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European Rapid Championship 2014

Regulation

1. Place and terms

The 2nd European Rapid Championship will take place in the Aula of Tyrsuv dum, Ujezd 40, Praha 1, Czech Republic on June 7, 2014. See interactive map (-) button to zoom out :

http://www.mapy.cz/s/7cxz

2. General rules

There are two separate tournaments (for men and women) that will be played. In any cases, didn't mention in these regulations – FMJD rules decide (Annex VI has the advantage).

European Rapid Championship, schedule:
– participation/arrival confirming by mail till June 6.
Saturday 7th June 2014
09:00 - 09:45 – Registration (checking players lists till 9:30, and pairing).
10:00 - 13:30 – Rounds 1-4 EC rapid M/W
14:30 - 18:30 – Rounds 5-9 EC rapid M/W
19:00 – Closing ceremony

3. System of competitions

Tournaments will be played in Swiss system, 9 rounds.

Only in case of all criteria of challengers for champion's title will be an equal, barrage should be played (2 games with the time control 5' + 3" per move (Fisher system) and if champion will not specified, then – games with time control 3' + 2" per move till the first winning).

There will be also the National team classification. National teams (teams of the national federations) results determine on the basis of individual results of players, who represent this national federation. The men team consists of 3 players and women team of 2 players.

4. Time control

European Rapid Championship will be played with the time control 15' + 5" per move (Fisher system).

5. The draw agreement

The 40 moves rule is not valid. The players may agree upon a draw only if the number of men for each player is 10 or less.

6. Rights of the players

Any player wishing to call the referee for assistance has the right to stop the clocks while his complaint is being considered (contrary to Annex III article 4.4).

Any player who wishes to claim a regulation draw (see Annex I article 6) may do so. The referee will decide if the claim is correct and if so he will end the game.

7. Rights and duties of the referee

If the playing time is expired, the referee will end the game declaring the game lost for the player who exceeded the allotted time. Players see to the playing time expiration by themselves.

8.Chief referee is Jacek Pawlicki. Pairing and organization Lumir Gatnar.

9. Participation fee 40€ or 20€ (youth aged up to 19).

Participation fees has to be paid before the beginning of the Championship on the account of the European Draughts Confederation at latest May 15.

Please follow the instructions for making a bank transfer:

Beneficary: 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: EE44101022008 2550018

Fees can be paid in cash before opening ceremony, but in this case the fee is higher, 50€ or 25€(youth) respectively.

10. Price money: at least 50% of inscription.

11. For thus who need visa, please contact: Mr. Lumir Gatnar <lumir.gatnar@seznam.cz> not later than on April 10. Spare contact: damweb@email.cz

12. Applications only from National Federations should be send to EDC office

registration@europedraughts.org and with CC to lumir.gatnar@seznam.cz

Deadline for applications May 20, 2014.

13. Hospitality

Contact Mr. Lumir Gatnar <lumir.gatnar@seznam.cz> as soon as possible, not later than May 15. Spare contact: damweb@email.cz.

Price level of available accommodation in Prague is raising with approaching summer.

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