

WORLD FENCING CHAMPIONSHIPS

BUDAPEST 2019

Information for Delegations



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SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

12 JULY	08h00	Start of accreditation and weapon control in "BOK Sports Hall"	
	09h00	Start of training session on the "BOK Sports Hall Conference Centre (Halls "B-C & Oval stadium")"	
	09h30	Referees meeting with the members of the DT, officials, referees at Hotel "Hungaria City Hotel"	
	10h00	Referees seminars (sabre, foil, epee) at "Hungaria City Hotel"	
	10h30	Directoire Technique meeting at Competition Venue "BOK Sports Hall"	
14 JULY	12h00	The following information is published at the Competition Venue and on the website: - list of participants by countries Women's epee, Men's sabre - list of participants by the initial ranking in Women's epee, Men's sabre (information for each weapon will be published at 12h00 on the day preceding the event)	
	15h00	Deadline for the delegations for making remarks on the published information (same deadline applies for each weapon on the day preceding the event)	
	16h00	The composition of the pools is published at the Competition Venue, at the official hotels and on the website (the same applies for each weapon on the day preceding the event)	
15 JULY	09h00	Women's epee individual	Pools, Preliminary DE up to T64
	13h00	Men's sabre individual	Pools, Preliminary DE up to T64
16 JULY	09h00	Women's foil individual	Pools, Preliminary DE up to T64
	13h00	Men's epee individual	Pools, Preliminary DE up to T64
17 JULY	09h00	Men's foil individual	Pools, Preliminary DE up to T64
	14h00	Women's sabre individual	Pools, Preliminary DE up to T64
18 JULY	08h30	Women's epee individual	DE of T64 - final
	10h00	Men's sabre individual	DE of T64 - final
Opening Ceremony 18h00			
19 JULY	08h30	Men's epee individual	DE of T64 - final
	10h00	Women's foil individual	DE of T64 - final
20 JULY	08h30	Women's sabre individual	DE of T64 - final
	09h40	Men's foil individual	DE of T64 - final
	09h40	Women's epee team	Preliminary team up to T8
	10h40	Men's sabre team	Preliminary team up to T8
21 JULY	10h00	Women's epee team	DE T8, Semi-finals, bronze medal match, final
	10h50	Men's sabre team	DE T8, Semi-finals, bronze medal match ,final
	08h30	Men's epee team	Preliminary team up to T8
	08h30	Women's foil team	Preliminary team up to T8
22 JULY	08h30	Women's foil team	DE T8, Semi-finals, bronze medal match ,final
	09h40	Men's epee team	DE T8, Semi-finals, bronze medal match ,final
	09h40	Men's foil team	Preliminary team up to T8
23 JULY	11h15	Women's sabre team	Preliminary team up to T8
	10h30	Women's sabre team	DE T8, Semi-finals, bronze medal match ,final
	11h20	Men's foil team	DE T32, Semi-finals, bronze medal match ,final
Closing ceremony 18h30			

AS TV BROADCASTING WILL START ON TIME ACCORDING TO THE ABOVE SCHEDULE, ALL INDIVIDUAL AND TEAM COMPETITIONS WILL HAVE TO START AND FINISH ON TIME.

II - CONFIRMATION AND ACCREDITATION

The Accreditation Office will be opened till the end of the World Championships in the «BOK Sports Hall» corridor with the following schedule:

July 12-14 — **Opening hours: 08:00 -18.00**

July 15-22 — **Opening hours: 09:00 -17.00**

July 23 — **Opening hours: 09:00 -12.00**

- Neither the fencers nor the coaches will have an access to the competition area without their valid accreditations. The attendance of a fencer is confirmed once he/she is registered on the FIE website.
- The participation of athletes in individual and team events is validated when collecting their accreditations, no later than 14h00 the day before athletes have their first competition. Fencers do not need to present themselves at the Directoire Technique.
- Federations who have not yet made their payments are asked to settle their accounts with FIE Secretary Treasurer Mm. Salhi or FIE office by 12:00 on 14th July, 2019
- Accreditations will be given to participants only after payment of Entry Fees.
- All officials accreditations will be given to participants according to the approved quota of 75%.

