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H A N D B O O K

On behalf of the European Squash Federation (ESF) and the Spanish Squash Federation (RFES) we are very pleased to invite your national teams to participate in the 2009 European U15/U17 Junior Team Championships.

Welcoming from the Spanish Squash Federation



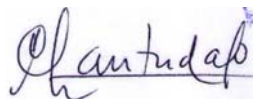
As the president of the Spanish Federation it is an honour to welcome you all to Gerona. Having the opportunity to watch the most promising junior players in Europe – Future of European Squash and hopefully world Squash in our country is a rare privilege that we value enormously. I would like to say thank you for making the effort to travel to Girona.

Welcome to all coaches, managers, parents and supporters, because these young players need your support in order to achieve their goals.

Events like this are not possible without the collaboration of many people. Firstly, we would like to express our gratitude to the organising committees. We are sure you can appreciate their effort and time needed in ensuring perfect championships for you. Your role as players is also important. We are confident that you will show everyone that you are responsible young adults who can control themselves on and off court. Organisers usually worry about the behaviour of players in the hotel. So, be a good sport and respect the work of the organising committees.

We would like to express our sincere appreciation and thanks to all institutions and companies that have helped in funding these championships.

Thanks and enjoy your game!!!!

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Rogelio Chantada Lago". The signature is written in a cursive style with a horizontal line underneath the name.

Rogelio Chantada Lago

Welcome to the 9th EUROPEAN JUNIOR U15 TEAM & 19th EUROPEAN JUNIOR U17 TEAM CHAMPIONSHIPS Welcome to Girona.

It is great to see each of you again this year here in Gerona. This year we have over 150 participants from 18 countries. Is it a pleasure for us.

The main information desk for the 9th EUROPEAN JUNIOR U15 TEAM & 19th EUROPEAN JUNIOR U17 TEAM CHAMPIONSHIPS will be located at the Tipy Park Sports complex entrance. This is a record for Spanish federation and you can be sure, we will do everything to ensure that your stay with us will be a positive experience.

For the coaches: As soon as you arrive for the first time at the Resort complex please proceed immediately to registration desk inside the Camping Mass ant josep. Please make sure that your register every member of your team the first time.

The draws and results will be updated regularly on the website to keep everyone informed.

If you have any additional questions don't hesitate to ask anybody from the organizing committee or the information desk staff.

So welcome again, welcome to a fair and professional competition. And, most important, let's have fun. We looked forward to a dynamic, eventful and hectic few days, filled with great matches, fun and fair play squash. We wish all the players an enjoyable and successful EUROPEAN JUNIOR U15 TEAM & 19th EUROPEAN JUNIOR U17 TEAM CHAMPIONSHIPS

Best Sporting Regards.

David Jaume
Tournament director EJ15-17
On behalf of the Spanish Squash Federation.

Sponsors



Partners



Organisation:

Tournament Director – David Jaume (0034 - 667 666 061)

Tournament Referee – Bruno Vega Rodriguez 0034 625 70 74 53

Tournament Transport - Hotel Director: Bruno Vega Rodriguez 0034 625 70 74 53

Tournament Press and Communication: Alfredo de las Cuevas

Tournament treasurer – Paloma Gonzalez 0034 91 658 71 04

ESF Technical director – Thomas Troedson

General Instructions

We expect that each one of you will behave as perfect ambassadors for your country. The organizing committee will not tolerate any misconduct. All cases of misconduct will immediately be handled by the organizing committee and action will be taken, such as being removed from the tournament.

All matches will be played Best of five Games following the PAR scoring system.

All teams are scheduled to play all matches to decide their final position.

The tournament ball is the Dunlop Pro double Yellow Dot Ball.

All players, officials and teams must cover their own personal insurance. Competitors enter and play in the Championship at their own risk. Neither the ESF, RFES nor host venues accept any responsibility for injury arising from participation in the championship

RULES AND REGULATIONS FOR PLAYERS ON THE CAMPSITE, MAS SANT JOSEP.

These rules are in accordance with the Camping and Caravanning Federation of Catalonia shown in the reception area of the campsite Mas Sant Josep, under the conditions as specified 11/07/1986 the Generalitat of Catalonia.

