

Newsletter



19th EUROPEAN COMPANY
SPORT GAMES
Prague 2013

May 2013

Football – the biggest sport in our Games



We can expect an amazing number of football players in our Games – more than 1400. We have already assigned each football category (11, 7, 5) to the football centres - [have a look here](#) to see where your matches will take place.

In the new centre for football 5 - Mikulovka there is one of the best synthetic grass in Prague. Also the location is great because it's only about 300m from the metro station Opatov.

Bowling – the second biggest sport in our games

We are proud to say that we have more than 700 participants in bowling. We have even more teams than we expected (70 players more than Hamburg) so we have rented one more place ([Celnice](#)). On the other side we had to cancel Radava centre. We heard rumours that lately there have been some technical problems during the games and therefore we rented [Dejvice centre](#) and Zizkov centre instead of Radava. These centres has 6 lanes only but we hope you will appreciate better quality of the sport facilities.



New sport centre in badminton



We have to admit that we didn't expect so big interest in our Games and this amazing number of participants. Because we have about 100 more badminton players than Hamburg we had to rent one more centre for this sport – [Hamr Sterboholy](#). In this sport centre will be played the matches in over 40 category.

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Petanque – the biggest tournament in the middle Europe

We have in petanque more than 300 players now and we are proud to say that in the middle Europe there haven't been a bigger tournament yet. The tournament will take place in a gorgeous area in [Troja Palace](#) and the finals will be held in [Letna Palace](#). On our websites you can see many photos from petanque tournaments and you can find there a virtual tour as well. Both palaces are close to the Meeting Point.



Cycling

If you plan using our transport from metro stations Dejvicka (Friday), Letnany (Thursday) to the Hrebec (Friday) and Predboj (Thursday) by bus with a trailer, please be so kind and make a reservation. zizka@ecsg2013.eu

Golf

I hope that everyone got an email about necessity of adding additional information (handicap, year of birth, transport). Please reply asap. zizka@ecsg2013.eu

Chess

Please send us your actual ELO or a national coefficient (if you have), it will help us make a better placing into first round of chess tournament. zizka@ecsg2013.eu



Track and field

In the timetable of disciplines was made a little change: Shot put (women) was move from Friday to Thursday. The whole timetable will be soon on website.

Prague by all your senses - Inspira



Are you tired of classic city tours? Do you want to enjoy different kind of sightseeing? In case you are fond of interactive programmes, we would like to offer you our programme "Prague by all your senses". As the name suggests, you will have to use all your senses to discover Prague and its beauties. With a guidance of our professional

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tour guides, you will have a chance to taste typical Czech beverages, smell to some examples of Czech cuisine, you will use your touch, sight and hearing to experience the real Czech Republic. Try this interactive programme and enjoy a playful morning or afternoon. The programme can take place either in the area of the OldTown, with visits to the hot spots of the quarter, or in the area of Prague Castle, where the Strahov Brewery, the famous Loretto or the Castle itself will help to form a nice, picturesque atmosphere. Like it? Then go to the website of ECSG and click on the “Prague by all your Senses” on the very left side of the menu. Both districts – Prague Castle surroundings and district of Old Town – are available.



Some important things about registration:

Arrivals and departures enrollment in your registration



Forms are ready! You will have more than two weeks to fill in your date and time of the arrival or departure. Please do that so we can know when you will come to Prague, especially if you order transfer from airport/bus station/train station. On Sunday 05/19/2013 will end all the changes of the registration form. From that date the team leader will gather all the changes and he will bring it in printed form to the accreditation on 06/19/2013. You will

still see all your registration data in the form, but you will have not possibility to modify them. We will also add possibility of printing the whole registration form. If you have made any changes in the registration form in these days, is better to let us now by email (<mailto:strbikova@ecsg2013.eu>, <mailto:svec@ecsg2013.eu>), so we will process them sooner then we just find out in the registrations. Refund of the money will be in the May for all participants, we don't want to send back money and the other week receive them and feed banks with their fees, so we will refund everything at the same time. On our website you can also find new information about Accreditation and the [Meeting point – Industrial Palace](#). There will be soon filled in program of all evening events and dinners as well as map of the inside the Industrial Palace.

Transports Airport-Hotel

We are still offering you transport from airport/station to the hotel and back (one way/one person - 9 EUR), you can fill how many transports you need in the registration form, where you can also fill in dates and times of your arrival/departure. ATTENTION: Most of the teams who already have



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transportation in their registration want only one way from airport/station to the hotel, not back for departure - if you want also transport to the airport/station you must double your numbers in the registration and you will pay 9 EUR more!

For everyone

Check our website, we are adding lists of athletes for all sports and schedule everyday.

The Prague towers

To make your stay in Prague as pleasant as possible we decided to add a new funny discipline.



In cooperation with the capital city of Prague, association Eternal Prague and enthusiasts from VIPrahla we'll organise for you an orientation adventurous game - The Prague towers. It will take place on Saturday and you can apply for it on ECSG web, our information centre in the meeting point or directly at the start (there is limited quantity and without guarantee).

The aim of this event is to show our participants an amusing way the beauties of Prague. The price for participation is already included in the ECSG fee. More detailed information on [the website](#). To have better idea we enclose the map from 2012 (click on the picture). Some of the controls will be changed but some of them will remain... :)

Have a great day!

Your Prague's crew

P.S. Can you find our crew in the pictures? :)

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