

**CHILDREN'S GAMES** 



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# GENERAL TECHNICAL RULES

#### 1. TIME AND DURATION

The 51st International Children's Games will take place from July 4th to 9th, 2017 in Kaunas City, Republic of Lithuania.

#### 2. PROGRAMME

The programme of the 51st International Children's Games includes the following disciplines:

#### 2.1.SUMMER SPORTS

- TEAM SPORTS: Basketball 3 on 3, Football (Soccer), Beach Volleyball.
- INDIVIDUAL SPORTS: Athletics -Track & Field, Judo, Sailing, Swimming, Table Tennis.

# 3. PARTICIPANTS (Athletes: up to 18)

• The participants must have a minimum age of 12 years, and maximum age of

15 years. Must be students (male of female) under the age of 16 (age limit effective as of 31.12 in the year of the Children's Games), but older than 12 years (age limit effective as 01.01 in the year of the Children's Games).

# 4. IDENTITY CARD, CONTROL AND SANCTIONS

- All participants of the Games (athletes, coaches, other participants) need to have identification cards, made by the organizer of the Games. The ID card has to include the Participant's photo, sports, the First and last name, City and Country.
- The Head of the Delegation is obliged to give the accurate data for the ID cards.
- The Head of the Delegation needs to assure the insight into the legal documents of the participants in the case of any complaint, therefore it

- is advisable to bring the copy of the documents to the Games.
- In the case of fraud, the City will be obliged to pay all penalty expenses and fines imposed by the Executive Committee of ICG.
- The Referee of appointed discipline as well as the Head of Competition must inspect the athlete's ID card before commencing the competition.

# 5. TECHNICAL MEETINGS

- Joint technical meeting for all disciplines will take place at Athletes' Campus (accommodation site) on 5<sup>th</sup> July, 2017 at 7.30 a.m. At the meeting the Heads of Competition and the members of ICG TC will take part.
- The technical meetings of individual disciplines are summoned at Athletes' Campus (accommodation site) on 5th July, 2017 at 8.00 a.m. At the meetings the Heads of Competition and the members of ICG TC as well as the coaches will take part.

# 6. AUTHORITY AND JURISDICTION

- A Head of Delegation may file a sport protest. To do so they will follow the Sport Protest procedure for the International Children's Games.
- All sport protests will be heard and either denied or investigated by the ICG Protest Committee.
- All decisions by the Protest Committee are final and binding.

- Sport protests must be initiated, in writing, by the city's Head of Delegation 30 minutes after the occurrence which is the subject of the protest. The protest must provide the details necessary for the Committee's review and should be submitted to the Head Referee for each sport or anyone of the Protest Committee members.
- All protests require a 100 Euros (or equivalent other currency) protest fee to be paid to the ICG before a protest will be heard. Only one protest by a city's Head of Delegation can be filed per sport incident.
- If the Head of Delegation refuses, or is unable to submit a protest in writing, the Protest Committee may exercise its discretion and investigate the protest.
- Subject to any limits imposed either by law or by this procedure, information (whether oral or written) which is created, gathered, received, or compiled through the course of an investigation will be treated as confidential by all involved in the investigation and adjudication of the protest.

#### 7. OTHERS

 No changes can be made to any part of the ICG THs without the consent of the Technical Commission.





# **ATHLETICS** Track & Field

Date of competition: 6-8th July, 2017

Venue:

Stadium of S. Darius and S. Girėnas Sports Centre, Perkūno ave. 5, LT-44221 Kaunas



All athletes must show their accreditation cards with a photo – without this card an athlete cannot compete.

#### **COMPETITION RULES**

- Each city may register a maximum number of 8 girls and 8 boys (16) and a minimum of 2 girls and 2 boys (4).
- Maximum 2 athletes from each team are allowed to participate in one event.
- Each athlete may compete in two events and in the 4 x 100m Relay.
- Girls running 800m and boys running 1500m are not allowed to compete in any other discipline the same day of their middle distance competition.
- Athletics events: 100m, 400m, 800m (girls only), 1500m (boys only), long jump, high jump, shot put, 4x100m relay.
- Number of coaches: one coach per team. If a team of Track and Field Athletics consists of 10 and more athletes, two coaches are allowed. In this case, the total number of coaches per city should not exceed the maximum number allowed (4 coaches per city)
- Personal best performance from each athlete will be required during registration for seeding purposes.

 Uniforms: Athletes must wear the uniform of their city.

Competition numbers will be given to Team Managers/Coaches, who will be responsible for issuing bib numbers to all athletes in their team. The competition numbers must be worn firmly attached to the front and the back of the uniform with no less than four (4) pins so that the entire number and logo can be easily seen. No part of the number can be folded.

- Hip numbers will be provided by an official at the start of events requiring them.
- If an athlete fails to scratch from an event after confirmation, she/he may not be permitted to compete in any other event in the Games including relays (See IAAF Rule 142.4).
- The competition will take place according to IAAF Rules and ICG Rules.



#### **CALL ROOM**

- · There will be a call room in operation.
- All athletes must report to the call room on time with their competition numbers attached to their uniform.
- In the call room athletes will be expected to demonstrate that their competition uniform, singlet and numbers, shoes and other equipment comply with the completion rules.
- Please do not take unnecessary items into the call room like mobile phones, ipods etc. as they will be confiscated.
- Athletes will proceed to the start of their event from the call room ACCOMPANIED BY A CALL ROOM JUDGE OR FIELD EVENT OFFICIAL. Athletes who proceed to the event not accompanied by a judge or official may not be allowed to start.
- The closing Call Entry Times at the call room are: (prior to scheduled event starting times).
  - · Jumping and throwing events: 40 min.
  - · Running events: 30 min.
- The composition of a team and the order of running for a relay shall be officially declared 90 min prior to relay scheduled event starting times.
- This time allows for marshaling and movements to the competition site. The remainder of the time may be used to

- complete the warm up at the competition site where the competition site is not in use (under supervision of the officials).
- If an athlete is already, or is likely to be, competing in another event at the designated call time, the athlete or his/her team official must notify the Call Room of this circumstance prior to the designated call time.
- Athletes who will fail to be at the call room on time will be suspended!
- Warm up: Athletes may warm up in the designated area.
- Starting Blocks: must be used by all athletes in the 100m, 400m and relay. These will be supplied by the venue. No private blocks will be permitted.
- False start: Each athlete responsible for a false start will be disqualified (IAAF 162.7).
- Shoes: The sole and heel of the shoe may be constructed so that they can accommodate up to 11 spikes. Any number of spikes between 0 and 11 may be used, but the number of spike positions cannot exceed 11. The protecting portion of the spike should not be longer than 9 mm. Exception is high Jump, where the length of more than 12 mm is not allowed. The spike point must be so designed, that at least half of the length measured from the tip of the spike, fits into a square mold with straight sides of 4 mm.

