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WELCOME MESSAGE

from Zena Wooldridge OBE – President of Europe Squash Federation

On behalf of the European Squash Federation, welcome to the 28th European Clubs Championships in Krakow. Whether player, coach, spectator or official, thank you for supporting this ESF championships, which this year comprise 15 men's and 9 women's teams representing 13 European nations. We hope you have a successful and memorable event.

This year's event continues to be very high calibre with five top 20 world ranked players competing. The question is, will the other 14 men's teams manage to prevent Worms Germany winning its 3rd consecutive men's title?

Poland have hosted a number of very successful European and World events over recent years, but this is the first time the ECC has come to Poland. I'm sure a number of you will be returning to Poland next spring for European Team Championships Divisions 1 & 2 in Warsaw. We'd like to thank the Polish Squash Federation for its support of these major events for squash, and particularly its President Tomasz Banasiak and Office Manager Jakub Zalotynski.

We are also grateful to the sponsors, including title sponsor BREMER, and also to Simple, McWil, Pilot, and official car provider Jaguar. Thank you all sincerely for your kind support of this European Championship.

May I take the opportunity to also thank Maciek Maciantowicz and his club Squash4You for hosting the event, and to Maciek for his role as Championship Director, Piotr Samborski as Tournament Referee, and Martin Wren for his experienced leadership of this event for many years on behalf of ESF.

I'm sure we'll see the best of squash spirit practiced on and off court over the weekend, and I wish you all a great championship.

Zena Wooldridge OBE, President, European Squash



WELCOME MESSAGE

from Squash4You Club Owner & Championships Director, Maciek Maciantowicz

I am really happy to welcome you all to this year's European Club Championships. I would like to thank all the players, coaches, supporters and spectators for their presence at the tournament because it is you who make this event memorable.

I am sure we will see great squash games as the best squash clubs in Europe have come to join us. I believe this event is the best promotion of squash not only locally but also in whole country.

I am also delighted to welcome you to Kraków, which is known for its friendly and unique atmosphere. I hope you will have a chance to see the city's most spectacular historical places like Wawel Castle and Old Town Square with Sukiennice. Make sure to visit Kazimierz, once the city's main Jewish area with synagogues and numerous excellent restaurants and bars. Have a good fun and unforgettable sport emotions!

Squash4You Club Owner & Championships Director, Maciek Maciantowicz



WELCOME MESSAGE

*from President of Polish Squash Federation,
Tomasz Banasiak*

Ladies and Gentlemen, Dear Players and Squash Sympathizers,
In 2012, I proposed to the Management Board of the Polish Squash Federation the strategy based on three international tournaments in Poland, of increasing importance in consecutive years. Hard to believe, the first one - European Club Championships - is about to start.

I am very pleased and glad that this event gives an exceptional opportunity to see on Polish courts the best worldwide female and male players who will compete for their clubs from all over Europe. The Championships is played in the unique city of Krakow. I am convinced that the tournament schedule will allow players and fans to see this beautiful city and get familiar with its culture and entertainment.

Additionally, to raise spectators' sport experience, the glass court is erected in one of the most popular shopping mall in the city center. The location is already well known for squash enthusiasts from previous Squash & Art Festivals organized in previous years for the National Polish Team Championships. Using the opportunity I thank the employees of the Squash4You Club, its owner and the Championships Director Mr. Maciej Maciantowicz, as well as all the organizers, partners and sponsors who enabled the realization of the project in Poland.

Let's remember us also that four Polish teams will appear on the ECC 2015. Do not spare yourselves to support them strongly and firmly in achieving the best results.

I wish you all a wonderful time in Krakow, sport emotions at the highest level, as well as a lot of fun and joy.

Tomasz Banasiak, President Polish Squash Federation, Passionate For Squash

CHAMPIONSHIP OFFICIALS

Sports/Package Manager:

[Katarzyna Zygan](#), +48 500 497 222

Hospitality Manager (shuttle bus, hotel):

[Gabriela Kuza](#), +48 797 409 734

Sports Assistant:

[Maciej Stypa](#)

Marketing /Glass Court Area:

[Marek Januskiewicz](#)

Medical Assistance:

First Aiders unit will be available on site

ORGANISATION COMMITTEE

EFS Director:

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Championship Referee/Sports Director:

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Championship Director:

[Maciej Maciantowicz](#), +48 508 256 455, maciek@mmsport.com.pl

EFS CHAMPIONSHIPS ADJUDICATING PANEL (CAP)

The CAP consists of the ESF Director ([Martin Wren](#)), the Championship Referee ([Piotr Samborski](#)) and the Championship Director ([Maciej Maciantowicz](#)). ESF Director may recruit other members as appropriate.

