

OSIJEK CHALLENGE CUP OSIJEK, CROATIA 28TH APRIL – 01st MAY 2016



DIRECTIVES

Dear FIG affiliated Member Federation,

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Following the decision of the FIG Presidential Commission, the Gymnastics Federation of Croatia has the pleasure to invite your Federation to participate in the aforementioned official FIG World Challenge Cup.

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	Web: www.osijekgym.com
LOCATION	Osijek, Republic of Croatia
DATES	From 28 th April to 01 st May 2016
VENUE	Hall "GRADSKI VRT"
VENCE	Kneza Trpimira 23, 3100 Osijek, Croatia
	Tel: +385 31 570 950
	Web: http://www.sportski-objekti.hr/objekti/nsd-gradski-vrt
	Competition Hall, the Training Hall and the Warm-up Hall are in the same
	building.
APPARATUS	A detailed list of SPIETH equipment to be used for this World Challenge cup
SUPPLIER	will be published on the FIG web site
RULES AND	The competition will be organized under the following FIG rules, as valid in the
REGULATIONS	year of the competition, except for any deviation mentioned in the Individual
REGULATIONS	Apparatus World Cup and World Challenge Cup Rules in Artistic Gymnastics :
	Statutes
	Technical Regulations
	 License Rules
	 Code of Points and relevant Newsletters
	Rules for the FIG Individual Apparatus World Cup and World Challenge

the D H T C O M P	invited delegation is as follows:			 General Judges' Rules Specific Judges' Rules for Artistic Gymnastics Medical Organization of the Official FIG Competitions Doping Control Rules Media Rules Apparatus Norms Advertising and Publicity Rules Accreditation Rules Regulations for Awards Ceremonies and subsequent decisions of the FIG Executive Committee Federations which have not fulfilled their financial obligations towards the FIG (e.g. annual membership fees, unpaid invoices, etc.) will not be allowed to participate in this World Challenge Cup. Federations which have not fulfilled their financial obligations towards the Local Organizing Committee by the given deadline in these Directives may still have the possibility to participate, but the LOC will not guarantee the hotel booking, meals and local transportation. The organizing member federation may invite FIG member federations in good standing at their discretion, but must invite at least all Member Federations who had gymnasts: ranked 1-8 in C-III at the previous World Championships* ranked 1-8 from the 2015 World Cup Ranking List for Individual Apparatus <i>For the 2016 series, the gymnasts' invitation will be based on the results of the 2015 World Championships</i> Only senior gymnasts in good standing with the correct age and holding a valid FIG License may participate. The Organizing Committee will be responsible for checking the validity of the gymnasts' licenses. No gymnasts will be accepted without a valid FIG License at the deadline of the Nominative Registration. While the Organizing Member Federation may limit the maximum number of gymnast per delegation, except for the eligible gymnasts, the maximum size of the invited delegation, except for the eligible gymnasts, the maximum size of 			
H T C O M P	Delegation member Men Women Joint						
T C G M P	elegation member	Men	Women	Joint			
C G M P	ead of Delegation	1	1	1			
G M P	eam Manager	1	1	2 6			
N P	Coach (max. 1 per gymnast*)33Gymnasts64Medical Doctor11						
P							
J	aramedical staff	1	1	2			
	udges	2	2	4			
	* including Wild card and "hors concours" gymnasts						
	Age limit for MAG: 18 years (born in 1998 or before)						
REGISTRATION DEADLINESDe the will Re be pa	Age limit for WAG: 16 years (born in 2000 or before)Definitive and Nominative Registrations must be made exclusively on-line via the FIG website (http://www.fig-gymnastics.com). These on-line registrations will only be accepted from FIG Gymnastics Member Federations.Registrations and payments made after the gymnasts' drawing of lots will not be accepted and the Delegations members concerned will not be authorized to participate.Definitive registration28th February 2016 (2 months prior to the event)						