#### QUALIFICATION

#### 100m:

- Qualification: 24 runners will advance to the semi-final. Advancement procedures will be set upon receipt of final entries.
- Semi-final: 3 heats, the first two places from each heat, and the two fastest runners will progress to the A final, and the second eight fastest runners will progress to the B final.
- MEDALS WILL BE GIVEN ONLY IN THE A FINAL.

#### 400m:

- Qualification: 24 runners will advance to the semi-final. Advancement procedures will be set upon receipt of final entries.
- Semi-final: 3 heats, the first two places from each heat, and the two fastest runners will progress to the A final, and the second eight fastest runners will progress to the B final.
- If the total number of athletes participating in 400 m event is less than 32, no semifinals will be organized and the athletes will advance directly to A and B finals.
- MEDALS WILL BE GIVEN ONLY IN THE A FINAL.

#### 800m (girls only):

- Qualification: 8 fastest girls will advance to the A final. The next 8 fastest runners will progress to the B final.
- Girls participating in the 800m run are not entitled to participate in another event on the same day.
- MEDALS WILL BE GIVEN ONLY IN THE A FINAL.

#### 1500m (boys only):

- Qualification: 12 fastest boys will advance to the A final. The next 12 fastest runners will progress to the B final.
- Boys participating in the 1500m run are not entitled to participate in another event on the same day.
- MEDALS WILL BE GIVEN ONLY IN THE A FINAL.

#### Long Jump:

- Qualification standard: Girls 5.00m, Boys 5.80m.
- Qualification: each athlete has three attempts. All competitors who reach or exceed the qualification standard will progress to the final. If less than 12 athletes reach the qualification standard, the 12 best performances of qualification groups will progress to the final.
- Final: the best 8 athletes after three attempts will have three further attempts.

#### **High Jump:**

- Qualification standard: Girls 1.55 m, Boys 1.65 m.
- Qualification: All the competitors who will clear the above-mentioned qualifying standard reach the final. If less than 12 competitors jump the standard, the next best athletes in order will progress to the final (until number of 12 competitors is reached).
- The heights for the qualifications:
   Girls: 1.30, 1.35, 1.40, 1.45, 1.50, 1.55
   Boys: 1.45, 1.50, 1.55, 1.60, 1.65
- The heights for the final:
   Girls: 1.40, 1.45, 1.50, 1.55, +3 cm
   Boys: 1.55, 1.60, 1.65, 1.70, 1.75, +3cm

#### **Shot Put:**

- The shot weights are: Boys: 5 kg Girls: 3 kg
- Shots will be provided by the organizers. For athletes wishing to use their own shot, the implement must be lodged with the Technical Manager at the equipment room by 9:00am on the day of competition in which your event is to be held. The implements will be impounded until after the competition when athletes may collect them from the equipment room. Any competitor may use all implements in the pool.
- Qualification standard: Girls 10.00m, Boys 12.00m

- Qualification: each athlete has three attempts. All competitors who reach or exceed the qualification standard will progress to the final. If less than 12 athletes reach the qualification standard, the 12 best performances of qualification groups will progress to the final.
- Final: the best 8 athletes after three attempts will have three further attempts.

#### 4x100m RELAY:

- Qualification: 24 teams will advance to the semi-final. Advancement procedures will be set upon receipt of final entries.
- Semi-final: 3 heats, the first two places from each heat, and the two fastest runners will progress to the A final, and the second eight fastest runners will progress to the B final.
- MEDALS WILL BE GIVEN ONLY IN THE A FINAL.

#### **DISPUTES**

- Any disputes will be resolved in compliance with IAAF rules and the clauses included in the ICG Sports Rules.
- Any disputes will be heard by the Protest Committee.
- Protests must be lodged initially with the Referee at the event as per IAAF rules. Appeals to the Jury are to be made in writing, signed by a responsible official on behalf of the athlete and submitted within 30 minutes after the official announcement of the decision made by the referee and lodged with a deposit of USD 100, not returned if the protest is unsuccessful.

#### **DISCIPLINARY RULES**

- The ICG Code of Conduct must be adhered to at all times. Athletes and coaches will be excluded from the Games for indecent behavior, offence made through words and/ or actions, violent behavior, and abusive language.
- All delegations have to comply with any instruction given by the venue staff.
- Coaches are responsible for the well-being and behavior of their athletes at all times.

#### PRESENTATION OF MEDALS

 The following Medals will be awarded: GOLD - for individuals and relay teams ranking first place in the competition SILVER - for individuals and relay teams ranking second place in the competition BRONZE - for individuals and relay teams ranking third place in the competition

- Medals will only be awarded to the first three athletes/teams in the A Finals.
- Medal presentations will be made at designated times as per schedule. Athletes must wear their competition uniform or team tracksuit for the ceremony. Team coaches are requested to assist in ensuring athletes are readily available and correctly dressed.

#### PRE COMPETITION TRAINING

Training schedule will be posted on the website by 1st July, 2017.

Pre-competition training is foreseen on 5th July, 2017.

#### **MEDICAL**

A First Aid Service will be available on site.

Full Medical Service will be available at the Department of Emergency Medicine of the Hospital of Lithuanian University of Health Sciences (Kauno klinikos). Address: Eivenių str. 2. LT-50009 Kaunas.