Motor Vehicles

1. Pedestrians and cyclists have priority.
2. It is prohibited to use motor vehicles between 12 pm. and 8 a.m.
3. All vehicles to be parked within designated areas, never on unoccupied pitches.
4. The entrance gate of CMSJ will be closed between 12 pm. and 8 a.m.
5. Cleaning of vehicles is prohibited outside the allowed area.
6. CMSJ can prohibit the circulation of vehicles which are considered detrimental to others: e.g. noisy or smoky.
7. CMSJ is not responsible for stolen vehicles or their contents.

8. In the case of broken down or abandoned vehicles, CMSJ have the right to remove them from the vicinity.

9. Parking or driving is prohibited on any pavements near to the buildings.

Bicycles

1. Maximum speed on the campsite is 10 Kph.

2. Pedestrians have priority at all times.

3. It is prohibited to cycle after dark.

4. CMSJ is not responsible for stolen bicycles.

5. It is prohibited to cycle on the road leading to and in the vicinity of the swimming pool, gardens and grass.

6. Bicycles are not allowed inside the building.

Pedestrians

1. It is prohibited to use roller skates and skateboards inside any building on the campsite.

2. Entrance to the Masia, the mill and the worksites are totally prohibited.

Pitches

1. The outer limits of each pitch must be respected.

2. The length of stay and use of pitch does not in any way suppose a renting under the civil code 1546. Therefore the occupation of pitches is under internal ruling of CMSJ and of tourist board.

3. All kitchens must be canvas or plastic, not rigid. They must also be portable and transportable by one person.

4. CMSJ reserve the right to insist on a change of location any number of times they consider necessary for the well being of the camping.

5. No camper is allowed to do any industrial, manual, intellectual or commercial work within the grounds of the campsite or pitches.

6. It is totally prohibited to store products or cases which may be dangerous for the camping and its occupants.

7. It is prohibited to install:

a. Windshields

b. Water or showers outside the caravans

c. Permanent kitchens, (wooden, metal, canvas or plastic are the only types allowed).

d. Outside furniture which is not grosfilex or camping style.

e. Plants pots, garden ornaments such as gnomes, lights, fencing, railings, doors or whatever elements.

f. No hanging objects from the trees, such as ropes, cages, plant pots, etc.

8. Any belongings pertaining to clients or authorized visitors to the campsite CMSJ are not responsible for, neither are the directors held responsible for any losses, damages or whatever other circumstances may occur to these belongings.

9. Each user is responsible for any damages or wear caused to other users or their belongings, furniture or fittings.

10. CMSJ reserve the right to remove any external furnishings within the pitches of the camping.

11. CMSJ is authorised to move any obstacle on the pitches at any time if work is required there.

Electric and gas connections

1. The state of plugs, electric cables, tubes and gas bottles including the instalment of same, are of the sole responsibility of the user.

2. CMSJ reserve the right to inspect both electric and gas installations and ask for any modifications if necessary.

The use of the Sports Club

1. Children under the age of 16 are not allowed in the weights area.

2. Children under the age of 16 are not allowed in the Sauna or SPA.

3. Smoking is prohibited in all areas of the gymnasium.

4. Only the activities dedicated are allowed in the designated areas. Children should wear the appropriated footwear and clothing for their designated sport.

5. Users must follow instructions given by the monitors of person in charge on the premises.

Fountains

1. Are of sole use for the supply of water.

2. Washing of clothes or dishes and pots is prohibited.

3. Dirty water must be disposed of in the appropriate places in the wash areas.

Total Silence

Total silence will be required from 12 p.m to 8 a.m during this period clients must respect silence and avoid any type of noises.

Schedule

6 May 2009	Arrival Day. Managers' & Coaches' meeting at 20:00 hrs in Squash club (Tournament Desk)
7 May 2009	First day of Championships. Opening Ceremony: 9.00 hrs – If weather is fine, it will take place near swimming pool (next to the restaurant). If the weather is not good, it take place in big saloon, near to the restaurant. Play starts: 10.00 hrs. Matches are scheduled to start on Thursday, 7 May 2009 at 10:00 hrs.
8 / 9 May 2009	Second and Third day of Championships
10 May 2009	Closing Ceremony – Just After last matches (Restaurant tournament) The departure day will be Sunday, 10 May 2009 (after the Prizegiving Ceremony).

Useful locals numbers. Important Adresses. Phonenumbers

1. Camping Mas Sant josep

Squash club (Venue) and accommodation is in the same Resort Complex.

