



Comité International Roller InLine Hockey

OFFICIAL WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS
Junior Women&Men - Senior Women&Men
2014 June 30th through July 13th .

TOULOUSE - FRANCE

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0. FOREWORD

Only French Federation proposed to organize 2014 World InLine Hockey Championships at Toulouse in Palais des Sports, a nice venue for all kind of Sports. A temporary rink will be installed during the first fortnight of July in this nice venue.

With one rink, it is ONLY possible to conduct InLine Hockey Championships for 12 Junior Men Teams and 12 Senior Women Teams the first week and 20 Senior Men Teams the second week.

CIRILH conducted a survey with a deadline of October 15th, and the result is really surprising. Below there are the answers from 29 countries:

	Date	JuW	JuM	SeW	SeM	Remarks
USA	08/08/2013	1	1	1	1	
SUI	15/08/2013	0	1	0	1	
LAT	16/08/2013	0	1	1	1	
HKG	16/08/2013	0	1	0	0	
POL	09/09/2013	0	0	0	1	
IND	14/09/2013	0	1	1	1	
AUS	17/09/2013	1	1	1	1	First answer on Aug.15th
Macau	24/09/2013	0	0	0	1	
RUS	25/09/2013	0	0	0	1	Confirmed on Oct.2nd
NZL	26/09/2013	1	1	1	1	
FIN	27/09/2013	1	0	1	0	JuW ??? TBC
FRA	27/09/2013	0	1	1	1	
GBR	27/09/2013	1	1	1	1	JuW ??? TBC
CAN	27/09/2013	1	1	1	1	
ITA	27/09/2013	0	1	1	1	SeW confirmed on Oct.9th
IRL	27/09/2012	0	0	1	1	
KOR	02/10/2013	0	1	0	0	
SWE	06/10/2013	0	0	0	1	Confirmed on Oct.7th
CHN	06/10/2013	0	1	0	1	JuM added on Oct.14th
COL	06/10/2013	1	1	1	1	
ARG	07/10/2013	1	1	1	1	
GER	07/10/2013	0	1	1	1	
ESP	07/10/2013	1	1	1	1	
CZE	08/10/2013	0	1	1	1	
BRA	08/10/2013	0	1	1	1	
MEX	08/10/2013	1	1	1	1	
JPN	09/10/2013	0	0	0	1	
CHI	15/10/2013	0	0	0	1	
NAM	15/10/2013	1	1	1	1	JuM & SeW TBC
BEL	15/10/2013		1		1	TBC
Total		11	22	19	27	

CIRILH and Toulouse Organization Committee sought a solution to receive the maximum of teams. "La Ramée" Gymnasium is Toulouse Hockey Club Homeland. It is located 15 km West of Palais des Sports. Despite it is a rather small rink the French Federation agreed that Elite Games from French National Top Level Championships can be played here. The floor is a new SportCourt.

With two rinks, it will be possible to receive **only** 16 Junior Men Teams plus 16 Senior Women Teams during first week, then 8 Junior Women Teams plus 24 Senior Men Teams during second week.

The majority of the games will take place at "Palais des Sports", except for:

- ◆ A few games of Round Robin for Junior Men and Senior Women.
- ◆ All games for classification 9 to 16 Junior Men and Senior Women.
- ◆ All games for Junior Women Championships.
- ◆ All games for classification 17 to 24 Senior Men Championships.

CIRILH will apply the deadline strictly and will give priority to the teams taking part regularly in the world championships, then choice of teams will be allocated on the basis: first asking, first using.

1. GENERAL INFORMATION

There will be four events conducted in two weeks.

- ◆ **Junior Men Championship:**
This championship will begin on June 30th, it will finish on July 6th.
- ◆ **Senior Women Championship:**
This championship will begin on June 30th, it will finish on July 6th.
- ◆ **Junior Women Championship:**
This championship will begin on July 7th and will finish on July 13th.
- ◆ **Senior Men Championship:**
This championship will begin on July 7th and will finish on July 13th.

