



MINIGOLF SENIORS EUROPEAN CHAMPIONSHIPS

5TH – 8TH AUGUST 2009



LAMEGO / PORTUGAL

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INVITATION

MINIGOLF SENIORS EUROPEAN CHAMPIONSHIPS

5TH – 8ST AUGUST 2009

- PROMOTOR** European Minigolfsport Federation (EMF)
- ORGANIZER** Federação Portuguesa de Minigolfe
- LOCATION OF COURSE** Complexo Desportivo
Monte de Santo Estêvão
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E-mail: mclamego@mclamego.com
(+351)918213498 – (+351)913646881
- CATEGORIES**
- Seniors Women, Seniors Women teams (3 players plus substitute)
 - Seniors Men, Seniors Men teams (6 players plus substitute)
- PARTICIPATION** All active members of the WMF as long as they came up their obligations towards the EMF and WMF.
- MODE** As stated in Regulations for the World- and Continental Championships 3.6.2 through 3.6.18 and additional to 2.3 worldwide international rules 9.4 Scoring (as decision of WMF-technical commission February 2009):
If there is still a tie after counting all differences and a ranking is needed for setting up the play-off table the decision about the ranking has to be done by coin flip.
And additional:
Before last team round the playing order (in the blocks) has to be regrouped after scorings.
- REGISTRATION** Until 31st May 2009 compulsory with enclosed form to
European Minigolf Sport Federation
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E-mail: marcus.wuethrich@pc-ergolz.ch or
senior-officer@europeanminigolfsport.com

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PARTICIPATION FEE € 60.00 for players
€ 35.00 for coaches and officials
Charges have to be paid until 31st May 2009 to the account of WMF:

BGL Banque Generale du Luxembourg
account number 30-070539-54
IBAN LU02 0030 0705 3954 0000
SWIFT/BIC BGLLLULL

For late payment and registration an additional charge of 25% will be due!

PRACTICING FEE Pre official training: € 3.00 per day, payable to the organizer

ACCOMODATION See website of the organizer:
<http://www.mclamego.com/euro2009/ing/htm/home.html>
Contact person:
Aniceto Fernandes: anicetofernandes@sapo.pt

The worldwide international sport rules of WMF including supplementary rules and worldwide international sport regulations are applied for the Seniors European Championships. In particular please note the regulations for the Regulations for the World- and Continental Championships of WMF. Each participant must accept the WADA-code 2009 and the WMF anti-doping regulations in current version. Sport shoes and uniform team sports clothing appropriate for minigolf are required during official practice time and tournament. Only sports hats are allowed.

Marcus Wüthrich
Senior Officer
EMF

SCHEDULE

Groups for nations training:

The final composition of the groups will be published according to the entries after 31st May 2009 on the organizers website and at the official information board at the location.

The accreditation of all participants (players, coaches, officials) has to be filed immediately after their arrival at Lamego, latest on Saturday 1st August 2009, at 6 pm.

FRIDAY 31ST JULY 2009

08.00 am – 01.00 pm nations training group A
01.00 pm – 06.00 pm nations training group B
06.00 pm - training for both groups

02.00 pm deadline for written complaints regarding the courses
03.00 pm inspection of the courses by the jury and a member of the organizer

SATURDAY, 1ST AUGUST 2009

08.00 am – 01.00 pm nations training group B
01.00 pm – 06.00 pm nations training group A
06.00 pm - training for both groups

06.00 pm deadline for registration of players, officials and coaches

SUNDAY, 2ND AUGUST 2009

08.00 am – 01.00 pm nations training group A
01.00 pm – 06.00 pm nations training group B
06.00 pm - training for both groups

MONDAY, 3RD AUGUST 2009

08.00 am – 12.30 pm nations training group B
12.30 pm – 05.00 pm nations training group B
05.00 pm - no training allowed due to opening ceremony

MONDAY, 3RD AUGUST 2009 (continued)

11.00 am media conference
01.00 pm deadline for payment of practicing fee to the organizer
04.00 pm coach/referee meeting
05.00 pm deadline for team order list
07.00 pm opening ceremony and draw of starting order

TUESDAY, 4TH AUGUST 2009

08.00 am – 01.00 pm nations training group A
01.00 pm – 06.00 pm nations training group B
06.00 pm - training for both groups

WEDNESDAY, 5TH AUGUST 2009 **FIRST DAY OF COMPETITION**

08.00 am 3 rounds
 more than 180 participants: shot gun start
 more than 210 participants: reduction of last round
 senior men teams:
 concrete – miniaturegolf – concrete
 senior women, senior men, senior women teams:
 miniaturegolf - concrete – miniaturegolf

THURSDAY, 6TH AUGUST 2009 **SECOND DAY OF COMPETITION**

08.00 am 3 rounds
 more than 180 participants: shot gun start
 more than 210 participants: reduction of last round
 senior men teams:
 miniaturegolf - concrete – miniaturegolf
 senior women, senior men, senior women teams:
 concrete – miniaturegolf – concrete

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FRIDAY, 7TH AUGUST 2009

THIRD DAY OF COMPETITION

Playing groups will be regrouped according to the interim results.

