



Cup of the Blue Swords

Olympic Qualification Event for 2020 Tokyo Olympic Games

Meißen, GERMANY

28. - 31. August 2019

ENTRY BOOKLET



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EVENT**



INTERNATIONAL
WEIGHTLIFTING
FEDERATION



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Welcome

Dear Friends and Colleagues of the International Weightlifting Family,

The Tournament for the "Cup of the Blue Swords" in Meißen has achieved international reputation in the 1970s and 1980s and became a symbol for international top level Weightlifting in Germany since then. After being paused for more than 20 years during the first decades of the German re-unification process, the tournament was revived in 2012. Thanks to the commitment and the persuasiveness of the local Weightlifting club of AC Meißen and its team, led by Jürgen Grellmann. Since then the tournament has been the flagship of German Weightlifting when it comes to events beside the regular EWF and IWF championships. For that I express my thanks and appreciation on behalf of the German Weightlifting Federation BVDG!

This year we jointly add a new chapter to the success story of the Cup of the Blue Swords: the tournament is a qualifying tournament for the 2020 Olympic Games in Tokyo as an IWF tournament with bronze status.

On behalf of BVDG and the organizing team I want to wish all lifters, coaches and officials best success!

Welcome to Meißen, welcome to the famous Cup of the Blue Swords!

Dr. Christian Baumgartner
President German Weightlifting Federation



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1. Dates

28. August - 31. August 2019 – Training Hall available

29. August - 31. August 2019 – Competition

2. Competition Venue

Athletikclub Meißen e.V.
Gewichtheberhalle Meißen
Im Sportzentrum Heiliger Grund
Goethestraße 27
01662 Meißen, Germany

3. Training Venue

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4. Accommodation

Participants must accept accommodation to stay at the following hotels offered by the Organizing Committee. A minimum stay of 3 (three) nights is required for all participants.

Hotel Alte Klavierfabrik
Ferdinandstraße 2
01662 Meißen, Germany

Dorint-Hotel
Hafenstraße 27-31
01662 Meißen, Germany

5. Financial Conditions

Hotel Alte Klavierfabrik or Dorint-Hotel:

Single room: 120,- Euro per person/per night with full board

Double room: 100,- Euro per person/per night with full board

Entry fee: 180,- Euro onetime per person

Anti-Doping Fee 20,- Euro onetime per athlet

Transportation: Airport Berlin: 80,- Euro onetime per person

Airport Leipzig: 50,- Euro onetime per person

Airport Dresden: 50,- Euro onetime per person

by self-arranged journey (by car or bus): no transportation fees

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NOTE: For any nations which do not provide Entry Forms before the deadline in a correct way, the Organizing Committee (OC) will not guarantee the price and the type of the room listed in the regulation. No accommodation or transportation is guaranteed until full payment is received.

“No-Show” and Cancellation Charge Terms:

If one or more delegation members do not arrive on the date specified on the Final Accommodation and Transportation Forms and have not informed the Organizing Committee (OC) by 60 days before the scheduled arrival date, the delegation must pay to the Organizing Committee (OC) the charge of “No-Show” per person (refer the rates below).

No-show or Cancellations charge rates are as follows based on Meißen, Germany time:

59 - 40 days before arrival: 40%

39 - 20 days before arrival: 60%

19 - 5 days before arrival: 90%

4 - 0 days before arrival (or No-show on the reservation day): 100%

Additional Bookings & Changes:

After 10 JUNE 2019, should you require any additional hotel rooms the Organizing Committee (OC) will use their 'best efforts' to accommodate your additional team members in the same hotel as the other members of your team. However, this cannot be guaranteed.

6. Method of Payment

A minimum 50% deposit of the total amount due must be transferred to the bank account below by 10th June 2019. All bank charges must be covered by the participating delegation. Please also see the specific wire transfer information in section 7. Please consider the time it takes to process the transfer in order for the payment to arrive by the deadline. We kindly ask you to send 10 days before your arrival, the bank document that accredits the final funds transfer to entries@bvdg-online.de in order to validate with our bank.

All payments must be made in Euro currency. Plus any bank charges for transfers or other transactions are the responsibility of the Member Federation.

No accommodations, meal coupons or event credentials will be offered to any delegation member until funds have been received in full by the Organizing Committee (OC).

7. Wire Transfers

Please make sure when sending wire payments that the payment is converted to Euro currency. All wire transfer payments are processed through a third party on behalf of the Organizing Committee (OC). The bank wire information needed to make the transaction to is below. Please make sure to reference your Federation Name for proper distribution to your tournament account. Any fees imposed for the transaction is to be covered separately by the sender.

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Following are the bank details:

Bank Name: Sparkasse Meißen
Bank Address: Hauptstraße 70, 01587 Riesa, Germany
BIC/S.W.I.F.T Code: SOLADES1MEI
IBAN: DE42 8505 5000 0500 1166 79
Account/Beneficiary Name: Athletikclub Meißen e. V.
Account/Beneficiary Address: Goethestraße 27, 01662 Meißen, Germany

8. Forms, Deadlines & Passport Copies

For Participants:

Final Entry Form, Final Accommodation Form together with room allocation details and Photos, Passport Copies and Final Transport Forms are due on 10th June 2019.

All Forms must be sent together with the electronic photo and passport copies before the deadline.

All forms must be sent to the following address: entries@bvdg-online.de

For Media:

All media participants must be approved in advance. Please submit your Media Accreditation Form to schneidenbach@bvdg-online.de. Deadline is 10th June 2019.