III - INDIVIDUAL COMPETITION

At 12h00 on the day preceding the event the Directoire Technique will publish at the Competition Venue and on the internet:

- the list of participants by country
- the list of participants by initial ranking
- the list of participants by initial ranking (drawing pools in the World Championships according to the Organization Rules of FIE Art o.39)
- 15h00 is the deadline for all remarks, objections or withdrawals presented to the Directoire Technique. **No changes will be accepted beyond this deadline.**

At 16h00 on the information panels in the Competition Venue and at 17h00 in the official hotels and in the pigeon holes the Directoire Technique will publish the following information:

- final composition of the pools;
- times and pistes allocations
- competition format & list of the 16 exempted fencers.
- The final Direct Elimination table of 64 will be displayed every evening of the respective qualifications days at the Competition Venue information points, on the website, at the official hotels and in the pigeon holes.
- The final Direct Elimination tables of 64 will be fenced in the Main Hall and pistes N°.5-8 (Hall C)
- Direct Elimination tables of 32 will be fenced in the Main Hall and the weapons will rotate.

IV - TEAM COMPETITION

- The Directoire Technique must be notified of any changes related to the teams by 10h00 the day prior to the event.
- Direct Elimination tables of T64-32 will be posted in the Competition Venue and official hotels the day preceding the team event at 16h00.
- Preliminary tables of T32-16 & T9-16 will be fenced in the Preliminary Hall and pistes .5-8, on the first day of team competitions.
- Final Direct Elimination tables of T8 will be posted Immediately in the Competition Venue, after the end of preliminary competitions.
- Final Direct Elimination tables of 8 will be fenced in the Main Hall (colour pistes).
- The drawing of lots to place the teams up or down on the match score-sheet, according to the Rules, will be held where indicated by the DT.
- The drawing of lots to place teams or down on match score-sheet will be made during the time indicated in the technical schedule of competitions of every day. In case of absence of the team captain at the beginning of drawing of lots, the process of

the draw will automatically be carried out by DT.

- Qualifying matches T5-8 will be held on the colour pistes in the Main Hall.
- **The team ranking is set according to the Organization Rules of FIE events: Art. o.98.**

V - COMPETITION VENUE

From 15th to 23th July 2019, the BOK Sports Hall will become a genuine fencing village where areas dedicated to competitions and training sessions will alternate with technical and operational areas.

The "BOK Sports Hall" is subdivided into:

H-1146 Budapest, Dozsa Gyorgy ut1 (BOK Sportcsarnok)

BOK has 3 halls:

