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INTRODUCTION

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Dear Ladies and Gentlemen,

It is my pleasure to present this fourth edition of the Official Bulletin of The World Games 2017. In it you will find a detailed breakdown of our preparations for the upcoming TWG - although you really wouldn't have to do more than take a look around Wrocław to see proof that they are just around the corner.

In this regard the last few months have proven to be a very important stretch on the road to The World Games 2017. The newly renovated Olympic Stadium, restored to its majestic former glory, is now ready to host the speedway racing and American football competitions, works on the new swimming complex are already over and the new rollerskating track is well underway.

A special round of festivities, organized to highlight the "One Year To Go" mark, brought The World Games a singular amount of publicity, especially during the final concert on Plac Wolności, which will host the World Games Plaza this summer.

The last few months have also seen a significant number of test events organized, sponsorship contracts signed and marketing campaigns put in motion.

Our venues have undergone rigorous testing during such events as the World Cup in Orienteering, the WDSF European Championship, the Polish Open in floorball, as well as the World Ju-Jitsu Championships.

We are also glad to be able to announce, with International World Games Association, several new, very important cooperative initiatives, the first and most important of which is the patronage of Polish President Andrzej Duda. Other partners, which have recently joined us, include Polish National Olympic Committee and the Wrocław Academy of Physical Education, [which will be lending not only several of its venues for the Games, but also many of its staff], Wrocław University of Economics and a number of other organizations as well.

We are also overjoyed by a marked increase in interest in The World Games 2017 among local and national media, a fact which is confirmed by our ever-growing number of followers on Facebook.

For more details on these and other subjects, I invite you read our Bulletin or visit our website www.theworldgames2017.com where we regularly publish up-to-date information on any and all events connected with the great sport festival which Wrocław will be hosting from 20-30 July 2017.

On behalf of the Wrocław Organising Committee,



Marcin Przychodny, President



Honorary patron - President Andrzej Duda

In April Polish President Andrzej Duda became the honorary patron of The World Games 2017. In an official communique to Wrocław Mayor Rafał Dutkiewicz, Maciej Łopiński, Secretary of State in the Presidential Chancellery delivered the following message: "I have the honor to inform you, sir, that the President of the Republic of Poland has accepted your request and agreed to grant his patronage to the Games – a prestigious event in which some the world's best athletes will participate. The President has expressed his conviction that organising a competition of this scale, which will be accompanied by the interest of both media and sports fans from around the world, provides an excellent opportunity to promote both Wrocław and Poland."

Cooperation with the Polish Olympic Committee and the Ministry of Sport and Tourism

Representatives of the Ministry of Sport and Tourism as well as the Polish Olympic Committee have made regular visits to Wrocław as they continue to support the efforts of the Organising Committee. It is worth noting that several of those responsible for these organizations have a history of athletic competition themselves: Minister of Sport, Witold Bańka, competed in the 400m dash and won a bronze medal with the Polish 4x400 relay team in the 2007 World Championships in Osaka, Andrzej Kraśnicki, a former handball player, currently heads up the Polish Olympic Committee and Polish Handball Association and POC Secretary General Adam Krzesiński won two Olympic medals in fencing (bronze in Barcelona 1992 and silver in Atlanta 1996).

In March 2016 a special team was organized, which will coordinate, among other things, the preparations of the Polish national team for The World Games. To this end, the team has been meeting regularly with the goal of guaranteeing proper training conditions, providing national team members with uniforms, overseeing their induction as well as looking after their accommodations and transport needs during The World Games. Members include: Adam Krzesiński and Joanna Huzarska-Tomaszewska [POC], Andrzej Banasiak and Urszula Jankowska [Ministry of Sport and Tourism] and Grzegorz Pyzałka and Beata Pierre [Wrocław Organising Committee].

The Ministry of Sport and Tourism has also lent its financial support to the renovation of the swimming pool complex on Wejherowska Street [23,5 million PLN] and the building of the rollerskating track in Millennium Park [1,5 million PLN]. In 2015 those Polish athletic associations connected with the sport program of The World Games received 20 million PLN for training and preparation. That amount exceeded 20 million PLN in 2016.



Cooperation with the Polish Tourist Organisation

The Polish Bureau of Tourism has also lent its patronage to The World Games - a move that is sure to be beneficial to both sides. The Bureau has promised to promote the Games outside of Poland and together with a delegation from the Wrocław Organising Committee will make an appearance at the International Tourist Trade Show in Warsaw.

"On behalf of the Polish Tourist Organisation, I would like to express our support for the organisation of The World Games 2017. [...] The Lower Silesian Tourist Organisation, in addition to offering its support for this project, kindly asks others to do the same." These words can be found in the official communique signed by Rajmund Papiernik, Director of the Office of the Board of the Lower Silesian Tourist Organisation.

TWG2017 Partner Cities

Jelcz-Laskowice

One hundred and ten athletes from around the world will take part in the indoor rowing competitions to be organized in Jelczu-Laskowice as part of The World Games 2017. They will be vying for 30 sets of medals in several different weight classifications. Indoor rowing is one of the four "invitational" sport disciplines of the Games.

Their arena of competition will be the modern sport hall on Oławska Street which has a capacity of 900. Fans will also be able to cheer on their favorite athletes from the fan zone located next to the hall. The sport complex, which is complemented by a restaurant, conference rooms, gym and bicycle rental, has already played host to a number of regional, national and international sport competitions. It has also served as a training facility for the Polish national handball team and Polish national volleyball team.





Lower Silesia is a particularly important point on the map of Poland when it comes to indoor rowing - several competitions have already been held here including the Polish Championships. The growth of indoor rowing in our region is undoubtedly thanks in part to Paweł Randa - Ambassador of The World Games 2017 and Olympic runner-up in rowing in Bejing. He has been heavily involved in the promotion and popularisation of this discipline as well as the promotion of active relaxation along the Odra.