2. COMPETITION VENUE

The City of Toulouse proposes to the organizers the use of two sites:

- ◆ "Palais des Sports" a nice venue where a rink around 50 by 25 meters (164 by 82 feet) with standard boards will be installed for the championships.
- ◆ "La Ramée" the home rink of Toulouse Roller Hockey. Despite the rink is smaller, the team from Toulouse play on Elite Group on French Championships. There is a new SportCourt floor.

3. COMPETITION DATES

Arrival dates:

- ◆ **Junior Men and Senior Women Championships:** Sunday June 29th.
- ◆ **Junior Women and Senior Men Championships:** Sunday July 6th.

Official training:

- ◆ **Junior Men and Senior Women Championships:** Monday June 30th.
- ◆ **Junior Women and Senior Men Championships:** Monday July 7th.

Competitions:

- ◆ **Junior Men and Senior Women Championships:** Tuesday July 1st through Saturday July 6th.
- ◆ **Junior Women and Senior Men Championships:** Monday July 8th through Saturday July 13th.

Departure date:

- ◆ **Junior Men and Senior Women Championships:** Monday July 7th.
- ◆ **Junior Women and Senior Men Championships:** Monday July 14th.

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4. CIRILH COMMITTEE AND RESPONSIBILITIES:

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|---------------------|-------------------|-----------------|
| ◆ Chairman | Gilbert PORTIER, | France |
| ◆ Assistant | Valerie LEFTWICH | Australia |
| ◆ General Secretary | Alberto LASTRUCCI | Italy |
| ◆ Chief Referee | Gordon YOUNG | Canada |
| ◆ Member | Tomas BREZINA | Czech Republic. |
| ◆ Member | Keith NOLL | USA |

5. LOCAL ORGANIZATION

Host Federation: Fédération Française de Roller Sports.

6 Boulevard du Pdt Franklin Roosevelt. CS 11742. 33080 Bordeaux Cedex - France

Website: <http://ffroller.fr/>

Toulouse Comité Local d'Organisation: Toulouse ComLor

★ Evelyne BONNEGARDE ComLor President

★ Sylvie ROMPTEAUX ComLor Coordinator

E-mail: toulouse2014.comlor@gmail.com - **Website:** work in progress

<http://www.roller-inline-hockey-toulouse2014.com/>

"Welcome to TOULOUSE" information from Toulouse, Comité Local d'organisation.

[Please click here to get it.](#)

6. PROGRAM

Announcement Timetable:

- ◆ Bulletin # 1: envisaged on 2013 October 30th carried out on November 4th
- ◆ Bulletin # 2: envisaged on 2014 January 30th
- ◆ Bulletin # 3: envisaged on 2014 March 30th
- ◆ **Dead Line** for Teams' Registration: **2014 January 15th**

Competitions: Schedules will be defined by CIRILH after the dead line.

- ◆ **Junior Men Championships:** 16 Teams - There will be 4 groups (JM- A, B, C, D) playing a round robin to qualify 8 teams competing for gold, silver and bronze medals by direct elimination, 8 other teams will compete for a B World Cup by direct elimination.
- ◆ **Senior Women Championships:** 16 Teams - There will be 4 groups (JM- A, B, C, D) playing a round robin to qualify 8 teams competing for gold, silver and bronze medals by direct elimination, 8 other teams will compete for a B World Cup by direct elimination.
- ◆ **Junior Women Championships:** CIRILH is expecting 8 to 10 teams, probably 2 groups will play a round Robin then 8 teams will compete for gold, silver and bronze medals by direct elimination
- ◆ **Senior Men Championships:** 24 Teams - Six groups (A, B, C, D, E, F) playing a round robin. Group A and B will qualify 6 teams, Group C, D, E and F will qualify 2 teams. These eight (8) teams will compete for Gold, Silver and Bronze medals by direct elimination. All other teams will begin new competitions named World Cup B and World Cup C for National teams with first, second and third medals.

