

WCBS Championship Poland 2024 – General Information – Part 1

To All Member Federations:

The WCBS is excited about the upcoming 2nd WCBS Championship in Kielce, Poland, scheduled to take place from 25th to 28th July 2024.

Please find below important information to prepare for the upcoming Championship:

DATES:

25 – 28 July 2024

DURATION:

A total of 4 days; 3 days for round-robin team competition; 1 day for the semi-finals, play-off for 3rd and 4th place, and the finals.

VENUE:

Grand Hotel, Kielce, Poland
<https://www.grandhotelkielce.pl/en/>

LOCAL ORGANISING PARTNER:

Polish Billiards Association
<https://pzbil.pl/>

ATHLETES:

A total of 48 athletes comprised of 24 men and 24 women.

TEAMS:

2 teams from Europe (A & B)
2 teams from Asia (A & B)
1 team from the Americas (North & South combined)
1 team from Africa & Rest of the World (Africa & Oceania combined)

Each team will consist of 4 male and 4 female athletes.

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DISCIPLINES:

Carom: 3-Cushion (Men & Women)
Snooker: 15-Reds (Men); 6-Reds (Women)
Pool: 10-Ball (Men & Women)
Heyball (Men & Women)

PRIZES:

Winner:	USD 44,000	plus gold medal
Runner-up:	USD 34,000	plus silver medal
3 rd place:	USD 20,000	plus bronze medal
4 th place:	USD 16,000	
5 th place:	USD 14,000	
6 th place:	USD 12,000	

Total Prize: USD 140,000

ACCOMMODATION:

Players/Member Federations will have to manage their own accommodation.

Grand Hotel, Kielce, Poland
Single Room 80 EUR (340 PLZ) BB
Double Room 99 EUR (420 PLZ) BB

<https://www.grandhotelkielce.pl/en/>

For reservations, contact the below email id or phone number latest by 12th July 2024 –
hotel@grandhotelkielce.pl
+ 48 41 365 50 00

TRANSPORTATION:

Players/Member Federations will have to manage their own transportation to and from the hotel.

The nearest recommended airport – Warsaw Airport (F. Chopin).

Post arriving in Warsaw, athletes can take a bus or train to Kielce. The hotel is located 100m from the bus and train stations.

Bus - <https://www.flixbus.pl/>
Train - <https://www.pkp.pl/pl/home>

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DRESS CODE:

- Black Shoes
- Black Trousers (Jeans are not allowed)
- Black Socks
- Polo T-shirts for each team will be provided by the WCBS at the venue.

ATHLETE SPONSOR LOGO REGULATIONS:

- Every player is allowed to have a maximum of 3 personal sponsor logo spots
- Each spot can be a maximum of 80 square centimeters in dimension
- Spots are only allowed on both sides of the polo; 1 under the Championship Logo on the left side + 2 on the right side
- No spots are allowed on the back side or on the sleeves of the polo
- No publicity is allowed for Tablecloths and Balls.

PRELIMINARY GENERAL SCHEDULE:

Date and Time	Purpose
23 rd July 2024	Arrivals for everyone coming from outside of Europe.
24 th July 2024	Arrivals for everyone coming from Europe. Can choose to arrive on 23 rd July as well.
24 th July 2024 – 16:00 to 19:00	Training session. 30 minutes for each team.
24 th July 2024 – 19:30 to 20:00*	Anti-doping education session. Mandatory attendance for all.
24 th July 2024 – 20:15 to 21:00*	Opening Ceremony. Mandatory attendance for all.
24 th July 2024 – 21:00 to 21:30*	Players/Team Meeting.
25 th to 28 th July 2024	Competition days.
29 th July 2024	Departures for all.

*Subject to change

PLAYING FORMAT, TRAINING, AND MATCH SCHEDULE:

Detailed playing format, training, and match schedule to be announced soon.

IMPORTANT CONTACTS:

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