

# EUROPEAN CHAMPIONS LEAGUE 2023

## General Provisions

### **A. Main approach**

1. Events: 10m Air Rifle/Air Pistol, Trap and Skeet.
2. Type of competitions: Team.
3. Stages: Semifinal stage (on the 1<sup>st</sup> competition day) and Medal Match stage (on the 2<sup>nd</sup> day).
4. Composition of each Team: 2 Men and 2 Women in each event from the same Nation.

### **B. Team Composition and Provisions for 2023**

1. The Tournament will be composed of the three (3) highest ranking national teams, in each event, as per European Ranking at the end of the qualifying period of the year (after the ECH Shotgun in Osijek in Trap/Skeet and after the ISSF World Cup in Rio de Janeiro in AR/AP) plus the national team of the nation hosting the Tournament (total four (4) national teams).
2. The European Team Ranking will be formed by the addition of the ranking points of the top two (2) highest ranked Men and the top two (2) highest ranked Women of each nation. Each national team will be composed of 2 Men & 2 Women in each event.
3. In case of equal ranking points, to decide the 3 or 4 teams, then the selected national team(s) will be decided on the basis of the addition of the ranking points of the highest ranked Man and the highest ranked Woman of each tied team (if still a tie, then the 2<sup>nd</sup> highest ranked M and Woman will be considered and so on).
4. In case the hosting nation is in the top 3 nations then the 4<sup>th</sup> nation in the European ranking will be selected.

### **C. Format of the Competitions**

1. The competitions will be conducted in the form of individual duels in each event between the 4 members of each Team. In the SF stage the duels will be decided on the basis of the European Team ranking. The 1<sup>st</sup> team will compete against the 4<sup>th</sup> team and the 2<sup>nd</sup> team will compete against the 3<sup>rd</sup> team. After the SF stage the winning teams will compete in the GMM and the losing teams in the BMM.
  - Man 1 of Team A vs Man 1 of Team B;
  - Man 2 of Team A vs Man 2 of Team B;
  - Woman 1 of Team A vs Woman 1 of Team B;
  - Woman 2 of Team A vs Woman 2 of Team B;

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2. To win the Match a Team must secure 3 duels (3 points). In case of a tie (2-2) after the 4 duels, the winning team will be decided by a Mixed Team duel.
3. Format of the duels: Point system competitions.
  - 10m AR/AP – till 16 points.
  - In Trap/Skeet – till 6 points (Trap: series of 5 targets, Skeet: doubles on each station).

### **D. Schedule of the Tournament:**

- Day 1 – arrivals, training, opening
- Day 2 – semifinals
- Day 3 – Bronze Medal Match, Gold/Silver Medal Match
- Day 4 – departures

### **E. Dates of the competitions in 2023**

- Trap/Skeet – Osijek, 12<sup>th</sup>-15<sup>th</sup> October, 2023
- AR/AP – Budapest, 2<sup>nd</sup>-5<sup>th</sup> November, 2023

### **F. Financial Arrangements**

1. Each participating Member Federation, in each event, will receive a grant in the amount of 10.000 (ten thousand) Euro to prepare and send its Team(s) to the Tournament.
2. Each Team in each event will be allocated in the official hotel, three (3) rooms free of charge for accommodating its athletes and official(s) for three nights (full board).
3. Prize money in each event (paid to the Member Federations):
  - 1<sup>st</sup> place – 10.000 (ten thousand) Euro
  - 2<sup>nd</sup> place – 7.500 (seven thousand five hundred) Euro
  - 3<sup>rd</sup> place – 5.000 (five thousand) Euro
  - 4<sup>th</sup> place – 2.500 (two thousand five hundred) Euro