



**MINIGOLF
NATIONS CUP
Stockholm / Sweden
11th - 12th June 2011**



approved by the meeting of WMF Technical Committee 29th January 2011

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INVITATION NATIONS CUP 11th - 12th June 2011

- PROMOTER:** World Minigolf Sport Federation (WMF)
- ORGANIZER:** Svenska Bangolfförbundet
- LOCATION OF COURSE:** Tantogårdens BGK, Skarpskyttegatan 6, SE - 117 34 STOCKHOLM, Sweden,
Phone: +46-8-6698295
miniaturegolf course A
concrete course B
- PARTICIPATION:** All active members of the WMF, as long as they came up to their obligations towards the WMF. WMF Board can on application approve the participation of nations, which are not yet active members of WMF.
- TEAM COMPETITION:** National teams with 4 players (composition open, but at least one female and one male player must be included)
maximum 4 teams per nation
maximum 3 single players per nation
total maximum 16 players per nation
- MODE:** Nation ranking for composition of two groups:
The nation ranking according to the results of the European Championships 2010 in Predazzo is calculated as follows
1. team ranks women and men count 5 nation points each
2. team ranks 3 points each, 3. ranks 2 points each and 4. ranks 1 point each
Points of women and men of each nation are added together.
A draw will be done between nations with identical points.
- Composition of two groups:
The teams are divided into two groups as follows
best + fourth ranked nation: team 1 in group A, team 2 of these nations in group B, team 3 of these nations in group A and team 4 of these nations in group B
second + third ranked nation: team 1 in group B, team 2 of these nations in group A, team 3 of these nations in group B and team 4 of these nations in group A
For remaining nations a draw will be done; two – four teams of the same nation are arranged to the two groups.
- Qualification rounds:
The number of rounds depends on the playing time, which is fixed from Saturday 08.00 am to 06.00 pm and Sunday 08.00 am to 11.00 am
Maximum 6 rounds on Saturday.
In case of slower playing the play is interrupted at 06.00 pm on Saturday and continued with a shot gun start on Sunday 08.00 am.
Absolute end of qualification rounds: Sunday, 11.00 am.
- Scoring qualification rounds inside the two groups:
Per round and 4-players-team the result is added.
After each round the teams get points.
For each victory against any other team in the group a team gets 2 points
For each equal score a team gets 1 point
For each lost game a team gets 0 point
If teams have same number of total points at the end of qualification rounds the better total score will decide about the ranking. If two or more teams have the same score, a team sudden death is played on course A with the rules of qualification rounds.

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MODE CONTINUED:

Qualification for the semifinals / finals:

From each group the first two teams qualify for the semifinals, the teams ranked 3 and 4 continue with the games for rank 5 - 8.

Semifinals: winner group A – 2nd group B
2nd group A – winner group B
game for rank 3: loser semifinal 1 – loser semifinal 2
final: winner semifinal 1 – winner semifinal 2

Matches for rank 5-8: game 1 3rd group A – 4th group B
game 2 4th group A – 3rd group B
match rank 7 loser game 1 – loser game 2
match rank 5 winner game 1 – winner game 2

Mode of matches for rank 5 – 8, semifinals and finals:

The finals are played as cup-system for the teams.

Composition of the playing-groups:

team 1 player 1 - team 2 player 1
team 2 player 2 - team 1 player 2
team 1 player 3 - team 2 player 3
team 2 player 4 - team 1 player 4

After 18 lanes the order inside each playing group is changed

Winner is the team with the lowest total score after 36 lanes.

Necessary team sudden death: right after the end of each match at the course last played.

RULES IN CASE OF ABENDONMENT:

If the tournament has to be abandoned prior to the planned end, the ranking will be done as follows:

Case 1: final abandonment during qualification rounds

Team ranking from 1-4:

From each group the two teams with currently highest points are ranked according to their strokes on all sequences of full 36 lanes, which are completed by all teams (reason: in groups with different numbers of teams (i.e. 7 and 8 teams) the teams can win different number of points per round and the points are not comparable)

Team ranking from 5-8: analogous places 1-4

Further rankings:

All teams from place 5 down in each group will be put in one pot and ranked according to their strokes on all sequences of full 36 lanes, which are completed by all teams.