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7. REGISTRATION RULES

- ◆ **Team size** : shall consist of no more than 14 players plus 2 goalies.
- ◆ **Registration** : The 2014 FIRS, the OFFICIAL World Championships for InLine Hockey are open to InLine Hockey Teams from all the National Federations affiliated with the FIRS, provided that they confirmed their entry prior to : **15 January 2014**.
- ◆ **Senior Minimum Age** : is fifteen (15) years as calculated on January 1st in the year of the Championship.
- ◆ **Junior Age** : The official FIRS Junior Championship age level for both male and female players is under nineteen (19). In accordance with the information given at Huntington Beach on 2013, July 14th, players born in: 1995, 1996, 1997, 1998, 1999, 2000 are eligible to play in 2014.
- ◆ **Nationality** : All participating team members will be required to prove appropriate nationality and age on the day prior to the scheduled games by means of a valid passport issued from the country being represented.
- ◆ To be absolutely clear on this subject, there will be no exceptions to the above rule on age.

8. REGISTRATION FEES

- ◆ **Entry Fees** : According to CIRILH Rules for World Championships the entry fee is one thousand Swiss Francs (1,000 CHF.). The amount of 1,000 CHF is not including transfer fee so you have to add the bank fees.
- ◆ **How to make payment** : Fees, are to be paid directly to CIRILH, the FIRS In-Line Hockey Committee, in USA dollars or Euros at the international exchange rate at the time of payment. This fee shall be applied separately for each male and female team participating in the World Championships. Payment of the entry fee must be received by deadline date to assure acceptance and an accurate count of the number of teams placed in the games schedule. It benefits all teams when we insist that a firm commitment for appearance is made by **15 January 2014**, prior to the formulation of a games schedule.

9. WELCOME – OFFICIAL LANGUAGE

The delegations will be welcomed on behalf of the Organizing Committee upon arrival in **Toulouse Blagnac Airport**. They will be brought to the host Hotels.

The official languages are English and Spanish. Interpretation from and into other languages should be organised by the delegations. All documents will be in English and Spanish.

10. LOCAL TRANSPORTATION

Participants will be provided with transportation service from Toulouse Blagnac Airport to Hotel at arrival and departure at the end of the World Championships.

- For athletes, extra officials, officials and team staff only.
- Service to join "La Ramée" will be explained in the next bulletin.
- Accreditation Card will be required for access to official transportation service (except arrival day).

11. VISA

In order to know if your Country citizens need a visa to come to France please have a look on: <http://www.diplomatie.gouv.fr/en/coming-to-france/getting-a-visa/article/foreign-nationals-holding-ordinary>

12. ACCOMMODATION, MEALS AND SERVICES

Hotels information: CIRILH presented the proposals for accommodation in Toulouse to the countries present at Anaheim and Huntington Beach in July 2013. These proposals were still improved, you will find them in accompanying document.

Hotel Reservation Coordinator:

- ◆ Céline CONGE Responsable Hébergement
NOVOTEL TOULOUSE CENTRE - Compans Caffarelli
5 place A. Jourdain - 31000 - Toulouse - France
Phone: +33 (0) 534 44 38 07 **Fax:** +33 (0) 561 22 81 22
E-mail: H0906-GL@accor.com

"Bienvenue à Toulouse": "Hotels_Toulouse2014" is the document from Toulouse Organizers about Service and Accommodation. Please read paragraph 2 Services rates explaining that there is 5 € per person per day to pay to organizers for a full package. For more information (except hotels information) please contact:

toulouse2014.welcome@gmail.com

13. INQUIRY

All inquiries about World Championships Rules can be made to the:
CIRILH OFFICE HQ c/o Gilbert PORTIER
620, rue de Viviers - 34830 - CLAPIERS (France)
or by email at : cirilh@me.com or gilcirilh@orange.fr

All inquiries about local information (Except Accommodation) can be made to the:
TOULOUSE Comité Local d'Organisation c/o Sylvie Rompteaux
by email at : toulouse2014.comlor@gmail.com

14. COACHES AND TEAMS MANAGERS MEETING

There will be a meeting for Junior Men and Senior Women Coaches and Team Managers.
There will be a meeting for Senior Men and Junior Women Coaches and Team Managers.
Details will be given with schedules at the end of April.

