and publicity norms must be respected							
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ADDITIONAL INFORMATION	<p>Upon registration, the delegations agree with the following elements related to both events:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• They agree with the Competitions' Rules, in particular with the addendums attached to the specific format of competition,• The organisers reserve the right to use worldwide pictures of the events and of the participants for marketing and communication purposes. As a counter-part, the participants may use pictures of both events.• The official program points are abided by and they form an integral part of both events.• Delegations strive to prepare the registered athletes as well as possible. In case of injury, they undertake to suggest a reserve gymnast upon agreement with the host federation.							

Sincerely Yours,

SCHWEIZERISCHER TURNVERBAND
FEDERATION SUISSE DE GYMNASTIQUE
Chef Spitzensport / Chef sport élite

Felix Stingelin



Aarau, 13th June 2016

Place and date:

Signature of the President or
Secretary General of the FIG affiliated NF
Felix Stingelin