Jelcz-Laskowice - just 25 km from Wrocław - is one of the youngest cities in Poland having only been incorporated in 1987. Its proximity to the capital of Lower Silesia as well as its rich history definitely make it worth visiting. Among its treasures you will find a palace and park complex built in the Dutch neo-renaissance style from the 19th century, which currently houses the city government offices. In Jelcz-Laskowice will compete in indoor rowing.

Two competitions will be held in Świdnica. The first will see six of the world's top-ranked men's inline hockey teams go head to head. The second, two-day event features participants in artistic rollerskating. For pairs there will be the opportunity to compete in dance and freestyle competitions, while solo skaters will face off in the latter category.

Athletes will compete on the skating rink located on Śląsk Street, where a special, 60m x 30m field will be cordoned off for their use. The rink can accommodate 800 fans. The facility will undergo renovation this year, including the refurbishing of the main hall, building two new locker rooms and a new ventilation system.

Świdnica can be found approximately 50 km from Wrocław and has a population of around 60,000. Its history stretches back over 750 years and is well visible at every turn - be it in the layout of the main square which dates back to the Middle Ages, the beautiful row houses with their mixture of architectural styles or the enduring atmosphere of a thriving market town.

Anyone can fall in love with Świdnica - a fact well known to any and all who come here and spend more than a fleeting moment gazing at her treasures. And there are plenty of them: the 17th century Peace Church is listed on the prestigious UNESCO World Heritage List, the lively main square (which has been recognized multiple times as having the finest night illuminations) and the cathedral on John Paul II square.

Trzebnica's Bukowy Forest will be the home of TWG 2017 orienteering competitions. The city of Trzebnica has a special affinity for this discipline: orienteers often come here to train, along with a large group of amateur runners including children from local elementary schools who come as part of their participation in the "Get Oriented in Greater Wrocław" program.

The annals of Trzenica history hark back to the dawn of time. Man (homo erectus) first appeared in the vicinity of modern-day Trzebnica over 500.000 years ago - as witnessed by the various artifacts made of flint which were found on the nearby slopes of Winna Góra,

In the 5th century, on the banks of the Sąsiecznica, just to the south of the present-day main square there was a Slavic settlement. In the 12th century, a church was erected on its northern side and given the name of St. Peter. The name Trzebnica first appeared in written record in 1138. Today the city and its surroundings draw visitors to see its numerous historic buildings and beautiful landscapes against the backdrop of rolling hills.

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Arrival and departure from Wrocław

Arrival to Wrocław by plane or car

Wrocław Airport handles around 50 flight operations per day including arrivals and departures to a number of major transfer hubs: Warsaw (LOT Polish Airlines), Munich, Frankfurt, Dusseldorf (Lufthansa) and Copenhagen (SAS) for a total of 15 connections daily. We are currently passing all of the informations to Wrocław Airport, which are passed further to LOT and other airlines.

The current flight timetable can be found at: http://airport.wroclaw.pl/en/passager/timetable/

Wrocław is served by a developed system of roads with the A4 motorway, linking the West and the East of the country, being the most important one. Driving from Warsaw and its airports will take you 3,5 hours if you are using S8 (express road), A1 and A2 motorways.

Airport transfers

Transfer services are available to all accredited persons traveling to and from Wrocław Airport to their accommodations.

A central information center will operate within the airport's arrival terminal. The center's staff will be available to assist quests in finding the appropriate means of transport should they so require.

A fleet of clearly marked vehicles will operate from a stop located directly opposite the airport terminal exit.

WOC provides transfers only from the airport. It is recommended that patricipants arriving by train take a taxi in order to get to the accommodation. The fare should not exceed 12 Euro.

Wrocław has 19 train stops and stations. The most important of these is Wrocław main station located immediately to the south of the city center. From the newly renovated, neo-gothic main station complex quests have a short, 20 minute walk to Wrocław's main square. The immediate vicinity of the main station also serves as an important hub for city transport with the main bus station, numerous bus and tram lines and taxi stands nearby.

Some of the major cities connected by direct train connections include: Poznań (18 connections daily), Warsaw (14 connections daily), Kraków (12 connections daily). There is also one daily, direct connection to and from Berlin.

Registration and accreditation

All participants of The World Games 2017 will receive their accreditation badge in their place of accommodation. The accreditation is based on their official function during the event. The badge will



be handed out ofter signing of "Declaration of Anti-Doping, Media Rights and Data Privacy". WOC will require as well to sign a statement of health insurance. The badge should be worn is a visible way in all TWG2017-related areas.

Accreditation Badge

During the course of the Games, accreditation badge will serve a key role in identifying participants and allowing them to carry out their functions. They will serve as the basis of entry into each and every area of the sport venues and official sites and will make it possible to quarantee the appropriate level of security.

The first part of the badge will contain the personal information of the participant: name and surname, photograph, function, organization or discipline/sport and nationality/citizenship.

The accreditation system will define the various categories of participants in order to provide a means of quick and easy identification throughout the Games.

Category A - VIP quests

Category B - judges and technical delegates

Category C – athletes and team members/coaches

Category D – journalists and media representatives



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The second part of the card will contain a description of the participant's authorization for services and a list of the areas at the sport venues and official sites that he or she is permitted to enter during the Games.

IF Passport Holders, Extra Officials and Invited Guests will benefit from the following services:

- Local transport
- Accommodation
- Meals

Basic entry rights

Rights of entry as described on the accreditation badge are defined according to a numeric code corresponding to the appropriate zone. Each accreditation badge will contain - in accordance with the functions of its holder and its holder's authorizations - a group of numeric codes confirming the holder's right of entry to various zones.

Example:

Zone 1 - Competitions

Zone 2 - VIP quests

Zone 3 - Journalists and media

Zone 4 - Administration/Organizers/Venue staff

Validity of athletes' and judges' accreditation

The validity of the accreditation card is determined by the term of validity of each federation's IF Passport.

Accreditation system

The accreditation system is based on an Event Management System whose goal is to make the application and verification process and communication between the international federations, the IWGA and the WOC as easy as possible.