15. OPENING AND CLOSING CEREMONIES

1. There will be an Opening Ceremony and a Closing Ceremony common for Junior Men and Senior Women National Teams.
2. There will be an Opening Ceremony and a Closing Ceremony for Senior Men National Teams and Junior Women Teams.
3. Details will be given in Toulouse during the meeting.

16. EQUIPMENT

The goal cage consists of an iron pipe cage with a rectangular face opening with inside dimension height of 105 cm(41") and inside width of 170 cm (67")

17. COMPETITION ATTIRE

Referees will wear FIRS Jersey provided by CIRILH.

Home team (first on schedule) will wear light colour jerseys and away team will wear dark colour jerseys as usual.

18. REFEREES' INSTRUCTION AND BRIEFINGS

Chief Referee will organize an international course for future international referees and a course of revision for the referees going to do the job on the championships. Then the Chief Referee will maintain permanent contact with referees during the competitions.

19. REFEREES' PANELS AND JURY OF APPEAL

International A referees will be in charge with all games under the supervision of CIRILH Chief Referee Gordon YOUNG with the help of Referees Commission.

CIRILH members will make up jury of appeal

◆ Chairman	Gilbert PORTIER	France
◆ Assistant	Valerie LEFTWICH	Australia
◆ Chief Referee	Gordon YOUNG	Canada
◆ Member	Keith NOLL	U.S.A.
◆ Member	Tomas BREZINA	Czech Republic
◆ Member	Alberto LASTRUCCI	Italy

20. SEATING FOR THE DELEGATIONS

Reserved seating will be allocated to VIPs, media staff, and athletes.

21. TICKETING

Details will be given in next Information Bulletins.

22. PUBLICATION OF SCORES

A link will be:

- on <http://www.rollersports.org/> - FIRS website.
- on <http://www.worldinlinehockey.org/> - CIRILH website.
- on <http://www.roller-inline-hockey-toulouse2014.com/> Toulouse2014 official website

23. MEDAL AWARD CEREMONIES / NATIONAL FLAGS

Medal Award Ceremonies

CIRILH will prepare 20 gold medals, 20 silver medals and 20 bronze medals for each championship.

National Flags

Organization Committee will provide participating national flags as well as local institutions for venue decoration and award ceremony.

24. MEDICAL SERVICES, TRAINER

Medical Services will be available according FIRS rules.

25. ANTI DOPING CONTROLS

Therapeutic Use Exemption (TUE)

Any participating athlete requiring a Therapeutic Use Exemption (TUE) shall file the application together with medical documents required to Dr Patricia WALLACE at least thirty (30) days before the Championships. All information and the form to be completed are on FIRS website:

<http://www.rollersports.org/RollerSports/medicine/therapeuticuse.html> .

Governing Rules

The FIRS Anti-Doping Rules shall be applicable during the The World Championships, whereas the World Anti-Doping Code shall apply. More information on:

<http://www.rollersports.org/RollerSports/medicine/sports.html>

26. ACCREDITATION

The accreditation is personal, non transferable and compulsory to have access to the training and competition halls as well as for the official transportation system of the Organising Committee.

The accreditation identifies individuals participating in the event and indicates their right to access to the different zones.

Controls will be made at the entrance to each area. All participants are required to wear the accreditation card at any time in the competition venue.

Pre-accreditation of teams:

More information about Accreditation Procedure will be with Schedules information.

27. INSURANCE

Accident Insurances

Any affiliated organization that is involved with an international match, whether it be a cup, championship, official or friendly match, is not morally or financially responsible for any accidents which may occur during the event. All expenses resulting from such accidents are the responsibility of the injured player or affiliated participant (or their insurers).

28. INFORMATION DESK

More information will be with Schedules information.

29. TELEVISION BROADCAST

Before and during the World Championship a promotion campaign will be made by the newspapers, the radios and the TV. More information on next Bulletins.

30. MEDIA REPRESENTATIVES AND MEDIA CONFERENCES

In the «Palais des Sports» there will be a press room, a press box and a place for the press conferences. French and International media will have all possibilities to cover the event.