Hall 'A' is 8000 m² with the maximum capacity of 4

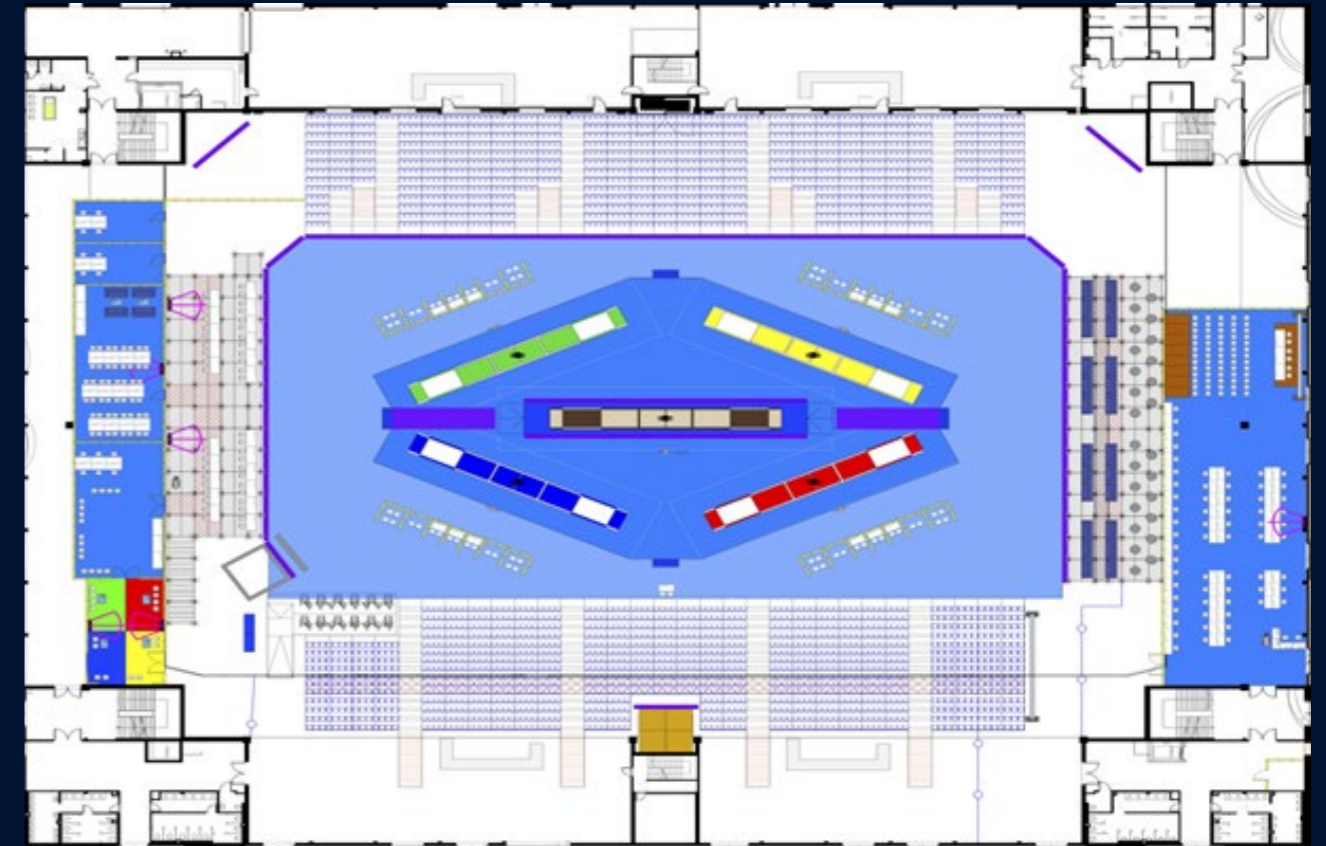
900 spectators- Main Hall

Hall 'B' is 5200 m²

Hall 'C' is 2800 m²

MAIN HALL A

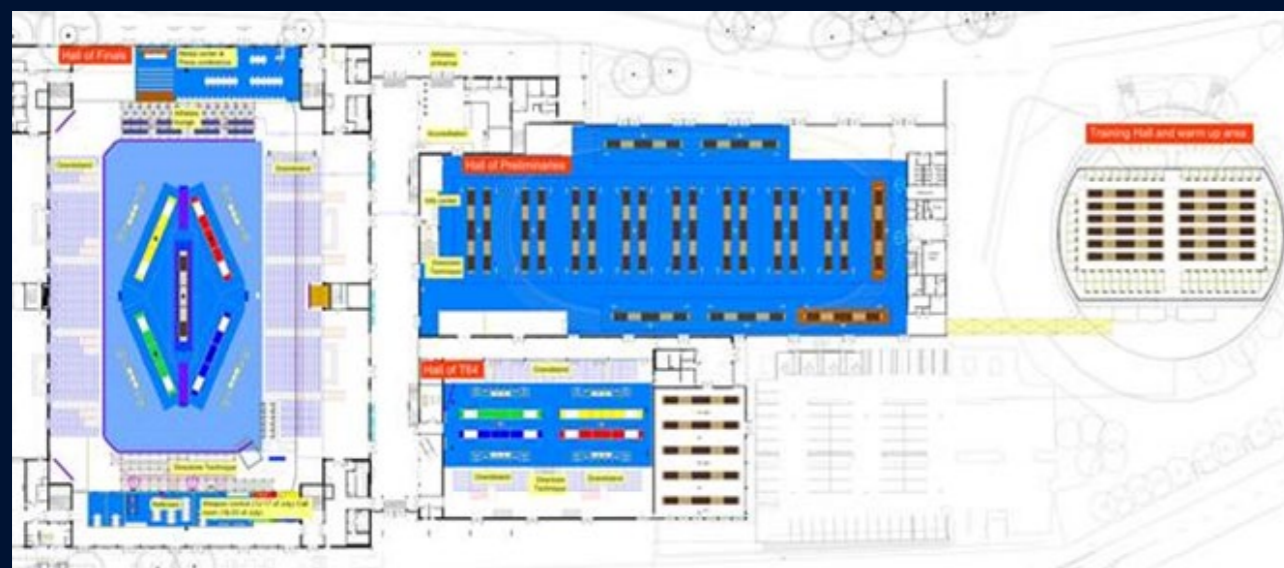
Platform with 4 colour pistes and Final podium with TISSOT Video refereeing.