The Championship Adjudicating Committee shall be responsible for all final decisions on appeals during the tournament — the decision of the CAP is final.

CHAMPIONSHIP REGULATIONS

The European Club Championships will be run in accordance with the ESF regulations. The Regulations of the Championships are available on the ESF website europeansquash.com and in the Championship Office. Copies are available on request.

TOURNAMENT TIME

All times will be CEST. The tournament clock will be located at the tournament office.

WELCOME PACKAGE

To ensure the smooth running of the Championships, we ask that Team Managers visit the Championship Office to collect their team's welcome package. Tournament T-shirt is for each person with Standard Package.

VENUE

Squash4You Club

Address: Nad Strugą 7 street

E-mail: kontakt@squash4you.pl

Telephone: +48 12 442-44-99

Mobile Phone: +48 500 497 333

Website: squash4you.pl



Galeria Krakowska (shopping mall) — Glass Court area

Address: Pawia 5 street
Glass Court will be at level -1,
in front of the Empik store.



Buses from Squash4You Club to Galeria Krakowska, no. 105, 115 (Aleja 29 Listopada bus stop, direction: Dworzec Główny Zachód / Dworzec Główny Wschód).

ENTRANCE TO GLASS COURT AREA

Only Standard & Basic Package includes entrance (with ECC ID) to the glass court arena. While area around glass court is very small there will be only around 20-30 seats available. All matches will be visible from each floor (and around court) of shopping mall free of charge.

CHANGING ROOM AT GLASS COURT

The changing rooms are located in Fitness Platinum Gym located on 2nd level (floor) near the head office of Galeria Krakowska. Each player need to show ID to get his locker. Whenever player lose a key to his locker he will be charged amount of **5 euro** (25polish zloty).

CHAMPIONSHIP HOTEL

CROWN PIAST HOTEL & PARK

Address: Walerego Eliasza
Radzikowskiego 109 street
PL 31-342, Krakow
Telephone: +48 12 683 26 00
Email: repcja@hotelpiast.pl



The Crown Piast Hotel & Park is approximately 12 minutes (5,6 km) by car/taxi from Squash4You Club and 15 minutes (6,6km) from Glass Court (Galeria Krakowska mall).

Bus between Hotel and Squash4You Club is no. 172 (Hotel: Rondo Ofiar Katynia bus stop, Squash4You: Opolska Estakada bus stop).

CHECK-IN – ACCOMMODATION

All participants, officials, etc. who have taken the “Standard Package” can check-in to their hotel rooms from 16.00 hrs at The Crown Piast Hotel & Park. All Players must register in person at the Squash4You Club, open from 14.00 to 19.30 on Tuesday 15th September.

All players must settle the bill for all their extras at the hotel reception before departure. The Hotel will charge for removal of towels from hotel rooms. The Hotel also offers a laundry service, ask for details at check in.

Standard Package = All inclusive package
(including transport/food/hotel/closing dinner&party ticket)

Basic Package = closing dinner&party ticket only

CHECK-OUT

All participants, officials, etc. who have taken the “Standard Package” must check-out from their hotel rooms until 12.00 hrs.

CHAMPIONSHIP OFFICE

The Championship Office will be located at the Squash4You Club at ground floor. Access to Team Managers and Championship Officials only. Latest team information and updates on results will be displayed on the Club Championship screen.

To ensure the smooth running of the Championships, we ask that Team Managers visit the Office to collect their team’s information sheets and daily results and to check their mail boxes on a regular basis.

WEBSITE – LIVE SCORING – LIVE LOCAL STREAMING

The Championship official website is: www.squash4you.pl/ecc2015

The European Team Championships will have live scoring published on the official website or via tournamentsoftware.com

You can follow on-line the matches played on Glass court since Friday on www.nasquasha.pl

MEALS – FINAL DINNER & PARTY

Standard Package Meals

(a buffet breakfast will be served in the Crown Piast Hotel & Park)

Breakfast will be served from 07:00 hrs to 10:00 hrs

The Hotel have the right to check your eligibility to eat at the breakfast buffet — remember your room card.

On 15th September 2015 **Lunch** will be served at Squash4You from 15:00 hrs to 16:00 hrs and **Dinner** from 18:00 hrs to 20:00 hrs.

