

**NB! Pls notice the change in schedule on October 9.-11.**

**European Draughts Confederation**

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## VIII EUROPEAN WOMEN CHAMPIONSHIP

### Basic information

Tournament will be played in Tallinn, Estonia from 7th to 14th of October 2014.

There will be European Blitz Championship on 6th of October 2014.

Venue: Hotel Euroopa, Paadi Str 5 **and Chess House (Vene 29)**

Opening ceremony will be held on 7th of October 2014 at 11.00 at Tallinn Town Hall.

Each European Federation - FMJD member - can delegate their players to participate in this Championship. There is no limit number of players from one federation.

Applications with the list of players should be sent to EDC e-mail [registration@europedraughts.org](mailto:registration@europedraughts.org) before 1st of September 2014. Applications only from federations.

EC 2014 is qualification tournament to World Championship 2015, according to FMJD rules.

EDC has the right to invite some players from new European countries (never been members of FMJD).

### Tournament

1. Time control is 1.20 + 1 min. per move (Fisher system).
2. Tournament will be played in 9 rounds Swiss system
3. In settling places, FMJD rules applying to Swiss system tournaments apply (barrages will not be played).

There will also be team classification:

- a. Only federations with 2 players in tournament may take part in it.
- b. 1st place in tournament - 1 point, 11nd - 2 points and so on.
- c. The lowest number of points decides, if equal higher place of best player decides.
- d. Federations with more than 2 players have to announce before 1st round which 2 players play for teams classification.

### Time schedule

**October, 7**

Arrival day

Opening ceremony at 11.00 at Tallinn Town Hall

Registration at 13.00-15.00 at the hotel Europa

Round I at 15.30

**October, 8**

Round II at 10:00

Round III at 16:00

**October, 9**

Round IV at 10:00

**October, 10 (playing in Chess House, Vene 29)**

Round V at 10:00

Round VI at 16:00

**October, 11**

Round VII at 10:00

**October, 12**

Round VIII at 10:00

**October, 13**

Round IX at 10:00

Closing ceremony at 16:00

**October, 14**

Departure

**Fees**

4. Entrance fee is for all players 50 eur - the national federations subscribe all players.

5. Paying fee it is federation's duty, so amount of fee from Federations will be counted not on basis of players present in Tallinn, but based on number of players in applications.

6. In case of extraordinary situation, a federation should inform EDC in written form about resignation of player(s). Only in this case fee can be reduced:

a. 100% if resignation before September 15th, 2014.

b. 50% if resignation before October 1st, 2014.

c. 0% if resignation after October 1st, 2014 (it means that it should be paid fully)

Inscription fees has to be paid before the beginning of the Championship on the account of the Eesti Kabeliit/Estonian Draughts Federation at latest September, 15.\*

\* Please follow the instructions for making a bank transfer:

**Beneficiary: Eesti Kabeliit/ Estonian Draughts Federation**

**Address: Vene 29, Tallinn 10123, Estonia**

**Bank: SEB**

**Bank's address: Tornimäe 2, Tallinn, Estonia**

**BIC (Swift code): EEUHEE2X**

**IBAN account no: EE441010220082550018**

Fees can be paid in cash before opening ceremony, but in this case the fee is 60 eur.

## **Hospitality**

7. The organization pays costs for hotel and meal (except entrance fee, mandatory to pay for everyone) for the actual European Champion Zoja Golubeva.

The organization pays costs for hotel and meals for champion from each Federation. EDF will pay the costs only for champion of countries in main championship in case of members of FMJD, have no debts and have organized national championships.

The name of this player should be clearly announced in application. If not, then there is no free place for this federation.

The organizers pays costs for champions from October, 7 (lunch) to October 14 (breakfast).

In the hotel are the places for the players free of hospitality costs in 2 person rooms (in hotel Europa <http://www.euroopa.ee/> ). Being alone must pay an additional fee 30 eur/day.

8. For all other players and guest, it is up to them to decide where they like to stay. It

should be arranged with organisers. We offer accommodation at :

- Hotel Europa <http://www.euroopa.ee/> double room per night € 75, a single room per night € 70, rates includes breakfast
- Center Hotel <http://centerhotel.ee/> single room per night € 24, standard twin room per night € 32, triple room per night € 40, quadruple per night € 45, rates includes breakfast

About documents needed for visa and hotel reservation please contact:

Aare Harak [aare.harak@kabeliit.ee](mailto:aare.harak@kabeliit.ee)

Krista Pahapill [krista.pahapill@gmail.com](mailto:krista.pahapill@gmail.com)

Deadline for documents request: 1st September 2014.

## **Prizes**

9. The prize fund will be announced later in EDC website.

10. Exact prizes will be announced after 1st round.

## **Various**

11. All FMJD annexes about games, competitions, Swiss system, etc. are obligated.

12. The main referee is determined by EDC.

13. "Jurry de Appelle" will be announced before 1st round. Only written protests in English will be accepted by this Jury. The decision of the JURY is the FINAL decision.