



2013  
EUROPEAN MIXED  
CURLING CHAMPIONSHIP  
(EMCC)



EDINBURGH, SCOTLAND ... 14 - 21 September 2013

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1. World Curling Federation (WCF) rules apply, unless otherwise indicated below or explained at the Team Meeting (14 September, upper lounge of the Curling Club, 13:40).
2. The 25 teams are divided into three groups (A, B and C). The teams in each group are listed within this document.
3. Each group plays a round-robin series. At the end of the round robin series, and any necessary tie-breaker games (there will only be one round of tie-breaker games, the system will be explained at the Team Meeting), there must be a ranking for 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> position in each group. The 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> ranked teams qualify directly for the 1/4 finals, as well as the 3<sup>rd</sup> ranked team with the best DSC result. The other two 3<sup>rd</sup> ranked teams play a qualification game to decide the last team entered into the 1/4 finals. The playoff format for the 1/4 finals:

(Game 1) 1st best DSC of the 1st ranked teams v winner qualification game

(Game 2) 2nd best DSC of the 1st ranked teams v 1st best DSC of the 3rd ranked teams

(Game 3) 3rd best DSC of the 1st ranked teams v 3rd best DSC of the 2nd ranked teams

(Game 4) 1st best DSC of the 2nd ranked teams v 2nd best DSC of the 2nd ranked teams.

Semi-finals: winner of Game 1 vs. winner Game 4 and winner of Game 2 vs. winner Game 3

Losers of the semi-finals play in the Bronze Medal game.

Winners of the semi-finals play in the Gold Medal game.

4. All games will be eight (8) ends, with extra end(s) to break tied games.
5. First named team in each draw plays stones with dark coloured handles, and should wear dark coloured upper playing garments. Note: red is considered a dark colour.
6. There will be a nine (9) minute practice for each team before each round-robin game. The practice starts 30 minutes before the scheduled game time. The team with the first practice during the round robin will be the team with dark stones, except:  
Group A - CZE v SCO, SCO has first practice; and HUN v CZE, CZE has first practice  
Group B - coin toss will decide first and second practice in their first game  
Group C - coin toss will decide first and second practice in the games marked with an asterisk (\*)
7. At the conclusion of the team's pre-game practice, one player delivers one stone to the tee at the home end. The team with the lesser Last Stone Draw (LSD) distance has the choice of delivering first or second stone in the first end. If the LSDs are equal, a toss of the coin will determine which team has the choice.
8. The Chief Umpire will determine the schedule and ice for all post round robin games as soon as the number of games required and the opponents have been determined.
9. **NOTE:** There will only be one round for tie-breaker games. The procedure for reducing the number of teams will be explained at the Team Meeting.

Group A	Group B	Group C
Belarus (BLR)	England (ENG)	Austria (AUT)
Czech Republic (CZE)	Estonia (EST)	Denmark (DEN)
France (FRA)	Norway (NOR)	Finland (FIN)
Germany (GER)	Russia (RUS)	Ireland (IRL)
Hungary (HUN)	Spain (ESP)	Italy (ITA)
Latvia (LAT)	Sweden (SWE)	Slovakia (SVK)
Poland (POL)	Switzerland (SUI)	Slovenia (SLO)
Romania (ROU)	Wales (WAL)	Turkey (TUR)
Scotland (SCO)		

Training Day – Saturday, 14 September 2013							
Date	Time	Sheet A	Sheet B	Sheet C	Sheet D	Sheet E	Sheet F
Friday 13 September	Arrival of the teams....						
Saturday 14 September	8:30 - 9:30	x	RUS	ENG	SUI	EST	x
	09:30 - 10:30	Ice Maintenance					
	10:30 - 11:30	NOR	WAL	SWE	ESP	x	x
	11:30 - 12:30	Ice Maintenance					
	12:30 - 13:30	CZE	ROU	SCO	GER	HUN	FRA
	13:40 - 14:10	<b>TEAM MEETING – Curling Club Upper Lounge</b> (Ice Maintenance)					
	14:30 - 15:30	LAT	POL	FIN	TUR	IRL	AUT
	15:30 - 16:30	Ice Maintenance					
	16:30 - 17:30	DEN	SVK	ITA	SLO	BLR	x

**NOTE:** The Saturday training sessions will be 10 minutes on each sheet moving from A to B to C to D to E to F.  
The Umpires will control the sessions and indicate the time that the teams change sheets.



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Date	Time	Sheet A	Sheet B	Sheet C	Sheet D	Sheet E	Sheet F
Friday 13 September	Arrival of the teams...						
	19:00	Welcome Reception					
Saturday 14 September	08:30-17:30	Team Training (see enclosed schedule)					
	13:40	Team Meeting for all teams (upper lounge at the curling club)					
	18:00	Opening Ceremony					
	19:30	FIN - TUR	CZE - ROU	DEN - SVK	SCO - GER	HUN - FRA	LAT - POL
Sunday 15 September	10:00	RUS - ENG	SUI - EST	*IRL - AUT	NOR - WAL	ITA - TUR	SWE - ESP
	14:30	ROU - FRA	GER - POL	*SLO - FIN	x	BLR - LAT	CZE - SCO
	19:00	ESP - WAL	SWE - NOR	RUS - SUI	IRL - SVK	DEN - AUT	ENG - EST
Monday 16 September	10:00	BLR - SCO	FRA - LAT	HUN - CZE	ITA - SLO	GER - ROU	AUT - FIN
	14:30	SLO - DEN	ENG - ESP	x	SWE - EST	RUS - WAL	NOR - SUI
	19:00	CZE - GER	SCO - HUN	SVK - ITA	ROU - POL	TUR - IRL	FRA - BLR
Tuesday 17 September	10:00	SUI - ESP	SLO - IRL	WAL - EST	SVK - FIN	NOR - ENG	RUS - SWE
	14:30	HUN - LAT	ITA - AUT	GER - FRA	TUR - DEN	POL - SCO	BLR - CZE
	19:00	NOR - RUS	*SVK - TUR	SWE - ENG	SLO - AUT	EST - ESP	SUI - WAL
Wednesday 18 September	10:00	IRL - ITA	FIN - DEN	SCO - ROU	HUN - BLR	LAT - GER	POL - FRA
	14:30	WAL - SWE	EST - RUS	ESP - NOR	ENG - SUI	FIN - ITA	DEN - IRL
	19:00	AUT - SVK	TUR - SLO	BLR - POL	LAT - ROU	FRA - CZE	HUN - GER
Thursday 19 September	10:00	POL - HUN	ROU - BLR	CZE - LAT	FRA - SCO	x	*ITA - DEN
	14:30	EST - NOR	WAL - ENG	AUT - TUR	ESP - RUS	SUI - SWE	x
	19:00	GER - BLR	IRL - FIN	LAT - SCO	POL - CZE	SVK - SLO	ROU - HUN
Friday 20 September	10:00	<b>Tie-breaker Games (one session, if required)</b>					
	14:30	<b>Qualification Game for the last 1/4 Final position</b>					
	19:00	<b>1/4 Finals</b>					
	10:00	<b>Semi-Final Games</b>					
Saturday 21 September	15:00	<b>Gold &amp; Bronze Games</b>					
	17:30	<b>Closing Ceremonies &amp; Medal Presentations</b>					
Sunday 22 September	20:00	<b>Farewell Party</b>					
		Departure of the Teams – Safe Journey Home					