



FÉDÉRATION INTERNATIONALE DE ROLLER SPORTS

INFORMATION BULLETIN # 2
SEVENTH
Masters World Cup
And
FIRST
Over 45 World Cup
ROLLER IN LINE HOCKEY
June 1st – June 5th 2016 in BOLZANO (ITALY)



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Masters Referee Course

The Masters Referee Course under the direction of Gilles Duprat, International Masters Referee, will be held on June 1st.

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INTRODUCTION:

This will be the seventh edition of the Masters World Cup (former VETERAN WORLD CUP).

The first one (2010 Bisley – UK), the second one (2011 Beroun – Czech Republic), the third one (2012 Pinerolo – Italy), the fourth one (2013 Anglet – France), the fifth edition in 2014 in Prague and the sixth one 2015 in Düsseldorf (Germany) were a great success. Masters are very important for our sport.

They are trainers or club managers. FIRS In Line Hockey Committee members are happy to see old timers again on the spot.

Masters are very important for our sport. They are former players, trainers or club managers. FIRS In Line Hockey Committee is proud to reunite and play our great sport again.

1. GENERAL INFORMATION

1.1 Eligibility of Teams and Players : the Masters World Cup is open to any Team of a National Federation affiliated with the FIRS provided that this National Federation gives permission to attend. Each player has to be born in 1978 or before, and for Over 45 Cup each player has to be born in 1971 or before.

1.2 Team Size : Team rosters will consist of a minimum of eight (8) players plus one (1) goalkeeper and a maximum of 16 players including 2 goalies.

1.3 Dead Line : The 2016 World Cups are open to the In Line Hockey Teams from all the National Federations affiliated with the FIRS provided that they confirm their entry prior to : **30th April 2016**. Teams must confirm their registration by returning the Application Form (page 4) to : alberto.lastrucci@gmail.com with cc to : gilbert.portier@icloud.com

1.4 Nationality of Players : players should be of the same nationality as the Team they are playing for.

All participating Team members will be required to prove appropriate nationality and age at the World Cup Meeting prior to the scheduled games, by a valid passport issued from the Country being represented. ID card with mention of nationality will be accepted.

1.5 Referees : Each participating Team should supply a Referee (over 38) able to do the job at a good level, according to the spirit of Masters World Cup. *If unable to supply a referee, please inform FIRS In Line Hockey Committee.*

1.6 Financial Conditions : each participating Team will be responsible for its own travelling, lodging and living expenses.

The entry fee to be paid directly to FIRS In Line Hockey Committee is 250 €

1.7 Structure of the Masters World Cups : the Masters World Cups will be structured to give the attending Teams maximum games and fun. No more than 2 games/day. Depending on the number of teams, the organization may plan different pools.

FIRS In Line Hockey Committee will allow :

- 3 points to a Team winning a game
- 1 point to each Team in a tie game
- 0 point to a Team losing a game

1.8 Rules of the Game : the FIRS In Line Hockey Committee shall have full governing control over the Masters World Cups, which must be played in accordance with

- FIRS Technical In Line Hockey Rules of the Game
- FIRS Statutes
- FIRS Administrative Rules

2. COMPETITION VENUE

BOLZANO - ITALY

address : PALAONDA Bolzano and MERAN Arena

Rink size : 30x60

Floor : Stilmat

3. COMPETITION DATES

Official training : June 1st 2016 in the afternoon

Competitions : June 1st in the evening– June 5th 2016

Course for Referees : June 1st 2016 in the afternoon

4. FIRS IN LINE HOCKEY COMMITTEE:

President	Gilbert PORTIER,	France	gilbert.portier@icloud.com
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Member	Alberto LASTRUCCI	Italy	alberto.lastrucci@gmail.com
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FIRS In Line Hockey Committee member in charge of Masters World Cup:

Alberto Lastrucci – alberto.lastrucci@gmail.com

5. LOCAL ORGANIZATION :

Host Federation : FIHP – Federazione Italiana Hockey e Pattinaggio

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President: ARACU Sabatino

BOLZANO Organizing Committee

for the 2016 Masters World Cups
website : coming soon

Organizing Committee Contact: **Mr Zisser Stefan** Phone : + 39 348 8268 748
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6. TRANSPORTATION

Airports: Milan or Venice INTERNATIONAL AIRPORTS

7. ACCOMMODATION

Local Organisation will manage reservations and payment procedures,
so for your reservations please contact :

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Roller Inline Hockey - The 2016 MASTERS WORLD CUP

Practice day : June 1st 2016 – Competition : June 1st - June 5th 2016

APPLICATION FORM

COUNTRY :

Masters team Over 45 Team

Name of FIRS Federation :

Current FIRS Federation paid dues Status (required) YES.....NO.....

