

2023 EVENT FACT SHEET & NDGGB INFORMATION

EUROPEAN DISC GOLF CHAMPIONSHIPS
EDGC / EJDGC / EMDGC

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This document outlines the event fact sheet for the 2023 EDGF European Disc Golf Championships.

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1. ABBREVIATIONS

EDGC	European Disc Golf Championships
EJDGC	Junior Disc Golf Championships
EMDGC	European Master Disc Golf Championships
EDGF	European Disc Golf Federation
BoD	Board of Directors
LOC	Local Organizing Committee
NDGGB	National Disc Golf Governing Body

2. DATES & FIGURES

2.1. Event Date

The time-slot between 15th and 28th August 2023 blocked for EDGC/EJDGC and EMDGC.

2.2. Number of Participants

EDGC/EJDGC	180 +
EMDGC	150 +

2.3. Sanctioning Fees

EDGC/EJDGC	600 Euro
EMDGC	400 Euro
Player Fee	5 Euro

2.4. Prize Money

EDGC/EJDGC	min. 15'000 Euro
EMDGC	min. 7'500 Euro

2.5. Added Cash

EDGC/EJDGC	1'000 Euro
EMDGC	1'000 Euro

2.6. Payout

Cash payout according to the PDGA recommended levels in professional divisions, non-cash prizes MJ18, FJ18.

2.7. Divisions

EDGC	MPO, FPO
EJDGC	MJ18, FJ18
EMDGC	MP40, FP40, MP50, FP50, MP55, MP60, MP65

3. COUNTRY CLASSIFICATION

Group 1

Members of EDGF and other European countries with institutionally represented disc golf communities (*2022):

Austria, Belgium, Croatia, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Italy, Latvia, Lithuania, Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Russia, Serbia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Ukraine, United Kingdom.

Group 2

European countries with established disc golf contacts (*2022):

Bulgaria, Luxembourg, Romania.

Group 3

Other European countries (*2022):

Albania, Armenia, Azerbaijan, Belarus, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Cyprus, Georgia, Greece, Kazakhstan, Kosovo, Liechtenstein, Macedonia, Malta, Moldova, Monaco, Montenegro, San Marino, Turkey.

4. NATIONAL TEAM

4.1. Team Members

Tournament players ("Players"), substitute players, team captains, and official team staff representing a single country. All team members must officially register, sign Participants Event Contract, and pay tiered event fees.

LOC will issue name badges for all Team Members that will provide tiered access to the tournament facilities and events.

4.2. Tournament Players

Tournament players must fulfil all individual eligibility criteria. Tournament Players are eligible to play doubles.

4.3. Substitute Players

Each team can bring up to one substitute player per division. All substitute players must fulfil all individual eligibility criteria.

Substitute players do not pay the event fees, except limited administration fee, the green fees for requested days of practice play, eventual area access fees, and social event fees for which they have free access. Substitute players can be promoted to tournament players at latest 1 hour before the start of the Round 1 of the competition to fill in the available vacated spots for the country.

Substitute Players are eligible to play doubles.

4.4. Team Captains

Each team must bring one team captain whose responsibility is to attend all captains meetings, represent the country at official event ceremonies, and provide communication between the LOC and the players of the team;

In case of a joint EDGC and EMDGC event one team captain can serve for a country for both events; an extra team captain can be appointed for EJDGC (as a part of EDGC, in addition to the EDGC team captain).

Team captains do not pay the event fees, except limited administration fee, the green fees for requested days of practice play, eventual area access fees, and social event fees for which they have free access.

Team Captains are eligible to play doubles.

4.5. Team Staff

Each team can bring additional staff members, it may include team trainers, physio and medical staff, technical staff, accredited player accompanying persons, etc.

Team staff members do not pay the event fees except limited administration fee, eventual area access fees. Special events should be only optional for team staff.

The LOC reserves the right to provide official accommodation for team staff only in a limited extent in case the capacity of the event accommodation for all other official event participants attending the event fills in. In that case, the LOC should provide a guidance in accommodation alternatives for the unaccommodated team staff.

The LOC also reserves right to limit the number of team staff to reasonable numbers to be able to provide transportation and other services for all the team members, or to provide these services for team staff for a small fee.

