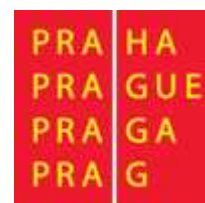


EUROPEAN INDIVIDUAL CLOSED CHAMPIONSHIPS

7 – 10 SEPTEMBER 2016

PRAGUE, CZECH REPUBLIC



European Individual Closed Championships  
7 - 10 September 2016  
Prague, Czech Republic

On behalf of the European Squash Federation (ESF) and the Czech Squash Association, we are very pleased to invite your players to participate in the European Individual Closed Championships.

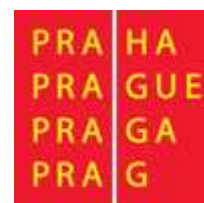
Detailed regulations for these Championships are referred to throughout this document and may be found on the ESF website at [www.europeansquash.com/page/25680/Regulations](http://www.europeansquash.com/page/25680/Regulations)

### TIMETABLE

#### DEADLINES

#### DATES

Online entry opens on ESF website	1 April 2016
Notification of accommodation requirements to Host	30 June 2016
Closing date for entries (Regulation A2)	30 June 2016
Payment of entry fee and deposit to ESF (Regulation A1)	By 10 July 2016
Payment of outstanding balance of package fee to host (Regulation A1)	By 1 August 2016
Provide travel details to Host	By 1 August 2016
Supply photograph and short biography to host (Regulation A5)	By 1 August 2016
Publication of seeding and draw information by ESF (Regulation T3)	By 15 August 2016
Arrival date	6 September 2016
Start date	7 September 2016
Finals date	10 September 2016
Departure date	11 September 2016



#### CONTACT DETAILS

Organising Committee  
Czech Squash Association  
Telephone: +420 776 814 960  
Email: [forter@czechsquash.cz](mailto:forter@czechsquash.cz)  
Championships Website: [www.czechsquash.cz/eicc2016](http://www.czechsquash.cz/eicc2016)

#### Venue

The Championships will be held at:  
Hector Sports Centre  
Malesicka 665/59C, 10800 Praha 10  
[www.hector.cz](http://www.hector.cz)

#### Glass court venue

TBC

#### Championship Adjudicating Panel (CAP)

ESF Technical Delegate:	Pavel Sládeček
Championship Director:	Tomáš Fořter
Championship Referee:	Marko Podgoršek

#### ENTRY TERMS & CONDITIONS

Please note:

Any entries not received by or on the closing date (30 June 2016) will not be allowed.  
Any entry and package deposit payments not received by or on 10 July 2016 will result in the entry being cancelled.  
Any outstanding membership or championship invoices as of 10 July 2016 will result in the entry being cancelled.

How to enter

Only entries from ESF member nations will be accepted. Please complete the entry form online at <http://esf.tournamentsoftware.com>. Entries can be made from 1 April 2016. The entry form must be submitted by 30 June 2016. The hotel form must be submitted by 30 June 2016 and the travel form by 1 August 2016. Hotel / travel forms will be available at <http://esf.tournamentsoftware.com>.

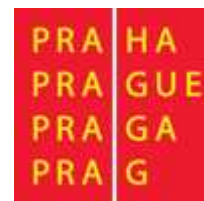
Closing date

The closing date for Entries is 30 June 2016.

Payment of entry fee and package deposit

This must be paid to ESF in Euros using the bank details below by 10 July 2016.

- Entry fee - €15
- Package deposit - €133 per person (applicable for all those taking part in the Championships – players, managers, coaches etc)



#### ESF bank details:

Salzburger Sparkasse Bank AG, Marktplatz 2, 5580 Tamsweg, Austria

Account number: 0040719288

SWIFT/IBAN BIC: SBGSAT2SXXX

IBAN: AT062040400040719288

#### SPIN

All players must have an active, paid-for SPIN (Squash Personal Identification Number) to participate.