Number of : Players Officials (including Coach)

Team Manager's Name and Email

Estimated date of arrival :

Your travel plans : flight train bus/car.....

DEAD LINE for APPLICATION is April 30th 2016

Plaease send this Application Form to :

alberto.lastrucci@gmail.com with C/C to gilbert.portier@icloud.com



MASTERS WORLD CUP

Hockey In Line

The 7th World Masters Cup of In Line Hockey and the 1st Over 45 World Cup will be held in Bolzano and Merano on June 1st 2016. The organizing committee and all the staff of the Italian Association of Masters In Line Hockey wishes to welcome you in the best way possible, offering all participants, including their families, a complete service. Through this brochure we will shortly illustrate the World Master's Cup 2016 in Bolzano and Merano.

The Hotel Sheraton (<http://www.fourpointsbolzano.com/it>) of Bolzano will be the official World Cup hotel : it offers all the comforts for all its guests. There are a swimming pool, Jacuzzi and sauna situated on the last floor.

The Hotel Sheraton is 300 mt away from the Palaonda Arena in Bolzano and Bolzano is 30 Km from Merano and the Meranarena. It takes about 15-20 minutes by car to reach the Meranarena.

To facilitate the transfers from and to the Meranarena we will set up a bus service between Merano and Bolzano with 3 trips scheduled in the morning and 3 trips in the afternoon.

The official opening welcome dinner will be held on June 1st in the main lobby of the Sheraton hotel : a typical south tyrolean menu will be served. All attending teams, FIRS officials and political authorities of Bolzano will be attending this great event.



The Palaonda Arena of Bolzano is at walking distance form the hotel. The venue is modern, with all necessary services for the attending teams. The Arena is used by the EBEL team HCB Südtirol Foxes during the winter season

The rink size is 30x60, the floor will be Stilmat, boards are the standard of the ice rink, seats are comfortable. We are planning to have a dressing room for every team.

There will be a press room, a meeting room, a room for the referees and a room for the FIRS delegates as well For the teams or followers arriving at the Arena by car, the internal parking will be closed for safety reasons, but there is a free parking area around the venue.

Inside the venue, there is a bar and a " food space " will be set up on Thursday, Friday and Saturday. On Saturday night there will be a great barbecue party.



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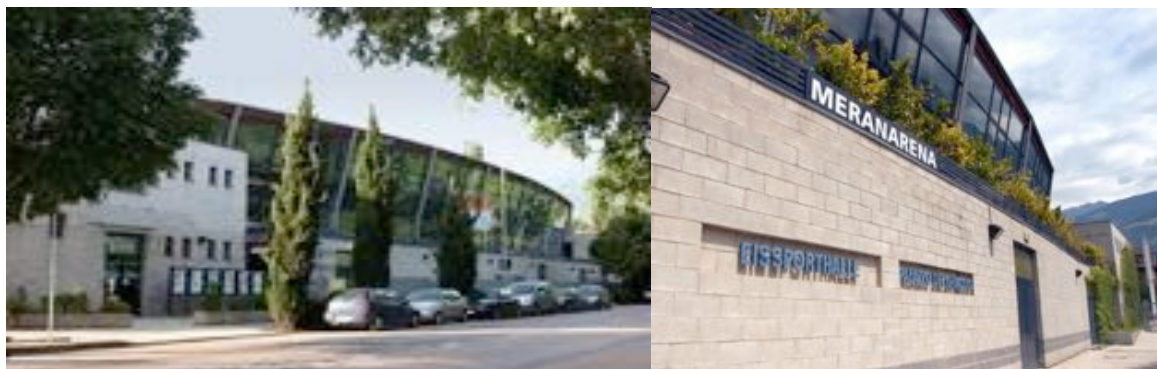
The Meranarena is about 30 km away from Bolzano, this structure is very modern, has all the necessary services for all. The venue is not far from the splendid center of Merano. During the winter season, the Arena is used by the local ice hockey team of Merano, which participates in the Italian Championship of B Series.

The rink size is 30x60, floor is plastic and the boards are ice rink standard. There will be an area with tables for lunch on Thursday, Friday and Saturday. The bar is open every day.



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During all WMC, first aid will be available at the venues.

We are negotiating with two hockey stores to give us assistance on equipment during the event.

There's a quick connection by bus from the hotel to the center of Bolzano.

We are happy to help you out if you wish to visit the land of "Alto Adige". Organized tours are possible also for typical regional food and wines.

We suggest whoever would like to visit Venice, Verona and Garda Lake to take a whole day.

For any information the whole staff is at your service.

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