In case of infectious decease, medical service will be provided at the Clinic of Infectious Deceases of Kaunas Clinical Hospital. Address: Baltijos str. 120, LT-47116 Kaunas.

#### **TECHNICAL MEETING**

The technical meeting will be held at Athletes' Campus (room No. tbc) on 5th July, 2017 at 8 a.m.

#### INDIVIDUAL SPORTS



## **JUDO**

Date of competition: 6-7th July, 2017.

Venue: Track and Field Athletics Hall, Aušros str. 42A, LT-44158 Kaunas

#### **IDENTIFICATION**

All athletes must show their accreditation cards with a photo – without this card an athlete cannot compete.

#### **COMPETITION SYSTEM**

The tournament will be played in a round-robin system.

3 participants: the judoka will fight a double round-robin;

- 4-7 participants: the judoka will fight a single round-robin.
- 8 or more participants: the judoka will be split in two pools, the number one and two in each pool qualifies for the semi-final. The winners of the semi-final qualify for the final, the losers of the semi-final will fight for the bronze medal.

#### **COMPETITION RULES**

- A city enters a maximum of 3 boys and 3 girls, a minimum of 1 boy and 1 girl.
- Per team only one athlete may compete in a particular weight class.
- There is one coach for all delegate Judo athletes.
- Weight classes may be combined if there is a shortage of participants in certain weight
- All athletes must be able to show their identification card. When unable to show the identification card, participation is not possible.
- Shime-waza or kansetsu-waza are not permitted.
- The rules of the International Judo Federation (IJF) are leading in the competition
- The tournament will be played on the basis of knock-out.

- The Judo mat consists of a 7x7m combat zone with a safety margin of three meters around it.
- On the day of the training / morning of the race, all athletes are weighed to see if they meet the correct weight.
- Match duration will be three minutes. In case of a draw there will be a golden score without time limit.
- White and blue judogis are required in all categories.

#### Registration and weigh-in

Will take place at the Athletes' Campus (accommodation site), hall No. tbc.

Registration:

5th July, 2017 at 9.00-10.30 a.m.

Unofficial weigh-in:

5th July, 2017 at 9.00 - 10.30 a.m.

Official weigh-in:

5th July, 2017 at 10.30 - 11.30 a.m.

The registrations and weight controls will only be conducted during the above mentioned hours, so please come in time! The draw will be held after weigh-in.

#### DISPUTES

Any disputes will be resolved in compliance with IFJ rules and the clauses included in the ICG Sports Rules. Any disputes will be heard by the Protest Committee.



#### **DISCIPLINARY RULES**

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- All the delegations have to comply with any instruction made by the venue staff.
- Coaches are responsible for the well-being and behaviour of their athletes at all times.

#### PRESENTATION OF MEDALS

 The following Medals will be awarded: GOLD - for athletes ranking first in the competition

SILVER - for athletes ranking second in the competition

BRONZE - for athletes ranking third in the competition. In categories with more than one pool will have 2 Bronze Medals

 Medalists should be present at the ceremony and must wear their team uniform.

### WEIGHT CATEGORIES

#### **Girls**

Weights: -33 kg, -36 kg, -40kg, -44kg, -48 kg, -52 kg, -57 kg, -63 kg, -70 kg, +70kg

#### Boys

Weights: -36 kg, -40, kg, -45 kg, -50kg, -55kg, -60 kg, -66 kg, -73 kg, -81 kg, +81 kg

#### TRAINING SCHEDULE

Training schedule will be posted on the website by 1st July, 2017.

Pre-competition training is foreseen on 5<sup>th</sup> July, 2017.

#### MEDICAL

A First Aid Service will be available on site.

Full Medical Service will be available at the Department of Emergency Medicine of the Hospital of Lithuanian University of Health Sciences (Kauno klinikos). Address: Eivenių str. 2, LT-50009 Kaunas.

In case of infectious decease, medical service will be provided at the Clinic of Infectious Deceases of Kaunas Clinical Hospital.

Address: Baltijos str. 120, LT-47116 Kaunas.

#### **TECHNICAL MEETING**

The Judo Technical Meeting will be held at Athletes' Campus (room No. tbc) on 5th July, 2017 at 8 a.m.

Each participating city may be represented by one official.

The IFJ website www.ijf.org provides a copy of the latest IJF Constitution, Laws and Regulations for competition.

#### RULES OF FAIR PLAY

- · Enjoy yourself.
- · Play within the rules.
- · Respect the referees and umpires.
- Respect the opposition and their supporters.
- · Be gracious winners and dignified losers.
- Play hard BUT fair.



## SAILING

Date of competition: 6-8th July, 2017.

#### Venue:

Kaunas Lagoon Aquatory at Kaunas "Žalgiris Yacht Club" sports base, R. Kalantos str. 124, LT-52332 Kaunas

#### **IDENTIFICATION**

All athletes must show their accreditation cards with a photo – without this card an athlete cannot compete.

#### RULES

The International Children's Games will be governed by the following rules:

- Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS) of the International Sailing Federation, including Appendix C.
- . The Notice of Race, including amendments.
- The Sailing Instructions (available at registration) and any amendments.
- Current Class Rules of IODA.
- · Current Class Rules of ILCA.

#### **ADVERTISING**

The Regatta is designated Category C in accordance with the ISAF Advertising Code. Competitors may be required to display the event sponsor's name(s) and hull numbers. If required, the Organizing Authority will supply these items and they shall be affixed and/or worn as prescribed in the Sailing Instructions.

#### COMPETING CLASSES

The following classes will be competing in ICG games.

- · Optimist Class.
- Laser 4.7 Class.

#### **ELIGIBILITY**

ISAF Eligibility according to Appendix 2 is required for competitors.

#### **ENTRY**

Eligible boats may enter on the official Entry Form, which shall be lodged, with the Organizing Authority or through the official form on the web site: http://icg2017.kaunas.lt/. The pre-entry form shall be received at the entry address no later than 1st December, 2016. The fully completed entry from shall be received at the entry address no later than 1st April, 2017.