		Midnight Swiss Time		
	Nominative 28 th March 2016			
	registration	(4 weeks prior to the event)		
		Midnight Swiss Time		
	Late registrations ar	e subject to fines as follows:		
	Fine for missing or	late Definitive Registration	CHF 750	
		late Nominative Registration	CHF 500	
ENTRY FEES	 The cost for the entry fee is 35EUR per gymnast. At the time of the Definitive entry (2 months prior to the event) 100% of the entry fee must be paid to the LOC. The entry fee is not refundable. Entries without payment of the entry fees will be considered as invalid and will be refused. The LOC will waive the costs for the entry fees for the top three gymnasts per apparatus listed in the World Ranking List. 			
ACCREDITATION	competition venue.	stem will be set up upon arrival of th All officials and delegation mem er the training and competition halls.	5	
COMPETITION		aratus Competitions for World Challen	ge Cup competitions	
FORMAT	 Qualifications and Apparatus Finals Qualifications: Participation is limited to 2 gymnasts per NF on each apparatus. The Organizing Member Federation is allowed to add (only qualifications) "hors concours" competitors. These competitor addition to the official competitors of the Organizing Member Fe they must be named at the time of the closing of the nominative re and they cannot qualify for the Finals. They are not eligible to rece Cup points, they must not appear on the official results lists and have to start first at every apparatus. The Organizing Member Federation is allowed to name a max. of concours" competitors in Women's Artistic Gymnastics and a m hors concours" competitors in Men's Artistic Gymnastics for a "hors concours" competitors in Men's Artistic Gymnastics for a "hors concours" competitors in Men's Artistic Gymnastics for a "hors concours" and apparatus, not more than one "hors concours" gymnast can compete on an apparatus). FIG Competition III rules will be applied for vault. In case of a tie at any place, the tie-breaking rules as set up for 'Championships shall be applied. Nevertheless, the gymnasts not for the Finals and with the same final score will receive the same V Points. Finals: Participation is limited to 2 gymnasts per NF and each apparatus. In addition, the Organizing Member Federation has the right to number of Wild Cards to guarantee the participation of the Hos gymnasts in the Finals (maximum 1 man and 1 woman gymnast o apparatus each). These "Wild Card Gymnasts" must have participated at the r apparatus in the qualification. "Wild Card Gymnasts" will receive medals, prize money and W points. 			
	In case of a tie a	III rules will be applied for vault. at any place, the tie will not be broker ame rank, but subsequent ranks will b		

	1, 1, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8
	1, 2, 2, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8
	1, 2, 3, 3, 3, 6, 7, 8 Tied gymnasts will receive the same medal and World Cup Points:
	1, 1, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 (two gold medals, no silver medal, one bronze medal)
	The Prize Money will be added and divided by the number of gymnasts:
	1, 1, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 (Prize Money for Rank 1 and 2 is added and divided by
	2)
	1, 2, 2, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 (Prize Money for Rank 2 and 3 is added and divided by
	2)
	1, 2, 2, 2, 5, 6, 7, 8 (Prize Money for Rank 2, 3, and 4 is added and divided
	by 3)
	1, 2, 3, 3, 3, 6, 7, 8 (Prize Money for Rank 3, 4, and 5 is added and divided
	by 3)
	1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 7 (Prize Money for Rank 7 and 8 is added and divided by
	2) 1 2 2 4 5 6 7 8 8 (Prize Manay for Dank 8 is divided by 2)
	1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 8 (Prize Money for Rank 8 is divided by 2)
DRAWING OF LOTS	The gymnasts' drawing of lots will be directed by the FIG Technical Delegate
	and take place at the Orientation meeting of the event in accordance with the
	procedures established.
PROVISIONAL	Monday, 25th April 2016
SCHEDULE	Arrival of Delegations (all day) and Training (13:00 – 20:00)
	Tuesday, 26th April 2016
	Arrival of Delegations (all day) and Training (11:00 – 20:00)
	Wednesday, 27th April 2016
	Arrival of Delegations (all day) and Official training (11:00 – 20:00)
	Orientation Meeting
	Thursday, 28th April 2016
	Warm up
	Qualification I MAG and WAG (MAG 3 + WAG 2)
	MAG Judges Instruction
	WAG Judges Instruction
	WAO Sudges instruction
	Friday, 29th April 2016
	Warm up
	Qualification II MAG and WAG (MAG 3 + WAG 2)
	MAG Judges Instruction
	WAG Judges Instruction
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	Saturday, 30th April 2016
	Training
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	Finals I warm up
	Finals I MAG and WAG (MAG 3 + WAG 2)
	Sunday, 1st May 2016
	Training
	Finals II warm up