Accreditation process - milestones

28 February 2017 - Final date for international federations to send the WOC the number of Extra Officials

1 March 2017 - Accreditation system is officially open for athletes and technical delegates

31 March 2017 - Final date for required advance payment [30%] towards the fees for the declared number of Extra Officials. In certain situations a 30-day extension may be granted on the request of the international federation.

The Wrocław Organising Committee will accept one payment from each international organization of the countries, whose athletes will be representing their discipline for the stay and services required for their declared number of Extra Officials,

April/May 2017 - The accreditation system will generate a list of invitations which will form the basis for visa applications for those participants from countries which require a visa and it will be sent by mail or made available for electronic download.

May 2017 - Final date to send the personal details of all participants, including their functions during the Games. This includes

31 May 2017 - Final date to complete the payment of fees for Extra Officials

The Wrocław Organising Committee will only accept direct payment from international federations. Single payments for groups of Extra Officials made by national federations will not be honored.

Main accreditation centers will be located at Wrocław University of Economics Campus and at Wrocław University of Science and Technology Campus. They will be open starting from the first day of participants arrival to the campuses.

10 July 2017 - Main accreditation centers (campuses) will be

18 July 2017 - Accreditation centers for journalists (Main Media Center) and VIP quests (IWGA Headquater Hotel) will be opened.

1 August 2017 - The accreditation centers and system will be closed.

Athletes, coaching staff members and judges - accreditation cards will be distributed in their living quarters.

VIP guests - the accreditation center for this group will be located in the hotel serving as the main headquarters of the IWGA. NOCs collect their accreditation badges in Accreditation Center located at Wrocław University of Economics Campus - 33 Ślężna Street.

The WOC will provide four types of accreditation for Extra Officials.

Accreditation nr 1 - available only for federations housed in hotels Amenities: single room with breakfast included, accreditation based on function, meals served in the catering center, use of local transport, transfer to and from the airport

Total cost per person, per day: 180 euro

Accreditation nr 2 - available only for federations housed in hotels Amenities: bed in a two-person room with breakfast included, accreditation based on function, meals served in the catering center, use of local transport, transfer to and from the airport Total cost per person, per day: 130 euro

Accreditation nr 3 - for athletes accommodated at university cam-

Amenities: bed in a two-person room with breakfast included, accreditation based on function, meals served in the catering center,



use of local transport, transfer to and from the airport Total cost per person, per day: 120 euro

Accreditation nr 4 - for delegates based on their function Accreditation based on function, use of local transport, transfer to and from the airport. Accommodation and meals not included. Total cost per person, per day: 60 euro

Prolonged stay for the Closing Cermony (available only for those federation representatives whose planned arrival (as established with the WOC and IWGA) falls on 30 July 2017.)

Includes all services available while in Wrocław, both during training and competitions. Total cost per person, per day: 100 euro

Visas

Poland has been a member of the Schengen Zone since 21 December 2007, making it a part of the 28 country area without border controls. Citizens of countries outside the Zone may enter if they possess a valid travel document and visa (if required). European Council Directive 539/2001 contains a list of those countries whose citizens require a visa in order to cross the outer border of the Zone as well as those countries whose citizens require no visa.

When crossing the border, foreign citizens are obliged to declare the purpose and conditions of their visit and planned stay in the country. They must also prove that they possess sufficient funds to support themselves, both for their time in the country as well as to return to their country of origin or pass to another country to which they are permitted entry - or they must prove that they can legally procure such funds. Furthermore, they may not be among those persons who previously have been denied entry to the country or who have been declared a risk to public order, national security or international relations by any one of the Schengen member states. Visa applications should be submitted in the appropriate office, after which the appropriate consular officer will verify their validity in accordance with their official competencies.

Applicants should be in touch with the appropriate consular agent in order to receive an application and gain information as to the possibility of registering and making payments online. By law applications must be considered no later than 15 calendar days from the date when all necessary documents were submitted.

Polish diplomatic offices (embassies and consulates) do not exist in all countries. Where this is the case, applicants are required to submit their papers in the appropriate Polish consular office in another country or with the diplomatic representative of another Schengen member state, which has the right to represent Poland for visa matters in the applicant's country of origin.

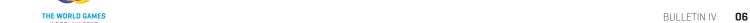
A list of Polish diplomatic stations and the stations of those countries representing Poland can be found at the following address: http://www.msz.gov.pl/en/p/msz_en/travel_to_poland/polands_ missions abroad/polish missions abroad

The Wrocław Organising Committee will be preparing an individual invitation, on the basis of which participants may apply for a visa. This document will serve as a confirmation of the purpose of the participant's visit and a guarantee of room and board for as long as his or her accreditation is valid. The WOC is in the process of producing this document in cooperation with the Polish Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

In addition, the Wrocław Organising Committee - with the help of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs - will inform all Polish diplomatic stations of the expected influx of visa applications in connection with TWG 2017.

Details on the regulations governing the visa application process are listed on the official website of the Polish Ministry of Foreign Affairs: http://www.msz.gov.pl/en/p/msz en/travel to poland/visa/





Health insurance for participants

Each athlete will be obliged to posses a medical insurance policy valid for the duration of the Games and worth at least 200,000 PLN/approx. 50,000€. Upon checking in, athletes will be asked to present written proof that they are insured in order to receive their accreditation. Each participant is obliged to take care of their health care insurance following rules from Schengen area.

Accommodation

In accordance with The World Games rules, accommodation will be provided in double rooms with the exception of situation, when the number of male or female participants is odd. Cleaning, bedding and towels will be provided. One bathroom will serve no more than four participants.

All necessary laundry equipment will be made available in the various places of accommodation. Laundry (including its costs) is the responsibility of participants.

Requests for accommodation in single-person rooms should be directed to the appropriate Competition Manager. Each such request will be considered carefully and on an individual basis by the WOC and the Committee is prepared to accommodate such needs in cases where such arrangements are justified.