#### **ENTRY CONFIRMATION**

- Not more than 10 cities in each class.
- A maximum of 20 sailors (10 boys and 10 girls) are expected at each class competition.
- Each delegation should be composed of a coach and one optimist sailor (boy or girl) and one laser 4.7 sailor (boy or girl).

#### **SAILING INSTRUCTIONS**

Sailing Instructions will be made available on the event website. The Sailing Instructions will also be issued to each team and competitors on completion of registration.



#### **RACE OFFICE**

The race office is situated at the Kaunas "Žalgiris Yacht Club" sports base, R. Kalantos str. 124, LT-52332 Kaunas, and will be open daily from 9:00 a.m. until 2 hours after the last protest of the day.

#### **BOATS AND EQUIPMENT**

- The host city will provide boats for all participants in this event.
- There is no deposit needed to be paid with the registration.
- Charter boats will be allocated by a drawing.
- All boats are available with all the equipment needed.

#### **RACING AREA**

The racing area will be at Kaunas Lagoon Aquatory at Kaunas "Žalgiris Yacht Club" sports base.

#### **COURSES TO BE SAILED**

The courses to be sailed will be Trapezoid as described in the Sailing Instructions.

#### **SAFETY**

#### **Optimist Class**

 In addition to IODA Class Rules 4.2(A) and (B), 4.3(A) and (B), each boat shall have on board a secured paddle and each competitor shall carry a whistle attached to his/her clothing or body.  Competitors not complying with this instruction will be attributed a penalty. Decision will be taken by the jury.

#### Personal Buoyancy

- All competitors shall bring their own personal buoyancy, which must be capable of being fastened at all times whilst afloat. Wet/dry suits do not constitute adequate personal buoyancy.
- The Organizing Authority may control the buoyancy aids by the Measurement officer.

#### SCORING SYSTEM

- The scoring system for the regatta will be in accordance with RRS Appendix A. A total of 3 races are required to be completed to constitute a championship.
- A first discard will be made after 4 races, and a second discard will be made after 8 completed races.

#### NATIONAL JURY

A National Jury will be appointed in accordance with RRS Appendix M and perform the duties listed in rule M2.3.

#### **MEASUREMENT**

- Each boat, where applicable, shall hold a valid measurement certificate.
- For Optimist Class competitors are allowed to use only one hull, dagger board, rudder (with tiller and extension), mast, boom, sprit and sail during the Regatta. This





equipment shall comply with Class Rules and will be submitted for inspection by the Measurement Committee.

- All the Boats may carry national letters and sail numbers in contravention of the Class Rules.
- Substitution of the damaged equipment may be permitted, after approval has been given by the International Jury.

#### DISPUTES

- Any disputes will be resolved in compliance with RRS rules and the clauses included in the.
- ICG Sports Rules. Any disputes will be heard by the Protest Committee.

#### **MEDICAL**

A First Aid Service will be available on site.

Full Medical Service will be available at the Department of Emergency Medicine of the Hospital of Lithuanian University of Health Sciences (*Kauno klinikos*). Address: Eivenių str. 2. LT-50009 Kaunas.

In case of infectious decease, medical service will be provided at the Clinic of Infectious Deceases of Kaunas Clinical Hospital. Address: Baltijos str. 120, LT-47116 Kaunas.

#### **APPEALS**

Any disputes will be settled in compliance with IFJ rules and the clauses included in the ICG Sport Rules. Jury of Appeal consists of Head Referee, ICG Technical Commission member and Technical Director.

#### SUPPORT BOATS

Support boats probable will be supplied for the duration of the regatta. As there are a limited number of boats, they will have to be shared amongst the coaches. There shall be no less than two coaches per boat.

#### PRESENTATION OF MEDALS

 Separate sets of Medals to be awarded for both genders in both classes: Optimist and Laser 4.7.

- The following Medals will be awarded: GOLD – for individual ranking first in the competition
- SILVER for individual ranking second in the competition
- BRONZE for individual ranking third in the competition
- Athletes must wear their competition uniform or team tracksuit for the ceremony.
   Team coaches are requested to assist in ensuring athletes are readily available and correctly dressed.

#### **INSURANCE**

Competitors must carry property and liability insurance covering all risks.

#### LIABILITY

- Participants compete entirely at their own risk and responsibility.
- The Organizing Authority and any other party involved in the organization of the Regatta accepts no liability whatsoever for any injury, damage, loss or claim, whether personal or material, incurred by or inflicted to the participants before, during, or after the Championships.

#### **DISCIPLINARY RULES**

- The ICG Code of Conduct must be adhered to at all times. Athletes and coaches will be excluded from the Games for indecent behaviour, offence made through words and/ or actions, violent behaviour, and abusive language.
- All the delegations have to comply with any instruction made by the venue staff.
- Coaches are responsible for the well-being and behaviour of their athletes at all times.

#### PRE COMPETITION TRAINING

Training schedule will be posted on the website by 1st July, 2017.

Pre-competition training is foreseen on 5th July, 2017



## **SWIMMING**

Date of competition: 6-8th July, 2017. Venue:

Pool "Girstutis", Kovo 11-osios str. 26, LT-51349 Kaunas

#### IDENTIFICATION

All athletes must show their accreditation cards with a photo – without this card an athlete cannot compete.

#### COMPETITION INFORMATION

- Swimmers may compete in 4 events plus 2 relays.
- There will be the following competitions:
   50m, 100m, 200m, 400m Freestyle;

50m, 100m, 200m Backstroke;

50m, 100m, 200m Breaststroke;

50m, 100m, 200m Butterfly;

200m Individual Medley;

4 x100m Freestyle Relay;

4 x100m Medley Relay;

4 x100m Freestyle Medley Relay (2 boys and 2 girls per squad).

- Each City may enter a maximum of 4 boys and 4 girls and minimum 2 boys and 2 girls. (2+0, 2+0, minimum two athletes and one coach).
- Cities can enter a maximum of 2 swimmers per event.
- Swimmers must supply personal best performance times for each event during registration process.
- The pool is an indoor 50m lane facility. The warm-up pool is an indoor 25 m. lane facility. Entertainment zone available.
- Electronic timing and lane display scoreboard will be in use.