This can be obtained at [www.worldsquash.org/spin](http://www.worldsquash.org/spin)

#### Coaches

All individual player coaches designated by their nation as part of their event onsite management team at any Championship held under the auspices of ESF must be WSF Registered i.e. have a WSF Squash Personal Identification Number (SPIN), as their licence to attend in a formal representative role. This is required at the time of them being registered to attend by their national federation.

#### Withdrawals

If any player withdraws before the Start Date, he may be replaced by a player of lower strength from the same country. The Host Association reserves the right to retain all or part of the Package Fee should a player or associated official withdraw (without being replaced) less than 30 days before the Start Date.

### PACKAGES

Please refer to Section Y in the Regulations for an explanation of basic and standard packages.

Payment of entry fee and deposit covers the basic package cost. If you wish to have the standard package please make the relevant additional payment (see below) (but please remember to deduct the package deposit).

#### Standard Package

The price of a standard package is €126 per person per night

Extra night (bed & breakfast, per person, twin room): €58 per night

Single room supplement: €46 per person per night

#### Payment of Package Fees

Payment of outstanding balance of package fee to the host must be done by 1 August 2016.

Account name: Česká asociace squashe  
Bank: Komerční banka, a.s.  
Bank address: Pohořelec 152/3, Prague 1, 119 01  
Account number: 107-2923600257  
IBAN: CZ10 0100 0001 0729 2360 0257  
SWIFT/BIC Code: KOMBCZPPXXX



#### CHAMPIONSHIPS HOTEL

Wellness Hotel STEP  
Malletova 1141, Praha 9, 19000

#### TRANSPORT

The organisers will provide transport between designated arrival/departure points and the hotel and between hotel and venue (Regulations Section A5). The designated arrival/departure points are:

1. Václav Havel airport Prague
2. Prague – main train station

#### FINAL EVENING PARTY

Prague city center - venue TBC

#### ELIGIBILITY

Player eligibility for the Championships is shown in Regulations - Section B2.

#### SEEDING AND DRAWS

The seeding and draw will be carried out by the Seeding Panel under the direction of the Technical Delegate and in accordance with Section T3 of the Championships Regulations.

Member nations have no right of appeal against seeding or draws.

#### PRACTICE COURTS

Practice facilities will be provided at no cost by the organiser and will be available at the venue starting the day before the Championships (Regulations – Section F6).

#### REFEREES

Qualified referees will be provided in accordance with ESF Referee Committee procedures relating to the specific Championships and Regulations - Section F9. Players may be asked to referee some matches (especially in the plate events).

#### SCORING

PAR 11 scoring will be used (to 2 clear points).

#### SQUASH BALLS

The Dunlop PRO XX ball will be used.



#### CHAMPIONSHIPS OFFICE

The Championships Office will be located at Hector Sports Centre and the glass court venue and will be open from 8:00 until 20:00 every day of the Championships.

#### DOPE TESTING

The ESF and the hosts reserve the right to implement compulsory dope testing for any player participating in the Championships. Dope testing may be carried out in line with the doping regulations published by the WSF. Member nations are responsible for informing all their participants (including managers, coaches and physiotherapists) about the latest WSF policy on doping; and must impose the standard WSF suspension from all forms of competitive squash upon a player who has used banned substances or practices.

#### INSURANCE AND RISKS

Players enter and play in the Championships at their own risk. Neither the ESF, the Host Association, the Host Club nor the Organisers will accept any responsibility for injury or other damages arising from participation in the Championships. ESF recommends that all officials and participants have full travel, medical and possessions insurance when travelling to any Championships.

#### EYE PROTECTION

All junior players (under 19 years of age) must wear protective eyewear (manufactured to an approved national safety standard) properly over the eyes at all times during knock-up and match play. The list of WSF Certified Eyewear allowable at the time of participation can be viewed on the WSF website.

#### CLOTHING AND ADVERTISING

The ESF clothing and advertising regulations will be adhered to. In all matters of judgement or opinion arising from the interpretation of this clothing regulation, the decision of the Championships Referee shall be final.

#### VISA PROCEDURES

Please note that visas may be required to enter Czech Republic. It is the responsibility of the member nation to ensure all players and officials have the appropriate documentation and that visas are applied for in good time before the Championships.