Call Room, DT, Referees' Room, Medical Room and Medical station, Mixed Zone, Info Desks,



HALL 'A'

HALL 'B'

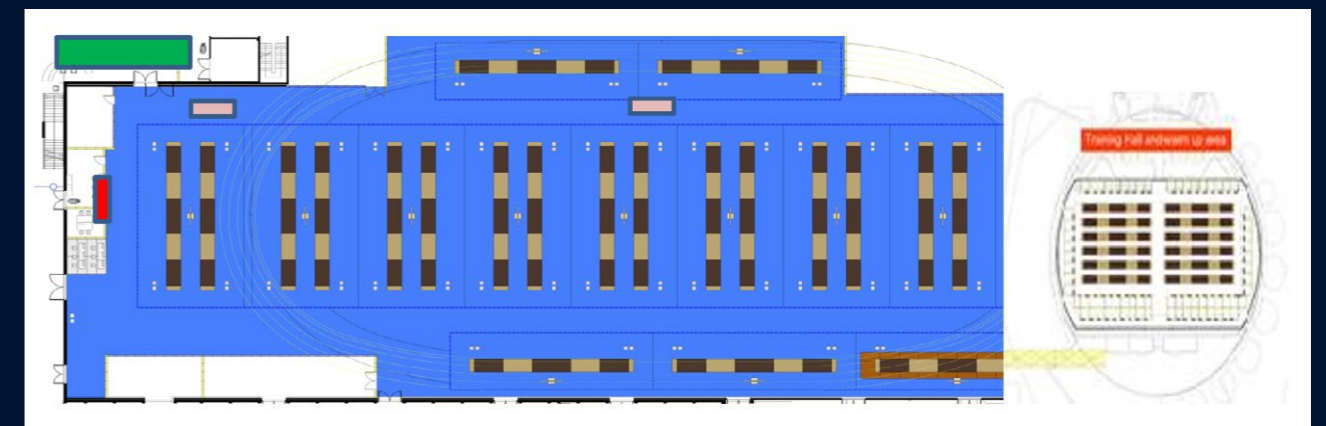
OVAL STADIUM



HALL 'C'

PRELIMINARY HALL "B"

22 qualification pistes including DT, the allocated place for preliminary competitions & restaurants



PRELIMINARY HALL "C"

4 colour pistes (N° 5-8) with TISSOT Video refereeing.