- Participant seating will be in the grandstand.
- · One coach per city allowed.
- Swimmers may compete in 6 events including 2 relays.

#### **COMPETITION RULES**

- The meet will take place according to FINA and ICG rules.
- Racing suits are required for all competitors.
   Swimwear must comply with current FINA regulation.
- No dives or jumps are allowed unless in designated lanes opened up by the officials or meet director.
- Athletes will be provided with full pool access for warm up at least 30 minutes prior to the first race commencing.
- A and B Finals will take place in all 50m and 100m events. Medals will only be awarded to the first three athletes/teams in 'A' Finals.

#### DISPUTES

Any disputes will be resolved in compliance with FINA rules and the clauses included in the ICG Sports Rules. Any disputes will be heard by the Protest Committee.





# TABLE TENNIS

Date of competition: 6-7th July, 2017

Venue:

Lithuanian Sports University, Basketball Hall, Sporto str. 6, LT-44221 Kaunas

#### **DISCIPLINARY RULES**

- The ICG Code of Conduct must be adhered to at all times. Athletes and coaches will be excluded
  from the Games for indecent behaviour, offence made through words and/or actions, violent
  behaviour, and abusive language.
- All delegations have to comply with any instruction given by the venue staff.
- · Coaches are responsible for the well-being and behaviour of their athletes at all times.

#### PRESENTATION OF MEDALS

SWIMMING

- The following Medals will be awarded:
   GOLD for individual and relay squad ranking first in the competition
   SILVER for individual and relay squad ranking second in the competition
   BRONZE for individual and relay squad ranking third in the competition
- Medalists should be present at the ceremony and must wear their team uniform.

#### MEDICAL

A First Aid Service will be available on site.

Full Medical Service will be available at the Department of Emergency Medicine of the Hospital of Lithuanian University of Health Sciences (Kauno klinikos). Address: Eivenių str. 2, LT-50009 Kaunas.

In case of infectious decease, medical service will be provided at the Clinic of Infectious Deceases of Kaunas Clinical Hospital. Address: Baltijos str. 120, LT-47116 Kaunas.

#### **TECHNICAL MEETING**

Technical meeting will be held at Athletes' Campus (room No. tbc) on 5th July, 2017 at 8 a.m.

#### TRAINING SCHEDULE

Training schedule will be posted on the website by 1st July, 2017.

Pre-competition training is foreseen on 5th July, 2017.

The FINA website www.fina.org provides a copy of the latest FINA constitution, Laws and regulations for competition.

#### **IDENTIFICATION**

All athletes must show their accreditation cards with a photo – without this card an athlete cannot compete.

#### COMPETITION INFORMATION

- Draws shall be conducted by the Sport Chair and the Referee, and published and disseminated with the assistance of the competition management personnel.
- The Competition Management personnel shall occupy at least three tables along one side of the gym at floor level. They shall check players in, process and announce matches, produce and disseminate updated results, maintain match card and ball inventory control, answer inquiries, guard prizes and assist in their awarding, and produce final results and statistics.
- Each city may enter maximum 2 boys and 2 girls (4) and a minimum of 1 boy and 1 girl (2).
- · One coach per city allowed.
- Tables: 8 tournament-quality tables and nets.
- Balls: Orange 40mm tournament-quality balls (Butterfly G40+ 3\*\*\*).
- Surrounds: Enough top-quality surrounds to meet the RIC court dimension.
- Glueing: Players needing to glue or re-glue their bats shall do so only in the outdoor area designated for the purpose.

#### **COMPETITION RULES**

- Rules in effect: International Table Tennis Federation (ITTF) Regulations for International Competitions (RIC).
- A total of 64 players are expected (32 boys, 32 girls); they shall be divided into eight groups
- All the players must be in the venue 50 minutes before the designated fixture.
- All matches shall be best 3 out of 5 games; games shall be scored on the 11-point system.





#### PRELIMINARY ROUNDS

- The first round of competition will be a round robin, set with four players per round robin subgroup. Subsequent rounds shall be single elimination.
- The second round shall involve the top two finishers from each round robin subgroup, who play one another in single elimination.
- Subsequent single elimination matches continue until the determination of first, second, and third places. Both players who lost in the semi-finals shall be recognized as third-place finishers.
- Semi-finals shall be conducted simultaneously on expanded court areas.
   For each, an umpire and assistant umpire shall govern the match.
- Each athlete will play all other athlete in his/ her group once.
- Two points will be awarded for a win, one point for a loss and zero point for a withdrawal.
- The athlete ranking first place in each group will advance to quarter finals.
- In the case of the athletes in the same group have the same number of points, the final standings will be decided by the following order:
- Head to head between the teams concerned.
- 2. Goal difference the greater resulting from the group matches ONLY between

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the teams concerned.

- Greater number of goals scored in all group matches ONLY between the teams concerned.
- Lowest number of goals against all group matches ONLY between the teams Concerned.
- If still undecided, the winner will be decided by a coin flip by the head referee.

#### **FINAL ROUNDS**

- Finals will take place on one expanded court area, situated for best VIP, public, and media viewing as well as for optimal lighting for the players. An umpire and assistant umpire shall govern the match. Two additional scorekeeper umpires may occupy opposite diagonal corners so that spectators can more easily see the score.
- Allocation draw for quarter final will be held after preliminary round of all groups finished.
- The quarter finals will be between the 8 group winners.
- The semi-final will be between 4 quarter finals winners.
- The final will be between 2 semi-finals winners.
- Awards presentations shall take place immediately following the conclusion of the final.



#### **DISPUTES**

Any disputes will be resolved in compliance with FINA rules and the clauses included in the ICG Sports Rules. Any disputes will be heard by the Protest Committee.

#### **DISCIPLINARY RULES**

- The ICG Code of Conduct must be adhered to at all times. Athletes and coaches will be excluded from the Games for indecent behaviour, offence made through words and/or actions, violent behaviour, and abusive language.
- All delegations have to comply with any instruction given by the venue staff.
- Coaches are responsible for the well-being and behaviour of their athletes at all times.

