



# PROCLAMATION

## Handball

### **Class division**

- Men "Open Class" for all ages
- Women "Open Class" for all ages
- In case of interest of teams over 40 will decide if a corresponding category will be held.

### **Game model**

1. A team consists of up to 7 players - (maximum 14 players per team).

### **Matches**

1. The tournament will be held under the ABC Pool/CUP system to even out differences in strength between the participating teams.
2. The teams are ranked in each pool on points, the scoring within the group follows the points system (Win 2p – draw 1p – loss 0p points). so that the team with most points is no.1 and the next-best team is no.2 etc.
  - If 2 teams are tied, the games they have played together decide the result.
  - If the teams are still tied, the team with the biggest difference between goals scored and then the most goals scored, is the winner.
  - In the event of a draw from the semifinals onwards, the winner is decided by "sudden victory" (next goal wins).
3. There are no team time-outs; no time-outs in the event of suspensions and penalty throws; time-outs are only given when players are injured. Duration of suspension: 1 minute.

### **Playing time**

In first and second rounds: 2 x 12 minutes with a 5-minute half-time break. On the final day (Saturday), the playing time for all groups is 2 x 15 minutes with a 5-minute half-time break.

### **Field dimensions**

min. 36,00 m x 18,00 m - max. 44,00 m x 22,00 m

### **Rules**

- Even a referee must apply the international rules.
- The team captains are requested to report to the tournament director 30 minutes before their first match is set to begin.
- The list of the team members and their numbers must be filled in 30 minutes before start of the match.
- All players are asked to wear shoes with non-marking soles. Further, teams are requested to have two sets of uniforms at hand.
- Unless otherwise specified, the rules of the International Handball Federation apply.
- Detailed game rules are published in the tournament program.