



Invitation to all Federations affiliated to the F.I.E



## YOUNG LIONS JUNIOR WORLD CUP

### **EPEE MEN & WOMEN JUNIOR – INDIVIDUAL & TEAM 4.-5.2.2017 ESPOO, FINLAND**

#### **Schedule:**

##### Friday 3rd February 2017

18.30-21.00 Registration and equipment control

##### Saturday 4th February 2017

8.00 Venue opens, registration and equipment control starts

8.45 Closing of men's registration

9.00 Referees meeting

**9.30 Start of the men's competition, poules**

12.15 Closing of women's registration

**13.00 Start of the women's competition, poules**

17.30 Men's semi-finals, final and awards ceremony (preliminary schedule)

19.00 Women's semi-finals, final and awards ceremony (preliminary schedule)

##### Sunday 5th February 2017

8.00 Venue opens, equipment control starts

8.30 Referees meeting

**8.30 Draw**

**9.00 Start of the team competitions**

14.45 Final (preliminary schedule)

Awards ceremony

#### **Venue**

Espoo Sporthall **Otahalli**, Otaranta 6, 02150 Espoo Finland

Please note the venue is only 50m from recommended hotel.

The venue is 25 kilometers from the Helsinki –Vantaa Airport, 9 kilometers from the city of Helsinki.

[www.younglions.info](http://www.younglions.info)



### **Entries to the World Cup competitions**

Open to all fencers with valid 2016-2017 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.

Fencers taking part in all the official FIE Junior competitions, individual or team, must be under 20 years old at midnight on 31st December of the year preceding the year in which the competition takes place (cf o.80)

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

### **Entry fee:**

The entry fee for JWC individual competition is 25 EUR and for the JWC team competition 150 EUR per team. Entry fee has to be paid in cash at the moment of registration.

### **Equipment:**

All fencing equipment must be in accordance with FIE rules. Fencers' equipment (masks, weapons, bodywires and gloves) shall be controlled and approved by the equipment control before the start of the competition.

### **Quota of referees:**

*JWC Individual competition:*

The Federations must bring referees at least in accordance with FIE rules:

- 1 - 4 fencers = 0 referee
- 5 - 9 fencers = 1 referee
- 10 fencers or more = 2 referees.

*JWC Team competition:* 1 referee / team

Penalty fee for missing referee according to FIE rules.

The name (s) of the referee(s) (who must have an FIE category in the weapon of the competition for which they are entered) must be notified via the FIE website 7 days before the competition (midnight, Lausanne time).

### **Formula**

Individual competitions: one qualifying round of pools, a direct elimination table to qualify for a final by direct elimination (cf. o.35-o.41).

Team competitions: Integral direct elimination with a direct elimination table, which may be incomplete. All places in the table up to 16th place will be fought for. From 17th place onwards teams will be classified, within each round of the table, according to their initial place in the table. The first four teams will be placed in the direct elimination table according to the current official team ranking of the FIE (cf. o.86); the remaining ranked teams will be placed in the table by drawing of lots in pairs. The teams that are not classified will occupy the last places in the table, and will be separated by drawing of lots (cf. o.42-o.47).

### **Doping control:**

Doping control will be carried out in accordance with FIE rules.



## Information

The competition is organized by Espoo Fencing Club in co-operation with the Finnish Fencing and Pentathlon Association.

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The organizing club, Espoo Fencing Club, offers the possibility to all JWC competitors to take part in the training sessions (30th January – 3<sup>rd</sup> February) with the Finnish national team junior fencers before the JWC competition. Please contact Mr. Kimmo Puranen, [kimmo.puranen@fencing-pentathlon.fi](mailto:kimmo.puranen@fencing-pentathlon.fi).

**More information will be available closer to the event:**

**Competition:** [www.younglions.info](http://www.younglions.info)

Finnish Fencing and Pentathlon Association: [www.fencing-pentathlon.fi](http://www.fencing-pentathlon.fi)

## Accommodation in Espoo



**Radisson Blu Hotel, Espoo (only 50 meters from the venue, we recommend!)**

Location: [www.radissonblu.com/hotel-espoo/location](http://www.radissonblu.com/hotel-espoo/location)

Address: Otaranta 2, 02150 Espoo, Finland.

**Special rate** incl. buffet breakfast and evening sauna & swimming pool:

- single room 79 EUR / per night
- double room 89 EUR / per night
- triple room 109 EUR / per night.

**Internet reservations:** [www.radissonblu.com/en/hotel-espoo](http://www.radissonblu.com/en/hotel-espoo)

NOTE: *There will be limited number of rooms with this special rate. Offer is valid until 27.1.2017.*

*Please mention code code: "WCEF17" with your reservation. All participants are highly recommended to make early hotel reservation.*

## Transportation to venue and Radisson Blu Hotel

Organizers will offer transportation from/to Helsinki Airport. See later the details from [www.younglions.info](http://www.younglions.info).

## Accommodation in Helsinki and public transport of Helsinki region

See later the details from [www.younglions.info](http://www.younglions.info).

**WELCOME TO FENCE WORLD CUP IN ESPOO!**

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