08.00 am

1 round

senior men, senior men teams:
miniaturegolf

senior women, senior women teams:
concrete

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1 round

senior men, senior men teams:
concrete

senior women, senior women teams:
miniaturegolf

Necessary team play off: Immediately after the end of the team competition on the course last played

Necessary individual play-off (for rank 16 women competition / rank 32 men competition):
Immediately after the end of the team competition (including play-off) on the course last played

After competition: Medal ceremony for team competition

SATURDAY, 8TH AUGUST 2009

FOURTH AND LAST DAY OF COMPETITION

08.00 am

individual competition men play-offs

09.30 am

individual competition women play-offs

After competition:

Medal ceremony for individual competition

08.00 pm

victory and closing ceremony

Marcus Wüthrich
Senior Officer
EMF

Admittance and mode of play-offs

- Admittance:** First 16 women and 32 men are qualified.
- For equal scores at the final cut there is a throw-off beginning at lane 1 at the course last played by the category concerned.
- In case of equal scores among the qualified players, the ranking order of the players and thus the places in the final table are defined by the WMF rules for scoring and play-offs. Also among the through throw-off qualified players the ranking order is decided by the regulations mentioned above, but not by the results of the sudden death. If there is still a tie after counting all differences and a ranking is needed for setting up the matchplay table the decision about the ranking has to be done by coin flip.
- The complete table for the finals of women and men is described at next pages.
- If any qualified woman or man doesn't appear to the start of play-offs for any reason, there is no replacement by the next player of the ranking list of preliminary rounds. His/Her place in the table remains empty and other players keep their original ranks.
- Lanes for play-off:** miniaturegolf / course B
- The 9 lanes with the highest average score after second competition day of the 6 best teams men and women.
- concrete / course A
- lane 1, 2, 4, 5, 12, 13, 14, 17, 18
- Single lanes can be changed by the jury for serious reasons; decision will be published latest at the end of second competition day.
- Mode and ranking:** All play-offs are played as matchplay.
- Matches until semifinals are played with shotgun start.
- For starting lanes see play-off tables.
- Semifinals, finals and matches for rank 3 are started at lane 1 of miniaturegolf (women, men) one match after the other.
- The higher-ranked player after the preliminary rounds in the pairing always plays first on the starting lane of the match. After that the leading player in the match always starts the next lane. If there is currently no leader in the match the playing order remains unchanged until there is a leader and thus possibly a new starting player. This rule also should apply for sudden death situations in match play.
- Number of won lanes decides about the winner, who proceeds to the next round. In case of equal number of won lanes after full 18 lanes (or fewer if the number of played lanes has to be cut due to

weather) the match is continued at next of the chosen lanes until one player wins one lane.

A match has to be stopped earlier than after 18 lanes, as soon as one player has already won the match mathematically.

Play at a lane has to be stopped as soon there is a winner for the lane.

Losers of the same round are finally ranked according to their total results of preliminary rounds of team competition days.

Scorecard for play-off: Layout of scorecards see next pages

Final abandonment during play-offs:

In case of final interruption during any round including semi-finals (until all matches of the round in one category have been completed), the remaining players are ranked according to their total results of preliminary rounds during team competition days.

In case of final interruption during final match and match for rank 3: The current leader of the match is the winner.

Bad conditions during team competition:

The team competition is finished latest at the end of third competition day; all fully completed team rounds are counted.

In case of bad conditions during play-offs the rounds are cancelled in a way, that there remains always a chance for a real final.

First option is to cut the first k.o. round for men and to continue with 16 men.

Second option is to change the number of lanes for each k.o. round if necessary.

The decisions for changes are done by the Jury of the Championships.

Penalty system: No penalties from team competition are carried forward to the play-offs.

First step is a written pre-warning with no consequences.

For all following violations the player in question loses the next unfinished lane (meaning the next lane, which has no winner yet).