Case 2: final abandonment during semi-finals

Before all teams could finish the first 18 lanes:

The 4 teams will be ranked according to their total stroke scores in qualification rounds, worst possible place for each of these teams is place 4. (analogous places 5 - 8).

If all teams have finished at least 18 but not 36 lanes:

Ranking according to the results of the first 18 lanes of the semifinal (analogous places 5 – 8)

Case 3: final abandonment after semi-finals

Winner is that winner of the two semifinals, who has the lower number of strokes in the semifinal. Places 3, 5 and 7 analogous.

Case 4: final abandonment during the final

Final places are defined according to the scores of all lanes, which are completed by both players in the pairings (analogous in the matches for places 3, 5 and 7) at the time the competition is abandoned.

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REGISTRATION: Until 31st March 2011 compulsory with enclosed form.

only to
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If participants from your country need visa for travelling to take part in the championships, please send information including all necessary data VERY EARLY to the organizer!! The contact address can be found under ACCOMMODATION in this invitation.

PRACTICING FEE: Pre official training: €3,00 (payable to organizer)

PARTICIPATION FEE: €30,00 for players, coaches and officials.
Charges have to be paid until 31st March 2011 to the account of WMF.
Bank: BGL BNP Paribas
Account number (IBAN): LU02 0030 0705 3954 0000
SWIFT-code / BIC: BGLLLULL
For delayed registrations or payments the participation fee is 125% of the fee above.

ACCOMMODATION: Please send requests for accommodation immediately only to

Svenska Bangolfförbundet, attn. Bengt Svensson,
Kviberg, SE – 41582 Göteborg
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The worldwide international sport rules of WMF including supplementary rules and worldwide international sport regulations are applied for the Nations Cup. In particular please note the regulations of WMF for the Nations Cup (general class). Each participant or for minors their legal guardian must have signed the forms for acceptance of WADA-code 2009 as well as media coverage and accept the WMF anti-doping regulations in current version. Sport shoes and uniform team sports clothing appropriate for minigolf are required during official practice time and tournament. Only sports hats are allowed.

Dr. Gerhard Zimmermann
WMF Sport Director

SCHEDULE

The registration of all participants has to be filed immediately after arrival in Stockholm, latest Thursday, 9th June 2011, 12.00 am.

THURSDAY, 9th June 2011

08.00 am – 06.00 pm	official training for all participants on both courses
01.00 pm	latest payment of practising fee
02.00 pm	coach meeting
06.00 pm	deadline for registration of team order and list of names of officials and coaches
06.00 pm	end of training for all participants
07.30 pm	opening ceremony of Nations Cup

FRIDAY, 10th June 2011

08.00 am – 06.00 pm	official training for all participants on both courses
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SATURDAY, 11th June 2011

08.00 am – 06.00 pm	qualification rounds group A: concrete, miniaturegolf, concrete, group B: miniaturegolf, concrete, miniaturegolf, maximum of 6 rounds every player is entitled to have minimum 15 minutes break between rounds, however after rounds 2 and 4 the break must be minimum 30 minutes
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SUNDAY, 12th June 2011

08.00 am – 11.00 am	qualification rounds are continued with shotgun start
12.00 am	semifinals: two rounds (miniaturegolf, concrete) matches for places 5-8: two rounds (concrete, miniaturegolf)
03.00 pm	matches for place 3 and final: two rounds (miniaturegolf, concrete) matches for places 5-8: two rounds (concrete, miniaturegolf)
08.00	closing and victory ceremony of Nations Cup

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WMF sport director

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REGISTRATION FOR THE MINIGOLF NATIONS CUP 2011

For participation at the Nationscup from 11th - 12th June 2011 we announce:

<input type="checkbox"/> National Team 1	<input type="checkbox"/> National Team 2	
<input type="checkbox"/> National Team 3	<input type="checkbox"/> National Team 4	
<input type="checkbox"/> single players ladies	<input type="checkbox"/> single players men	<input type="checkbox"/> total number of announced players

