



Bulletin 1

**ISF WORLD SCHOOLS
CHAMPIONSHIP**

Triathlon 2017

Aracaju

Brazil

07/06 – 12/06/2017

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**INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL SPORT FEDERATION
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'under the aegis of ISF'**

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The Executive Committee (EC) of the International School Sport Federation (ISF) has decided to entrust the organisation of the **World Schools Championship Triathlon 2017 'under the aegis of ISF'** to Aracaju, Brazil.

1. Invitation

Invitations to participate in this World Schools Championship Triathlon 'under the aegis of ISF' are being sent to all school sport organisations which are full or associate members of ISF and for information to the members of the ISF Executive Committee and to the ITU (International Triathlon Union).

2. Composition of teams and rules for participation

- 2.1. The competition is open to both school teams and selected teams. The Executive Committee in its meeting in Johannesburg, South Africa on 26th October 2015 last, decided to allow participating countries to register selected teams in this World Schools Championship without entering school teams.

There will be a competition organised in the following categories:

Individual

- school boys A (students born in 2001 and 2002)
- school girls A (students born in 2001 and 2002)
- school boys B (students born in 1999 and 2000)
- school girls B (students born in 1999 and 2000)
- selected boys A (students born in 2001 and 2002)
- selected girls A (students born in 2001 and 2002)
- selected boys B (students born in 1999 and 2000)
- selected girls B (students born in 1999 and 2000)

Relay

- school teams mixed (boys and girls) A (students born in 2001 and 2002)
- school teams mixed (boys and girls) B (students born in 1999 and 2000)
- selected teams mixed (boys and girls) A (students born in 2001 and 2002)
- selected teams mixed (boys and girls) B (students born in 1999 and 2000)



Neither older nor younger triathletes will be accepted!

1/ Individual

Each delegation can enter 1 to 4 boys or 1 to 4 girls per category but maximum 16 participants in total.

A country that enters only one participant can choose in which category this boy or girl starts, 'individual school' representing his or her school or 'individual selected' representing his/her country's school sport.

From 2 participants it depends if these participants are from the same school (school category) or not (selected category).

The host country has the right to participate with 32 participants.

2/ Relay

To participate in the relay, it is mandatory to have participated in the individual competition.

The relay is for mixed teams of 4 triathletes only (2 boys and 2 girls only).

Each delegation can enter maximum 4 relay teams.

Each delegation can enter 1 or 2 relay teams in the same category but maximum 4 teams in total.

Countries that want to participate in the relays and do not have 2 boys and 2 girls in the same category can complete the team with triathletes from other participating countries or from the host country (request via bulletin 2 or 3). These teams will however not be able to win the title.

The host country has the right to participate with 8 teams.

- 2.2. All students of a school relay team must have been enrolled at the same school since the beginning of the school year 2016/2017.
All students of a selected relay team must have been enrolled at a school in the country concerned since the beginning of the school year 2016/2017.
- 2.3. School category: each delegation must designate one (1) teacher/coach up to 8 students from the same school. When there are more than 8 students registered from the same school, the school can add one supplementary teacher/coach (this is however not compulsory).
Selected category: each delegation must designate one (1) coach up to 8 athletes. When there are more than 8 athletes registered, the country can add one supplementary coach (this is however not compulsory).
- 2.4. Each delegation shall nominate a Head of Delegation who shall be responsible for the team or teams in his/her delegation. He/she may not combine the function of Head of Delegation and coach or another official function.
He/she shall be the sole intermediary between his/her delegation the OC, and the ISF Observer.
- 2.5. Each participating country has the right to add a maximum of 2 extra adults whose function must be specified: doctor, physiotherapist, interpreter, security personnel, ministerial representative, journalist, ...



Any other additional persons will not be considered part of the official delegation.

- 2.6. Students must be enrolled as full-time students at the school which they represent. They must be attending schools which provide a general education.

The following are not eligible to participate:

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

- 2.7. Each participating team must be nominated officially by the organisation responsible for school sport and which is member of ISF.

3. Provisional programme

Day 1	Welcome / Accreditation / Housing of teams Meeting of Heads of Delegation and Technical Meeting
Day 2	Training Opening Ceremony Gala Dinner
Day 3	Individual Races
Day 4	Cultural Visit
Day 5	Relay race Award ceremony
Day 6	Departure of delegations

4. Travel

- 4.1. Travel as far as Aracaju Airport (Santa Maria) is to be arranged and financed by each participating country.
- 4.2. The organisers will finance and be responsible for transfer of delegations between the Aracaju Airport and their accommodation on arrival and departure and similarly all transport in connection with the official programme (sports and cultural programmes).

