



FALIRO RG INTERNATIONAL TOURNAMENT "12TH APHRODITE CUP"

26th – 28th March, 2027
Palaio Faliro - Athens, Greece



DIRECTIVES

Event ID: 18739

Dear affiliated member federation,

Following the decision of the Hellenic Gymnastics Federation, the RG Club GOPF "ARMONIA", is pleased to invite Clubs and National Teams from your Federation to participate in the "12th Aphrodite Cup", an official **International Event**, as referenced above.

We look forward to your participation and to welcoming your delegation to this prestigious event.

DISCIPLINE	Rhythmic
HOST FEDERATION 	HELLENIC GYMNASTICS FEDERATION 37 Kifissias Ave., OAKA, EKAE Building (Former Athlete's Guesthouse) Opposite FireStation,15123, Marousi tel: 0030 2109882458 email: ego@otenet.gr website: www.ego-gymnastics.gr
LOCAL ORGANIZING COMMITTEE 	GYMNASTIKOS OMILOS PALAIOU FALIROU "ARMONIA" Dimotiko Athlitiko Centre, Office1, 17561, Marina Flisvou tel: 00302109816708 fax: 0030 2109838475 email: gym@gopf-armonia.gr website: www.gopf-armonia.gr Mrs. Eleni Michopoulou, email: aphroditecup@gopf-armonia.gr website: www.aphroditecup.com mobile: 0030 6972004509
LOCATION	Faliro, Athens, Greece
DATE	26th – 28th March 2027
VENUE	 Faliro Olympic Indoor Hall "TAEKWONDO" Height:17m - Seats: 5.500
APPARATUS SUPPLIER	Please refer to the attached apparatus list
RULES AND REGULATIONS	The event will be organized under the following rules, as valid in the year of the event, except for any deviation mentioned in these directives: • Statutes • Code of Ethics

	• Code of Conduct • Technical Regulations • Code of Discipline • Code of Points and relevant Newsletters • General Judges' Rules • Specific Judges' Rules • Anti-Doping Rules • License rules • Policy and Procedures for Safeguarding and Protecting Participants in gymnastics • Framework for Safeguarding Athletes and other Participants from Harassment and abuse in Sport during Events • Medical Organization of WGYM Competitions and Events • Media Guidelines • Apparatus Norms • Rules for Sanctioning (approval) of International Events • Rules for Advertising and Publicity • Rules for Awards Ceremonies • Accreditation Rules <i>and subsequent decisions of the WGYM Executive Committee</i>												
FEDERATIONS INVITED	National Teams and clubs from all WORLD GYMNASTICS member Federations, in good standing , are entitled to participate in all categories or in any category by their choice.												
AGE LIMITS	Junior, as per Technical Regulations Senior, as per Technical Regulations All gymnasts must have a valid WGYM licence until the end of the event.												
JUDGES AND JURIES	All judges must have a current valid WGYM brevet at the time of the event, for the respective discipline (RGI and/or RGG). The participating Member Federations must provide minimum one qualified judge as mentioned above. Failure to do so will result a fine of 150,00€ - to be paid to the LOC upon arrival.												
ENTRY FEES	The non-reimbursable entry Fees: • 80,00€ per Individual Gymnast • 130,00€ per Group • 90,00€ per each team member (gymnast, coach, judge, HoD, team manager, paramedical staff, etc.) who does not choose to book accommodation through the LOC.												
ACCREDITATION	The accreditation of all members will take place upon arrival. Team leaders are required to bring the following documents: - passports of all members of the delegation - fulfilment of all financial obligations - the medical insurance of all members of the delegation In addition, the LOC will distribute information regarding the gymnasts' safeguarding plan												
EVENT FORMAT	The International Tournament includes competition for: 1. Junior Individuals: 4 apparatus (Hoop-Ball-Clubs-Ribbon) Events: All Around & Finals Medals: All Around by age Finals: By Junior category 2. Senior Individuals: 4 apparatus (Hoop-Ball-Clubs-Ribbon) Events: All Around & Finals Medals: All Around & Finals 3. Junior Groups: 2 apparatus (5 Balls / 5 Ribbons) Events: All Around & Finals Medals: All Around & Finals 4. Senior Groups: 2 apparatus (5 Balls / 3 Hoops & 2 Pairs of Clubs) Events: All Around & Finals Medals: All Around & Finals												
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PROVISIONAL SCHEDULE	March 23 rd : Arrival of delegations March 24 th : Arrival of delegations March 25 th : Official Training – Orientation Meeting March 26 th : Competition/Qualification March 27 th : Competition/Qualification March 28 th : Competition/Finals& Optional Sightseeing March 29 th : Departure of delegations																																										
SIGHTSEEING OPTIONS	a. to Monument Acropolis, Acropolis Museum (Ancient Athens) at the cost of 12,00€ per person for transportation b. to temple of Poseidon at Cape Sounion at the cost of 40,00€ per person for transportation (56km distance from Faliro)																																										
MEDICAL SERVICES	The LOC will provide a first aid medical service.																																										
VISA	Please verify immediately with your travel agent or the Greece Embassy or Consulate in your country if a visa is required for your travel to Greece. The LOC will be happy to assist each Delegation member with an official invitation letter, provided that Visa request is made before January 26th, 2027 to the LOC. To request an invitation letter, please provide the following information to the LOC: Full name, gender, date of birth, citizenship, passport number, passport expiry date, function/role within the delegation, arrival and departure dates, city where the visa application support letter should be sent. Please ensure that all information is complete and accurate to avoid delays in visa processing.																																										
INSURANCE	The Host Federation, the LOC and the WORLD GYMNASTICS will not be held responsible for any liabilities in the event of accidents, illness (including COVID-19), repatriation, or similar occurrences. In accordance with the Technical Regulations , all participating Federations are responsible for ensuring that all delegation members have valid insurance coverage for illness, accidents, and repatriation during the entire duration of their stay. It is mandatory that delegation members are covered by basic insurance (covering sickness, accident, and repatriation) in their country of residence, in order to benefit from coverage by the WGYM IMSSA subsidiary insurance . For detailed information regarding the WGYM IMSSA insurance for Athletes and Judges, please refer to: https://www.gymnastics.sport/site/pages/medical-insurance.php The LOC will verify insurance coverage. <u>Each Delegation must send either a cover note or a photocopy of the valid insurance policy through email by February 26th, 2026. The policy must be valid starting from the day of arrival and must remain valid for the entire duration of the stay.</u>																																										
SAFEGUARDING	From the official day of arrival until the official day of departure , all participants — including gymnasts, coaches, judges, and other Delegation Members — will have the possibility to contact the LOC Safeguarding Officer by phone or email in case of: • Harassment • Abuse of any kind • Any situation where they feel uncomfortable or unsafe																																										