We will arrive at by CAR/BUS/TRAIN/FLIGHT (please mark)
(date)

Additionally will follow officials and registered accompanying guests

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**Our accommodation address is
(please add accommodation
name, address
and phone number):**

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**We offer the following
referees:**

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Chef de mission:

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**Coaches, officials,
registered guests:**

We shall NOT participate in Nations Cup 2011

place, date

signature

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LATEST UNTIL THURSDAY 9th June 2011, 06.00 pm
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REGISTRATIONS BY NAME FOR THE NATIONS CUP 2011

Players have to be listed in the team order

NAME, FIRST NAME
IN PRINTED LETTERS

BIRTHDATE CATEGORY EXCEPTIONS

NATIONAL TEAM 1

1.			
2.			
3.			
4.			

NATIONAL TEAM 2

1.			
2.			
3.			
4.			

NATIONAL TEAM 3

1.			
2.			
3.			
4.			

NATIONAL TEAM 4

1.			
2.			
3.			
4.			

SINGLE PLAYERS

1.			
2.			
3.			

Exceptions:

- A) shoes (no sport shoes)
- B) medical attest according to anti-doping regulations of WMF

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REGISTRATION

Registration date: **Latest Thursday, 9th June 2011, 06.00 pm**

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**REGISTRATIONS OF OFFICIALS AND COACHES BY NAME
FOR NATIONS CUP 2011**

name

first name

name	first name



Acknowledgment and Agreement

PART 1

**Declaration of full WADA acceptance
based on WADA code 2009**

WMF statutes and WMF-3.2 anti-doping regulations chapter 0.3

I, as a member of[Active Member] and/or a participant in a [Active Member] or WMF authorized or recognized event, [name of event] hereby acknowledge and agree as follows:

- 1. I have received and had an opportunity to review the WMF Anti-Doping Regulations (ADR).**
- 2. I consent and agree to comply with and be bound by all of the provisions of the WMF ADR, including but not limited to, all amendments to the ADR and all International Standards incorporated in the ADR.**
- 3. I acknowledge and agree that WMF *Active Members* and WMF have jurisdiction to impose sanctions as provided in the WMF ADR.**
- 4. I also acknowledge and agree that any dispute arising out of a decision made pursuant to the WMF ADR, after exhaustion of the process expressly provided for in the WMF ADR, may be appealed exclusively as provided in Article 13 of the WMF ADR to an appellate body for final and binding arbitration, which in the case of International-Level Athletes is the Court of Arbitration for Sport.**
- 5. I acknowledge and agree that the decisions of the arbitral appellate body referenced above shall be final and enforceable, and that I will not bring any claim, arbitration, lawsuit or litigation in any other court or tribunal.**
- 6. I have read and understand this Acknowledgement and Agreement.**

Date of signature

Print Name (Last Name, First Name)

**Date of Birth
(Day/Month/Year)**

**Signature (or, if a minor, signature of
legal guardian)**



Acknowledgment and Agreement

PART 2

I, as a member of[*Active Member*] and/or a participant in a [*Active Member*] or WMF authorized or recognized event, [name of event] hereby acknowledge and agree as follows:

With my signature I confirm, that pictures, films, videos taken through the period of days of official practice time and through the competition days from to can be used later on for any coverage of minigolf in connection with the name of the participant, by any media authorized by WMF and its partners.

Additional term for participating minors:

I/We understand as a part of our child's participation in the event concerned, photos, videos and quotations may be taken through the period of days of official practice time and through the competition days from to for any coverage of minigolf in connection with the name of the participant, by any media authorized by WMF and its partners and its partners. We further understand that members of news media invited to cover the program may take photos, videos and quotations. We grant permission to use such materials for the promotion of WMF and minigolf sport.

Date of signature

Print Name (Last Name, First Name)

Date of Birth
(Day/Month/Year)

Signature (or, if a minor, signature of
legal guardian)