(note: this is Tuesday only)

Since 16th September 2015 **Lunch** will be served at Squash4You from 11:30 hrs to 14:30 hrs

(note: this is Wednesday to Saturday)

Early Evening meal served at Squash4You from 16:30 hrs to 19:00 hrs

(note: this is only Wednesday to Friday)

Meal Vouchers will be provided to all Standard Package Players, Managers, Guests and Officials to cash in for lunch & early evening meals provided in the Catering Area at the Squash Venue. Snacks and drink are available from the Club bar in-between — at published prices.

COLLECTION OF & LOST MEAL VOUCHERS

It is the responsibility of the Team Manager/Representative to ensure vouchers are collected from Championship Office. If a voucher is lost then a replacement voucher can be purchased from the Squash4You Reception Desk at a cost of **8 euro** (35 polish zloty) each lunch/dinner.

MENU:

Tuesday:

Lunch: cream of onion + farfalle with broccoli and cheese sauce

Dinner: tart with choice of fillings

Wednesday:

Lunch: cream of pumpkin + chicken in sweet and sour sauce with rice and salads / yeast tart with vegetables

Dinner: bolognese / vegetarian casserole

Thursday:

Lunch: cream of zucchini + turkey / vegetarian cutlets with stewed vegetables and rice

Dinner: lecho with meat / vegetarian

Friday:

Lunch: cream of tomato + penne with creamy spinach and chicken / cheese, almonds and nuts

Dinner: goulash / vegetarian tart

Saturday:

Lunch: cream of broccoli + chili con carne with beef / vegetarian pancakes (spinach with feta cheese or cheese with fruits)

All dishes may change – the information is given as a guide.

BASIC PACKAGE, GUESTS AND SPECTATOR MEAL VOUCHERS

Meal vouchers can be purchased from the Squash4You Reception Desk to use in the Catering Area at a cost of **8 euro** (35 polish zloty) each lunch/dinner.

FINAL EVENING DINNER

LA GRANDE MAMMA

Address: Main Market Square 26
PL 31-008, Krakow



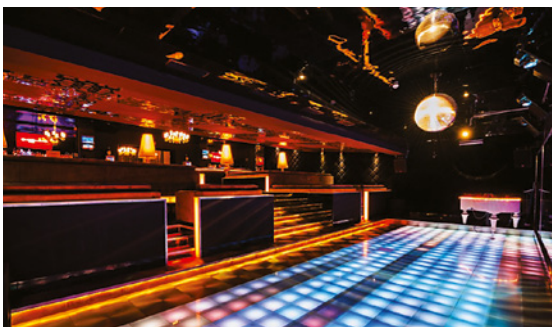
Standard & Basic Package includes entrance (with ECC ID) to the dinner. Dress code: smart casual. Starts at 21:00 hrs, shuttle bus (for those with standard package) will leave from Crown Piast Hotel at 20:40 hrs.

All other Guests and Spectators can purchase a ticket from Championships Office ([Katarzyna Zygan](#)) for 35 euro each. (Ticket includes a 3 course meal and dessert, soft drinks and 2 glasses of wine).

FINAL CHAMPIONSHIPS PARTY

SHINE CLUB

Address: Starowiślna 16 Street
PL 31-032, Krakow



Doors open 23:00 hrs, door policy: over 21 years old, dress code: smart casual. Walking distance from “La grande mamma” (900meters). Standard & Basic Package includes a entrance (with ECC ID) to the party.

All other Guests and Spectators can purchase a ticket at the Shine Club (around 10-20 polish zloty / 3-4 euro).

OPENING

There will be a “Welcome Drink” for all Players, Managers, Officials, Club Volunteers, Club Staff and Player Guests in Squash4You Club around 18:30 before the Managers Meeting.

MANAGERS MEETING

The Managers Meeting for the Championship will be held at the Squash4You Club on Tuesday 15th September 2015 – 19:00 to 20:00 hrs.

REFEREES / MARKERS

Squash4You have provided 11 qualified referees and markers, to officiate all the matches.

VICTORY CEREMONY

The prize-giving ceremony will follow immediately after the men’s final. The top 3 teams — men and women — must be present in team track-suits at glass court.

SQUASH BALL



The Dunlop PRO ball ([double yellow dot](#)) will be used for all matches in Squash4You Club. The Dunlop PRO CHAMPIONSHIP ([white ball](#)) will be used for all matches on glass court.