#### **MEDALS**

- The following Medals will be awarded:
   GOLD for individual ranking first in the competition
   SILVER for individual ranking second in the competition
   BRONZE for individual ranking third in the competition
- . Medalists should be present at the ceremony and must wear their team uniform.

#### **MEDICAL**

A First Aid Service will be available on site.

Full Medical Service will be available at the Department of Emergency Medicine of the Hospital of Lithuanian University of Health Sciences (Kauno klinikos). Address: Eivenių str. 2, LT-50009 Kaunas.

In case of infectious decease, medical service will be provided at the Clinic of Infectious Deceases of Kaunas Clinical Hospital. Address: Baltijos str. 120, LT-47116 Kaunas.

#### TECHNICAL MEETING

Technical meeting will be held at Athletes' Campus (room No. tbc) on 5th July, 2017 at 8 a.m.

The ITTF website www.ittf.com provides a copy of the latest ITTF constitution, Laws and regulations for competition.

#### TRAINING SCHEDULE

Training schedule will be posted on the website by 1st July, 2017.

Pre-competition training is foreseen on 5th July, 2017.





# 3 on 3 BASKETBALL

Date of competition: 6-8th July, 2017

Venue:

Sports Hall, S. Darius and S. Girėnas Sports Centre, Perkūno ave. 5, LT-44221 Kaunas

#### IDENTIFICATION

All athletes must show their accreditation cards with a photo – without this card an athlete cannot compete.

#### COURT

- The game will be played on a half court of a regular FIBA basketball playing court with one (1) basket.
- The court shall have a regular basketball playing court sized zone, including a free throw line (5.80m), a two point line (6.75m) and a "no-charge semi-circle" area underneath one basket.

#### COMPETITION INFORMATION

#### **Teams**

- Each team shall consist of a maximum of four (4) players (3 players on the court and 1 substitute) and one (1) coach.
- Number of coaches: one (1) for Boys' team
   one (1) for Girls' team.
- · Maximum number of teams: 16 per gender.

#### **Game Officials**

 The game officials shall be one (1) referee assisted by three (3) table officials, namely a scorer, a timer and a ten (10) second operator.

#### Basketball apparel

 Basketball Teams must have a minimum of two sets of shirts as well as basketball shoes, socks, shorts, t-shirt. All equipment used by players must be appropriate for the game.  Any equipment that is designed to increase a players' height or reach or in any other way give an unfair advantage is not permitted.

#### Ball size

 The official FIBA size No. 6 ball shall be used in all categories.

#### **Beginning of the Game**

- Both teams shall warm-up (3 minutes) simultaneously.
- Before the game, a player from team A will take a 3-point shot. If made, team A shall begin the game with a throw-in, if not, it will be team B.
- The team that did not start the game shall be entitled to the ball at the next jump ball situation in accordance with the alternating
- Possession arrow rule. The arrow will be directed to the bench of the team which is entitled to the ball at the next alternating possession opportunity



#### Playing time/Winner of a Game

- The regular playing time shall be 10min. The clock shall be stopped during dead ball situations and free throws. The clock shall be restarted after the exchange of the ball is completed (as soon as it is in the offensive team's hands).
- However the first team which scores 21 or more points wins the game if it happens before the end of a regular playing time. This rule applies to regular playing time only (not in a potential overtime).
- If the score is tied at the end of playing time, an extra period of time will be played. There shall be an Interval of one (1) minute before the overtime starts. The first team to score two (2) points in the overtime wins the game.

#### Fouls by Player/Fouls by Team

- A team is in a team foul situation when it has committed seven (7) fouls.
- A player who has committed four (4) fouls must leave the game.
- Fouls during the act of shooting inside the arc shall be awarded with one (1) free throw.
- Fouls during the act of shooting behind the arc shall be awarded with two (2) free throws.
- Fouls during the act of shooting followed by a successful field goal shall be awarded one (1) additional free-throw.
- Non-shooting fouls under penalty foul situation shall be awarded with one (1) free throw.

#### Twelve second device

 The team must attempt a shot for a field goal within 12 seconds.

#### Stalling

- Stalling or failing to play actively by attempting to score shall be a violation.
- A team must attempt a shot within twelve (12) seconds. The clock shall start as soon as the ball is in the offensive players' hands following the exchange with the defensive player or after a successful field goal underneath the basket.

#### How the Ball is played

- Following each successful field goal or last free throw: a player from a non-scoring team will resume the game by passing the ball from the place directly from the court underneath the basket (not from behind the end line) to his teammate to any place on the court. However, if that place is not behind the three-point line, the ball receiver must dribble/pass the ball to a place on the court behind the three-point line.
- Once the ball is behind the three-point line, at least one additional pass must be Made to a teammate before an attempt to score is made.
- Following each unsuccessful field goal or last free throw: if the offensive team rebound the ball, it may continue to attempt the score without returning the ball to behind

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the three-point line.

- If the defensive team rebound the ball, it must return the ball (by passing or dribbling) behind the three-point line.
- Once the ball is behind the three-point line at least one additional pass must be made to a teammate before an attempt to score is made.
- Following the steal, turnover etc: if it happens within the two-point area, the ball must be passed/dribbled to a place behind the three-point line. Once the ball is behind the three-point line, at least one additional pass must be made to a teammate before the attempt to score is made.
- Should the first offensive player who has dribbled/received the ball at a place behind the three-point line attempt to score, it is a violation.
- All throw-ins following the fouls (without free throws), violations, out-of bounds, at the beginning of the first period and of the extra period shall be taken from the out-of-bounds place level with the top of the three-point line, closest to the infraction. The places shall be marked in out-of-bounds by 5 cmline. The referee shall hand the ball to the out-of-bound player. The thrower-in must pass the ball to his teammate to any place on the court. However, if that place is not behind the three-point, the ball receiver must dribble/pass the ball to a place on the court behind the three-point line.
- Dunking of the ball is not permitted unless pressure-released rings are used.

#### Substitutions

The substitution shall be permitted when the ball becomes dead and the game clock is stopped.

