

Invitation and application form for Polish Junior Open GP 2018 16th – 18th November 2018, Wroclaw

All information regarding Polish Junior Open GP can be found on www.hastalavista.pl

On the behalf of the European Squash Federation and Polish Squash Association we are proud to invite you to participate in the PJO 2018 being the part of European Junior Circuit.

Polish Junior Open (Grand Prix) 2018 will be held in the Sports Centre Hasta la Vista in Wroclaw from 16th-18th November 2018.

We are sure that for every squash adept the visit in the World's biggest squash club will be a memorable and important experience for the future.

Six years of experience awarded us with the recognition in the world of squash which will be reflected in the number of players joining the upcoming event.

GENERAL INFORMATION

Date:

16th -18th November 2018

The tournament begins on Friday at Hasta la Vista Sports Center.

Closing date for entries: 19th October 2018

European Squash Federation Categories:

Boys and Girls under 13, 15, 17 and 19 years.

Players are allowed to enter only one category.

All players need to be under U19, U17, U15, U13 on the final day of event.

All entries must be approved by the player's MNA; entries not approved will be not accepted.

All players must wear protective eyewear (manufactured to an approved national safety standard)

Polish Squash Association Categories:

Boys and girls under 11 years.

U11 categories are not recognised for ranking purposes by the ESF.

BU11 and GU11 category will be played under the Polish Squash Association regulations and will be clasified as tournament cat.A.

Players entering BU11 or GU11 are allowed to enter one additional age category recognised as the ESF one.

Eligibility:

The Polish Junior Open is open to all players under the age of 13, 15, 17 and 19. Players and coaches cannot participate without an active, paid for SPIN (Squash Personal Identification Number) – please visit www.worldsquash.org/spin to register.

Seeding:

The seeding will be carried out using the European Junior Ranking valid at the closing date. Any non-European players without an ESF Junior Ranking will be seeded by the Tournament Director.

Matches:

All matches played will consist of the best of five sets. All players are guaranteed a minimum of three matches. The Tournament Organisers reserve the right to organize plate matches consisting of the best of three sets. All positions in the categories will be played out.

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

Refereeing:

All players will be expected to mark and referee matches.

Ball:

DUNLOP PRO XX.

Prizes:

There will be gift prizes.

Venue:

Name: Hasta la Vista Sports Center

Address: ul. Górska 5, 53-610 Wrocław, Poland

Phone/Email/Website: +48 71 37 73 730 / sport@hastalavista.pl / www.hastalavista.pl

Distance from:

City Centre: 2 kms.

Nearest shops: 0,5 km.

International airport: 10 kms.

Railway station: 3,5 kms.

Facility:

Type of Court: Courtech

Total No: 32

No.to be Used: 15 - 20

Other relevant details:

Tournament Office Location: *Hasta la Vista Sports Center;*

Check-in: *All players should check-in at least one hour before their first match.*

WiFi/Internet Connection: *available*

Facilities for Physio: *available*

Sports Shop with stringer: *available*

Breakfast: *available at official hotel*

Lunch & Dinner: *available at the venue provided for all purchased a standard or accompanying package. There will be possible to buy meals at the Hasta la Vista club (food by weight)*

Entries:

To enter the tournament use the official online entry form which will be available at www.hastalavista.pl from 7th September 2018.

The event complies with the ESF Junior Circuit Guidelines, a copy of which is available on the ESF website www.europeansquash.com ; By entering this tournament all participating MNAs confirms that he will make sure all relevant people (including coaches, managers and players) are aware of the ESF Junior Circuit Guidelines and their requirements as well as the rules for this tournament.

Payment:

The entry fee or chosen package fee, as detailed below, must be paid to the host by bank transfer net of bank charges, the latest by the closing date!

Bankdetails for payment in EUR:

Account holder: Wiązów Zenon Waniak
Bank: BZ WBK
IBAN: PL 29 1090 2516 0000 0001 3580 0474
SWIFT (BIC): WBPPLPP

Bankdetails for payment in PLN:

Account holder: Wiązów Zenon Waniak
Bank: BZ WBK
IBAN: PL 64 1090 2516 0000 0001 1644 3591
SWIFT (BIC): WBPPLPP

Please mark payment clearly: **PJO2018/Players Name.**

COST FOR PARTICIPANTS:

Obligatory fee:

Entry fee: 52 EUR (entry fee + 1 t-shirt)

Optional packages:

