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## EUROPEAN SNOOKER CHAMPIONSHIPS

### Individual Women & Seniors Championships, 6 Reds Championships, Q-Tour Event N°3, Disability Championships, Shoot Out Championships and All Teams Championships 4<sup>th</sup> – 19<sup>th</sup> October 2025, Golem / Albania

Dear Members,

On behalf of the EBSA Board of Directors and the Albania Snooker Federation (ASF), I have pleasure in inviting you to send players to take part in the Individual Women, Individual Seniors, 6 Reds Snooker Championships, Shoot-Out, European Disability Championships, and All Teams Snooker Championships that will be held in Golem, from the 4<sup>th</sup> to 19<sup>th</sup> October 2025.

In Addition to, this year's European Championships, the EBSA with the support of the ASF will host Q-Tour Europe event 3 from the 9<sup>th</sup> to 12<sup>th</sup> October in the same venue. Entry package will be published [here](#) shortly.

#### PLAYERS

From the 19<sup>th</sup> July 2025 you will find on the EBSA website [www.ebsa.tv](http://www.ebsa.tv) the Entry Form and Travel & Accommodation Form which need to be filled in as instructed for a maximum entry of:

- Seniors Individual Championships – FOUR (4) players (players must be 40 on the first day of competition)
- Women Individual Championships – SIX (6) players
- Seniors Team Championships – TWO (2) Teams of two players (players must be 40 on the first day of competition)
- Women's Team Championships – THREE (3) Teams of two players
- 6 Reds Championships – FOUR (4) players
- Shoot-Out Championships – TWO (2) players
- Disability European Open Championships – Classifications to be confirmed by the WDBS.
- Men's Team Championships – THREE (3) Teams of two players
- WPBSA Q-Tour Europe Event 3 – Open entries to all players – Package and entry form [here](#).

**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: SATURDAY 20<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER 2025 (Midnight, GMT)**

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## VERY IMPORTANT FOR ALL PLAYERS

In entering this competition, players accept to comply and adhere to the [EBSA Championship Conditions](#).

**Whilst players may be entered/choose to enter multiple Championships, please ensure that the players themselves recognise and understand the potential numbers of matches they will be expected to play each day in choosing to compete in multiple championships.**

## ENTRY CONFIRMATION & ENTRY FEES PAYMENT

Important: Entry Forms will be available online until the 20<sup>th</sup> September 2025 (Midnight GMT)

**Players Entries must be paid to the EBSA account or confirmed by email that it will be paid by cash at the venue before Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> September 2025 (Midnight, GMT).**

**Any Entry confirmed or paid on the 27<sup>th</sup> September will be due by the National Association.**

Entries will not be accepted if not paid or confirmed in time.

Please refer to the updated EBSA Championship Conditions for further information.

**Online payment for the Entry must be done by (NGB) National Associations only.** No payment will be accepted online from individual players. Please fill the online Entry Form on the [www.ebsa.tv](http://www.ebsa.tv) website.

For further information, please feel free to contact the EBSA President and Tournament Coordinator: [maximecassis@gmail.com](mailto:maximecassis@gmail.com) before the closing date.

## REFEREES

A Total of 30 International Referees will be selected to participate at these Championships. Referees' accommodation will be available starting from the 3<sup>rd</sup> – 20<sup>th</sup> October 2025. 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 referees sharing a room. Two (2) additional meals per day will be provided by the ASF. Referees travelling to Albania will receive from the EBSA an allowance of €300 to help them with their travel costs. Referees must be members of their National Association and must be nominated by their National Governing Body.

The Tournament Committee will select referees, with priority being given to countries sending players to support the championships.

**Please remember to enter referee's information to the online Travel-Accommodation Form.**

**Referees MUST NOT book any travel until they have received confirmation of their selection.**

**CLOSING DATE FOR REFEREE NOMINATIONS: Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> August 2025**

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## COACHING:

A **Cue-Zone** will be available at the Fafa Resort for coaching players and new EBSA/WPBSA Coaches.

**The seminar for new coaches** will take place from the **12<sup>th</sup> to 14<sup>th</sup> of October** at the Grand Blue Fafa Resort. A letter with application form issued by the EBSA Coaching Committee is attached to this email. Requests with the completed form and photo must be sent from the National Association to the EBSA General Secretary [simon.p.smith@northumbria.ac.uk](mailto:simon.p.smith@northumbria.ac.uk) and a copy to the EBSA Head of coaching [pjcoach147@hotmail.com](mailto:pjcoach147@hotmail.com)

## VENUE:

RASSON Snooker Tables will be installed at the Grand Blue Fafa Resort Golem/Albania to run the championships.

ASF has asked me to assure you, that they will do everything to make your visit one to remember.

