



19th EUROPEAN CHAMPIONSHIP VETERANS

Nof Hagalil Nazareth, Israel

September 06th – 15th 2020

1. General information

The organization of the European Championship Veterans 2020 has been allotted by the EDC to the *Israel Draughts Federation*.

The championship will be held on September, 06th – 15th 2020 (arriving day September 06th; departure September, 14th – 15th) in *Nof Hagalil (Nazareth – Ilit)*.

Official hotel: *Hotel "Plaza"(5*****)*.

Official website: www.europedraughts.org

2. Schedule

06.09.2020 Arriving day	11.09.2020 Free excursion
07.09.2020 10:00 Blitz	12.09.2020 10.00 7 th round
16:00 Opening Ceremony	16.00 8 th round
17.00 1 st round	13.09.2020 10.00 9 th round
08.09.2020 10.00 2 nd round	17:00 Closing ceremony
16.00 3 rd round	14.09.2020 10:00 Rapid
09.09.2020 10.00 4 th round	14-15.09.2020 Departure
10.09.2020 10.00 5 th round	
16.00 6 th round	

3. Participants and categories

The European Championship Veteran is reserved to player who were born on 1970 or earlier. There are planned three age groups for men: > 50 +; > 60 +; >70 + and one group for women.

4. Referee

The tournament will be supervised by a main referee nominated by EDC.

5. Prizes

In the classic tournament 50% of fees will be used as prize money.

In the blitz and rapid tournaments 100% of the fees will be used as prize money.

Details about exact dividing of it will be announced to the public before the 2nd round.

The players of general group (among men and women) finishing in the first three places will receive official medals and diplomas of European Championship.

The players of each age group finishing in the first three places will receive special prizes and diplomas.

6. Hospitality and hotel prices

Official hotel: "Plaza" v Nof Hagalil (5*****).

All costs for travel, accommodation and visa expenses for players and accompanying persons have to be paid by their national federations or by themselves.

The following winners of last year get hotel (whole period) and meals for free in a double room: Veterans winner, Veterans winner women, Veterans winner category 60+ and Veterans winner category 70+.

Prices (hotel + breakfast) for guests who send a reservation to the organization (*Mr. Gantman*) before July 31st:

- Per person in a *double room* 55 € per day. Optional dinner per day 15 €;
- Per person in a *triple room* 52 € per day. Optional dinner per day 13 €.

Reservations and/or questions contact: **Alexander Gantman**

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7. Applications

Application must be sent from the national federation to:

- EDC office registration@europedraughts.org;
- Jan Ziolkowski Ziolkowski@t-online.de.

The deadline to send applications to EDC is 5th August 2020.

There are no limits in applications from one federation.

8. Visa requests

About documents needed for visa please contact sasha412@gmail.com

9. Jury d'Appel

A Jury d'Appel (appeal board) will be nominated by EDC President and announced to everyone before 1st round.

10. Participation fee

The participation fee is:

- 40 € classic championship;
- 10 € blitz championship;
- 10 € rapid championship.

For players who do not use official hotel Participation fee for the main tournament is 90 €.

Fees can be paid in cash before opening ceremony.

11. Technical details

The tournament will be played in 9 rounds - Swiss system on rating. Number of rounds could be changed according to the number of participants by main referee, in consultation with EDC and organizers.

The time control 1.20 + 1" (Fisher system) will be used and the final classification will be determinate based on FMJD rules applied to Swiss system (barrages will not be played).

12. How to get in Nof Hagalil

Arrival airport *Tel – aviv* Airport *Ben-Gurion* then train from the airport to *Lev a Mifraz (Haifa)* then Bus n. 342 to *Nof Hagalil (Nazareth – Ilit) - Hotel" Plaza"*

Carlo Bordini

European Draughts Confederation President

Jan Ziolkowski

Responsible person for EDC Veteran Championship