	Finals II MAG and WAG (MAG 3 + WAG 2)			
	Banquet			
	Monday, 2nd May 2016			
	Departure of delegations (all day)			
EVENT MANAGER	Mr. Vladimir Mađarević, Cell: + 385 91 535 44 48			
MEDIA	HRT Hrvatska radiotelevizija - Croatian Radiotelevision, Mr.Krešimir Lacković			
SOCIAL MEDIA	WEBSITE: http://www.osijekgym.com/			
	FB PAGE: https://www.facebook.com/OsjetiGimnastiku			
MEDICAL SERVICES	Medical services (in co-operation with the organizing committee and the Croatian Gymnastics Federation) and anti-doping controls will be provided by the Croatian Olympic Committee Commission.			
OFFICIAL HOSPITAL	Klinički bolnički centar Osijek			
	address: J. Huttlera 4, Osijek			
	phone number: +385 31 511 511			
DOPING CONTROLS	The Organizing Member Federation will provide at its own charge a minimum of 6 doping controls, 3 for Women and 3 for Men.			
VISA	Please verify immediately with your travel agent or the Croatian Embassy or Consulate in your country if a visa is required for your travel to Croatia. The Organizing Committee will be happy to assist each Delegation member with an official invitation letter, provided that the request is made before 03 rd March 2016 to the LOC.			
	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.			
INSURANCE	The Host Federation, the Organizing Committee and the FIG will not be held responsible for any liabilities in case of accidents, illness, repatriation and the like. 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. The LOC will verify the insurance upon arrival of the delegation members (e.g. cover note or photocopy of the valid policy). Delegation members with insufficient insurance cover must inform the LOC in advance. The LOC will subsequently offer insurance at the Federations own charge as follows: 7 EUR per person/day.			
INTERNATIONAL TRANSPORTATION	The invited participating federations must pay for the travel costs of their delegation members.			
TRANSFORTATION	The Travel Schedule Form must be returned to the LOC by 28 th March 2016			
LOCAL TRANSPORTATION	Local Transportation between Osijek airport / Zagreb airport / Osijek train and bus station to the hotels and between the hotels and the competition venue will be provided by the LOC for all delegation members.			
ACCOMMODATION	HOTEL I Hotel Osijek**** Šamačka 4, Osijek, Croatia Tel:+385 31 230 333 Fax:+385 31 230 444 E-mail: info@hotelosijek.hr Web: www.hotelosijek.hr The costs per person/night in Hotel Osijek are as follows:			