Transport to/from Venues

Arrangements for transporting athletes have been made in accordance with the competition schedule of individual disciplines. In the case of team sports, athletes will be transported by coach - with each coach being assigned to one or more teams depending on size. The shuttle bus system will be in operation (travelling in both directions) before, during and after competitions.

For special events, such as the Opening Ceremony of The World Games 2017, participants will be transported by specially-designated coaches. Afterwards, they will be transported back to their place of accommodation in the same way.

In addition, participants in The World Games 2017 will enjoy a new means of transport - a dedicated tram line, departing every 15 minutes and following the route: athletes' accommodation (dormitories) - Centennial Hall - Catering Centre 1 (IASE) - Marsowe Fields (AWF complex).

Accommodation

1. University of Economics
[Dormitories "Ślężak" and "Przegubowiec"]

- a. Powerlifting
- b. Squash
- c. Bowling
- d. Muaythai
- e. Sport climbing
- f. Roller Sports (speed and track)
- g. Fistball
- h. Sumo
- i. Lacrosse
- j. Canoe polo
- k. Indoor rowing

2. Wrocław University of Science & Technology, ul. Wittiga

- a. Archery
- b. Boules Sport
- c. Finswimming
- d. Lifesaving
- e. Speedway racing
- f. Korfball
- q. Floorball
- h. Flying Disc
- i. Beach handball
- j. Tug of War
- k. American football
- I. Ju-Jitsu
- m. Karate

Q plus hotel, ul.Zaolziańska – Orienteering

Hotel Jasek, ul. Sułowska – Air Sports

Hotel Campanile Centrum, ul. Ślężna – Billiards

Hotel Piast/Polonia/Europejski, ul. Piłsudskiego – Acrobatic, Gymnastics, DanceSport

Hotel Ibis Style in Wałbrzych – Roller Sports (artistic and in-line hockey)

Hotel Ibis Style in Wrocław, pl. Konstytucji 3 Maja - Water Ski & Wakeboard

Hotel Butique Solo, ul. Kwiska - kickboxing

Accommodation for judges and delegates

The vast majority of judges, officials and delegates will reside in the IBIS/NOVOTEL Centrum on ul. Powstańców Śląskich.

Exceptions include:

Hotel Jasek, ul. Sułowska – Air Sports

Hotel Esperanto, Świdnica –Roller sports [in-line hockey, artistic]

Hotel GEM – Ju-Jitsu and Karate



Hospitality

Preparations are underway - in coordination with the International World Games Association and its partners - to present a detailed program regarding hospitality. Undoubtedly the biggest event will be the Opening Ceremony [20 July, 7PM, Wrocław Stadium] which will host over 1000 VIP quests.

The Wrocław Organising Committee will deliver the following package to the hotel rooms of VIP quests:

Invitation(s) and ticket(s) to the Opening Ceremony [20.07.2017, 19.00]

Invitation(s) to the Garden Party (26.07.2017, 19.00)
Invitation(s) to the Closing Ceremony (30.07.2017, 19.00)

A detailed list of important events and times to remember along with additional necessary information.

Catering

Breakfast will be served at accommodation place. There will be two main catering centers next to accommodation hubs. One will be set up in IASE HALL next to Centennial Hall, another one at Wroclaw University of Economics.

Breakfasts from 6:30 a.m. to 10:00 a.m. Lunches from 12:00 p.m. to 4 p.m. Dinners from 6 p.m. to 10 p.m.

If needed lunch boxes delivered to sport venues.

Security

The Wrocław Organising Committee has made providing maximum security in all places connected with The World Games 2017 its main goal. This includes all stadiums, sport complexes, the main broadcasting center, media center and The World Games Plaza and any other area which has been designated for use by particular groups, including national team members, their fans, spectators and guests as well as volunteers and journalists. Achieving this goal will involve placing private security officers, volunteers and, in the case of urgent need, members of the public services (e.g. police, firefighters, emergency medical and rescue staff or members of other institutions) in such points as are required to ensure proper security. Provisions for security services must remain at a similarly high level at all venues and official places connected with TWG 2017 in order to guarantee a high standard of security throughout the entire Games.

Security services during the Games will be provided by Impel.

Emergency Care

The Wrocław Organising Committee will undertake to guarantee that medical staff are on hand at all venues - both during training sessions and on the days when competitions are held. They will also be present during the Opening and Closing Ceremonies, on the grounds of The World Games Plaza, in the main IWGA headquarters, accreditation center, catering and media centers as well in the quarters of participants.

Each sport venue will be equipped to deal with matters of medical safety depending on the requirements of the particular discipline. In some cases this may involve a medical team including a doctor or one without a doctor, a rescue patrol or first aid stations. A dedicated emergency phone line and doctor-on-call will be available 24 hours a day.

Those persons who may require medical assistance during TWG 2017 will make use of the services of one of the local hospitals which have agreed to cooperate with the Wrocław Organising Committee. If they are transferred to the appropriate medical facility under the care of designated TWG 2017 medical staff they will enjoy priority in receiving treatment. The cooperation between local hospitals and the WOC includes provisions for the hospitals to accommodate patients needing longer medical treatment. The main representative of the IWGA Medical Commission had the opportunity to visit one of the dedicated TWG 2017 hospitals on the occasion of the IWGA meeting in Wrocław on 3 June 2016. On 28 February a meeting was held in the Crisis Control Center on ul. Strzegomski. It covered a wide range of topics concerning medical safety and services and included representatives of all branches of the uniformed services. During the meeting, Marcin Przychodny, President of the WOC, also announced that the Wrocław Emergency Services department would be responsible for all matters related to medical safety during the Games.

Anti-Doping

Approximately 5 - 10% of participating athletes will undergo drug testing during the course of the Games. All tests will be conducted in accordance with the regulations established by the WADA. Athletes may be asked to take part in a drug test at any moment from the time of their arrival to the day of their departure.