5. Finances and Insurance

- 5.1. In return for the entry fees which are fixed by the ISF Executive Committee, the Organising Committee will be responsible for board and lodging for participants for the duration of the championship, for the competition and



the cultural activities and for all transport in connection with the official programme (arrival, departure, sports and cultural programmes).

- 5.2. In accordance with the rules laid down by ISF, the payment to be made to the organisers of the World Schools Championship amounts to 50 € per person and per night.
- 5.3. An additional ISF levy of 40 € per delegation member will be collected at the time of registration.
- 5.4. The total sum per person is therefore 250€ + 40€ = 290€.
- 5.5. When the distance between Aracaju Airport 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 €).
- 5.6. For two supplementary adults the following regulation applies:
 - for a single room 100 € per night,
 - for a double/twin room (2 additional persons) 50 € per night each,
 - for a double/twin room (1 additional person + teacher/coach) 50 € per night each.Requests are to be made by the country concerned.
- 5.7. If the delegation travels by bus, the driver of the bus will be considered as a member of the delegation and will be charged 50 € per night.
- 5.8. The organisation of an extended stay for the delegation (before or after the event) is a matter for the country concerned. It shall not be the responsibility of the Organising Committee.
- 5.9. 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.

6. Deposit

- 6.1. Along with the entry, each country must pay a deposit of 100 € per person as confirmation of the entry.
The deposit must be sent as a single payment for the whole delegation by the organisation responsible for school sport (federation, trust, ministry, ...) Payments by individual schools will not be accepted.
The sum of the deposit will be deducted from the total cost of participation.

The deposit is non-refundable in the event of non-participation unless the participating country has informed the organisers at least one month before the event starts or in case of force majeure. The latter instance will require the approval of the ISF Management Committee.



6.2. The ISF Secretariat is responsible for registering all deposits before **30th November 2016**.

6.3. The deposit is to be paid to the following account:

Name of the bank: BNP Paribas Fortis

Address: Warandeborg 3, 1000 Brussels, Belgium

BIC (Swift Code): GEBABEBB

Payee: ISF, Boomgaardstraat 22 B39, 2600 – Berchem/Antwerp, Belgium.

IBAN: BE03 0015 2130 7984

Reference: ISF Triathlon 2017 + *name of the participating country*

6.4. The balance in cash in Euros is to be paid on arrival in Aracaju, Brazil (bank- and credit cards will not be accepted) or may be paid in Euros to the organisers' bank account as published in the third bulletin.

6.5. All bank charges (for both deposit and balance) are to be met by participating countries.

7. Commitments to be honoured by delegations

7.1. Each participant is required to be present throughout the whole duration of the event.

7.2. Each participant is obliged to take part also in all of the non-sport activities.

7.3. Each team undertakes to compete against all other participating teams.

7.4. Each participant undertakes to compete against all other participants.

7.5. The absence of any member of a participating team from any part of the entire sport programme, opening-, prize-giving and closing ceremonies and socio-cultural programme may result in the team being excluded from the results.

8. Technical Rules

8.1. The competition will be run according to current ISF and ITU rules under the supervision of the ISF Observer.

8.2. Individual Race distance:

- 2001/2002 : 400 m + 10 km + 2,5 km for both school and selected teams
- 1999/2000 : 750 m + 20 km + 5 km for both school and selected teams

8.3. Relay Race distance:

- 200 m + 5 km + 1,5 km for each race

The triathletes in the team take turns when finishing the above mentioned race (swim, run, bike). The Relay Race thus comprises 4 individual races, one after the other.



8.4 Prize-giving

Each participant will receive a commemorative certificate.

The title of individual world champion is awarded to each of the categories, 8 podia.

The title of team world champion is awarded only to mixed teams, 4 podia.

9. Doping

Dope testing (for use of banned substances) can take place during the competition according to the current ISF Anti-Doping Rules. <http://www.isfsports.org/sports/isf-anti-doping-rules/>.

If selected for testing a competitor may be accompanied by an adult. If a competitor is following a course of medical treatment, he or she must obtain certification to that effect (TUE) and inform the organisers immediately upon arrival.

10. Registration

The ELECTRONIC ENTRY REGISTRATION FORM 1 (click [here](#)) should be duly completed on behalf of the organisation responsible for school sport at the latest by 30th September 2016.

With the first registration you will have following 6 possibilities to register:

- individual schools boys
- individual schools girls
- individual selected boys
- individual selected girls
- schools mixed
- selected mixed

without specifying the age category. This will have to be specified in a later stage.

PLEASE PAY THE DEPOSIT BY 30th NOVEMBER 2016

**Looking forward to meeting you in Brazil in June 2017
on behalf of the Organising Committee**



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