

# 7<sup>th</sup> INTERNATIONAL YOUTH FENCING CUP EPEE

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#### 1<sup>st</sup> LATEM-OPEN (recreational senior tournament)

#### 02-03 March 2024

# <u>Schedule</u>

#### Saturday 02/03

Cat	Gender	Birth Year	Call	Scratch	Start	
U17	Men	07 => 10	08:30	08:45	09:00	
U13	Girls	11 => 13	09:00	09:15	09:30	
U13	Boys	11 => 13	09:00	09:15	09:30	
U11	Mixed	13 => 14	10:00	10:15	10:30	
U17	Women	07 => 10	10:30	10:45	11:00	

#### Sunday 03/03

Cat	Gender	Birth Year	Call	Scratch	Start
Sen	Men	08 and earlier	08:30	08:45	09:00
Sen	Women	08 and earlier	08:30	08:45	09:00
U15	Men	09 => 12	09:00	09:15	09:30
U15	Women	09 => 12	09:30	09:45	10:00

#### <u>Venue</u>

• Sports infrastructure at Hoge Heirweg 64, 9830 Sint-Martens-Latem, Belgium.



## **Registrations**

- Registrations close on Wednesday <u>February 28th, 2024 at 23h59</u>.
- Registration
  - $\circ$   $\;$  Belgian fencers and foreign fencers with Ophardt profile:
    - 7<sup>th</sup> international Youth Fencing Cup Epee: <u>https://fencing.ophardt.online/fr/widget/event/29129</u>
    - 1<sup>st</sup> Latem-Open: https://fencing.ophardt.online/fr/widget/event/29361
  - Foreign fencers without Ophardt profile on <u>http://youthfencingcupepee.weebly.com/registrations.html</u>
- The registration fee is € 20, payable in cash on site.
- Every competitor must hold a valid national, EFC or FIE licence.

#### <u>Prize money</u>

• Cash and in-kind prizes are provided

## Competition format

- Official competition formats will be used.
- In planning the format will be one or two pool round(s) followed by an elimination.
- The Technical Direction (DT) reserves the right, without right of appeal, to modify those formulas according to the number of entries and conditions the day.

# <u>Referees</u>

- For de 7<sup>th</sup> International Youth Fencing Cup Epee
  - Each club is required to provide a referee from 4 registered fencers (for the whole of the individual competitions of the day). As of 9 fencers two referees are required, as of 13 fencers three referees are required.
  - $\circ$   $\,$  The referees should be licensed and qualified by their federation or by the FIE.
  - The names and qualifications of the referees are to be communicated before closure of the inscription (28/02/2024 at 23:59). Non-compliance to this rule will cancel the inscriptions of the fencers.
  - The referee's presence is mandatory between the first call of the competition in which the club has participants until the end of the last competition in which the club has participants or until they are dismissed by the Technical Direction (DT).
  - Foreign clubs can, upon payment of the sum of € 180 and as long as the club has one available, request a referee from the organizing club. This must be done by sending a separate e-mail to the organizing club: <u>schermclublatemdeurle@telenet.be</u>
- For the 1<sup>st</sup> Latem-Open no referees are required, a system of auto-arbitration will apply.

### Equipment standards

	U11	U15	U17
	U13		Sen
Fencing Mask CE 350 N (FIE Lettre urgente 14/2014)(1)	Yes	Yes	No
Fencing Mask FIE 1600 N (FIE Lettre urgente 14/2014)(1)	*	*	Yes
Fencing Jackets CE 350 N	Yes	Yes	No
Fencing Jackets FIE 800 N		*	Yes
Fencing pants CE 350 N	Yes	Yes	No
Fencing pants FIE 800 N	*	*	Yes
Under plastrons CE 350 N	Yes	Yes	No
Under plastrons FIE 800 N	*	*	Yes
Glove	Yes	Yes	Yes
Chest protector for women	Yes	Yes	Yes
Chest protector for men / Groin Guard	*	*	*
Blade size	2	5	5

Yes Mandatory \* Allowed No Prohibited

• (1) The new type of Velcro closure (art. M25.7 f of the FIE regulations) is mandatory for all age groups

The double closure also remains mandatory (metal tongue and Velcro (new type) or Velcro with three anchor points and an additional auxiliary closure at the bottom of the mask). The conductive flap is prohibited.

- (2) Gloves with a hole for the body wire are prohibited.
- (3) The standard given is the maximum length; a shorter blade may be used at any time. The electrical chip (in the shell) with two separate holes is NOT mandatory (art m.18.3 FIE regulations). The small shell is mandatory for the weapons with blade length 0 and 2.
- Transparent plugs on the body wires are NOT mandatory (art m 29.1.b-art m 31.2-art. m 35 FIE regulations).

## **Catering**

• Snacks and light meals will be for sale throughout the whole competition.

### Accommodations

• Hotels: addresses and information available at the touristic service of the city of Ghent: <u>https://visit.gent.be/en/overnight-stay</u>

# Fencing shop and repairs (only on March 2<sup>nd</sup>)



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