Referees have the possibility to skip the pre-warning level in case of severe or tactical violations.

All penalties are also announced via loudspeakers.

Coaches: Maximum of two coaches per nation is allowed on each course during the play-offs, regardless of the number of participating players of the nation.

Table play-offs women

match 1	1	
	16	
starting lane	A1	

match 2	8	
	9	
starting lane	A2	

match 3	5	
	12	
starting lane	A3	

match 4	4	
	13	
starting lane	A4	

match 5	3	
	14	
starting lane	A5	

match 6	6	
	11	
starting lane	A6	

match 7	7	
	10	
starting lane	A7	

match 8	2	
	15	
starting lane	A8	

match 9	winner match 1
	winner match 2
starting lane	A1

match 10	winner match 3
	winner match 4
starting lane	A3

match 11	winner match 5
	winner match 6
starting lane	A5

match 12	winner match 7
	winner match 8
starting lane	A7

semifinal 1	winner match 9
	winner match 10
starting lane	B1

final	winner semifinal 1
	winner semifinal 2
starting lane	B1

semifinal 2	winner match 11
	winner match 12
starting lane	B1

match rank 3	loser semifinal 1
	loser semifinal 2
starting lane	B1

Legend: A1 = lane 1 of chosen lanes miniaturegolf

B1 = lane 1 concrete

Play off table men

(Semi-finals, final match and match for rank 3 analogous to table play-offs women)

match 1	1	
	32	
starting lane		B1

match 2	16	
	17	
starting lane		B2

match 3	9	
	24	
starting lane		B3

match 4	8	
	25	
starting lane		B4

match 5	5	
	28	
starting lane		B5

match 6	12	
	21	
starting lane		B6

match 7	13	
	20	
starting lane		B7

match 8	4	
	29	
starting lane		B8

match 9	3	
	30	
starting lane		A1

match 10	14	
	19	
starting lane		A2

match 11	11	
	22	
starting lane		A4

match 12	6	
	27	
starting lane		A5

match 13	7	
	26	
starting lane		A12

match 14	10	
	23	
starting lane		A13

match 15	15	
	18	
starting lane		A14

match 16	2	
	31	
starting lane		A17

match 17	winner match 1
	winner match 2
starting lane	A1

match 18	winner match 3
	winner match 4
starting lane	A2

match 19	winner match 5
	winner match 6
starting lane	A4

match 20	winner match 7
	winner match 8
starting lane	A5

match 21	winner match 9
	winner match 10
starting lane	A12

match 22	winner match 11
	winner match 12
starting lane	A13

match 23	winner match 13
	winner match 14
starting lane	A14

match 24	winner match 15
	winner match 16
starting lane	A17

match 25	winner match 17
	winner match 18
starting lane	A1

match 26	winner match 19
	winner match 20
starting lane	A4

match 27	winner match 21
	winner match 22
starting lane	A12

match 28	winner match 23
	winner match 24
starting lane	A17

Scorecard play-offs

Starting lane	Player A					Player B				
	Nation				Points	Nation				Points
Lane 1										
Lane 2										
Lane 3										
Lane 4										
Lane 5										
Lane 6										
Lane 7										
Lane 8										
Lane 9										
Lane 10										
Lane 11										
Lane 12										
Lane 13										
Lane 14										
Lane 15										
Lane 16										
Lane 17										
Lane 18										
Total Points:										
Signature: (both points controlled)										
Extra-Lane 1										
Extra-Lane 2										
Extra-Lane 3										
Extra-Lane 4										
Extra-Lane 5										
Extra-Lane 6										
Total Points:										
Signature: (both points controlled)										

REGISTRATION

MINIGOLF SENIORS EUROPEAN CHAMPIONSHIP 2009 LAMEGO

National federation

to be handed in until 31st May 2009 only to

European Minigolf Sport Federation

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For the participation at the minigolf SENIORS EUROPEAN CHAMPIONSHIP

2009 from 5th – 8th August we announce

National team senior women

National team senior men

If no national team is announced:

single players women

single players men

total players

coaches

officials

total team members

We will stay at this accommodation
(hotel / apartment etc.)
(address, phone, mail)

We will arrive in Lamego on

.....July '09

We will NOT participate at the minigolf seniors
European championship 2009

.....
place

.....
date

.....
signature

EUROPEAN MINIGOLFSPORT FEDERATION

National federation

to be handed in until 1st August 2009, 6 pm

PLAYERS

name, first name (please write in block letters)	date of birth	category	exceptions			signature
			A	B	C	
1.						
2.						
3.						
4.						
5.						
6.						
7.						
8.						
9.						
10.						
11.						