Team Boxes for National teams & restaurants including the warm-up area in the Oval stadium (12 pistes)



VI - OFFICES AND ROOMS

FIE President's office	Competition Venue Main Hall "A" / 4th floor	
FIE Administration and Treasurer (Bureau FIE)	Competition Venue / 4th floor /Main Hall "A"	
Directoire Technique, Commission Referee's Delegates	Competition Venue / Main hall "A" & Preliminary "B"	
Medical Delegates	Competition Venue / Main hall "A" & "B" & "C"	
Accreditation and Information & Info Desk	Competition Venue / Preliminary Hall "B"	
Equipment Control	Competition Venue / Main Hall "A"	
Communication, information and results for the delegations & Info Desk	Competition Venue / 1st floor	
Press Room	Competition Main Hall "A" / 3rd floor ,tribune	
Call Room	Competition Main Hall "A" /Grounds floor,	
Doping Control	Competition Venue / Main Hall "A" /2nd floor,	

Total pistes available for the competition:	34 pistes including:
Main Hall "A"	5 pistes
Preliminary Halls "B&C":	22 pistes
Official training zone:	34 pistes
Official warm-up zone: in the Oval stadium	12 pistes

THE OFFICIAL TRAINING ZONE FOR ALL NATIONAL DELEGATIONS IS OPEN: 08H00 – 20H00 (12TH, 13TH AND 14TH OF JULY)

VII - EQUIPMENT AND WEAPON CONTROL

Instructions for weapon and equipment control procedure.

- On July 12-14, weapon control will be open for all weapons from 08:00 to 19:00
- Since July 15- 17, from 7:30 to 19:00 (Weapon control room) Main Hall "A"
- Since 18-23 July, from 7:00 to 19:00 (Call room) Main Hall "A"
- Since 07.00 to 14.00 - receipt of equipment.
- Since from 14:00 to 19.00 - delivery the equipment
- Please note, that every equipment submitted after 14:00 might be given back only the next morning!

Requirements regarding the equipment

- All the equipment must be in good condition and working order complying with FIE regulations and will be checked under the control of the FIE SEMI commission. The national colours on the uniform of fencers from the same team must be the same.
- The list of accepted item are mentioned in the table below
- It is mandatory to put the logos of the countries on both legs of the breeches
- The name of the athlete and the name of the country must be printed in dark blue on the back of the jacket; the size of the letters should be between 8 and 10 cm high. All the prints must be readable. It will be possible to print at the competition venue.
- All the advertising and manufacturer logos must be in conformity with the FIE Publicity Code requirements and will be checked.
- After collecting the equipment it is necessary for the athletes to check the presence of the control marks.

For additional information, please, see m.25 of the FIE Material Rules

Equipment Type	Weapons					
	Foil		Epee		Sabre	
	min	max	min	max	min	max
Mask FIE 1600N	1	2	1	2	1	2
Weapon	3	4	3	4	3	4
Bodywire	2	4	3	4	3	4
Mask wire	2	4			2	4
Glove	1	2	1	2	1	2
Sabre overlay					1	2
Electric jacket	1	2			1	2
Under-plastron FIE 800 N	1	2	1	2	1	2
Jacket FIE 800N	1	2	1	2	1	2
Breeches FIE 800N	1	2	1	2	1	2
T-shirts for wireless StM	1	2			1	2

- Fencers must provide their weapons and equipment to the weapon control room for the whole team at the same time, minimum one day before the start of the individual event.
- The list and quantity of the equipment to be taken are provided in Table 1.
- All weapons and equipment should be packed in fencing bags, the electrical part must be put separately. The weapon must be put in a separate bag.
- It is necessary to have the logos of the country, on both sides, on the fencing breeches.
- In the weapon control room, weight retention is not checked by the tip. In preliminary competitions, before the start of the direct elimination round, the referee checks the weapon on the piste before each bout.
- In the call room, the athlete must provide at least three weapons and at least three electric wires for control.
- After receiving the equipment, it is necessary to check the presence of the control marks.