4.6. Personal Information

All team members need to provide the necessary information to the NDGGB for registration process for the event in a timely manner.

4.7. Playing Rules

All team members are personally responsible for following all current and applicable PDGA and special event rules during the whole duration of the event.

4.8. Payment of Fees

All team members need to pay all the tiered event fees by the imposed deadline by the LOC.

4.9. Team Uniforms

In addition to the PDGA Dress Code, players in competition (singles/doubles) need to adhere with the uniform policies at the event with the right to add their sponsor info in a limited extent.

5. ELIGIBILITY

5.1. Nationality

All players and substitute players: Nationality or Permanent residence/Centre of interests 18+ months (at the moment of registration). The center of interests is the main residency of a person; it is typically the place where the person spends most time during the calendar year, where it is employed, where it pays taxes, etc.).

All players and substitute players: Nationality or Permanent residence/Center of interests 18+ months (at the moment of registration).

5.2. NDGGB Membership/Consent

All players must be either

- (1) members of the NDGGB, or
- (2) members of clubs officially registered with the NDGGB, or
- (3) they must hold a consent/approval/permission/etc. by the NDGGB allowing them to compete at the event

NDGGB needs to confirm or decline the membership/consent/approval by the end of the particular registration phase or within 14 days whichever comes later.

5.3. Junior Divisions Eligibility

All players eligible by age * regardless of Pro/Am status.

Regardless of Pro/Am status, MJ18 and FJ18 divisions will be played formally at a separate PDGA X tier event in restricted MPO/FPO divisions to allow participation of all eligible juniors, other way to accommodate formally the event may be negotiated with PDGA.

5.4. Minimum Age

EDGC MPO and FPO (16 years)

EJDGC MJ18 and FJ18 (15 years)

EMDGC As required by the division

Age reached in the calendar year of competition. The minimum rating is evaluated on the day of the opening of the particular registration phase.

5.5. Single Competition

In case both EDGC and EMDGC not held during the same time, a player who qualifies for both events can participate at both events.

5.6. Doubles Competition

EDGC/EJDGC/EMDGC players, official substitute players, and team captains if they satisfy players' nationality requirement.

In case of a joint event (EDGC/EJDGC + EMDGC) EMDGC players, team captains and official substitute players can participate in Open divisions (without age restriction) or in age based divisions if both members of the doubles are fulfilling age and gender requirements for the particular doubles divisions.

5.7. PDGA Membership

Required! All players, substitute players and team captains must be current, active PDGA members in good standing with PDGA during the whole duration of the competition.

5.8. PDGA Certified Official

Required! All players, substitute players and team captains must have passed the "Certified Official" test, less than three years before the end of the event.

5.9. Minimum PDGA Rating

EDGC MPO (800), FPO (600)

EJDGC MJ18 and FJ18 no minimum rating.

EMDGC All male divisions: 800 / all female divisions: 600

The minimum rating is evaluated on the day of the opening of the particular registration phase. The minimum PDGA rating levels do not enforce competitiveness of the players but rather the basic ability of players to play the course and follow the event. All players (including players from the developing countries) need to meet these minimum PDGA rating requirements.

6. PLAYING RULES

All team members are personally responsible for following all current and applicable PDGA and special event rules during the whole duration of the event. Players are fully responsible for the behaviour of their caddies.

7. NDGGB REQUIREMENTS

7.1. Non-existent NDGGB

If a country does not have a National Disc Golf Governing Body (NDGGB), all the responsibilities of the NDGGB are transferred to a team captain approved by EDGF.

7.2. Team Selection Rules

The NDGGB must publish its team selection rules at latest 12 months before the event.

7.3. Nomination of Team Captain

The NDGGB nominates the team captain(s) by the imposed deadline and communicate their contact infos to EDGF.

7.4. Providing of Team Uniforms

The NDGGB must ensure that a team uniform is provided for players, substitute players, and team captain representing their country.

7.5. Policies

The NDGGB must ensure that all members of its national team are well informed about the various policies in place at the EDGC, and if required implement appropriate training-programs. The various policies are part of the "Event format & Standards" document and described in Art. 13 in details.

- Non-smoking Policy
- Alcohol Policy
- Drugs Policy
- Anti-Doping
- Dress Code
- Team Uniform
- Playing Rules