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EUROPEAN SNOOKER CHAMPIONSHIPS

U18, U21, Men/Mixed, 6 Reds + Single Women & Seniors (+40) + Team Championships

2nd to 17th October 2021 - ALBUFEIRA / PORTUGAL

27th June 2021

Dear Members,

On behalf of the EBSA Board of Directors and the *Federação Portuguesa de Bilhar (FPB)*, I have pleasure in inviting you to send players to take part in:

The U18, U21, Men/Mixed, 6 Reds + Single Women & Seniors (+40) + Team Championships

PLAYERS: From the 1st of July 2021 you will find on the EBSA website www.ebsa.tv the Entry Form and Travel - Accommodation Form which need to be filled in as instructed for a maximum entry of:

- Four (4) players for the Under 18's Championship (players must be U18 on 31st December 2020).
- Four (4) players to the Under 21's Championship (players must be U21 on 31st December 2020).
- Two (2) players to the 6 Reds Championship (players must be aged 13 on the start of the event).
- Four (4) players to the Men/Mixed Championship (players must be aged 13 on the start of the event).
- Four (4) players to the Women Championship.
- Four (4) players to the Seniors Championship (players must be 40 or + before the 12th October 2021).
- 2 Women Teams + 2 Senior (+40) Teams + 2 Men Teams of 2 players each.

Please use the username and password that you've received to fill in the forms 'Online'. **All participants including referees and supporters must be on the Travel-Accommodation form.**

CLOSING DATE FOR PLAYERS ENTRIES: Tuesday 31st August 2021

**Very important: Players Entries must be paid to the FPB account before the closing date
Entries will not be confirmed if payment is not received on or before the 31st of August 2021**

Please refer to the updated EBSA Championship Conditions for 2021

According to the EBSA/WSF agreement, the U21 and Men/Mixed Champions will be nominated for the 2022/2024 Main Professional Tour

REFEREES: A maximum of 30 international referees will be invited by the FPB. Referees accommodation will be available starting from the 1st of October 2021. Any referees wishing to have single occupancy will be required to pay 50% of the full cost of a Twin room for the duration of their stay. Accommodation will be provided on a Bed & Breakfast basis, with 2 referees sharing a room. One additional meal per day will be provided. Referees travelling to Portugal will receive an allowance (€300) to help them with their travel costs. Referees must be members of the EBSA and will be confirmed by the EBSA Referees Committee.

Please remember to enter referees information to the online Travel and Accommodation Form.

Closing date for Referee nominations is Tuesday 17th August 2021

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HOTEL: The hotel policy is that **ALL PARTICIPANTS** (Players, Referees, Delegates & Supporters) **must show at their arrival a negative PCR test (less than 72 hours) or full Vaccine with more than 14 days** to allow them stay at the hotel and/or enter the event.

Regarding the payment, **a deposit of a minimum of €100 per player and per event must be transferred** to the Portuguese Federation (FPB) **before the 31st of August 2021**. For example : if a player enters the U18's, U21's, 6 Reds and the Men/Mixed championships then, the deposit will be **€400 (4X100) for that player + the total amount of his 4 entry fees**.

Upon arrival, all guests are expected to pay to the FPB desk at the hotel the full balance for the total number of nights/duration that have been booked.

Whilst it may be possible to extend room bookings, it will be solely dependent on the hotel having room availability. Neither the hotel, EBSA or FPB can take any responsibility if rooms are not available to be extended for the remainder of the stay.

CLOSING DATE FOR HOTEL BOOKINGS (EBSA TRAVEL & ACCOMMODATION FORM):

TUESDAY 31st August 2021

Please transfer the deposit to - FEDERAÇÃO PORTUGUESA DE BILHAR

IBAN: PT50004530304028736294694 - BIC/SWIFT: CCCMPTPL

Please inform the name of your country on the bank transfer form

All bookings including referees must be confirmed on the EBSA Travel-Accommodation Form

COACHING: A Cue-Zone will be available at the VIDAMAR Hotel for coaching players and new EBSA Coaches. Please find attached letter from the EBSA Coaching Committee with more details.

REFEREE SUPPLIES: Any referees or members wishing to buy white gloves, rule books, EBSA ties, ball-markers, etc., are requested to place an order for any items by Tuesday 24th August 2021. Items can then be paid for and collected during the Championships. Any order(s) should be sent to me in the first instance.

Very Important: Online payment for Entry and Accommodation must be done by the National Associations (NGB). No payment will be accepted online from individual players.

