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INTRODUCTION

International School Sport Cups (ISC) are an event type aiming at including new sports, sport formats and age categories in the ISF system. ISCs are designed to bring the ISF sport program closer to the new sport trends followed by school students. ISC event shall also establish new pathways to high-end international championships. Similarly, to WSCs, ISCs are open to the participation of school teams only and are characterized by a balanced program between sport and educational content

All ISCs are school team competitions, meaning that individual events do not award any medals, but only contribute to the final school team result. The number of school teams per delegation per category differs from sport to sport. One delegation may enter the ISC with more than one school team but up to a maximum of 5 school teams per category. Special emphasis will be given to educational topics for all participants: athletes; coaches; referees and heads of delegations.

The Executive Committee (EC) of the International School Sport Federation (ISF) entrusted the organisation of the 1st International School Basketball U15 Cup 2020 to Zadar, Croatia.

The participants, both girls and boys aged 13-15, can compete in school teams.

ORGANISATION

1. Management

Organisation	International School Sport Federation Phone: +32 2710 1938 url: https://www.isfsports.org/ e-mail: admin@isfsports.org sport@isfsports.org
Host	Croatian School Sport Federation ured@skolski-sport.hr Phone: +385 1 6126 140 url: http://isf-basketballu15-2020.com e-mail: isf-basketball-u15-2020@skolski-sport.hr
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ISF Delegate	Mr. Zeljko Tanaskovic zeljko.isf@gmail.com
ISF Technical Commission President	Mr. Renos Pittalis renospit@hotmail.com

2. Risk Assessment

The LOC reassures all participating countries and officials that safety is priority.

All concerned parties and stakeholders will do their utmost to deliver a safe and secured experience for all participants. If any changes occur, you will immediately be informed.

3. Visa Policy

Please check if your country needs visa to enter Croatia.

VISA requirements and documents for entrance to various Ports of entry (train, bus, airport) have to be checked by the individual nations. If you encounter any trouble during your journey, you can contact the LOC.

TECHNICAL DETAILS

1. Participation

All students in the school team must have been enrolled at the same school since the beginning of the school year 2019/2020.

The delegations from the following School Sport Entities have confirmed their participation; changes to the list of participating countries will be possible until the deadline for registration phase 2.

GIRLS CATEGORY	
COUNTRY	#TEAMS
Australia	1
Belgium Flanders	1
Bulgaria	1
Chile	1
China	1
Croatia	1
Hungary	1
India	2
Ireland	1
Kosovo	1
Latvia	1
Serbia	1
Chinese Taipei	1
Ukraine	1
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BOYS CATEGORY	
COUNTRY	#TEAMS
Australia	1
Belgium Flanders	1
Bulgaria	1
Chile	1
China	1
Croatia	2
Dominican Republic	1
India	2
Ireland	1
Kosovo	1
Latvia	1
Montenegro	1
Serbia	1
Chinese Taipei	1
Ukraine	1
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2. Composition of the delegation

# Teams	#HoD	# deputy HoD	# ATHLETES (min-max)	AGE CATEGORY	# COACHES/ TEACHERS (min-max)	# REFEREES	# ADDITIONAL ADULTS (max)
1	1	0	12 - 14	2005-2006-2007	1 – 2	1	4
2		0	24 - 28		2 – 4	2	4
3		0	36 - 42		3 – 6	3	8
4		1	48 - 56		4 – 8		8
5			60 - 70		5 – 10	4	10
6			72 - 84		6 – 12		10
7			84 - 98		7 – 14	5	10
8		96 - 112	8 – 16		10		
9		108 - 126	9 – 18		6	10	
10		120 - 140	10 – 20			10	

All students must be attending schools which provide a general education.

The following are not eligible to participate:

- pupils of vocational schools who only attend that school as a complement to their vocational training,
- school teams and pupils enrolled at schools which provide sports training without any general education,
- part-time (e.g. afternoon) sports schools which take pupils from a variety of schools for training in one or more sports,
- teams formed as part of clubs, companies, universities or other institutions.

Head of Delegation (HoD)

He/she may not combine the function with the role of coach or another official role. He/she shall be the sole intermediary between the delegation and the Local Organising Committee, the ISF Technical Commission and the ISF Delegate.

Coach

The coach is the trainer dedicated to his/her team. It is mandatory to have at least 1 coach per team.

Referees

Referee(s) must possess a national or international qualification.