TIN HEIGHT

All matches shall be played on courts with [19 inch](#) (48cm) tins, except that a [17 inch](#) (43cm) tin will be used for all matches in men's semi-final and final matches in ECC.

MATCH / TIE INFORMATION

For detailed information please see the notice boards at Squash4You Club or on the official event website squash4you.pl/ecc or [Facebook: Squash&Art Festival](#).

It is the responsibility of each team to be ready at the advertised start time of the tie. Each nominated player must be present at the venue at the start time of the tie otherwise he/she will be withdrawn from the team.

TEAM NOMINATION – PLAYERS ON COURT

The official squad playing order shall be adhered to throughout the Championships. Any player can be omitted from a Tie provided the replacement player is lower in the order of merit approved by the CAP.

Unless the Sports Director is notified in writing at least one hour before the scheduled start of a Tie or within 10 minutes of completion of the previous Tie (whichever is the later), Managers shall be deemed to have selected their top players in the order of merit. The CAP reserves the right to allow changes to player nominations after the deadline for each Tie in exceptional circumstances.

PLAYERS ORDER

The playing order of matches in all Ties on each day of the Championships will be drawn by the CAP and shall be posted in the Championship Office.

PRACTICE COURTS & GYM USE

On Tuesday 15th September practice courts are available from 14.00 until 18:00 hrs, closed during the Managers Meeting / Welcome Cocktail.

On all other days the team managers must book their practice times through Championship Office ([Katarzyna Zygan](#)).

MEDICAL

Medical staff will be on duty during match times at Squash4You Club and Glass Court . Players who require medical attention outside match times should liaise with the Championship Office.

PHYSIOTHERAPY

A physio will be available during match times at Squash4You Club. The Physio is independent from the Club and will display the tariff for this service next to the treatment room.

VOLUNTEERS

There will be a number of volunteers at the Glass Court and at Squash4You Club who are here to help. They will be easily identified in t-shirts. They should be able to assist with most matters or be able to find one of the organising committee.

ANTIDOPING

The ESF and Host Association reserve the right to implement compulsory dope testing for any player participating in the Championships. A notice to this effect shall be included on the Entry Form. The doping regulations shall be those published by the WSF.

ECC TOURNAMENT ID

All Standard & Basic Package will get [ECC Tournament ID](#).

[Standard Package](#) = All inclusive package including transport/food/hotel/closing dinner&party ticket/admission to Glass Court Area.

[Basic Package](#) = closing dinner&party ticket/admission to Glass Court Area.

EYE PROTECTION – JUNIOR PLAYERS

All Junior players (U19) participating in the Championships must wear approved eye protection throughout practice and play.

RESPONSIBILITY

Players enter and play the [BREMER European Club Championships](#) at their own risk. Neither the ESF or Squash4You Club will accept responsibility for injury or other damages arising from your participation in the competition.

CHANGING ROOMS

The changing rooms are located on the 1st floor of Squash4You Club. Located in the males and female changing rooms are open and cubicle showers, a relax room and sauna. Squash4You Club ask that the changing rooms are not used for squash bag storage room. Squash4You Club cannot be held responsible for the loss of players personal possessions left unattended in the changing rooms.

SQUASH BAGS

Squash bag storage will be provided in front of Court No. 4. This room will have security camera coverage during its use. For health & safety requirements no bags should be left in the corridors, gangways or social areas. Bags that are left in awkward or safety restricted places will be removed. No responsibility can be accepted for loss or damage to personal items (also those in squash bag storage). Please do not leave any belongings in the changing rooms.

RACKET STRINGING

Racket stringing service is available through Squash4You Club reception desk. Racket stringing normally takes 24 hours but a quicker service may be available. This service is available at players own expense.

TEAM / TOURNAMENT PHOTOGRAPHS

Team photographs will be arranged via the Team Manager/Representative during the Tournament. A tournament photograph will be taken after Managers Meeting and before Welcome Cocktail. Photographs will be used on publicity throughout the tournament and post.

WI-FI

Both Squash4You Club and Crown Piast Hotel have [free Wi-fi](#) connection facilities.

EXCHANGE RATE

In Galeria Krakowska (Glass Court) and City Centre there are plenty of exchange points. Currency rates (9th September 2015) should be around: **1 euro** (€) ≈ 4,20 polish zloty, **1 pound** (£) ≈ 5,78 polish zloty.

[We don't recommend](#) to change money at the airport or at 24hour exchange points.