During the general meeting held on 3 June 2016 in the offices of the Wrocław Organising Committee, all areas relevant to drug testing were discussed. Along with the IWGA representatives and the Commission Against Doping in Sport, the WOC made a decision as to the qualitative and quantitaive tests, which – in accordance with WADA regulations – will be used.

The Wrocław Organising Committee also made the decision to undertake cooperative efforts with the Commission Against Doping in Sport as well as the Anti-Doping Laboratory of the Institute of Sport in Warsaw, which is accredited by the WADA.





Volunteers

Recruitment

The recruitment process for volunteers closed on 28 February and saw over 2600 applications submitted from 52 countries around the world. According to the current estimates of the Wrocław Organising Committee approximately 1500 volunteers will be needed to serve during the Games. Of these, around 1000 will be trained through the WOC and the remaining 500 - those who will serve the Field of Play - will be overseen by the WOC Partners for the organisation of the competitions themselves.

The pool of potential volunteers includes candidates from Poland and numerous [52] countries from around the world. The majority of these are persons with a personal connection to the sporting world or experienced volunteers. But they also include some who wish to gain new experiences. Their ages range from 16 to 73 years old.

Leaders and training

By the middle of March almost the entire group of volunteer leaders had been chosen. This is the group of 100 persons who will be responsible for coordinating the work of the volunteer corps both in the sport venues and in other areas such as the Main Media Center, the Accreditation Center, etc. The first training session for volunteer leaders, conducted by Joachim Gossow, CEO of IWGA took place on 25 March 2017.

$\label{eq:services} \textbf{Services and support for volunteers}$

Work is currently underway to provide appropriate uniforms for TWG volunteers. All volunteers will receive t-shirts, hats, jackets and duffle bags. They will also be allowed to use the city transportation system free of charge.

The dormitory "Arka" has been selected to house the volunteers during the Games. It will also serve as the headquarters of the volunteer corps. Work is also underway to organize food and other services.

Transport around the city

Free local transport will be provided for all the accreditation badge holders.

City transpor

Wrocław is served by over 60 regular bus lines and over 10 night lines. There are also more than 20 tram lines in the city.

Regular bus and tram lines: On normal working days, buses and trams run between the hours of 5:00 AM and 11:00 PM. At the weekend and on holidays, they run from 6:00 AM to 10:00 PM. **Night buses:** The system of night buses functions between the hours of 11:00 PM and 5:00 AM and buses arrive every half hour at the main bus station PKS before continuing their routes in every part of the city.

To plan a trip around Wrocław, check out: http://komunikacja.iwroclaw.pl/?lang=pl&language=en

Transport markings

Normal bus lines are marked with numbers from 100 to 149. Tickets for fast buses (numbered 4...) are priced the same as those for normal buses. Tickets for suburban buses (numbered 6...), express buses (marked with letters) and night buses (numbered 240 - 259) are more expensive.

If a bus or tram number is highlighted in yellow on the yellow board or on the timetable, the route has been changed for some reason, e.g. road work. It is also customary for the bus or tram to be marked with the words "zmiana trasy" to indicate a change in route.

Ticket

Travelers using public transport should be in possession of a single or short-term ticket, which can be purchased in special points of sale or from a ticket machine. The latter can usually be found in the vicinity of a stop as well as in a tram or bus itself. Please note that

tickets can only be purchased from a machine using a credit or debit card (including proximity cards).

Single [one-time] and short-term tickets - including those purchased from a machine in a bus or tram - should be validated immediately.

A valid MPK ticket also permits its holder to travel free of extra charge between stations on all city trains in Wrocław. This allows travelers to save time while planning their route to work, for example and makes it possible to spend free time in a more enjoyable way.

Example tickets for city transport in Wrocław:

Single (one-time) tickets (N - normal / U - discounted): Normal and suburban lines: N - 3.00 PLN/ U - 1.50 PLN Express and night bus lines: N - 3.20 / U - 1.60 Extra baggage or pets: 1.50

Short-term tickets on all lines [N - normal / U - discounted]: 30 minute: N - 3.00 / U - 1.50 60 minute: N - 4.40 / U - 2.20 90 minute: N - 6.00 / U - 3.00 24 hour: N - 11.00 / U - 10.00 72 hour: N - 10.00 / U - 10.00 168 hour [7-day]: N - 10.00 / U - 10.00 72 hour: N - 10.00 / U - 10.00 168 hour [7-day]: N - 10.00 / U - 10.00 72 hour: N - 10.00 / U - 10.00 168 hour [7-day]: N - 10.00 / U - 10.00 72 hour: N - 10.00 / U - 10.00 168 hour [7-day]: N - 10.00 / U - 10.00 72 hour: N -

Children under the age of 4 and seniors over the age of 70 may ride city transport completely free of charge. Discounted tickets may be purchased by school-age children and teens, university students, doctoral candidates, as well as retirees and pensioners. In order to use a discounted ticket, travelers should carry the appropriate documents to confirm their right to a discount.

More information about tickets can be found at: http://www.wroclaw.pl/en/ticket-types-and-prices

Taxi services for VIP guests

WICAR TAXI has been selected to provide transportation services for VIP guests. Guests will be able to use the taxi services provided free of charge as long as they are travelling between official, designated drop-off and pick-up points, including The World Games 2017 arenas.

By car

When travelling by car in Wrocław, it is important to remember that the city center has many pedestrian and one-way streets. Paid parking areas are also clearly marked with the words: "strefa płatnego parkowania". Parking costs range from 1 - 3 PLN per hour. More detailed information about parking fees can usually be found on the reverse side of parking signs. Drivers should pay for parking in the parking machine using small change, mobile phone, debit or credit card as well as UrbanCard.

SPECIAL NOTE - parking machines do not give change. After paying with cash or UrbanCard, the machine will print a receipt/parking ticket which should then be placed under the front windscreen of the vehicle so that it is clearly visible to controllers.

When paying by mobile phone (using mPay, mobiParking or Skycash) drivers should place their operator's identifier - which can be obtained in the City and Road Maintenance Department as well as in the customer service office of the City Parking Group - under the front windscreen.