Delegations which are unable to provide national or international referee(s) will be required to pay a fine of a fine of €900 for each missing referee, to the account of the LOC (see below) or upon LOC agreement on arrival in cash.

Additional adults

the function of each additional adult must be specified during the registration process (doctor, physiotherapist, interpreter, security personnel, ministry representative, media, etc...). Delegations can register up to 4 additional adults when participating with 1 or 2 teams; 8 additional adults can be registered when participating with 3 or 4 teams participating and 10 additional adults may be registered for delegations participating with 5 or more teams. Any other additional person not specified during registration or exceeding the quotas specified in this document will not be considered part of the official delegation and will not be accredited by the LOC.

Participant obligations:

- Each participant is required to be present throughout the whole duration of the event.
- Each participant is obliged to take part in all non-sport activities.
- Each team/athlete must be prepared to compete against any of the other participating teams/athletes.
- The absence of any member of a participating team from any part of the sport programme, opening/closing ceremonies, prize-giving or socio-cultural programme may result in the entire team being excluded

SPORT

1. General Rules

The basketball rules will apply to all teams and participants and will remain fixed for the duration of this ISF ISC Basketball U15.

The ISF ISC Basketball U15 will be held under FIBA regulations and ISF Basketball U15 Technical Rules (http://isfsports.org/sites/default/files/technical_rules_basketball_u15_0.pdf) under the supervision of the ISF Technical Commission for basketball. The Local Organising Committee will be responsible for the running and management of the ISF ISC Basketball U15 competition.

The Organising Committee will nominate a Control Commission, a Disciplinary Commission and an Appeal Jury.

2. Event Disciplinary Commission

The Disciplinary Commission will be composed of:

- the ISF Delegate
- the President of the ISF Basketball Technical Commission
- the President of the Local Organising Committee

The Disciplinary Commission will deal with all matters relating to discipline arising during the event matches as well as during the event period when technical regulations are not involved. It should be noted that in cases where there is a notably serious lack of respect for ISF rules the Disciplinary Commission can disqualify participants, teams or delegations from the competition which will require them to return home before the conclusion of the event.

3. Appeal Jury

The Appeal Jury will be composed of:

- the President of the ISF Technical Commission Basketball
- an appointed member of the Local Organising Committee
- the Head Referee.

The Appeal Jury will decide on all appeals concerning the results of the competition in alignment with FIBA and ISF Technical Basketball U15 rules. The Appeal Jury will not pronounce on disciplinary matters. Appeal Jury decisions are final and may not be appealed.

4. Appeals

Appeals involving results, or any other matter not concerning discipline will be heard by the Appeal Jury. The appeal must be lodged within 30 minutes of the incident and be submitted in English. The sum of 50 EUR must accompany the appeal and to be paid to LOC in cash. This sum will be refunded only if the appeal is upheld or at the discretion of the Appeal Jury. In the case of unsuccessful appeal, the 50 EUR payment will be retained by the ISF.

5. Competition System

The draw will take place on the 14th of March at the Falkensteiner Hotel Funimation Borik. The results shall be made public to all delegations during the Head of Delegation meeting.

6. Sport Venues

The competition will take place in following venue(s):

	NAME	LOCATION	DISTANCE FROM HOTEL	TIME
HALL 1	Hall Višnjik 1	Zadar	4,6 km	11 min
HALL 2	Hall Višnjik 2	Zadar	4,6 km	11 min
HALL 3	Hall Višnjik 3	Zadar	4,6 km	11 min
HALL 4	Hall Višnjik 4	Zadar	4,6 km	11 min
HALL 5	SRC Mocire	Zadar	1,8 km	4 min
HALL 6	OŠ Bibinje	Bibinje	14,1 km	24 min
HALL 7	OŠ Sukošan	Sukošan	15,2 km	25 min
HALL 8	OŠ Zadarski otoci	Zadar	6,5 km	14 min

- Training is available at SRC Mocire and Economic-administration and Trade School Zadar
- Training times will be from 16:00h to 19:00h on 17th, 19th and 20th of March

7. Sport Equipment

Balls: During the championship the following FIBA approved Balls will be used:



Wilson FIBA approved Game Ball 7 for Boys



Wilson Game Ball 6 for Girls

For warm-ups prior to the games, 3 Balls will be given to each team

Games Uniform: Numbers should be from number 4 to 15.

Water at the Games: Each participant will have one bottle (0,5 l) of water per game.