EUR 130,- (single room, including breakfast) EUR 85,- (double room – only with partner, including breakfast)
HOTELS II Hotel Silver*** M. Divaltova 84, Osijek, Croatia Tel:+385 31 582 535 Fax:+385 31 582 536 E-mail: hotel@hotel-silver.hr Web: www.hotel-silver.hr
Hotel Millennium*** Kralja Petra Svačića 12, Osijek, Croatia Tel:+385 31 531 330 Fax:+385 31 531 331 E-mail: info@hotel-millennium.hr Web: www.hotel-millennium.hr
Hotel Fitea*** Srijemska 27, Osijek, Croatia Tel:+385 31 508 508 Fax:+385 31 508 508 E-mail: fitea@fitea.hr Web: www.fitea.hr
The costs per person/night in *** hotels Silver, Millennium and Fitea are as follows: EUR 85,- (single room, including breakfast) EUR 65,- (double room – only with partner, including breakfast)
The reservations for all hotels will be treated in order of receipt.
Accommodation costs include for all hotels: - Accommodation in single/double room - Breakfast - City tax - Banquet - transport from/to the Airport/Railway station to the hotel - transport from /to the hotel to the competition/training venue.
The prices charged for the hotel rooms will not exceed the usual hotel rates. While the Accommodation Form must be returned to the OC by 28 th February 2016 at the very latest, the Hotel rooms will be allocated on a "first come, first serve" basis.
The invited participating federations must pay for the accommodation expenses of their delegation members (see exception herein below).
The costs for the accommodations must be paid to the OC as follows: at the time of the Definitive entry -28^{th} February 2016 (2 months prior to the event) 50% of the Accommodation costs must be paid to the OC. Entries without the payment of the 50% of the Accommodation costs will be considered as invalid and will be refused. The remaining 50% of the Accommodation costs must be paid at the time of the Nominative entry - 28 th March 2016.
In case of room cancellations until 28th February 2016 the OC will refund the complete amount of annulled rooms. In case of room cancellations until

	28th March 2016. OC will refund 50 % of the amount of annulled rooms. In case of room cancellations after 28th March 2016. no claims of refunds will be accepted.
	The Organizing Member Federation must pay for the Accommodation expenses for the gymnasts ranked 1-3, per apparatus, competing in the event from:
	 previous World Championships* (see note above) the 2015 World Cup Ranking List
MEALS	HOTEL I & HOTELS II: The cost for meals are as follows:
	- EUR 30,- per person for full board
	- EUR 15,- per person for lunch or dinner
	The invited participating federations must pay for the meals expenses of their delegation members (see exception herein below).
	While the Meals Form must be returned to the LOC by 28 th March 2016 at the very latest, the costs for the meals must be paid to the LOC by 03 rd April 2016.
	Meal tickets can be also bought on accreditation upon arrival.
	The Organizing Member Federation must pay for the meals expenses,
	including full board, for the gymnasts ranked 1-3, per apparatus, competing in
	the event from: - previous World Championships* (see note above)
	- the 2015 World Cup Ranking List
FINAL BANQUET	The Final Banquet is included in all Packages.
FIG TECHNICAL DELEGATE AND EC MEMBER	The FIG Technical Delegate and EC member (if applicable) will be designated by the FIG.
	The FIG Technical Delegates will serve as Presidents of the Superior Jury.
JUDGES AND PANELS	Each Judge's panel will be composed as follows:
	 2 D judges, minimum 4 E judges, plus 1 Supervisor
	The number of judges' panels will be decided by the organizing member federation depending on the number of participating competitors and judges. Not more than one judge per Federation per panel will be permitted (except for time and line judges).
	The judges' panels are set up by a draw from the judges present at the event. The draw must be directed by the MAG and WAG Technical Delegates. The participating member federations must send minimum one qualified judge for MAG if they participate with male gymnasts and one qualified WAG judge if
	they participate with female gymnasts. The Organizing Member Federation will apply a fine of CHF 2'000 per missing judge (to be paid to the LOC) should a federation fail to bring the required number of judges. This fine must be paid to the LOC by 05 th April 2016.
	The Organizing Member Federation is responsible that there are enough FIG brevetted judges present with the appropriate valid category of brevet for their function. Should there not be sufficient judges as per the on-line nominative registration, the Organizing Member Federation must propose to the FIG for approval the name of neutral additional judges to complete the panels (plus 2 reserves, 1 man and 1 woman). These judges, once approved, have to be invited at the cost of the Organizing Member Federation. Such invitation must

