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OFFICIAL INVITATION LETTER

Dear Colleagues,

The European Paintball Federation (EPBF) is proud to invite your National team to compete in the official **Paintball World Cup Women's 2016**, from 20 to 22 May 2016.

This letter, which includes all the General Information concerning the Event, contains important details that should also be brought to the attention of the Team Manager as well as the players.

You will find enclosed in this Official Invitation and posted on the EPBF website:

- Registration Information
- National Team Jerseys Template 2016
- National Team Accreditation Form

Please find all the information related to event location and the accommodation on the hosting European Series "Millennium" website:

www.millennium-series.com/events.php?event=T2

The National Team Accreditation Form must be filled in and sent back to:

Organizer: European Paintball Federation (EPBF)

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Laurent HAMET, President of the EPBF

GENERAL DETAILS

<p>ORGANIZER</p>	<p>European Paintball Federation 30 rue du General Leclerc, 94510 La Queue en Brie-France Phone number: +33 (0)1.60.29.30.34 Email: vika@epbf.net Website: www.epbf.net</p>	
<p>SANCTIONING BODY</p>	<p>UNITED PAINTBALL FEDERATION</p>	
<p>VENUE</p>	<p>Bitburg, Germany Address: to be confirmed later</p>	
<p>REGISTRATION</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Registration will be closed on May 13th 2016. • All registration requests must be submitted through the National Associations (Federations). • Late registration is not acceptable. • Registration is to be sent by e-mail to vika@epbf.net • Entry fee is 750 EUR 	
<p>TECHNICAL OFFICIALS</p>	<p>Referee Manager: Ulrich Staehr (Germany) Head Referee (field #1): Richard Garry Husband (UK) Head Referee (field #2): Kenji Saelence (Belgium)</p>	
<p style="text-align: center;">TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE</p>		
<p>THURSDAY, May 19 2016</p>	<p>Registration opens from 2 pm (local time). Fields are available for training.</p>	<p>Event's site, EPBF tent</p>
<p>FRIDAY, May 20 2016</p>	<p>Opening ceremony. Qualification games. Ranking position games.</p>	<p>Field #1 Field #2</p>
<p>SATURDAY, May 21 2016</p>	<p>Quarter, Semi and Finals Ranking position games.</p>	<p>Field #1 Field #2</p>
<p>SUNDAY, May 22 2016</p>	<p>Awards ceremony.</p>	<p>TBA</p>
<p>TEAM MANAGERS' MEETING</p>	<p>FRIDAY, May 20 2016 11 am (local time)</p>	<p>Event's site, EPBF tent</p>

IMPORTANT: changes in the dates & times as well as some technical details are possible, please check the website for more information.

COMPETITION DETAILS AND REGULATIONS

GENERAL RULES	The competition is organized in accordance with the EPBF Rules & Regulations, and in accordance with the Unified Paintball Rules approved by WPBO / UPBF.
ONLINE REGISTRATION	National teams can register online at: https://epbf.paintball.biz/area-league/register.php?league=EPBF or send a request by e-mail to: vika@epbf.net Late entries will not be accepted. After the registration an Invoice for entry fee payment will be sent. Entry fee can be paid by wire transfer to the EPBF bank account, or can be paid in cash on the site during the registration. Registration is complete after the entry fee payment is done.
WITHDRAWALS	Any notification of withdrawals with appropriate certification must be given immediately to the Tournament Organizers by email. Entry fee will not be returned if a withdrawal is made after Friday May 13th 2016 for whatever reason.
SCHEDULE	Seeding of National teams and the Qualification system should be published on Monday 16th of May. The games schedule should be published on Tuesday 17th of May.
TEAM SQUAD	Gender limit: women only. No age limit. Number of players for the World Cup in the National team squad: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Maximum 12 players in a tournament roster; • Maximum 10 players in a game roster. All the players must have the nationality of the Country they represent and should be subject to its jurisdiction.
GAME FORMAT	Game format: WPBO500, game time 10 min, 4 mercy points

NATIONAL TEAM JERSEY

JERSEY REQUIREMENTS	All the National team players should wear the same design jerseys. Jerseys can be ordered from any paintball jerseys manufacturer according to the Jersey Template 2016. Jerseys material should meet the requirements of the UPBF Standards. National team jersey should be designed in National Colors.
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<p>NATIONAL TEAM JERSEY TEMPLATE 2016</p> <p>Design should include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • National Confederation's logo in size and amount, mentioned on the template. • National Federation's logo, as mentioned on the template. • Player's name, as mentioned on the template. • Player's number in the roster, as mentioned on the template. • Name of Country, as mentioned on the template. • National flag. <p>Design may include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • One non-paintball Sponsor's logo located on the front and on the sleeves. • The exclusion is made only for Jerseys manufacturers. <p>Yellow color on the design should not exceed 5%. If yellow is a part of the National flag colors, then it should not exceed 15%, and the design to be approved by the EPBF Executive Committee.</p> <p>Logo explanations: NF- National Federation NC- National Confederation (EPBF, APPBF, NAPBF, AFPBF, SAPBF) S - Non-paintball Sponsor</p>	<p>The NON-paintball Sponsor's logo can be located, as specified on the template. Maximum size - 15 x 15 cm.</p>
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SERVICES

<p>PRACTICE FACILITIES</p>	<p>Fields for practice will be available from Thursday 19th May, at the tournament site. Registration will be open in 1 month prior the event. Please register online for the Practice using following link: www.millennium-series.com/events.php?event=T2</p>
<p>ACCOMMODATION</p>	<p>Please find all the information about the accommodation on the hosting European Series website using following link: www.millennium-series.com/events.php?event=T2</p>
<p>ACCREDITATION</p>	<p>In order to accelerate the accreditation process, fill out the Accreditation form and email it together with photos of players (format: JPEG, 300 dpi, 3x4cm, 50-300 Kb, portrait format) to: vika@epbf.net Deadline: May 13th 2016. Press accreditations will be issued for journalists and photographers. Please check the official website (www.epbf.net or www.upbf.info) for more information.</p>
<p>VISA</p>	<p>National Federations are responsible for the National team players visa applying process. All the National Team`s Members should apply for all necessary visas in time.</p>
<p>MEDICAL SERVICE</p>	<p>All the National team members should have an adequate insurance to cover against all risks, including but not limited to injury, accidents, disease and travel. Ensure that all the Team Players have a good health condition before the start of the tournament. Regular medical services will be provided at the site.</p>
<p>PLAYERS AREA</p>	<p>Area dedicated to the players and the teams will be available near the fields. All kind of information, about the competition, accommodation, transportation... will be available inside the Organization Tent.</p>
<p>PAINTS</p>	<p>National team is responsible for dealing with the paint manufacturers and collecting the paints in time. Please choose the paint manufacturers from the Millennium Series list of the Official Paint Suppliers.</p>