8. Sport Schedule

First part of the competition: Qualification games in groups (all x all).

Second part of the competition: Classification games (crossings) by a knockout game.

Third part of the competition: Ranking games – Finals.

Games program and schedule will be finalized after the finishing of the registration process and the draw.

9. Results

All results of the day, as well as the final schedule for the following day will be published at the end of the everyday on the event website: <http://isf-basketballu15-2020.com/>.

A hardcopy of the results and schedule will also be available in the hotel lobby and at the sport info desk.

10. Sport Info Desk

There will be a Sport Info Desk located in the lobby of the hotel. The info point will be open from 9:00 – 21:00

ADMINISTRATION & FINANCE

1. Registration

Please use your ERAS credentials to access registration. For any issues accessing the ERAS platform, please contact the sport department at sport@isfsports.org.

Registration for Phase 1 is closed. Registration for Phase 2 is open. Eras Registration Phase 3 deadline is March 1,2020.

Phase 3 requires the following information:

- Travel
- Schedule
- Date
- Number of flights (if more than one)
- Number of people per flight (if more than one)
- School
- Name and address of the school for each team
- City

For each accredited person

- First and last name
- Date of birth
- ID photo
- Diet or food restriction
- Jersey number and colour
- Referees licence

Additionally, the Head of delegation shall provide

- a. His/her mobile phone number

2. Fees

▶ a. Participation Fee

In accordance with the rules laid down by ISF, the payment to be made to the organisers of the event amounts to 50 € per person/per night. The participation fee (per person/per night) in EURO for all participants is as follows:

Role	Fee	Type of room
Head of Delegation	50€	Single occupancy
Deputy Head of Delegation	50€	Single occupancy
Coach	50€	Double occupancy
Coach	100€	Single occupancy
Referee	50€	Double occupancy
Referee	100€	Single occupancy
Competitor	50€	2-4 bedded rooms
Additional adult	50€	Double occupancy
Additional adult	100€	Single occupancy

The fee covers full board accommodation for the duration of the event. It covers the competition, cultural programme activities and all transport in connection with the official programme (arrival, departure, sports and cultural programmes).

▶ b. ISF Levy

An additional ISF levy of 40 € per member in the delegation must be paid together with the balance of the participation fee.

▶ c. Donation to the School Sport Foundation

The ISF School Sport Foundation intends to provide underprivileged school children with opportunities to access sports training from highly qualified PE teachers and trainers and acquire good quality school sport equipment and infrastructure. One of the occasions to help the Foundation is the Charity Gala Dinner during which each Head of Delegation will be invited. An extra contribution of 50 € for taking part is requested.

A second way to raise funds for the School Sport Foundation is a free contribution that you can add to the 40 € ISF levy of the participants. You can add 5 €, 10 € or 15 € per participant to the ISF levy to pay. Instead of paying 40 €, you would thus pay 45 €, 50 € or 55 € per participant.

▶ d. Total Fee

The total sum per person amounts to

# nights	X	Participation fee	+	ISF Levy	=	TOTAL(minimum)
7		50€		40€		390€

3. Balance Payment

The payment can be transferred to this bank account:

Name of the bank: HRVATSKA POŠTANSKA BANKA
Address: Jurisiceva 4, Zagreb
BIC/Swift Code: HPBZHR2X
IBAN: HR88 2390 0011 1009 8117 0
Payee : Hrvatski školski sportski savez/Croatian School Sport Federation
Reference : ISF ISC Basketball U15 2020 – Deposit – [name of the country]

The final balance is to be paid by bank transfer or upon LOC agreement on arrival in cash
All bank charges (for both deposit and balance) are to be met by the participating countries.

*Info about deposit. When the deposit has been paid it must then be deducted from the total final payment

4. Insurance

Each country is required to provide insurance for each member of its delegation. At a minimum the insurance is to cover civil liability, material damage and medical costs.

5. Deadlines

January 31, 2020	Opening of registration phase 3
February 21, 2020	Closing of registration phase 2
March 1, 2020	Closing of registration phase 3
March 10, 2020	Payment of balance or LOC agreement

6. Accreditation Procedure

Accreditation will take place afternoon on March 14 for the teams arriving earlier and all day on March 15, 2020 during the arrival day of delegations. Head of Delegations are responsible for completing accreditation for their delegation. The Control Commission composed of representatives of the ISF Technical Commission Basketball and representatives of the Local Organising Committee will proceed to check the following documents:

1. Finances: proof of payment of the balance including any bank charges and, if it was not sent to the LOC beforehand, the payment overview. To help the Local Organising Committee to process your payment correctly, please complete and send by e-mail to LOC the form 'payment overview' which can be downloaded in Registration phase 3, once you have completed the payment. This document will greatly assist the Local Organising Committee when processing your payment.
2. Accreditation
For the delegation:
 - the official school certificate form signed by the Headmaster of the school and the legal School Sport Entity, confirming that all players are full time students at the school, since the beginning of the school year (download from ERAS in Registration phase 3).