ELECTRIC JACKETS

- The conductive jacket must be so made that when it is laid flat there is a straight line between the point of junction of the lines of the groin and the two points corresponding to the tops of the hip bones (ilium).
- The Control of electric jackets will be carried out in two steps:
 - Firstly in the Weapon Control room checking the respective electrical parameters and geometric dimension.
 - Second, the electric jackets will be checked in the Call Room in the presence of a representative of the Refereeing Commission, while the athlete is wearing the jacket. The purpose is to check whether the electric jacket fits for the athlete's body.

BREAST / CHEST PROTECTORS

- The use of a breast/chest protector (made of metal or some rigid material - see **M.25.4** is compulsory for **women** and **optional for men**. **At foil, this breast/chest protector with a special soft layer must be worn below the protective plastron.**
- **The soft layer has to be approved by SEMI FIE and must have the FIE logo.**

MASK

- **All participants must fully comply with the rule on the new fastening system of the mask (see M.25.7)**

MASK DESIGNS

- Masks may feature coloured designs, on condition that they are approved by the FIE

VIII - MEDICAL STATIONS

Medical stations will be at the following places:

- The First Floor – Main Hall
- The First Floor – Preliminary Hall “B”
- The Third Floor - Preliminary Hall “C”

Even though you will receive medical assistance at the venue, we kindly ask you to arrive to the competition with an adequate insurance policy covering eventual hospitalization costs. EU nationals are requested to bring along their medical e-cards.

IX - ACCESS TO THE FENCING AREA

- Only the designated fencers, referees and piste staff are granted access to the pistes.
- No access will be granted to the colour pistes, podium fencing area without sports shoes and long pants.
- Athletes in the fencing area must keep their belongings in closed fencing bags at the end of the piste.

INDIVIDUAL COMPETITIONS:

- One coach per athlete and per piste is allowed to stay in the team box.
- Athletes should be present in Call Room 30 minutes prior to the beginning of DE T32 (the first check by company StM).
- Coaches cannot be present in the call room.
- The coach accompanying the athlete must wear sports suit (long pants are obligatory)

All fencers and referees must appear at:

- The piste 15 minutes before the beginning of the pools
- The piste 10 minutes before the beginning of the match Pre DE(T128,T64)
- Athletes should be present in the Call Room 30 minutes before the beginning of the DE T32 (the first check by company StM)
- Athletes should be present in the Call Room 20 minutes before the beginning of the DE T16, T8

TEAM COMPETITIONS:

- The team captain and one more person are allowed to stay in the box reserved for teams (Only 6 persons)
- The coaches accompanying the athletes must wear sports suit (long pants are obligatory)

All fencers and referees must appear at:

- The piste 10 minutes before the beginning of the match Pre DE (T128,T64)
- **Athletes should be present in the Call Room 30 minutes before the beginning of the DE T32 (the first check by company StM)**
- Athletes should be present in the Call Room 20 minutes before the beginning of the DE T16, T8

X - INFORMATION POINTS

Two fixed information points are located in the Competition Venue:

- The information board will be on the corridor wall at the main entrance for athletes.
- Information screens and display monitors in the Competition Venue will be placed in:
 - Accreditation room
 - Call Room and Referees Room
 - Press Room
 - VIP and President's Room
 - FIE office
 - DT
 - Restaurant:
 - in the qualification hall "B"
 - VIP restaurant/Launch
 - the entrance of the athletes' complex, the vendors' room all public and athlete meeting places.

Attention! There will be many posts related to the pistes and services on colour cardboard signs and totems.

