

# EUROPEAN MASTERS HANDBALL CHAMPIONSHIPS 29.6.-2.7.2023

## INFORMATION OVERVIEW

Masters Games Finland ry (MGF) organizes the European Masters Handball Championships for men and women. The Championships will take place in Tampere / FIN from June 29 th - July 2 nd, 2023. Please find below some basic information concerning organization, participation and financial conditions.

## EUROPEAN MASTERS GAMES 2023

The European Masters Handball Championships organized as a part of the European Masters Games, a multi-sport event, that will include about 30 sports and will take place from 26 th June – 9 th July 2023. The European Masters Games offer an opportunity for mature athletes to compete in their favourite sports, share the love for sports with like-minded people and discover new places. A true sports festival that celebrates friendship, passion and inspiration between sports people.

The 2023 Tampere European Masters Games are organized with the support of the International Masters Games Association (IMGA). The association is the world governing body for Masters sport, a non-profit organization recognised by the International Olympic Committee.

## CONTACT DETAILS

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(handball specific questions only)

## ACCOMMODATION

In Tampere you are able to accommodate according to your wishes. Tampere offers a variety of suitable accommodation including hotels, cottages and air bnbs. You can choose a place to stay next to the lake, in the middle of the lively center or somewhere a bit more remote where it's peaceful and quiet.

Please, make sure to book well in advance to secure accommodation, availability may be limited closer to the event.

EMG2023 has cooperate hotels around Tampere. You can find the specific hotel reservation code in the accommodation section of our website. Click your favorite hotel to see the code. Please, use the code when making the reservation!

## EVENT VENUES AND TRANSFER

The event takes place in Tampere's Exhibition and Sports Centre TESC.

Address: Ilmailunkatu 20, 33900 Tampere

In Tampere, most hotels and attractions are within walking distance from each other and easy to reach. TESC is about 15-minute drive from the city centre. Public transportation is easy to use and it is included to the entry fee.

## AGE CATEGORIES

Men 35+ (born before 31.12.1988)

Women 33+ (born before 31.12.1990)

Men 45+ (born before 31.12.1978)

Women 43+ (born before 31.12.1980)

Men 50+ (born before 31.12.1973)

Men 55+ (born before 31.12.1968)

## ADMINISTRATIVE MATTERS & DEADLINES REGISTRATION

### REGISTRATION

Registration is open and you can find it here: <https://www.emg2023.fi/participation/join-now/>

### NUMBER OF TEAMS

16 teams per category - at maximum (entries based on 'first come first served').

### PARTICIPANTS

Teams will be accepted on a 'first come first served' basis.

### ENTRY FEE

Entry fee per team € 1300

Administration fee per player € 5

### REFEREES

The nomination of referees will be carried out by the Tournament Management. All teams will be informed on the nomination in due time prior to the matches.

### TIMETABLE

November 2022	Official invitation letter sent by Masters Games Finland ry
30.04.2022	Registration deadline
May 2023	Tournament regulations
28.06.2022	Technical Meeting (obligatory for all teams)
29.06-02.07.22	Matches

## OFFICIAL PROGRAMME

### COMPETITION DATES

28.6. Wed	29.6. Thu	30.6. Fri	1.7. Sat	2.7. Sun
Technical Meeting	09:00-22:00	09:00-22:00	09:00-22:00	09:00-15:00 (only finals – places 1-2)

All dates and times are subject to change, until final entries have been received. A detailed schedule for each category will be created during spring 2023.

### ADDITIONAL ACTIVITIES

European Masters Games arranges additional activities. Further information will be available on the event website.

## WELCOME TO TAMPERE IN THE SUMMER 2023!



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Perttu Pesä  
Chairman of Local Committee  
Local Organizer Committee