- the document certifying that the delegation is covered by an insurance that at least covers civil liability, material damage and medical costs.

For each student:

- the passport (or identity card) bearing family name, first name, photograph, nationality and date of birth
- the anti-doping consent form (download from ERAS in Registration phase 3)
- the use of image consent form (download from ERAS)

When checking is finished the Head of delegation will receive the accreditation cards and welcome packages for each participant in his/her delegation. Participants must carry the accreditation card with them all the times to have access to transport, competition, activities and meals.

LOGISTICS

1. Arrival & Departure

- The LOC will have volunteers at the Zadar airport and the Split airport, awaiting delegations with signs containing the delegation country names.
- Delegations arriving somewhere other than the official port of entry shall organise transportation to accommodation themselves. If you have questions regarding organisation of transportation, please contact the LOC.
- Transportation from official port of entries will be done by buses.
- Please communicate to the LOC if your delegation is planning on staying longer than the period stated in the event rules:

When the distance between the host city and the capital of a participating country on another continent exceeds 5000 kilometres the delegation may extend its stay by arriving one day earlier or leaving one day later at the normal daily fee (50 €).

2. General Schedule

March 15	Day 0	Arrival Meeting with HOD and coaches Meeting with the referees Accreditation
March 16	Day 1	Competition – group stage games Opening ceremony Gala Dinner
March 17	Day 2	Competition - group stage games Coaches Seminar Head of Delegations Seminar
March 18	Day 3	Competition - group stage games Cultural day Nations night
March 19	Day 4	Competition – ranking games Boys and girls 3pt Competition
March 20	Day 5	Competition– ranking games
March 21	Day 6	Competition – ranking games Boys and girls 3pt Competition (Finals) Awarding and Closing ceremony Farewell party
March 22	Day 7	Departure

3. Transport Network

Delegations will be transported by buses between accommodation and sport venues, for Cultural day and Nations night.

4. Accommodation

FALKENSTEINER HOTEL FUNIMATION BORIK;

[https://www.falkensteiner.com/en/club-funimation-borik/;](https://www.falkensteiner.com/en/club-funimation-borik/)

Address: Majstora Radovana 7, 23000

- Laundry services will be available for a fee at the hotel
- Each room is equipped with satellite TV, a desk, a minibar and a safe. The private bathrooms come with a hairdryer. Free Wi-Fi access is provided.

Non-accredited persons, wishing to stay at the same hotel as accredited delegations are welcome to contact the hotels directly to inquire about availabilities and fees.

MEDICAL

1. Food & Beverage

Food will be supplied by the hotels and will be served at the hotel dining halls as a buffet. There will be a several types of main courses for lunch and dinner and typical hotel breakfast.

The food menu will be based on the necessary nutriments for athletes.

The LOC will accommodate specific diet and food restrictions, which will be specified following Phase 3 registration for participants.

2. Doping Control

Dope testing (for use of banned substances) can take place during the competition according to current ISF Anti-Doping Rules: http://isfsports.org/sites/default/files/isf-anti-doping-rules_0.pdf If selected for testing a competitor may be accompanied by an adult. If a competitor is following a course of medical treatment which includes the use of prohibited substances according to the current WADA prohibited list (2019 version: https://www.wada-ama.org/sites/default/files/wada_2019_english_prohibited_list.pdf). He or she must obtain from his/her National Anti-Doping Agency (NADO) a TUE (Therapeutic Use Exemption) that complies with the requirements of the International Standard and must inform the organisers immediately upon arrival.

3. Hospitals and medical service

The accredited hospital of the competition is Hospital Zadar (Bože Peričića 5, 23000 Zadar). Distance between hotel and hospital is 5 km (10 min) and 2,5 km (5 min) between main sports hall and hospital.

Medical care will be provided to all accredited persons. There will be three medical persons at the sports hall, including 10 students from local medical school. At the hotel one medic person will be on duty 24h/24h.