- Exceptions:
- A Medical attestation for shoes other than sport shoes
 - B Medical attestation according to the anti-doping regulations of WMF
 - C Other attestations provided by a medical doctor or national federation (e.g. placing ball with club due to sore back)

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COACHES / OFFICIALS

name, first name (please write in block letters)	exceptions		signature
	A	B	
1.			
2.			
3.			
4.			
5.			
6.			
7.			
8.			
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10.			

Exceptions: A Medical attestation for shoes other than sport shoes
 B Medical attestation according to the anti-doping regulations of WMF

ENTRY BY NAME MINIGOLF SENIORS EUROPEAN CHAMPIONSHIP 2009 LAMEGO

National federation

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- Exceptions:
- A** Medical attestation for shoes other than sport shoes
 - B** Medical attestation according to the anti-doping regulations of WMF
 - C** Other attestations provided by a medical doctor or national federation (e.g. placing ball with club due to sore back)

name, first name (please write in block letters)	date of birth	category	exceptions			signature
			A	B	C	

NATIONAL SENIOR TEAM WOMEN (Players have to be listed in the team order)

1.						
2.						
3.						
S.						

Responsible person for substitutions:

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EUROPEAN MINIGOLFSPORT FEDERATION

National federation

to be handed in until 3rd August 2009, 5 pm

name, first name <small>(please write in block letters)</small>	date of birth	category	exceptions			signature
			A	B	C	

NATIONAL TEAM SENIOR MEN (Players have to be listed in the team order)

1.						
2.						
3.						
4.						
5.						
6.						
S.						

Responsible person for substitutions:

EUROPEAN MINIGOLFSPORT FEDERATION

National federation

to be handed in until 3rd August 2009, 5 pm

name, first name
(please write in block letters)

date of birth

category

exceptions

signature

A	B	C
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SINGLE PLAYERS WOMEN

1.						
2.						
3.						

SINGLE PLAYERS MEN

1.						
2.						
3.						
4.						
5.						
6.						



Acknowledgment and Agreement

PART 1

Declaration of full WADA acceptance based on WADA code 2009, WMF statutes and WMF-3.2 anti-doping regulations chapter 0.3

I, as a member of[Active Member] and/or a participant in a [Active Member] or WMF authorized or recognized event, Minigolf Seniors European Championship, hereby acknowledge and agree as follows:

1. I have received and had an opportunity to review the WMF Anti-Doping Regulations (ADR).
2. I consent and agree to comply with and be bound by all of the provisions of the WMF ADR, including but not limited to, all amendments to the ADR and all International Standards incorporated in the ADR.
3. I acknowledge and agree that WMF *Active Members* and WMF have jurisdiction to impose sanctions as provided in the WMF ADR.
4. I also acknowledge and agree that any dispute arising out of a decision made pursuant to the WMF ADR, after exhaustion of the process expressly provided for in the WMF ADR, may be appealed exclusively as provided in Article 13 of the WMF ADR to an appellate body for final and binding arbitration, which in the case of International-Level Athletes is the Court of Arbitration for Sport.
5. I acknowledge and agree that the decisions of the arbitral appellate body referenced above shall be final and enforceable, and that I will not bring any claim, arbitration, lawsuit or litigation in any other court or tribunal.
6. I have read and understand this Acknowledgement and Agreement.

Date of signature

Print Name (Last Name, First Name)

Date of Birth
(Day/Month/Year)

Signature
(or, if a minor, signature of legal guardian)



Acknowledgment and Agreement

PART 2

I, as a member of[Active Member] and/or a participant in a [Active Member] or WMF authorized or recognized event, Minigolf Seniors European Championship, hereby acknowledge and agree as follows:

With my signature I confirm, that pictures, films, videos taken through the period of days of official practice time and through the competition days from 30th – 31st May 2009 can be used later on for any coverage of minigolf, by any media authorized by WMF.

Additional term for participating minors:

I/We understand as a part of our child's participation in the event concerned, photos, videos and quotations may be taken through the period of days of official practice time and through the competition days from 30th – 31st May 2009 for use in publications, media coverage and reports by WMF and its partners. We further understand that members of news media invited to cover the program may take photos, videos and quotations. We grant permission to use such materials for the promotion of WMF and minigolf sport.

Date of signature

Print Name (Last Name, First Name)

Date of Birth
(Day/Month/Year)

Signature
(or, if a minor, signature of legal guardian)