#### Time-outs

There are no time-outs granted to any team at any time.

#### DISPUTES

Any disputes will be resolved in compliance with FIBA rules and the clauses included in the

ICG Sports Rules. Any disputes will be heard by the Basketball Appeals Coordinator and the Protest Committee.

#### **MEDICAL**

A First Aid Service will be available on site.

Full Medical Service will be available at the Department of Emergency Medicine of the Hospital of Lithuanian University of Health Sciences (Kauno klinikos). Address: Eivenių str. 2, LT-50009 Kaunas.

In case of infectious decease, medical service will be provided at the Clinic of Infectious Deceases of Kaunas Clinical Hospital. Address: Baltijos str. 120, LT-47116 Kaunas.

#### **TECHNICAL MEETING**

The technical meeting for Basketball competition will be held at Athletes' Campus (room No. tbc) on 5th July, 2017 at 8 a.m.

If it's necessary, we will proceed to another technical meeting in order to ensure the quality of the Competition.

The FIBA website www.fiba.com provides a copy of the latest FIBA Constitution, Laws and Regulations for competition.

#### **ESSENTIAL INFORMATION**

- All the teams must be at the court 45 minutes before the designated fixture.
- Teams (Coaches, Players) should arrive at basketball venue with the necessary accreditation. All delegations must comply to any indication made by the venue staff, without creating any kind of problem to other teams. For any issue or protest, the Head of Delegation has to contact the competition manager immediately. If anything negative is observed we request immediate report to the department responsible person.

#### **DISCIPLINARY RULES**

- The ICG Code of Conduct must be adhered to at all times. Athletes and coaches will be excluded from the Games for indecent behaviour, offence made through words and/or actions, violent behaviour, and abusive language.
- All delegations have to comply with any instruction given by the venue staff.
- Coaches are responsible for the well-being and behaviour of their athletes at all times.

#### **FORMS**

Latest - international FIBA form is used; must be provided by organizers.

#### **MEDALS**

- The following Medals will be awarded: GOLD – for team ranking first in the competition SILVER – for team ranking second in the competition BRONZE – for team ranking third in the competition
- Medalists should be present at the ceremony and must wear their team uniform.

#### TRAINING SCHEDULE

Training schedule will be posted on the website by 1st July, 2017.

Pre-competition training is foreseen on 5th July, 2017.





# **BEACH VOLLEYBALL**

Date of competition: 6-7th July, 2017

Venue:

Beach volleyball courts at Nemunas River Island

or RIO Volleyball Arena, Kaunakiemio str. 5, LT-44333 Kaunas (if the weather conditions are not suitable to play outside)



All athletes must show their accreditation cards with a photo – without this card an athlete cannot compete.

#### COMPETITION INFORMATION

- A team consists of two players.
- Number of teams that can participate: 12 boys' teams and 12 girls' teams.
- · One coach per squad.
- · Field size is 16 by 8 meters.
- · Net height is 224 cm for boys and girls.
- All athletes must be able to show their identification card. When unable to show the identification card, participation is not possible.

#### COMPETITION RULES:

- The regulations of the International Volleyball Federation (FIVB) are leading in the competition.
- The match is played in two sets won by 21 points, with a possible third set up to 15 points.
- · Sets must be won by two points difference.
- The official FIVB ball Mikasa VSL300 shall be used in all categories.
- A ball is "in" when the imprint of the ball is visible on the line.
- A team may have three contacts with the ball after the third contact, the ball must be played to the opponent.
- Change sides after each seven points played.

#### DISPUTES

Any dispute will be resolved in compliance with R&A and USGA rules and the clauses included in the ICG sports rules. Such disputes will be heard by the Protest Committee.

#### **DISCIPLINARY RULES**

- The ICG Code of Conduct must be adhered to at all times. Athletes and coaches will be excluded from the Games for indecent behaviour, offence made through words and/ or actions, violent behaviour, and abusive language.
- All the delegations have to comply with any instruction made by the venue staff.
- Coaches are responsible for the well-being and behaviour of their athletes at all times.



#### PRESENTATION OF MEDALS

- The following medals will be awarded immediately after the tournament:
  - GOLD for team ranking first in the competition SILVER for team ranking second in the competition BRONZE for team ranking third in the competition
- Medalists should be present at the ceremony and must wear their team uniform.

#### TRAINING SCHEDULE

Training schedule will be posted on the website by 1st July, 2017.

Pre-competition training is foreseen on 5th July, 2017.

#### MEDICAL

A First Aid Service will be available on site.

Full Medical Service will be available at the Department of Emergency Medicine of the Hospital of Lithuanian University of Health Sciences (Kauno klinikos). Address: Eivenių str. 2, LT-50009 Kaunas.

In case of infectious decease, medical service will be provided at the Clinic of Infectious Deceases of Kaunas Clinical Hospital. Address: Baltijos str. 120, LT-47116 Kaunas.

#### **TECHNICAL MEETING**

The technical meeting will be held at Athletes' Campus (room No. tbc) on 5th July, 2017 at 8 a.m.



# **FOOTBALL (SOCCER)**

Date of competition: 5-8th July, 2017

Venue:

Boys: Kaunas Football School "Tauras", Neries kr. 7B, LT-48353 Kaunas

Girls: Sports Centre of Kaunas University of Technology, Radvilėnų pl. 19, LT-50254 Kaunas

#### **IDENTIFICATION**

All athletes must show their accreditation cards with a photo – without this card an athlete cannot compete.

#### COMPETITION INFORMATION

- Each team may consist of between 6 and 8 players.
- Teams will consist of 6 players, 1 of which will be a goal-keeper.
- Maximum number of teams: 16 per gender
- · One coach per team.
- · Shin guards are required for all competitors.
- The venue is outdoor. Players must wear proper football cleats/ shoes/ boots.
- Athletes are prohibited to wear neither any footwear with metal studs nor glasses/ sunglasses during a game unless sports/ plastic/ protective glasses.