Bv taxi

Licensed taxis must be marked with a special lighted sign labeled "taxi" as well as signs on its doors labeled "Wrocław" and a price list must be visible on the windscreen. The taxi must also be equipped with a cash register.

Transport by taxi is regulated by one zone and prices per kilometer (as a maximum) are set by the City Council of Wrocław. A typical price for a journey from the city center to the airport on a normal working day is approximately 40 PLN. The same route may cost around 60 PLN on a holiday or at night.

Phone numbers to the main taxi service companies can be found at: http://www.wroclaw.pl/taxi

Rv hike

Cyclists are finding it easier and more convenient to travel around Wrocław by bike.

The Wrocław City Bike service has been in operation since 2011 and offers approximately 700 bicycles for hire from around 100 stations in the city. The first 20 minutes of usage are free of charge. However, to rent a bike, cyclists must be registered in the system of Nextbike, which services the Wrocław City Bike. It is worth noting that Nextbike provides bikes for hire not only in Wrocław, but also in Warsaw, Poznań and Opole as well as many other countries around Europe and the world. All of these system – regardless of their location – are inter-compatible, meaning that users can rent a bicycle wherever there is a system like that in Wrocław.

More info can be found at: $\underline{\text{https://wroclawskirower.pl/en}}$

Cyclists in Wrocław have access to a range of infrastructure solutions which are unique to the city. To increase the safety of cyclists and improve the flow of bike traffic, numerous bike paths and specially marked lanes (both with car traffic and against) as well as bike gates and special traffic lights for cyclists have been implemented. The goal of this development is to bring together the city's entire system of bike paths in one coordinated system.

Truck and lorry traffic

Special regulations govern the traffic rights of vehicles above 9, 12 and 18 tonnes.

Details can be found at:

http://www.wroclaw.pl/en/transit





CEREMONIES/MEDIA

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Opening and Closing Ceremonies,

Opening Ceremony

The Opening Ceremony of the Games will take place on 20 July 2017 at Wrocław Stadium at 19.00 and will be the first spectacle organized on such a scale in Wrocław, with approximately 35 000 participants including spectators, athletes, volunteers, journalists, special quests and artists.

The Ceremony will be transmitted live on television by Polsat as well as various other international media outlets. Besides the usual protocol and traditions associated with the Olympic Games (march of athletes, presentation of flags and induction) the Opening Ceremony will feature a full range of artistic elements closely connected with the presentation of TWG sport disciplines, the promotion of Wrocław and the work and preparations of local citizens. Schuttle service dedicated from and back of accommodation place.

The Opening Ceremony is one of the most important parts of this year's Games, which is why these artistic creations and the entire event production will be handled by an experienced and professional event agency – Walk Events. An almost 3 hours show is being prepared with 400 dancers and singers taking part in it. There will be three separate stages of 270 t combined, 25 000 m2 of scenography and 800 m2 of led screens to ensure a spectacular opening to the 10th edition of The World Games.

Closing Ceremony

The Games will be officially closed during the Closing Ceremony which will be held on 30 July 2017 on pl. Wolności which will play host to The World Games Plaza [fan zone] for the 10 days of the Games. The Closing Ceremony will serve as a kind of "thank you" for athletes, volunteers, and residents of Wrocław for their individual contributions to the Games.

Besides the official elements of the Ceremony (presentation of athletes and volunteers and the passing of the TWG flag to the organisers of the next edition of the Games) fans will also be treated to a specially prepared artistic program and will be able to celebrate the end of the Games together.

The coordination of the artistic elements, organisation and production of the Closing Ceremony will be entrusted to a professional event agency Biuro Festiwalowe Impart 2016 whose experience includes the production and coordination of hundreds of events connected with the European Capital of Culture 2016. As in the case of the Opening Ceremony, work is currently underway to finalise details for the script of the Ceremony and plan logistical support.

Preparations for the Athletes' Night evening for athletes are also being handled by the event agency Biuro Festiwalowe Impart. The event will take place on Wednesday, 26 July.

Athlete of the Day

The best female and male athlete of the day will be selected after consultations between a panel of experts and will be recognized publicly at The World Games Plaza. Each winner will receive a watch. Presented by Tissot. General information about television production.

Host Broadcaster

The Host Broadcaster - as directed by the Wrocław Organising Committee - will be in charge of the international television transmission which will make it possible to broadcast program material during The World Games 2017.

In conjunction with the IWGA, IWGA's production arm ISB [International Sports Broadcasting] and the WOC, the Host Broadcaster will prepare a global transmission plan, which will include the order of emission for the individual disciplines of TWG 2017.

The international television package will be composed of, among other things, the transmission of the sport competitions, special events and daily informational material about the highlights of TWG 2017

The international television transmission will be relayed by means of a continuous, high-quality signal complete with full international sound coverage and effects from the competitions being broadcast - in keeping with the standards of the European Broadcasting Union [EBU].

As the transmitter, the Host Broadcaster has chosen the following Polish television station and its subsidiaries: **Polsat, Polsat Sport and Super Polsat.** Preparations have almost been completed for a Program Schedule of material from TWG 2017, based on the main Production Schedule, selections of time blocks and individual channals.

The WOC TWG 2017 is the sole proprietary owner of the transmission and emission rights for all program material on the territory of Poland – including all 3rd-party media outlets.

The World Games Channel will also be conducting its own programs.

The International World Games Association is the sole proprietary owner of the international transmission and emission rights for all program material on all media outlets outside of Poland.

Television transmission and entrance pass for federationsReports from TWG 2017 will be aired on television transmissions in

Poland and around the world. They will be made possible thanks to the international television signal supported by two producers: ATM SYSTEM – one of the largest, independent television companies in Poland (as National Broadcaster) as well as in conjunction with ISB [International Sports Broadcasting].

In addition to the basic television production (approximately 80 hours of transmission to be aired in Poland on Television Polsat) both producers will transmit additional hours of reporting from the Games in accordance with the previously prepared schedule.