Behaviour Laws. (In general instructions)

Location:

Camping Mas Sant Josep is located in the heart of the Costa Brava, a famous region in Catalonia known for its magnificent beaches and crystal clear water, which reveals a unique and incomparable beauty.

Important information.

The bungalow has sheets and blankets, it does not have daily service of cleaning, it's different from a hotel. The bungalow has a big towel for each player or coach. The resort has laundry service. Every team pay his own clothes and every thing.

Contact:

Càmping Mas Sant Josep S.L

17246 Santa Cristina d'Aro (Girona) Espanya

Telf: 0034 972 835 108 Fax: 0034 972 837 018

<http://www.campingmassantjosep.com>

Opening Times: Camping: From 9.00 until 13.00 and 15.00 until 19.00

Tournament Desk 8.00 until 23.00. The Camping Mas Sant josep offers a fast Wi-Fi internet acces

No smoking Please.

We kindly ask you not to smoke at the venue. Please smoke in front of the entrance or outside. Thank you.

2. Emergencies: 061.**3. Emergencies: 012.****4. Local police:**

Policia Local de Santa Cristina d'Aro C/ Teulera, 3 - Santa Cristina d'Aro 17246 (BAIX EMPORDÀ)
Tel. 972838282, fax. 972835169

5. Regional police

Mossos d'Esquadra - Telèfon . 088

6. Ambulance Creu Roja Castell d'Aro

Tel. 0034 - 972 81 81 51

7. Ambulàncies Creu Roja Sant Feliu de Guíxols

Tel 0034 - 972 32 08 59

8. Fireman

Tels. 085 81 94 22

9. Palamos Hospital

C/ Hospital 36 17230 Palamos - (0034) 972 600 160

10. Medical Services

Tel. 0034 - 972 81 62 13

11. Medical Services –

Plaça de Catalunya, s/n (darrere l'ajuntament) Tel. 0034 972 83 58 16

Fax 972 83 58 19

12. MEDICINA GENERAL, ATS I PEDIATRIA –

Urgències, nits i festius: dispensari de Platja d'Aro (Tel. 0034 972 81 62 13).

13. Taxis

0034 609 33 60 91

14. Gerona Airport 902 404 704**15. Barcelona Airport 902 404 704**

Managers Meetings.

The managers meetings will take place at the tournament venue in the meeting room on 1st floor. It is proposed that the Team Managers' and Coaches' meeting will take place in the Club at 20:00 hrs on Wednesday, 6 May 2008. The managers meetings will take place at the tournament desk venue (located very close to entrance on the right side). Practical and general information over the opening and the procedure throughout the event will explain in this meeting.

Opening Ceremonies.

Opening Ceremony: 7 May 2009 at 09.00 hrs. The opening ceremony of the tournament will take place in front of the big swimming pool of the resort Complex. If the weather won't be nice, it will take place in the saloon, near to the restaurant. It will be perfect if every player and coach wear the same sport clothes. The ceremony will consist of a few pieces of general information for the players and an official word of welcome. The first round of matches will commence straight afterwards. More information will be given at the managers meetings.

Accreditation / Players Eligibility.

Players are required to present their passport to the tournament Desk Director, David Jaume, prior to play. This can be done at the Camping Office on Wednesday. Players may be required to present their passport to the tournament organization at check-in.

No player will be allowed to compete if her or his eligibility can not be proven.

Tournament office.

The tournament office is at Tipy Park (Sport Complex of Resort).

Responsible: David Jaume.

Opening hours: 45 minutes before 1st match till 30 minutes after the last match. Telephone: 0034 667 666 061

General information, draw and messages will be placed on the information board at the venue.

There shall be access to internet by WIFI.

Other areas in the Venue.

Camping Mas Sant Josep is a bit complex and is also used by other sportsmen and sportswomen and therefore we would appreciate it that you don't disturb them in their activities. Please stay out of the areas that are not assigned to the squash event.

Refereeing

Bruno Vega is the tournament referee and we expect that you will support his team of referees throughout the tournament.

Transport.

Phone number responsible: Bruno Vega Rodriguez 0034 625 70 74 53. Meeting point in Barcelona's Airport: outside Terminal A, near to police building in bus parking.