#### COMPETITION RULES

- The games will take place according to FIFA rules.
- Each game consists of two halves of 20 minutes each. Half-time break is 5 minutes.
- · Warm-up duration: 10 minutes.
- The pitch size will be 50-55 m (length) by 40-45 m (width).
- No offside rule will be operated.
- Game will be played with a size 5 official ball.
- Goal length 4,8-6 m and height 1,9-2 m.
- Competition within the group is led by 1 referee.

- Quarter-finals, Semi-finals and Finals will be led by 2 referees.
- · A system of rolling substitutions will apply.
- A timekeeper is required, controlling the duration of the games, using a horn/hooter as no injury time is allowed except in the Finals, which is at the discretion of the referee(s).
- The area between pitches should be kept clear for teams and officials only, with spectators viewing only from the opposite side.
- · Throw-ins are allowed.



- Slide tackles are not allowed (punishable with a yellow card) but sliding to score, or to stop the ball going out of play or to stop a goal, is allowed.
- Time penalties must be controlled by an official/referee at the side of the pitch.
- The normal football back-pass rule applies.
- Goals cannot be scored directly from a kickoff.
- In the event of a game going to penalties, any 5 from the squad take the first 5 before moving to the rest of the squad if required.
   The choice of the first 5 takers is from the whole squad.
- A team which does not show up for their first game will be disqualified from the tournament but allowed to play the scheduled fixtures as "friendlies" at the discretion of the Tournament Director and the opposing teams.
  - Preliminary rounds (Group Stage-League System):
- Each team will play all other teams in their group once.
- Tournament: 16 teams will be divided into 4 groups.
- Three points will be awarded for a win, and one point for a draw.
- The team ranking first place in each group will advance to semi-finals.
- In the case of the teams in the same pool have the same number of points,

the final standings will be decided by the following order:

- Head to head between the teams concerned.
- Goal difference the greater resulting from the group matches ONLY between the teams concerned.
- Greater number of goals scored in all group matches ONLY between the teams concerned.
- Lowest number of goals against all group matches ONLY between the teams Concerned.
- If still undecided, the winner will be decided by a coin flip by the head referee.
- Final rounds (Knock-out Stage):
  - The semi-finals will be between the 4 group winners.
  - The final will be between the 2 semifinals winners.
  - In the event of a draw at the semi-final and final in the end of regulation play, there will be two extra periods of 5 minutes. If the game is still tied, there will be penalty kicks to decide the winner.
- All the players must be in the venue 50 minutes before the designated fixture.



#### **DISCIPLINARY RULES**

- The ICG Code of Conduct must be adhered to at all times. Athletes and coaches will be excluded from the Games for indecent behaviour, offence made through words and/or actions, violent behaviour, and abusive language.
- All delegations have to comply with any instruction made by the venue staff.
- Coaches are responsible for the well-being and behaviour of their athletes at all times.
- Players who receive a yellow card will be sent to the bench for two minutes. The 2 minutes commence after play restarts. Typical yellow

- card offences include: unsporting behaviour, dissent by words or actions.
- Players sent off (red card) for any reason will be suspended for the teams' next game.
   Typical red card offences include: serious foul play, violent conduct, abusive language.
- If a team is permanently reduced to 4 players due to sending offs, the game will end and the match will be awarded 2-0 to their opponents, unless the score, as it stands at that point, is more advantageous to their opponents.

#### PRESENTATION OF MEDALS

- The following Medals will be awarded:
   GOLD for team ranking first in the competition
   SILVER for team ranking second in the competition
   BRONZE for team ranking third in the competition
- · Medalists should be present at the ceremony and must wear their team uniform.

#### PRE-COMPETITION TRAINING

4th July, 2017.

Training schedule will be posted on the website by 1st July, 2017.

#### MEDICAL

A First Aid Service will be available on site.

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#### **TECHNICAL MEETING**

The Football (Soccer) Technical Meeting will be held at Athletes' Campus (room No. tbc) on 5th July, 2017 at 8 a.m.

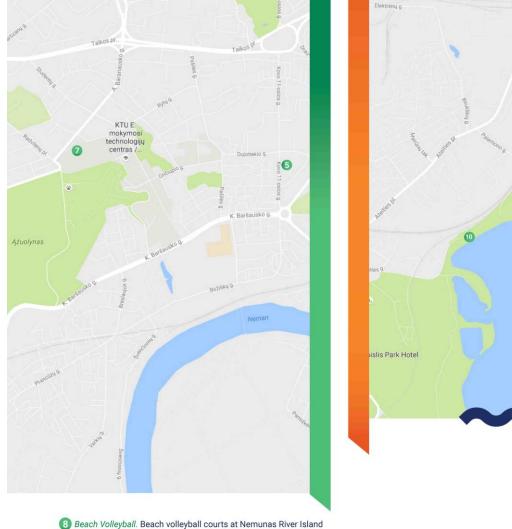
The FIFA Website http://fifa.com provides a copy of the latest Constitution, Laws, and Regulations.





#### **VENUES:**

- 1 Athletics Track and Field. Stadium of S. Darius and S. Girėnas Sports Centre, Perkūno ave. 5, LT-44221
- 2 Basketball 3 on 3. Sports Hall, S. Darius and S. Girėnas Sports Centre, Perkūno ave. 5, LT-44221 Kaunas
- 3 Judo. Track and Field Athletics Hall, Aušros str. 42A, LT-44158 Kaunas
- 4 Table Tennis. Lithuanian Sports University, Sporto str. 6, LT-44221 Kaunas
- 5 Swimming. Pool "Girstutis", Kovo 11-osios str. 26, LT-51349 Kaunas
- 6 Football (Soccer) boys. Kaunas Football School "Tauras", Neries kr. 7B, LT-48353 Kaunas
- 7 Football (Soccer) girls. Sports Centre of Kaunas University of Technology, Radvilėnų pl. 19, LT-50254 Kaunas



- Beach Volleyball (according to weather conditions). RIO Volleyball Arena, Kaunakiemio str. 5, LT-44333 Kaunas
- 10 Sailing. Kaunas Lagoon Aquatory at Kaunas "Žalgiris Yacht Club" sports base, R.Kalantos str. 124, LT-52332 Kaunas

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