NON-SPORT ACTIVITIES

1. Opening Ceremony

The opening ceremony will take place at the Višnjik hall, 16th March at 19:00h. The ceremony will be held indoors. All delegations should attend the Opening Ceremony. Spectators from local schools, local teams and other people from the city of Zadar are welcome to watch the Opening Ceremony.

2. Cultural Program

Cultural program will consist of:

▶ a. Cultural day:

Cultural day will take place at the Zadar downtown, 18th March. Delegations will be transported by buses between hotel and main city square. The participants will have city tour accompanied by the touristic guide. The participants will see several cultural places in the city of Zadar.

Right after the Cultural day will take place the "Nations Night" at the main city square. The participants will have already brought their things (food, brochure, beverages...) and will have left it at the Nations night desk, guarded by Security for when they return from the Cultural Day tour.

▶ b. Nations Night:

The Nations Night will take place at the main city square, 18th March.

Delegations are required to take part in an activity named "Nations Night" organised with the aim of encouraging exchanges between the different cultures of participating countries. The participating youth are invited to introduce and to promote their countries and their culture in an original way. Each delegation is to organise a stand that promotes their country's specialties in terms of art crafts, visual materials, food, drinks (no alcohol), pins, leaflet, etc. In addition, each delegation shall introduce a facet of its country's culture on stage (with dance, songs, sketches, video, etc.) - maximum 4 minutes.

The videos, music, CD USB sticks should be handed to the LOC during accreditation.

▶ 1. Gala Dinner:

Gala Dinner will take place at the Restaurant Adriana which is in walking distance from hotel (300m), 16th March at 21:30h.

▶ 2. Closing Ceremony:

The Closing Ceremony will take place at the Višnjik hall, 21st March after 16:00h. The ceremony will be held indoors.

MEDIA & COMMUNICATION

Website: <http://isf-basketballU15-2020.com/>

Broadcasting: Broadcasting will be provided on the designated ISF Facebook event page.

The program of the broadcasted games will be communicated by the ISF on due time.

The following events will be broadcasted:

- Draw
- Opening Ceremony
- Mobile team will broadcast games from different halls
- Semifinals (optional) and Finals
- Daily Highlights

Social media guidelines

Spread the word on ISF International schools' basketball U15 Cup

We would love for you to help us support the young athletes participating at ISF events.

- Follow the official Facebook page:
- www.facebook.com/ISFWSCbasketball



- Use the official ISF hashtags: #ISFWSC2020
- Follow news on ISF's website: www.isfsports.org
- Submit content related to your event to ISF community manager: fonda.polona@gmail.com
- Share ISF content on your national federation's profiles

ISF global channels:

Twitter: [@isfsports](https://twitter.com/isfsports) | #ISFWSC2020

Facebook: [@isfsports](https://www.facebook.com/isfsports) | [facebook.com/isfsports](https://www.facebook.com/isfsports)

Instagram: [@isfsports](https://www.instagram.com/isfsports) | #ISFWSC2020

GENERAL INFORMATION

General information on country:

Croatia is a country at the crossroads of Central and Southeast Europe, on the Adriatic Sea. It borders Slovenia to the northwest, Hungary to the northeast, Serbia to the east, Bosnia and Herzegovina, and Montenegro to the southeast, sharing a maritime border with Italy. Its capital, Zagreb, forms one of the country's primary subdivisions, along with twenty one counties. Croatia has an area of 56,594 square kilometres (21,851 square miles) and a population of 4.28 million, most of whom are Roman Catholics.

Language:

Croatian

Currency:

kuna; 1 € = 7,45 kn; credit cards are acceptable in the shops, malls, restaurants cash mostly at the bars

Weather :

The climate in Zadar during March can be summarized as mild and reasonably dry.

Temperature:

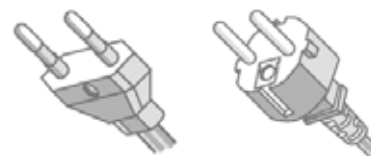
Daytime maximum temperatures average around a cool 17°C (62°F), whilst at night 8°C (46°F) is normal.

Electrical socket:

In Croatia the power plugs and sockets are of type C and F.

Is tap water drinkable?

Yes



Access and availability of:

- Hospitals – 5 km
- Pharmacy – 300 m
- ATM – 50 m
- Shopping malls – 5 km
- Food and restauration – 50 m



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in Croatia in March 2020.**



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