Transportation will be provided from Barcelona Airport and Girona airport to the official venue. Participants arriving at Barcelona airport will be met by our staff and guided to bus. Participants arriving at Girona airport will be met by bus driver and guided to bus.

Meals

Hospitality for the European Junior team championships is from dinner on 6 may 2009 to lunch on 10 may 2009. Please don't carry your squash bags with you when you enter the catering areas.

Breakfast, Lunch And Dinner At Camping Mas Sant Josep It will take place in saloon near to Camping restaurant.

During breakfast you can drink coffee in the restaurant.

Meal Times

Players will enjoy the Mediterranean food, and particularly the Catalan food.

Menus will be rich in carbohydrates, cooked with a lot of enthusiasm for the tournament.

Breakfast: 7.30 until 10.00

Lunch: 12.00 until 16.00

Dinner: 19.00 until 23.00

You have received 12 meals vouchers which you will need to give at restaurant, so don't lose them!!!! If you don't give Snacks and beverages: All drinks must be paid by yourself, immediately at purchase.

Players Bag Storage

There is a special player's bag area in Squash club on court Number 7. Bags will not be tolerated in the club. Bags that are lying around will be moved to the allocated area by the organization.

Webpage

The official webpage www.worldenjoyer.com. You can find the results of the championships.

Practicse Courts

There are courts for a practise. You should to inform in tournament Desk.

DopeTesting

The ESF and host nation reserve the right to implement compulsory dope testing for any players participating in the Championship. ESF rules prohibit doping. Any player refusing to undergo doping control and any person found guilty of doping will be dealt with by the ESF, which shall take disciplinary action in accordance with its regulations.

Medical Assistance

Physiotherapy Service.

We will organise Physiotherapy Service throughout the tournament. For more information, please ask at the tournament desk. Arrangements for physiotherapy treatment can be made with the tournament office.

Medical Assistance

Assistance will be on call throughout. Players who require medical attention should liaise with the tournament office.

Championship Ball

The tournament ball is the Dunlop Pro double Yellow Dot Ball.

Eye-Protection

The use of eye-protection is compulsory at all times on court, including the knock-up. All participants are required to wear protective eye guards throughout the Championships in accordance with European Tournament regulations. All players must wear eye-guards during all play, including warm-up.

In the tournament desk you can find I-Mask. The prices are: 35€ You can ask it for.

Racket Stringing

There will be a daily stringing service available every day. Prices and information are available at the tournament desk.

Rackets can be strung, there will be a daily stringing service. This service is to be organized through the venue tournament office.

Tecnifibre: 23€

Your own string: 12€

Interviews, Functions, Prize giving

Interviews

Players, teams, Managers may be required in the pressroom for interviews after the completion of their matches.

Functions During Team Event.

There will be some functions throughout the team event. Attendance is mandatory at all these functions.

Official opening for the 9th EUROPEAN JUNIOR U15 TEAM & 19th EUROPEAN JUNIOR U17 TEAM CHAMPIONSHIPS on Thursday 7 may will be at Swimming pool in the complex, beginning at 9.00 A.M. Dress is squash attire and there will be some short speeches followed by the start of play.

Closing ceremony and prize giving ceremony for the team event on Sunday 10 may after the final in the restaurant.

Results book

When the tournament finishes, the organization will give you a CD with all results and some photos. A copy for the result book will be sent to all competing nations by email and you can find all the details on the event: www.worldenjoyer.com

Departure

The managers and coaches should confirm to the tournament office their flights details as early as possible (but not later than Saturday 9 May). If not confirmed there will be no transportation arranged. All teams should inform the tournament office about their flight details as early as possible. Players/team managers should ensure that all outstanding charges have been cleared with the hotels prior to their departure

National flags

Please confirm to the tournament office that you brought your national flag at the team managers meeting at 8.00 PM on 6 May, which may be required for ceremonial use

Official tournament clock

The official tournament clock at Squash Club is located in the tournament office.

Check In – Teams Event

All participants, officials, etc. Have to come to Camping Mas Sant Josep first. You only will receive your bungalow keys after checking in at our tournament office al Camping Mass ant Josep in the lobby which will be open on 6 may 2009 from 9.00 Hrs to 23.00 Hrs. The team managers have to present official documents to the Championships director which prove the name nationality and date of birth of all nominated players.

Changing Facilities

The changing rooms (men and women) are near squash courts.