Should there be a need for further production, international federations may take advantage of the broadcaster Rate Card. ATM System, as the TV signal's producer, has prepared an additional offer for television production, specially designed depending on localization needs (inside the TWG 2017 venues or in the IBC center) as well as technical needs (number of cameras or ENG teams). Federations may contact Hagen Bossdorf of IWGA (h.bossdorf@theworldgames. org) to arrange details.

Accreditation for media

The official accreditation process for media representatives got underway on 20 March. Members of the media had time until 14 June to register with the accreditation system supported by IWGA's partner Swiss Timing.

Accreditation plates may be picked up beginning 18 July in the Main Media Center (InfoPoint Barbara, Świdnicka St. 8c, Wrocław). A printed e-mail confirming that accreditation has been granted and a proof of ID will be required to collect the accreditation plate.

Accreditation for media are available for:

- Journalists, photographers, TV, radio and new-media crews,
- Journalists delegated by International Federations
- Journalists delegated by the International Olympic Committee
- Journalists delegated by National Olympic Committees

PLEASE NOTE: Journalists who have been assigned to cover TWG 2017 by various international federations (IF) will be granted expanded access rights, including access to the field of play, with the possibility of reporting directly from these locations.

Main Media Center

The Main Media Center will be located in the Barbara Center [Świdnicka St. 8c, Wrocław, opened daily from 8.00 am till 1.00 am], a fact that should hopefully make the work of the attending journalists much easier.

There will be approximately 180 specially prepared places complete with access to power and internet to be used by journalists and photographers during the Games. Three large television screens will also be installed in order to be able to offer non-stop coverage

of the competitions from different TWG 2017 venues. The WOC will also ensure that members of the press have the possibility to print out materials, receive technical support, help from volunteers, areas for individual interviews, hot meals, snacks, drinks and a lobby to relax in. Transport for each venue will be dedicated.

Media sub-centers located at venues

Additional media sub-centers with internet access will be set up at various venues. Each media sub-center will be overseen by a press officer with a support staff of volunteers. Their job will be to ensure that members of the media can work effectively in each center.

Media sub-centers will be located at the following venues (opening hours: three hours before start of competition; closing hours: three hours after finals):

- 1. Olympic Stadium (speedway racing, American football)
- 2. Wrocław Stadium (Opening Ceremony)
- 3. Szymanów Airport (air sports)
- 4. Congress Center [Media sub-center for Centennial Hall, Congress Center and Pergola: archery, billiards, dance

sports, gymnastics, orienteering)

- 5. Sky Tower (bowling)
- 6. Orbita Hall (sumo, kick-boxing, muay-thai)
- 7. Orbita Pool (fistball, lacrosse)
- 8. Oławka Stadium (fistball, lacrosse)
- 9. Stara Odra -Trzebnickie bridges (watersking & wakeboard)
- 10. Multi-purpose Hall AWF (tug-of-war)
- 11. P5 -Marsowe Fields (beach handball, flying disc)
- 12. WKK Sport Centre (floorball, korfball)
- 13. GEM (ju-jitsu, karate),
- 14. Hasta La Vista (squash)
- 15. National Forum of Music (powerlifting, Closing Ceremony)
- 16. Nowy Targ Sq (sport climbing, orienteering)
- 17. Millenium Park (roller sports)
- 18. Szczytnicki Park (archery)
- 19. Trzebnica (orienteering),
- 20. OSiR Jelcz-Laskowice (indoor rowing)
- 21. Świdnica Rink (roller sports).

We are going to provide: start lists, results, in special cases press conferences, volunteers service, catering (snacks and drinks)





ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Ticketing

Ticket went on sale 23 February and the event was marked with a special announcement during a press conference in Warsaw's Olympic Center. Tickets for The World Games 2017 can be obtained over the Internet, by visiting: www.ebilet.pl as well as at various ticket sale points around Poland (a full list is available at: www.ebilet.pl).

Questions and queries can be addressed to: +48 22 122 80 99. Alternatively there is a special question form available on the website mentioned above.

Ticket prices vary from 5 to 60 Polish Zloty (PLN) - 1 euro = appr. 4,32 PLN

Single-entrance, discounted tickets can be purchased for half the price of normal tickets and family tickets are also available for those with at least three children (in which case one child gains entrance completely free).

Students (full- or part-time, regardless of age) as well as retirees over age 60 may purchase discounted tickets and they are also available to handicapped fans. In the case of those who are wheelchair-bound, their helpers pay only 1 PLN

Fans of sport disciplines whose competitions last more than two days may also be interested in special ticket packages. One option includes a special half-day pass (for one morning or one afternoon session) for enthusiasts of beach handball, American football (one session equals one match), bowling, finswimming, lifesaving, floorball, flying disc, karate, kickboxing, roller sports, sport climbing and tuq-of- war.

A separate pool of tickets has been set aside for each international federation of those disciplines represented in the sport program of The World Games 2017.

The World Games Plaza

The World Games Plaza will serve as a place for fans to meet and have a good time throughout the duration of the Games (daily from 15.00 till 23.00, Wolności Square, in a front of National Forum of Music)

Athletes' night

TWG Plaza Athletes' Night will take place on Wednesday, 26 July on The World Games Plaza (pl. Wolności) directly in front of the National Forum of Music. The event will feature a concert and will include many spectacular features including a laser-light show.

The Wrocław Organising Committee would like to announce that there is a possibility that the event will be supported by one of TWG 2017 sponsors, who would be included in the official name of the event.

Sports Garden

A special attraction for visitors to The World Games Plaza on Wolności Sq will be a daily demonstration of sport disciplines seeking to join the program of The World Games.

