# **FINNISH DIVERS' FEDERATION**







# 1<sup>st</sup> CMAS Freshwater Spearfishing European Championship 2022 11<sup>th</sup> – 15<sup>th</sup> of August 2022, Lake Puruvesi, Finland.

Finnish Divers' Federation has the pleasure of inviting your National Spearfishing Team including women and men to the 1 st CMAS Freshwater Spearfishing European Championship in Punkaharju, on the beautiful lake side of Finland.

We kindly ask you to send us and CMAS HQ the initial entry form (Annex 1) by 31<sup>st</sup> December 2021. We would appreciate you communicating us as soon as possible, if you intend to participate. This will help us a lot in organizing this new event.

The final registration form (Annex 2) and the inscription form (Annex 3) need to be sent by 15<sup>th</sup> March 2022. No registration is accepted after this date to the Championship.

Notice: If possible from the point of view of the arrangements, non-European federations affiliated to CMAS Spearfishing commission can be included in the event in order to get acquainted with the new form of championship. They will naturally then be part of the event outside the official European Championship. Federations interested in joining, please contact by 15<sup>th</sup> March office@sukeItaja.fi and ec2022@sukeItaja.fi.

# 1. Governing body

CMAS. Hosting federation: Finnish Divers' Federation.

## 2. Rules

The rules will be published in the beginning of 2022 and will be found on CMAS web page and the official web page of the Championship.

# 3. Protest

A written protest must be turned in to the jury of the competition within 60 min after the competition day has ended. Protest fee is 100€

## 4. Statement of liability

Participation in the 1st CMAS Freshwater Spearfishing European Championship takes place at athletes' own responsibility. The hosting Federation is not liable for personal or material damage.

#### 5. Place

Puruvesi Lake, Punkaharju, Finland

Punkaharju lies 350 km northeast of Helsinki. There is a train connection from Helsinki to Punkaharju, which takes approximately four hours.

#### 6. Time

Competition will take place on Saturday, 13<sup>th</sup> and Sunday 14<sup>th</sup>August 2022. Arrival day 11<sup>th</sup> August, Gala dinner 14<sup>th</sup> August, departure on 15<sup>th</sup> August.

# 7. Registration

Please use the documents annex 1-3 to register by email to the following addresses: <a href="mailto:office@sukeltaja.fi">office@sukeltaja.fi</a> (Finnish Divers' Federation office).

EC2022@sukeltaja.fi (Secretariat of the Championship).

spo@cmas.org (CMAS HQ).

After registering your Team will receive all the necessary information about the competition, including detailed competition rules, accommodation information and scouting opportunities.

# 8. Team entry fees

The following table contains all the different inscription options.

Number of	INSCRIPTION	MODE 1		INSCRIPTION MODE 2			INSCRIPTION MODE 3		
members	Inscription, accommodation			Insription + boats			Inscription only		
in the team	including breakfast, boats								
		women	men		women	men		women	men
1	600 €			400 €			200 €		
2	1200 €			800 €			400 €		
3	1800 €			1200 €			600 €		
4	2400 €			1600 €			800 €		
5	3000 €			2000 €			1000 €		

The above options include participation in the Gala Dinner, organized after the competition, for all inscribed members of the team. Accommodation during 11.-15.8. with breakfast is included in the inscription fees. Fuel of the boats during the competition is not included in the inscription fee.

All payments shall be paid by bank transfer, clearly marked "Freshwater Spearfishing EC2022" and name of the Team.

Recipient of the payment: Finnish Divers' Federation

Bank: DANSKE BANK, IBAN Account number: FI8380001300541514, BIC code: DABAFIHH

50% of the payment needs to be done by 15<sup>th</sup> March and the remaining 50% of the fee by 15<sup>th</sup> June 2022.

## **OPTIONAL** costs

- Accommodation for extra days at Harjun Portti Holiday Resort
- Daily meals. There is a shop in Harjun Portti, and the cottages are equipped with kitchen. It will be very convenient for the teams to prepare their own meals there according to their own wishes in their own time schedule.
- Harjun Portti Holiday Resort Café-Restaurant serves lunch daily 11-15
- Fuel for the boats.

We will arrange transportation from Harjun Portti Holiday Resort to and from the Gala Dinner.

More details about the competition Center /Holiday Resort / can be found here:

https://www.harjunportti.fi/en/

https://www.harjunportti.fi/en/info/shop/

Should you need more information about the area of Punkaharju, please contact the very helpful and professional tourist office.

# http://www.visitpunkaharju.fi/en/

CMAS registration fee needs to be done in CMAS database by the date given by CMAS and all athletes need to have a valid CMAS licence and an insurance that covers participating in this event.

### 9. Medical care

First Aid is available in competition.

#### 10. Contacts details

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With best regards

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