VIDEO CONTROL SYSTEM	 be made through the respective Member Federation. Should the Organizing Member Federation fail to propose names for additional judges, the FIG Office in consultation with the TC Presidents concerned will invite these judges at the cost (in terms of international and local travel, accommodation and meals) of the Organizing Member Federation. For additional judge's requirements see the Specific Judges' Rules. Should IRCOS not be available, the Organizing Member Federation will provide another video control system which allows to treat inquiries and 				
	records all exercises of the competition in a quality which allows to judge the exercises.				
PRIZE MONEY	Money (amou The Prize Mo	nts in Swiss Francs – CH	nust pay the following minin IF): CHF 2'500 per apparatus ble taxes, will be distributed ir	i.	
	follows:				
			up - Prize Money in CHF		
		Ranking	Individual Apparatus		
		1	750		
		2	600		
		3	400		
		4	250		
		5	200		
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		8	50		
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ASSIGNMENT OF WORLD CUP POINTS FOR THE ALL- AROUND WORLD CUP RANKING LIST	published on t provided that respected by t Separate men Challenge C Competitions Cup/World Ch	he FIG web site within 2 all the requirements bef he Organizing Member F 's and women's World C up combined) are e (i.e. for each apparatus	Cup Ranking Lists (World Cup established for Individual). These lists begin with the t the year and end with the I	mpetitions s are duly and World Apparatus first World	
	 6 World Cup Ranking Lists for Men and 4 World Cup Ranking Lists for Women Men Women Floor Vault Pommel Horse Uneven Bars Rings Balance Beam Vault Floor Parallel Bars Horizontal Bar 				
	The World Cup Points are assigned to the competitors by name:				
			e Cup competitions		
		Rank	Points		
		1	30		
		2	25		
		3	20		
		4	18		

			1			
		5	16			
		6	14			
		7	12			
		8	10			
		9	8			
		10	7			
		11	6			
		12	5			
	The gymnasts Points	s with the same final s	core will receive the same	World Cup		
	In case that le	ss than four federations dals and no prize money	participate per apparatus, no will be given.	World Cup		
WINNER OF THE			paratus World Cup and World	l Challenge		
ANNUAL INDIVIDUAL			e highest number of points	s for each		
APPARATUS WORLD		r the last event of the yea	ar as follows: ns take place per year, the	host 1 aro		
CUP SERIES	counted		ns take place per year, the	Dest 4 ale		
		ld Cup Competitions take	e place per year all points are	counted		
			ld at the last Individual Appar			
			on of the year in which the			
			enge Cup winners shall receiv /orld Cup Ranking Lists aft			
		npetitions of the year, the				
BANK ACCOUNT			in is kindly requested to int	tegrate the		
INFORMATION		pose as follows:		0		
		mmittee, GD Osijek-Žito				
		0	D.D., 10000 Zagreb, Račkog 6	6, Croatia		
	SWIFT: PBZG	340 0091 1104 3210 3 HR2X				
			onsible for covering all bai	nk fees in		
		h the bank transfers.	5			
MARKETING	FIG advertising	g and publicity norms mu	ist be respected			
TELEVISION	For the Indiv	idual apparatus World	Cup competitions and for	the Word		
	Challenge Cup	competition television c	overage is compulsory.			
			ust guarantee the production			
	feed (international signal). Please refer to Reg 12.3 of 2016 Rules for the FIG Individual Apparatus World Cup & World Challenger Cup Series in Artistic Gymnastics for additional information.					
	HRT Hrvatska radiotelevizija, Croatian Radiotelevision					
	Prisavlje 3, 10000 Zagreb, Croatia Tel: + 385 1 634 2634					
	Contact Person: Mr. Bruno Kovačević					
	Definitive Rev	gistration (on line)	28 th February 2016]		
SUMMARY		egistration (on line)	28 th March 2016			
	Visa Request		03 rd March 2016			
	Travel Sched	ule Form	28 th March 2016			
	Accommodat	ion Form	28 th February 2016			
	Meals Form		28 th March 2016			
	Payment of the	ne Accommodation Costs	28 th February & 28 th N	larch		
			Payment of the Accommodation Costs 2011 Contrary & 201 March			

Payment of the Meals	03 rd April 2016
Payment of the fine for missing judge	05th April 2016

Sincerely Yours,



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Zagreb, 15th June 2015.

Place and date:

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

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