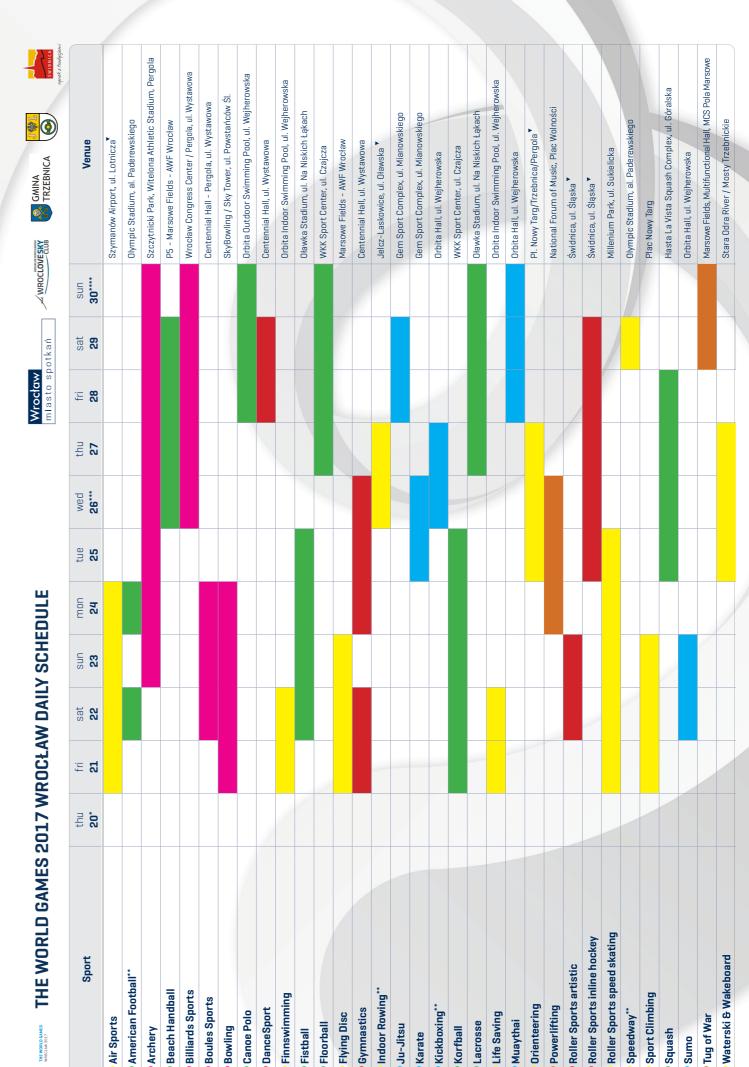
VIP Sportstravel services

The official tour operator and partner of IWGA is VIP SPORTSTRAVEL. During the Games it will be responsible for all unscheduled transfers of persons and will oversee the stay of guests who remain for an extended period of time. The WOC will be responsible for looking after representatives of national Olympic committees, national federations and athletes who wish to extend their stay.

Contact: Manager Judith Baur, VIP Sportstravel GmBH +49 (0) 30 814 541 831 or +49-[0] 163-897 86 38 e-mail: judith.baur@vip-sportstravel.com

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DECLARATION OF ANTI-DOPING, MEDIA RIGHTS AND DATA PRIVACY

Acknowledgement and Agreement (for athletes only)

I, the undersigned as a participant in The World Games 2017, hereby acknowledge and agree as follows:

- 1. I have received information on the IWGA Anti Doping Rules and was given the prior opportunity to review the IWGA Anti-Doping Rules.
- 2. I consent and agree to comply with and be bound by all of the provisions and conditions of the World Anti-Doping Code (WADA), the IWGA Anti-Doping Rules and Anti-Doping Regulations of the International Federation administering my sport, including all amendments and International Standards as mentioned.
- 3. I acknowledge and agree that IWGA and the International Federation administering my sport have jurisdiction to impose sanction as provided for in the World Anti-Doping Code (WADA), IWGA Anti-Doping Rules and the Anti-Doping Regulations of the International Federation administering my sport.
- 4. I hereby grant permission to The World Games 2017 Wrocław Organizing Committee and to IWGA to utilize my appearance, name, voice and likeness in connection with The World Games 2017 in any and all media throughout the world in perpetuity for the purpose
- 5. I also agree and accept in particular the exclusive competence of the Court of Arbitration for Sport in Lausanne, Switzerland, which will resolve definitely any dispute in accordance with the Code of Sport Related Arbitration. Applicable Law is Swiss Law.

Protection of data privacy

Fully respecting your rights to privacy, the Organizing Committee of The World Games 2017 will record your personal data for the purpose of carrying out the The World Games 2017.

I agree that my personal data, always for the purpose indicated above, will be recorded and verified by The World Games 2017 Wrocław Organizing Committee.

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COMPETITION VENUES



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1. MILLENIUM PARK

2. ORBITA SPORT HALL

3. ORBITA SWIMMING POOL OUTDOOR

4. ORBITA SWIMMING POOL INDOOR

5. STARA ODRA, MOSTY TRZEBNICKIE

6. SZYMANOW AIRPORT

7. TRZEBNICA BEECH FOREST

8. ŚWIDNICA ICERINK

IN-LINE HOCKEY, ARTISTIC ROLLER SKATING



CENTRAL CLUSTER

9. HASTA LA VISTA

10. SKY BOWLING

11. NATIONAL FORUM OF MUSIC

12. NOWY TARG SQUARE

ORIENTEERING, SPORT CLIMBING



EAST CLUSTER

13. OLAWKA STADIUM

14. GEM SPORT COMPLEX

15. WKK SPORT CENTER

16. UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF PHYSICAL EDUCATION

- WITELONA ATHLETIC STADIUM

17. SZCZYTNICKI PARK

18. CENTENNIAL HALL

19. CENTENNIAL HALL - WROCLAW CONGRESS CENTER

20. CENTENNIAL HALL - PERGOLA

21. OLYMPIC STADIUM

22. UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF PHYSICAL EDUCATION

- P5 COMPLEX - BEACH FIELDS

23. UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF PHYSICAL EDUCATION

- P5 COMPLEX - FOOTBALL FIELD

24. UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF PHYSICAL EDUCATION

- MARSOWE FIELDS

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