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OFFICIAL WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS

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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 a SportCourt floor. With the result of the survey that CIRILH conducted (deadline on 2013, October 15th), it appeared that we need a solution to receive the maximum of teams.

Toulouse Organization Committee sought another rink and proposed "La Ramée". This Gymnasium is Toulouse Hockey Club Homeland (The floor is a new SportCourt). Despite it is a small rink, CIRILH decided to accept this facility. Before dividing our World Championships into several events, it was the only solution in this year of transition.

With two rinks, CIRILH and Toulouse Organization Committee planned to receive 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 number of Junior Men Teams was incredibly high. CIRILH required that organizers accept 20 Junior Men Teams.

To date, we do not have a solution for the Spanish females Teams whose inscriptions arrived the last one, although before the deadline. We are still working on it.

1.GENERAL INFORMATION

There will be four events conducted in two weeks.

- ◆ Junior Men Championship: This championship will begin on June 30th it will
 - 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. The floor will be a SportCourt.
- "La Ramée" the home rink of Toulouse Roller Hockey. Despite the rink is smaller, the team from Toulouse play on Elite Group on French Elite Championship. There is a new SportCourt floor.

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3. COMPETITION DATES

Arrival dates (at least):

◆ Junior Men and Senior Women Championships: Sunday June 29th.

+ Junior Women and Senior Men Championships: Sunday July 6th.

- Official training (CIRILH will probably program some slots 1 day before):
 - 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.

France

Italy

USA

Australia

Canada

Czech Republic.

Departure date:

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

4. CIRILH COMMITTEE AND RESPONSIBILITIES:

- ♦ Chairman Gilbert PORTIER,
- ✦ Assistant Valerie LEFTWICH
- General Secretary Alberto LASTRUCCI
- Chief Referee Gordon YOUNG
- ♦ Member Tomas BREZINA
- ✦ Member Keith NOLL

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

"Welcome to TOULOUSE" information from Toulouse, Comité Local d'organisation. <u>Please click here to get it</u>.

In case you need to contact a person speaking english please send a mail to : Thibaut Villemejane villemejanethibaut@yahoo.fr or give a call on Monday, Tuesday Thursday or Friday to + 33 7 8175 6660 (avoid Wednesday, Saturday, Sunday).

6. PROGRAM

Announcement Timetable:

- ★ Bulletin # 1: envisaged on 2013 October 30th carried out on November 4th
- ★ Bulletin # 2: envisaged on 2014 January 30th carried out on February 5th
- ★ Bulletin # 3: envisaged on 2014 March 30th
- ★ Dead Line for Teams' Registration was: 2014 January 15th

Competitions: Schedules will be defined by CIRILH according to the hours of availability of the venues.

- ★ Junior Men Championships: 20 Teams There will be 6 groups (JMtop8 A, B, JMq - C, D, E, F) playing a round robin. Group A and B will qualify 6 teams, Group C,D,E, F will qualify 2 teams. These 8 teams will compete 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: 8 teams, 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.

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.

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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 fees must be received at least on May 15th. In case of any problem to pay in time please contact <u>cirilh@icloud.com</u>.

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 organized 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: <u>http://www.diplomatie.gouv.fr/en/coming-to-france/getting-a-visa/article/foreign-nationals-holding-ordinary</u>. In case you need an official invitation, please send a mail to Christelle Breton (FFRS Administrative Director) **christelle.breton@ffroller.fr**.

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 presented in July 2013 were improved.

Hotel Reservation Coordinator:

 Céline CONGE Responsable Hébergement NOVOTEL and ACCOR 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: Delegations will have to pay 5 € per person per day to organizers for the mandatory package. Content of the package will be detailed in next Bulletin. For more information (except hotels information) please contact:

toulouse2014.welcome@gmail.com

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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 : <u>cirilh@me.com</u> or <u>gilcirilh@orange.fr</u> All inquiries about local information (Except Accommodation) can be made to the: TOULOUSE Comité Local d'Organisation c/o Sylvie Rompteaux by email at : <u>toulouse2014.comlor@gmail.com</u>

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 on June 30th and a Closing Ceremony on July 6th, common for Junior Men and Senior Women National Teams.
- 2. There will be an Opening Ceremony on July 7th and a Closing Ceremony on July 13th 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 $105 \text{ cm}(41^{"})$ and inside width of $170 \text{ cm}(67^{"})$

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 color jerseys as usual.



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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. The course will take place at "Palais des Sports" on June 20th and 30th

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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.

France

Australia

Canada

Czech Republic

U.S.A.

Italy

CIRILH members will make up jury of appeal

- ♦ Chairman Gilbert PORTIER
 - Assistant Valerie LEFTWICH
 - Chief Referee Gordon YOUNG
- Member
 Keith NOLL
- Member Temas BBE
- Member Tom
- Tomas BREZINA
 - Member Alberto LASTRUCCI

20. SEATING FOR THE DELEGATIONS

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

21. TICKETING

All information as well as booking will be on event web site around February 15th. <u>http://www.roller-inline-hockey-toulouse2014.com/tickets/</u>

22. PUBLICATION OF SCORES

A link will be:

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

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

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 Champion-ship a promotion campaign will be made by the newspapers, the radios and the TV.

The games played at "Palais des Sports" will be broadcasted in live on FIRS web TV http://www.rollersports.org/RollerSports/content/webtv.html

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.

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2014 World Ch. - Week 1 et 2 Pools' composition

JUNIOR MEN

Pool A	Pool B	Pool C	Pool D	Pool E	Pool F
CZE 1	USA 2	AUS 9	HKG 10	MEX 11	NZL 12
COL 4	CAN 3	ITA	BEL	CHN 14	GER 13
FRA 5	SUI 6	LAT	NAM	ESP	VEN
BRA 8	GBR 7				

SENIOR WOMEN

Pool A	Pool B	Pool C	Pool D	
USA 1	CAN 2	NZL 3	COL 4	
GER 9	NAM 8	MEX 6	GBR 5	
IND 10	AUS 11	CHN 12	BRA	
LAT	ITA	FRA	CZE	

CIRILH and organizers seek a solution so that Spain takes part with Women Teams. This is not easy because of the availability of the venues.

JUN.WOMEN

Pool A	Pool B		
USA 1	CAN 2		
COL 4	AUS 3		
NZL 5	MEX 6		
GBR	NAM		

SENIOR MEN

Pool A	Pool B	Pool C	Pool D	Pool E	Pool F
CZE 1	CAN 2	ARG 9	BRA 10	NZL 11	MEX 12
SWE 4	SUI 3	NAM 17	AUS 16	COL 15	LAT 14
USA 5	FRA 6	JPN 18	VEN 19	IND 20	CHN 21
GBR 8	ITA 7	ESP	RUS	POL	BEL

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