

Open European Championships Frisian Draughts Amsterdam 19 - 22 October 2017

First Open European Championships Frisian Draughts

Amsterdam, 19-22 October 2017

The World Championships Frisian Draughts project has started!

One of the main components of the Leeuwarden-Fryslân Cultural Capital of Europe 2018 cultural event will be the World Championships Frisian Draughts, to be held in the city of Leeuwarden from 3-10 August 2018. In eight local qualifying rounds, sixteen star players will be able to qualify for the World Championships. The First Open European Championships Frisian Draughts will be held in Amsterdam from 19-22 October 2017. This constitutes the first qualifying round for the World Championships.

Tournament information:

Number of participants:	A maximum of 24. The 8 players from the champions league of the Dambond Fries Spel will play their own local qualifying rounds and are therefore excluded from these European Championships.
Number of qualifiers:	2
Location:	Tall Ship Artemis, DSM Pier
Stakes:	€ 75 (including three lunches on board the ship)
Prizemoney:	€ 3,000 (with 24 participants)
Tournament type:	8 rounds Swiss
Time control:	40 minutes + 20 seconds per move (Fischer)
Registration:	before 1 October 2018, info@frisiandraughts.com

All matches will be streamed on a worldwide livestream. It will be possible to spend the night on board.

Schedule:

Thursday 19 October

- 15.00 Masterclass and meeting with members of the press
- 18.00 Dinner 20.00 Welcome, introduction and draw
- 20.30 Live music (Brazilian combo)

Friday 20 October

- 10.00 Round 1
- 12.30 Round 2
- 15.00 Round 3

Saturday 21 October

- 10.00 Round 4
- 12.30 Round 5
- 15.00 Round 6

Sunday 22 October

- 10.00 Round 7
- 12.30 Round 8
- 16.00 Award ceremony

Information and livestream: www.frisiandraughts.com

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Leeuwarden 3 - 10 August 2018