Please fill the attached payment Form and send it to my e-mail before the closing date.

The Federação Portuguesa de Bilhar (FPB), has asked me to assure you, that they will do everything to make your visit one to remember.

Yours in sport,

Maxime Cassis

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Calendar of events

- Saturday 2nd October – Players meeting (U18's) – VIDAMAR Hotel @ 09:00
- Saturday 2nd October - Start of the U18 Matches @ 10:00
- Sunday 3rd October – Players meeting (U21's) – VIDAMAR Hotel @ 18:00
- Monday 4th October - Semi-finals & Final of the U18 Championship
- Monday 4th October - Start of the U21 Matches @ 10:00
- Thursday 7th October - Semi-finals & Final of the U21 Championship @ 10:00
- Thursday 7th October - Start of the 6 Reds Championship @ 10:00 (**Knock-Out event**)
- Thursday 7th October – Players meeting (Men/Mixed) – VIDAMAR Hotel @ 18:00
- Friday 8th October - Start of the Men/Mixed Championship @ 10:00
- **Friday 8th October @ 19:30 - Official Opening Ceremony at the VIDAMAR Hotel**
- **Saturday 9th October @ 10:00 – EBSA Annual General Meeting at the VIDAMAR Hotel**
- Monday 11th October – Last 16 & Quarter finals of the Men/Mixed Championships
- Monday 11th October – Players meeting (Women/Seniors) – VIDAMAR Hotel @ 18:00
- Tuesday 12th October – Start of the Single Women & Seniors Championship @ 10:00
- Tuesday 12th October – Semi-finals & Final of the Men/Mixed Championship
- Thursday 14th October – Quarters & Semi-finals - Single Women & Seniors Championships
- Thursday 14th October – Start of the Teams Championships @ 10:00
- Friday 15th October – Finals of the Single Women & Seniors Championships
- Sunday 17th October – Semi-finals & Finals of all Team championships

Entry Fee

Please note entry fees of **€ 60 (Sixty euro)** per player per event will be payable to the FPB for the U21, 6 Reds, Men/Mixed, Women & Seniors + Teams events and **€ 40 (Forty euro)** for the U18 event.

No player will be allowed to take part if payment is not transferred before the 31st of August 2021

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ACCOMMODATION & VENUE

16 Steel-Block competition tables will be housed in the:

5 STARS VIDAMAR Resort Hotel Algarve

R. da Boca da Alagoa Lote 1, 8200-424 Guia, Portugal

Website: <https://algarve.vidamarresorts.com/>

The Hotel requires full payment upon arrival for the accommodation that has been booked.

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ROOM RATES / HALF-BOARD (Bed + Breakfast + Dinner)

Hotel: Single: € 120,- Double or Twin: € 136,-

Villas for 4 or 6 persons with private swimming pool each are also available:

4 persons / 2 rooms = 1 Double (1 big bed + bathroom) + 1 Twin (2 beds + bathroom)

6 persons / 3 rooms = 1 Double (1 big bed + bathroom) + 2 Twin (2 beds + bathroom)

Prices of the Villas are according to number of rooms and the same like at the hotel

Only 10 Villas are available – Bookings are on a first-come, first-serve basis

All rooms Inclusive of Buffet breakfast & Buffet dinner • Free of charge wireless internet in room •

Free of charge fitness centre in the VIDAMAR resort & Free of charge access to the beach.

Should you need any help then, please contact me at: maxime.cassis@gmail.com

According to COVID-19 regulation, all delegation MUST stay at the VIDAMAR resort.

TRANSPORT

Transfers Airport/Hotel/Airport (FARO International Airport) will be for €30 (Thirty euro) per person. All participants will be met at Faro-Airport meeting-point near the Police station by the FPB representatives upon arrival subject to arrival information being forwarded in advance.

Prize Money

"Prize money for winners and finalists will be paid by bank transfer".

The Prize funds for each championship will be distributed as follows:

European U18 / U21 / 6 Reds / Seniors & Women Snooker Championships

Highest Break 50.00 € + Trophy

Last 16 Not less than Entry fee

European Men/Mixed + Teams Snooker Championships

Highest Break 100.00 € + Trophy

Last 16 Not less than Entry fee

For all Championships Prize fund will be allocated as follows:

Winner 40% + Trophy + Gold Medal

Runner-up 20% + Silver Medal

Semi-Finalists 10% x 2 = 20% + Bronze Medals

Quarter Finalists 5% x 4 = 20%

Please note that the closing date for confirming the final names of players is Tuesday 31st August 2021

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