TOURNAMENT T-SHIRT

Under Armour short sleeve t-shirt with ECC 2015 logo (value 109 polish zloty). There is possibility to buy a tournament t-shirt for 80 polish zloty (**20 euro**) for men or women (women sizes: XS, S, M, men sizes: S, M, L, XL).

KRAKOW

Remarkably unscathed during both World Wars, and extremely pleasing on the eye, it's no wonder that Krakow is Poland's most visited city.

The Polish capital until 1596, the cobbled squares, churches and mosques, and gothic architecture are what draw thousands of visitors year after year.

Krakow also boasts countless jazz clubs, whetting the appetite of live music lovers from both home and abroad. We strongly recommend to visit: Old Town Square, St Mary's Church, Wawel Castle, Kazimierz (Old Jewish District). Around Krakow: Auschwitz or Wieliczka Salt Mine.

TRANSPORTATION

There will be a shuttle service operating between the Crown Piast Hotel – Squash4You Club – Glass Court (Galeria Krakowska). Driver will be authorized to check ECC ID and verify if person is eligible to use it. We strongly recommend to take earliest possible shuttle. Please see the shuttle schedule attached as Annex 1.

Approximate prices for local taxi will be:

Crown Piast Hotel – Squash4You Club, 20-25 polish zloty (≈**5euro**)

Squash4You Club – Galeria Krakowska/Glass Court, 15 polish zloty (≈**3euro**)

Galeria Krakowska/Glass Court – Crown Piast Hotel, 22-27 polish zloty (≈**6euro**)

Prices of fare may vary depends on taxi company. We strongly recommend following companies: **Mega Taxi**: +48 12 400 00 00, **Icar Taxi**: +48 12 653 55 55

ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE

All who book the standard package flying into & out of Krakow Balice Airport will be collected and taken to the Crown Piast Hotel & Park. Driver will be waiting in Arrivals with a sign showing "**BREMER EUROPEAN CLUB CHAMPINSHIPS – ECC 2015**".

TRANSPORT SCHEDULE**Tuesday 15.09**

hotel – departure	club – arrival	club – departure	hotel – arrival
15:15	15:35	—	—
17:30	17:50	—	—
—	—	19:30	19:50
—	—	20:10	20:30

bus size (ppl)
50
30
40
40

Wednesday 16.09

hotel – departure	club – arrival	club – departure	hotel – arrival
07:20	07:40	07:40	08:00
08:00	08:20	08:20	08:40
09:00	09:20	09:20	09:40
10:00	10:20	10:20	10:40
11:00	11:20	11:20	11:40
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Galeria Krakowska – arrival	Galeria Krakowska – departure	bus size (ppl)
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TRANSPORT SCHEDULE

Thursday 17.09

hotel – arrival	hotel – departure	club – arrival	club – departure
—	07:20	07:40	07:40
08:00	08:00	08:20	08:20
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21:00	21:00	—	—
22:00	22:00	—	—
23:00	—	—	—

Galeria Krakowska – arrival	Galeria Krakowska – departure	bus size (ppl)
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22:20	22:40	40
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TRANSPORT SCHEDULE

Friday 18.09

hotel – arrival	hotel – departure	club – arrival	club – departure
—	08:00	08:20	08:20
09:00	09:00	09:20	09:20
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22:40	—	—	—

Galeria Krakowska – arrival	Galeria Krakowska – departure	bus size (ppl)
08:40	08:40	60
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16:40	16:40	40
17:40	17:40	20
18:40	18:40	40
19:40	19:40	20
20:20	20:40	20
21:20	21:40	40
22:20	22:20	60
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TRANSPORT SCHEDULE

Saturday 19.09

hotel – arrival	hotel – departure	club – arrival	club – departure
—	08:00	08:20	08:20
09:00	09:00	09:20	09:20
10:00	10:00	10:20	10:20
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12:00	12:00	12:20	12:20
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15:00	15:00	15:20	15:20
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—	—	—	—
—	—	—	—
19:00	19:00	—	—
20:00	20:40 destination: final dinner	—	—

Galeria Krakowska – arrival	Galeria Krakowska – departure	bus size (ppl)
08:40	08:40	40
09:40	09:40	40
10:40	10:40	40
11:40	11:40	60
12:40	12:40	60
13:40	13:40	40
14:40	—	70
15:40	—	20
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—	—	—
—	18:40	20
—	19:30	100
—	—	100

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