1. **Standard package fee: 242 EUR** (entry fee, 1 t-shirt, 2 nights' accommodation in twin room, 3 lunches, 2 dinners, 2 breakfasts, transportation from and to the nearest airport or train station, shuttle between hotel and the venue)
2. **Extra night:**
 - a) in twin room **35 EUR** per person per night
 - b) in single room **55 EUR** per person per night
3. **Single room supplement: + 20 EUR** per person per night
4. **Roll-away bed fee: +10 EUR** per room per night
(hotel does not offer triple rooms, there is a limited number of extra beds that can be booked into the twin rooms)
5. **Accompanying: 190 EUR** (2 nights' accommodation in twin room, 3 lunches, 2 dinners, 2 breakfasts, transportation from and to the nearest airport or train station, shuttle between hotel and the venue)
6. **Price for U11 category:**
 - a) Entry fee: **17 EUR** (70 PLN)
 - b) Entry fee + T-shirt: **30 EUR** (120 PLN)
7. **Prices for 2 categories (U11 + U13):**
(Regular Entry fee / Standard package fee + U11 category supplement)
U11 supplement: **+ 12 EUR** per person

NOTE: Please note that organiser does not offer any standard packages for U11 categories, players can book nights in hotel choosing the extra nights option and purchase meals at the Hasta la Vista club (food by weight).

When participating in 2 categories a player can choose either entry fee or standard package plus U11 category supplement. Participation in 2 categories entitles to receive 1 tournament t-shirt.

In case of withdrawal, fees will be reimbursed according to [ESF Junior Circuit Guidelines](#), section E. However, expenses already incurred in connection with hotel bookings etc. will not be refunded.

Services covered by Standard package fee:

Accommodation:

Accommodation, according to the entry form will be provided for all purchased a standard or accompanying package.

PARK HOTEL DIAMENT WROCLAW *****

ul. Muchoborska 10

54 – 424 Wrocław ,Poland

Distance from hotel to the venue: 3-4 kms.

E-mail: wroclaw@hotelediament.pl ,

Phone: +48 71 735 03 50,

Web: [Hotel Diament](#)

Transport:

Transport according to the entry form will be provided for all purchased a standard or accompanying package. Arrival/departure point must be Wrocław Airport or Wrocław main train station. On all playing days there will be a regular bus transfer service between the official hotel and the venue. Time schedule will be published before the tournament starts*. Anybody who pays only Entry Fee will need to organise their own transport.

*In the case of small number of standard and accompanying packages, the organizer reserves the right to change the shuttle bus to the taxi paid by Hasta la Vista.

Insurance:

Participants are staying and playing in the tournament at their own risk. Neither the organizers nor the ESF or WSF accept any responsibility for injury or loss of property arising from participating in the event.

Publishing statement:

The tournament organizers will publish draws, results, stories, photos, streaming and movies of persons in and around venues and hotels. As this is part of the tournament rules, the organizer will deem that coaches, players and their parents have accepted these regulations by entering the tournament.

Recording and Streaming:

The recording of matches for coaching/ performing analysis purposes is acceptable provided the player and / or their parents / coaches do not object.

PRIVACY POLICY

The event follows the European Squash Federation Privacy Policy that can be found online :

<http://www.europeansquash.com/file/803778/?dl=1>

ESF PENALTIES from ESF Junior Circuit Guidelines Section E.:

- §E.4.a If a player makes a late withdrawal from a tournament (2 days or less before the start date), a doctor's certificate confirming injury/illness must be provided to avoid penalties. The medical certificate (with a translation in English) must clearly state the player's name, date of birth and the nature of the illness/injury; the certificate must cover the date of the relevant tournament and must be sent to the ESF office within two days after the final day of the tournament (email: esf@europeansquash.com; fax +44 1675 443440). Any player making a late withdrawal not supported by a medical certificate will receive zero points for the tournament which will count as one of their 4 best results for the rolling 12-month period and will be taken into account when dividing the points to obtain the ranking average. This penalty will be applied automatically unless the ESF office receives a doctor's certificate within two days of the final day of the tournament.
If a player commits this offence for a second time within a 12-month period, he/she will be banned from the ESF Junior Circuit for a period of 12 months.
- §E.4.b If a player has entered a tournament and fails to turn up, he/she will receive zero ranking points for the tournament. These zero points will count as one of the player's 4 best results for the rolling 12-month period and will be taken into account when dividing the points to obtain the ranking average. This penalty will be applied automatically.
If a player commits this offence for a second time within a 12-month period, he/she will be banned from the ESF Junior Circuit for a period of 12 months.
- §E.4.c If a player fails to play out all scheduled matches for any reason other than illness or injury, he/she will receive zero ranking points for the tournament. Illness or injury must be verified by the tournament director and, if possible, by medical certificate sent to the ESF office within two days of the final day of the tournament. If zero points are awarded, the points will count as one of the player's 4 best results for the rolling 12-month period and will be taken into account when dividing the points to obtain the ranking average. This penalty will be applied automatically.
If a player commits this offence for a second time within a 12-month period, he/she will be banned from the ESF Junior Circuit for a period of 12 months.