



20th FLEMISH OPEN FENCING CHAMPIONSHIPS

FIE Satellite competition Women's Sabre 15th October 2017

Dear Friends,

It is with great pleasure that I invite you to the **19th FLEMISH OPEN FENCING CHAMPIONSHIPS** on behalf of the Fencing Federation of **Belgium** and on behalf of the **Guild of Saint-Michael**, which will be held at **Ghent (Belgium)**, on **October 15th 2017**.

Detail of the competition as follows:

Organisers:

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Competition venue

Sporthal Hogeschool Gent, Sint-Denijslaan 251, 9000 Gent

Schedule of the Competition

Sunday 15th October 2017

08:00 Venue open

08:15 Payment / Weapon Control open

11:00 Start of the competition Women's Sabre

15:00 Semi – finals and Final

Participation

Participation is not limited

Entry

Open to all fencers with valid **2017-2018** FIE License.

No fencer is allowed to take part in an official event of the FIE unless he or she is at least 13 years old on 1 January in the year of the competition.

Entries of fencers and referees can only be made at the FIE website, www.fie.org, respecting the deadlines specified in the FIE Rules (cf. o.54).

Entry fee

Individual competition: **EUR 20,00**

The entry fee can be paid at registration before the start of the competition.

Money Prizes

More than 50 participants: 300,00 Euro first place, 150,00 Euro second place, 75,00 Euro third place.

Less than 50 participants: 200,00 Euro first place, 100,00 Euro second place, 50,00 Euro third place.

Referee Obligation

The number of referees A or B that should accompany the delegations in satellite competitions is:

1 to 4 fencers: no obligation

5 to 9 fencers: 1 referee

10 fencers and more: 2 referees.

The number of referees not respected: a fine of 1000,00 Euro per referee has to be paid to the organiser by the federation together with the information to the organiser (o.81.1)

Formula

The Satellite competitions shall use the F.I.E. formula for junior competitions (cf. o.35-o.41) except that:

1) If there is a pre-tournament in which all the participants to the satellite tournament take part, the composition of the round of pools of the satellite competition will be based on the results of this pre-tournament (the composition of the pre-tournament pools shall use the satellite rules).

2) The organizers shall have the right to organize additional bouts in order to establish the final classification for places 9 onwards.

In this case, the classification (9+) will be based on these additional bouts.

Accommodation and Transport

Visit website <http://www.gent-hotels.eu> for reservation of hotel rooms. There is no transport foreseen.

Visa Support

Kindly check for visa requirements to **Belgium** before making your ticket reservations. Those who need visa assistance and/or visa support, please contact roger.antonis@telenet.be no later than **15th September 2017**

Further information and contact person:

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Warm regards,

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