9. Visas

All participants who require visas to Germany shall apply in their own nation.

10. Accreditation

The Accreditation will take place at

Gewichtheberhalle Meißen

Im Sportzentrum Heiliger Grund

Goethestraße 27

01662 Meißen, Germany

NOTE: Check-in is after 03:00 p.m., check-out is before 11:00 a.m.

11. Anthem

No anthems will be played during the victory ceremony.

12. Transportation

The Organizing Committee (OC) will provide shuttle bus or van transportation service from Dresden, Leipzig & Berlin Airport. Participants must provide their full and accurate flight schedule by 10th June 2019.

Transportation forms shall state which airport, airline, flight number and times each delegate will be arriving and departing on. Any change in travel schedule must be communicated on time.

Onsite transportation changes or new requests are not guaranteed to be accommodated.

Shuttle bus will be provided for all participants to get to the venues.

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13. Competition Regulation

The Cup of the Blue Swords will follow the IWF Technical and Competition Rules and Regulations (TCRR).

14. Terms and Conditions of Participation

Accredited Participants – athletes, team officials, technical officials (TOs), media, guests, etc. must:

- acknowledge and fully comply with IWF Constitution and By-Laws, TCRR, Anti-Doping Policy (ADP)
- abide by all reasonable directions given by the IWF, the Organizing Committee (OC), TOs
- accept any prize or award given by IWF and/or OC/sponsors, and will attend all special award ceremonies where prizes or awards are presented
- attend Press Conference upon request of IWF/OC
- not participate in, support, or promote illegal betting
- be responsible for all property they bring into the Event – the IWF and/or OC shall have no responsibility in any loss or damage of this property
- irrevocable release IWF & OC from liability for any loss, injury, or damage that they may suffer in relation to their participation in the Event
- guarantee that they participate in the Event with the permission of their parent(s) or guardian(s) in case they are minors
- acknowledge that by not following the above mentioned terms and conditions, sanctions may be imposed
- agree that entry is subject to payment of all fees inclusive of entry, anti-doping, accommodation, food and transportation payment prior to use of any OC or IWF facility, or for airport transfers
- acknowledge that no accommodation or arrangement is guaranteed until full payment is received in advance
- all participating Federations should undertake full moral and financial responsibility of their registered/accredited delegates with regard to their health and wellness, and in the case of accidents or damages not attributable to the OC.

15. Eligibility

Participating Athletes must be born in or after 2004.

In accordance with Article 5.6.5 of the IWF Anti- Doping Policy an Athlete who is not listed on the IWF's Registered Testing Pool but wishes to participate in an IWF Event shall provide accurate and complete whereabouts information as set out at Annex I of the International Standard for Testing and Investigations for a period of at least two months prior to the IWF Event in question. An Athlete who does not comply with this provision is not eligible to compete at the IWF Event.

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Athletes who wish to compete at the Cup of Blue Swords shall submit their whereabouts information for the period outlined above at the latest on 29th June 2019.

In case you and/or your Athletes encounter any difficulties related to whereabouts submission, please report IMMEDIATELY at adams@iwfnet.net.

More information on eligibility of an Athlete can be found on the IWF Anti-Doping Policy.

16. Event Categories

Men: 55kg / 61kg / 67kg / 73kg / 81kg / 89kg / 96kg / 102kg / 109kg / +109kg
Women: 45kg / 49kg / 55kg / 59kg / 64kg / 71kg / 76kg / 81kg / 87kg / +87kg

17. Awards

Prizes Total:

1st Place: large winner's vase from Meissner Porcelain Manufacture (value approx. 1.500,- Euros) and 1.000,- Euros cash prize
2nd Place: 700,- Euros cash prize
3rd Place: 500,- Euros cash prize
4th Place: 300,- Euros cash prize
5th Place: 200,- Euros cash prize

Should the overall winner break the current record of Robi Points a special bonus of 500,- Euros will be presented to the new record holder. Should two or more competitors break the current record with the same amount of total points the competitor who is the **first** to break the current record will receive the winners prize as well as the bonus prize money for the new record.

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18. Doping Control

Doping Control will be conducted in accordance with the IWF Anti-Doping Policy.

19. Barbell

IWF approved barbells will be used in Competition & Training.

20. Insurance

According to IWF Regulations, all participants must be under coverage for travel and accident/injury by their respective Federations before their departure from their hometown.

ORGANIZING COMMITTEE (OC) contact details:

German Weightlifting Federation

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Preliminary Competition Schedule

(subject to change according to entries)

Wednesday, 28. August

06:00 p.m. Final Entries Verification
07:00 p.m. Technical Meeting

Thursday 29. August

10:00 a.m. Women 45kg, 49kg, 55kg
01:30 p.m. Men 55kg, 61kg
05:00 p.m. Women 59kg, 64kg

08:00 p.m. Welcome Party vineyard Meißen
(for the Delegation Leaders)

Friday 30. August

10:00 a.m. Men 67kg, 73kg
01:30 p.m. Women 71kg, 76kg
05:00 p.m. Men 81kg, 89kg

Saturday 31. August

10:00 a.m. Men 96kg, 102kg
01:30 p.m. Women 81kg, 87kg, +87kg
05:00 p.m. Men 109kg, +109kg

08:30 p.m. Banquet

Sunday 01. September

Departure of delegations



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