

# **International Inline Skater Hockey Federation**

# **Communication 2020-16**

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## 1. IISHF Men Challenge Cup 2021

The IISHF Presidium hereby confirms that SHC Rockets Essen will host the Men Challenge Cup 2021. The event will take place on 18-20th of June, 2021 in Essen, Germany as sanctioned by the IISHF Presidium.

If any team wants to cancel its participation in 2021 and wants to make use of the offered repayment for the cancelled IISHF Title Event 2020 their NMA has to notify the IISHF Presidium at latest by 28<sup>th</sup> of July, 2020. Any cancellation at a later point will follow the IISHF Regulations.

In case of any vacant places at the IISHF Men Challenge Cup 2021 the selection will be done after the IISHF Regulations as per the ranking used originally for the selection for IISHF Men Challenge Cup 2020.

# 2. IISHF U19 European Cup 2021

The IISHF Presidium hereby confirms that SHC Rossemaison will host the U19 European Cup 2021. The event will take place on 11-13th of June, 2021 in Rossemaison, Switzerland as sanctioned by the IISHF Presidium.

If any team wants to cancel its participation in 2021 and wants to make use of the offered repayment for the cancelled IISHF Title Event 2020 their NMA has to notify the IISHF Presidium at latest by 28<sup>th</sup> of July, 2020. Any cancellation at a later point will follow the IISHF Regulations.

In case of any vacant places at the IISHF U19 European Cup 2021 the selection will be done after the IISHF Regulations as per the ranking used originally for the selection for IISHF U19 European Cup 2020.

#### 3. IISHF Veterans European Cup 2021

The IISHF Presidium hereby confirms that SHC Rossemaison will host the Veterans European Cup 2021. The event will take place on 20-22th of August, 2021 in Rossemaison, Switzerland as sanctioned by the IISHF Presidium.

Since the IISHF Veterans European Cup did not take place in 2020 then the selection of the teams will be done according to the IISHF Regulations §18 where the NMA's first will have to report teams either from their domestic Veterans championship in 2020 or 2019 if no domestic championship will be hold this year due to the coronavirus disease (COVID-19).

#### 4. IISHF Men European Cup 2021

The IISHF Presidium hereby confirms that SHC Rossemaison will host the Men European Cup 2021. The event will take place on 26-29th of August, 2021 in Rossemaison, Switzerland as sanctioned by the IISHF Presidium.

If any team wants to cancel its participation in 2021 and wants to make use of the offered repayment for the cancelled IISHF Title Event 2020 their NMA has to notify the IISHF Presidium at latest by 28<sup>th</sup> of July, 2020. Any cancellation at a later point will follow the IISHF Regulations.

In case of any vacant places at the IISHF Men European Cup 2021 the selection will be done after the IISHF Regulations as per the ranking used originally for the selection for IISHF Men European Cup 2020.

# 5. IISHF Live streaming and Media Development Work Group

We are pleased to announce that the IISHF Live streaming and Media Development Work Group has completed phase 1 of project. Thanks to its efforts the technical requirements high-quality and instant coverage of the IISHF Title Events in terms for live streams, video highlights and pictures has been determined. Subject to funding and approval of the IISHF Council of Members this in an important development that is to serve as the backbone for marketing skater hockey to a wider public in the future. The IISHF Presidium would like to thank everyone contributing to this outcome. Phase 2 on Sponsorship Opportunities/Regulations for IISHF, Host and Team sponsors has been underway for a few weeks and is expected to finish by the end of June.

## 6. IISHF coronavirus (Covid-19) follow up

The IISHF Presidium would to like to collect experience from every NMA Management Board about the current status about the activity of skater hockey in your country at the moment and what kind of games and championships you expect to have in 2020. Please provide your feedback to <a href="mailto:office@iishf.com">office@iishf.com</a>. Deadline 6 th of July, 2020.

On behalf of the IISHF Presidium Erik Sommer (President)