

STACK Sanctioning Appendix for EuroCup

SUMMARY

This is the EuroCup Appendix to the STACK Sanctioning Guideline. It contains some more specific information and requirements for the STACK primary event EuroCup.

In general the STACK Sanctioning Guideline is the basic sanctioning guideline for EuroCup. This document will provide additional requirements and may override STACK Sanctioning Guideline.

PROCEDURE

In difference to the STACK Sanctioning Guideline the Event Organiser must send a sanction application form to the STACK International Executive Committee (SIEC) at **least 12 weeks before** the competition.

At this time the organizer must also provide basic information concerning

- costs for offered packages and what is included.
e.g. Package components (accommodation, food, banquet, competition fee) must have separate pricing, so competitors and companions can choose what they need
- Maximum capacity and quality of the accommodation

QUALIFICATION *

Only qualified competitors may compete at EuroCup.

General qualification requirements for competitors are:

- The competitor must have competed in at least 1 STACK sanctioned event in the 12 months preceding the start of forthcoming EuroCup. The previous EuroCup, a World Sport Kite Championship (WSKC) or any other primary event cannot be included.
- The competitor must have been a paid up STACK member at all competitions that are used to qualify them for EuroCup and still be a STACK member at the time of forthcoming EuroCup

* Note: specially invited competitors may be accepted by SIEC



Place Assignments:

1. The following classes of competition for the title of European Champion will be planned to held at EuroCup:

- Dual line individual (DI)
- Dual line pairs (DP)
- Dual line teams (DT)
- Multi line individuals (MI)
- Multi line pairs (MP)
- Multi line teams (MT)

If there are less then two competitors in a class present at EuroCup, the class will not be held.

2. The starting places per class for EuroCup are:

- 1 for each champion from previous years EuroCup
- 1 extra place per class for hosting country
- 2 places per STACK country
- Up to 4 invitations by SIEC or the organizer in agreement of the SIEC for international members
- The places assigned to each nation are to be filled by a top down order of the local ranking lists, 6 weeks before the competition.
- If the top raked competitor of the list is the present EuroCup-champion or rejects, the next on the list will be asked.
- The procedure of creating the local ranking lists is required to be based upon the sum of the rankings of the national competitions for the last 12 months before EuroCup.
- The National Directors will create this list und make it public prior to or at the time of the selection.
- Places for international members will be assigned by SIEC, based upon each competitor's activity in the last 12 months before current EuroCup.

Additional Definitions:

- EuroCup qualification competitions are any STACK sanctioned competition which were open to any STACK member without any restrictions (e.g. for non-country members).
- The minimum amount of competitors per competition class as defined in the SIEC Meeting minutes (22nd November, 1996) remains at two.



- If for any reason beyond the control of a competitor, only one competitor is able and/or willing to compete there will be no ranking points given. However sanctioning will not be withdrawn and this competition will be counted for usage for the qualification criteria.
- * The current STACK nations are: UK, Germany, Italy, France, Norway/ Sweden, Belgium/ Holland, Finland, Spain and Turkey. Other nations are dormant or handled by one of these nations.

JUDGES and FIELD DIRECTORS

- Judges and Field Directors will be chosen by the STACK International Head Judge (IHJ).
- The STACK IHJ will inform the organizer and the SIEC of these selections at latest 6 weeks before EuroCup.
- It is guessed that the Judges panel represents each STACK nation.*
- The Judges should be experienced in international competitions.
- The panels must meet the financial restrictions.
- The Chief Judge (CJ) for EuroCup is the IHJ unless the IHJ appoints someone else as CJ.

* Note: this is not feasonble at the moment

INFORMATION

The EuroCup qualification procedure will be delivered to the National Directors, National Head Judges and the STACK website. All National Directors are responsible that all their STACK Members receive this procedure in one form or the other.

DEADLINES

Will be published by the SIEC in consultation of the EuroCup organizer on the same time with sanctioning. (recommended: STACK website, STACK National Directors, International Members)

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