Yours in sport,

EBSA General Secretary



## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Friday 3 <sup>rd</sup> October 2025	Referees Meeting (22:00hrs)
Saturday 4 <sup>th</sup> October 2025	Seniors Players Meeting (09:00hrs) Seniors Individual Championships commences (10:00hrs)
Monday 6 <sup>th</sup> October 2025	Women's Individual Championships commences (10:00hrs) Seniors Individual Knock-out stages
Tuesday 7 <sup>th</sup> October 2025	Women's Individual Knock-out stages Seniors Individual Final Seniors Team Championships commences
Wednesday 8 <sup>th</sup> October 2025	Women's Individual Final Seniors Teams Continues and Women's Teams commences
Thursday 9 <sup>th</sup> October 2025	Women's Teams continues Seniors Teams Final Q-Tour N°3 Event commences
Friday 10 <sup>th</sup> October 2025	Final Stages of the Women's Team Championships
Saturday 11 <sup>th</sup> October 2025	EBSA Annual General Meeting (10:00hrs) Fafa Resort Q-Tour N°3 Event continues Shoot-Out Championship commences (13:00hrs)
Sunday 12 <sup>th</sup> October 2025	Shoot-Out Championship Final Stages Final Stages of the Q-Tour N°3 Event Official Opening Ceremony
Monday 13 <sup>th</sup> October 2025	6 Reds Snooker Championship commences
Tuesday 14 <sup>th</sup> October 2025	Disabled European Open Championship commences 6 Reds Championship Continue
Wednesday 15 <sup>th</sup> October 2025	6 Reds Championship Final stages Men Team Championships commences
Sunday 19 <sup>th</sup> October 2025	Final Stages of Men's Team & Disability European Championships

## FORMAT FOR ALL "TEAMS" CHAMPIONSHIPS

As agreed at the 2024 EBSA Annual General Meeting, it was formally proposed and approved to adopt the Scotch-Doubles for every frame (Best of Five) format for all the Team Championships. This means that there will NOT be "individual" frames in the matches. Please see attached and updated document (approved by EBSA Board on 27<sup>th</sup> June 2024) containing specific rules for this format.

## ENTRY FEE

As agreed at the 2022 EBSA AGM, Entry fee for all individual championships including Shoot-Out is at €100 per Player. Entry Fee for Teams Championships will be at €150 per Team.

**No player will be allowed to take part if payment is not transferred before  
Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> September 2025 (Midnight, GMT)**

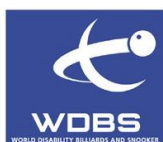
**Payment of the Entry Fees should be made to the following EBSA Bank Account :**

**IBAN : GB57HBUK40127674272088**

**B/C Swift Code : HBUKGB4B**

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

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## HOTEL ACCOMMODATION & VENUE

The Championship Hotel and Venue is:

**The Grand Blue Fafa Resort, Long Beach, Golem, Kavaje, Albania - Tel: +355697086352**

15 RASSON Steel-Block competition tables will be housed in the venue. As Agreed at the 2024 EBSA Annual General Meeting, **EVERYONE travelling to EBSA Championships, must book their accommodation using EBSA Travel-Accommodation Form.** No-one should book through any other agency or online platform. Where players do not book through EBSA, they will not be allowed to play. This was unanimously agreed by all to commence at the next Championships in Albania onwards.

## ROOM PRICES

### **Based on Bed & Breakfast:**

Single room: €88,- Euro/Room

Double/Twin room: €118,- Euro/Room

Triple room: €180,- Euro/Room

Meal vouchers (Open Buffet with drinks) can be bought in advance at €15 each.

### **Based on Full-Board** (including 3 meals and all drinks during the meals):

Single room: €108,- Euro/Room

Double/Twin room: €144,- Euro/Room

Triple room: €216,- Euro/Room

**According to the EBSA Championship Conditions all players MUST stay at the FAFA Resort**

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

Upon arrival, all guests are expected to pay to 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 ASF can take any responsibility if rooms are not available to be extended for the remainder of the stay.

## AIRPORT TRANSFERS

**Transfers Airport/Hotel/Airport are available as follows:**

Participants will be met at Tirana International Airport (Only) by ASF representatives upon arrival subject to arrival information being forwarded in advance.

**The return transfer costs 2 ways (Airport/FAFA Resort/Airport) is @ €35,- / person**

**The return transfer costs 1 way (Airport/FAFA OR FAFA/Airport) is @ €20,- / person**

**PLEASE REMEMBER TO INCLUDE ALL AIRPORT TRANSFERS ON THE TRAVEL-ACCOMMODATION FORM**

**Access to the Travel & Accommodation Form will be closed by  
Tuesday 30<sup>th</sup> September 2025 (Midnight, GMT)**

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## CURRENCY

Local currency in Albania is the Albanian Lek

€1 (Euro) = 98 ALL (Albanian Lek) – on the 5<sup>th</sup> of July 2025

£1 (GBP) = 113 ALL (Albanian Lek) – on the 5<sup>th</sup> of July 2025

Hotel rooms and airport transfers must be paid in Euros to the ASF upon arrival at the hotel.

## PRIZE MONEY

**Prize money for winner until quarter finalist will be paid by bank transfer.**

Prize money for all championships will be awarded according to the EBSA championship conditions and published before the start of each event.

**Please note that the closing date for confirming  
the final names of players and payment of entry fees is  
SATURDAY 27<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER 2025 (Midnight, GMT)**

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