XI - CONFIRMATION OF RESULTS

- **The fencers are responsible for checking if the results in their pool and the DE sheets are recorded correctly. The screens placed in different locations will allow a quick verification of the updated results of the round of pools and DE matches.**
- **To avoid any kind of error the DT will publish the results of the pools and the list of qualified and eliminated fencers as soon as the round of pools is over. Delegations must submit any protest to the DT within 10 minutes. After this deadline, the ranking will not be modified.**
- **The DE tables, together with the schedule and pistes, will be posted after this 10-minutes period and after each round of DE.**
- **Only documents presented at the information stand are official (results of preliminary competitions of groups, individual ranking)**
- **No calls will be made via microphone**

XII - ORGANISATION OF THE INDIVIDUAL DIRECT ELIMINATION TABLE

- For T64 all fencers must be present in the official warm-up area 40 minutes before the scheduled beginning of their matches.
- Fencers of T64 must report to the Call Room (for weapon control & StM) 20 minutes before the scheduled beginning of their matches to be led to the colour pistes and pistes 5-8 at the scheduled time. Coaches are not allowed to be in the Call Room.

- The winners of the T64 matches will be led back to the Call Room for carrying out the wireless equipment procedure by StM immediately.
- Wireless system is to be used from the T32 at all three weapons. Wireless system will be controlled in the Call Room. Foil and sabre fencers must provide their own conductive t-shirts.

Attention! Athletes should have T-shirts for wireless fencing with control mark !

Sabre and foil conductive T-shirts are different.

- The SEMI delegates will remit the weapons in closed fencing bags, which will be carried by volunteers who will escort the athletes to the color pistes.
- The bag is to remain closed for the entirety and put in the team box under the supervision of the volunteer. During the one minute break, or when it is needed, the volunteer will bring to the athlete a chair, a towel, some water and the spare weapon.
- Athletes are to leave the Call Room ready to fence, mask in hand and weapon already plugged into their body wires

Attention! In case the fencer does not appear at the Call Room at the appointed time, (according to time specified in the schedule) the sanctions according to the rules , (art t.120) will be applied

XIII - ORGANISATION OF THE TEAM DIRECT ELIMINATION TABLE

- For the T 64, T32 and T16 teams must appear on the piste 10 minutes before the scheduled beginning of their bouts.

Attention! After the termination of the preliminary competitions, all teams taking part in the final stage of tournament (T8) should hand over masks to representatives of company StM for installation procedure of wireless equipment.

- Teams taking part in competitions T8 should arrive in Call Room 30 minutes prior to the beginning of competitions (check of StM)
- The winners of the T8 matches will be led back to the Call Room immediately.
- Equipment Control in the Call Room will be from T8 (in earlier stages equipment control will be made on the piste). Equipment will be controlled in the team boxes during the matches.
- Wireless system will be used from the T8 at all three weapons. Wireless system will be controlled in the Call Room. Foil and sabre fencers must provide their own conductive t-shirts.
- The athletes' conductive T-shirts (foil and sabre) are to be checked and approved (sealed) by the weapons control officials under the supervision of a member of the FIE's SEMI Commission in the Call Room. The control mark (stamp) will be verified by the referee once the fencers appear on piste.
- The teams will have designated areas, sectioned off by barriers, near the color pistes and pistes 5-8. Team members must remain within these areas during the team matches.

- From T8, weapons are to be remitted to volunteers by the SEMI delegates in closed fencing bags. The volunteers will escort teams to the color pistes. The bags are to remain closed for the entirety of the team matches.

Attention! After the termination of the preliminary competitions, all teams taking part in the final stage of tournament (T8) should hand over masks to representatives of company StM for installation procedure of wireless equipment.

XIV - VIDEO-REFEREEING

- Video-refereeing is used in all three weapons from the T64 at the individual events
- Video-refereeing is used in all three weapons from the T16 at the team events.(excepting T9-16)

Designation of referees and video-consultants is done according to art. t.37 and t.38 of the Technical Rules.

EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS

The following educational programs will be available during the Championships:

SAFE SPORT

from 15th to the 23rd of July

CLEAN SPORT

from 16th to 18th of July

DONATE YOUR FENCING GEAR:

from 15th to the 23rd of July

SAFE SPORT



CLEAN SPORT



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The stand will be locate near to the Athletes' entry point.