

EUROPEAN DISC GOLF CHAMPIONSHIPS 2016 COUNTRY INFO & ROADMAP

Here's an info package about the 2016 European Disc Golf Championships. More detailed info will be sent to countries captains once the captains have been announced on December 9th 2015.

1. KEY FACTS ABOUT THE EDGC 2016

- Dates: 24.-27.8.2016, Wednesday thru Saturday.
- Location: Meri-Toppila DiscGolfPark, Oulu, Finland.
- Field: 200 players
- 6 Divisions: MPO, FPO, MPM, MPG, MPS and MJ1.
- Tournament format: Four 18-hole rounds with staggered starts. 50% of the players advance to Saturday's final round.
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- Estimated purse: 28 000€ (100% payout, with 10% of the players in MJ1 division)

2. TEAM CAPTAINS MUST BE NAMED BY DECEMBER 7TH

Team captains will be published on the EDGC website on December 9th.

Please send the following information to Jukka Teräs by December 7th 2015:

- Full name of the captain
- 🔀 Captain's email address
- 🌜 Captain's phone number

You're welcome to announce your country's captain before the date. The sooner we have the contact info of all captains the better.

3. CAPTAIN'S DUTIES

Being the captain is an honor but the role has its duties as well. The captain is responsible for:

- All communication between the event organizer and his/her country's team. (Whenever the organizer sends
 information that must reach the players, the captain must forward the information to all players.)
- Registering his/her country's team to the event.
- Taking care of the entry fee payments. (How each country organizes the entry fee payments is their own internal matter. A single payment from a country should be made in each appropriate phase.)
- Making sure that his/her country's team is present at the events where they are required to be. (More detailed week schedule for the event week will be delivered in summer 2016.)
- Representing his/her team during the event.

4. ENTRY FEE PAYMENTS

The EDGC 2016 entry fees will be paid to the Finnish Disc Golf Association, which also pays the prizes after the event. All countries must pay the entry fees of their players in a single payment. A separate quote will be sent to the team captain when the captain has registered his/her country's team.



5. IMPORTANT NOTICE ABOUT PRIZE PAYMENTS

The Finnish law obligates all sports event organizers to withhold a fixed 15% tax of all prize payments to foreign persons. E.g. this means that if a player receives $1000 \in$ as a prize, $850 \in$ will be paid to the player while $150 \in$ goes to the Finnish state. Finnish players are also liable to pay taxes of their prizes but the domestic taxation of prizes is handled differently.

MJ1 is a trophy/medals division only. The organizer may provide product prizes in addition.

6. EDGC 2016 ROADMAP

YEAR	PHASE	ТІМЕ	WHO	ACTION
2015	Phase 0	August	EDGF	Tentative Spot allocations by countries
		August	EDGC OC	EDGC2016 Roadmap
		September 9th	EDGC OC	EDGC2016 Website and logo published
		November	EDGC OC	Request to name Team Captains & Captain info
		November	EDGC OC	Website updated to more extensive version
		December 9th	Countries	Participating countries announce Team Captains
		December 9th	Team Captains	Team Captains send their contact info to EDGC OC
2016		January	EDGC OC	Registration system launched.
		January	EDGC OC	Team Captains receive their accounts to EDGC website
	Phase 1	February 3rd	Team Captains	Phase 1 registrations starts.
		March 23rd	Team Captains	All entry fees must be paid. Countries are allowed to reserve country spots by paying the entry fee for the spots.
	Phase 2	March 28th	EDGC OC & EDGF	Reallocation of unpaid spots.
		March 30th	Team Captains	Phase 2 registration starts.
		May 4th	Team Captains	All entry fees must be paid. All players must be named. Countries can no longer reserve spots without named players.
	Phase 3	May 9th	EDGC OC & EDGF	Reallocation of unpaid spots and unnamed spots.
		May 11th	Team Captains	Phase 3 registration starts.
		June 1st	Team Captains	All entry fees must be paid.



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2016	Phase 4	June 6th	EDGC OC & EDGF	Cancellation spots reallocated only when necessary.
		July 22nd	EDGC OC & EDGF	Cancellations made after this date won't be refunded.
		August 1st	EDGC OC	All materials finalized. (It will be impossible to make any changes to any printed materials after this date.)
		August 19th	EDGC OC	Tournament field set. Cancellations won't be reallocated after this date.
		August 22nd-23rd	Players	EDGC2016 Course reserved for practice
		August 23rd	All	EDGC2016 Opening Ceremony
		August 24th	All	EDGC2016 Round 1, 18 holes, Tee times, 200 players
		August 25th	All	EDGC2016 Round 2, 18 holes, Tee times, 200 players
		August 26th	All	EDGC2016 Round 3, 18 holes, Tee times, 200 players
		August 27th	All	EDGC2016 Round 4, 18 holes, Tee times, 100 players
		August 27th	All	EDGC2016 Prize & closing ceremony
		August 28th	All	EDGC2016 Doubles

LEGEND	ABBREVIATION	MEANING	
	EDGC OC	European Disc Golf Championship Organizing Committee	
	EDGF	European Disc Golf Federation	

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