	The contact information for the LOC Safeguarding Officer will be provided to all delegations upon arrival on site. As part of the WORLD GYMNASTICS's commitment to athlete welfare and youth protection, posters of the "10 Golden Rules of Gymnastics", part of the WORLD GYMNASTICS's awareness campaign, must be clearly displayed in several key areas, including: • Training halls • Warm-Up areas • Public zones These measures are in place to ensure a safe, respectful, and supportive environment for all participants throughout the event.												
INTERNATIONAL TRANSPORTATION	The invited participating federations must pay for the international travel costs of their delegation members. The Travel Schedule must be returned to the LOC by February 26th, 2027.												
LOCAL TRANSPORTATION	Local transportation will be provided by the LOC for those who will choose accommodation through the LOC.												
ACCOMMODATION	The following prices are per person, per day and include: 1. Accommodation in hotels close to the Competition Hall, breakfast and dinner, Climate Crisis Resilience Fee (former city tax) 2. Transportation from Athens airport "Eleftherios Venizelos" to the hotel and back on official days of arrival & departure 3. Shuttle buses connecting hotels and the Competition Hall Four Stars Hotel HB: <table> <tr> <td>Single Room:</td> <td>185,00€</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Double Room:</td> <td>155,00€</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Triple Room:</td> <td>135,00€</td> </tr> </table> Three Stars Hotel HB: <table> <tr> <td>Single Room:</td> <td>160,00€</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Double Room:</td> <td>140,00€</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Triple Room:</td> <td>120,00€</td> </tr> </table>	Single Room:	185,00€	Double Room:	155,00€	Triple Room:	135,00€	Single Room:	160,00€	Double Room:	140,00€	Triple Room:	120,00€
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ACCOMMODATION/ CANCELATION POLICY	The <u>Accommodation Form</u> must be returned to the LOC by January 26th, 2027 at the very latest, the hotel rooms will be allocated on a "first-come, first-served" basis. The invited participating federations must pay for the accommodation expenses of their delegation members. The costs for the accommodation must be paid to the LOC as follows: - 50% until January 26th, 2027 and - the rest 50% until February 26th, 2027 Please notify the LOC for your choice on the hotel category when your provisional registration is made. Cancellation/Reimbursement Policy: 50% of accommodation costs are refundable in case of cancellations at least 1 month prior to arrival. For cancellations made after February 26th, 2027 there will be no reimbursement. NOTE: No Hotel Reservations will be secured, without payment in due time												
FINAL BANQUET	Free of charge for all delegation members that have booked accommodation with the LOC. Delegation members that haven't booked accommodation with the LOC can have tickets for the final banquet at the cost of 25,00€ per person. The tickets of the final banquet must be paid to the LOC upon arrival.												

MUSIC FILES & FOMRS	Each Delegation must upload Music Files in ksis platform not later than February 26th, 2027. Music files have to be in .mp3 format. Name of each file must contain: • The name of the nation (official abbreviation of the country) • The first and last name of the individual competitor • The category (individual/group); • The apparatus • The Junior or Senior (Example: ROU_RADU_Alina_Junior_Group_5hoops.mp3) Delegation members are requested to keep in their possession a specimen of their CD and USB key for their training sessions and in case of a technical problem. At the accreditation, the Heads of delegation have to hand in the Music Release form which you will be sent together with the workplan.																									
BANK ACCOUNT INFORMATION	GYMNASTIKOS OMILOS P. FALIROU "ARMONIA" Bank: Alpha Bank Address: 4 Ag. Alexandrou str., 1756, Palaio Faliro IBAN: GR52 0140 1180 1180 0200 2015010 BIC: CRBAGRAA Each participating member federation is kindly requested to include the following payment reference when making a bank transfer: [Insert Payment Reference – e.g., “Country Code – Event Name – Accommodation/Entry Fee”] (Example: “USA – Continental Championships 2025 – Accommodation”) The participating Federation is fully responsible for covering all bank charges related to the transfer. The net amount received by the LOC must correspond to the total amount due, without any deductions for bank fees.																									
MARKETING	WGYM advertising and publicity norms must be respected																									
SOCIAL MEDIA	https://www.facebook.com/AphroditeCup/ https://www.instagram.com/aphrodite_cup/ https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCe_BqhYjSBJ_bxNDZtcE2pg																									
ADDITIONAL INFORMATION	Registrations will be made online via the following link: https://rgform.eu/event.php?id_prop=11107 The forms will be available from October 1st, 2026.																									
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All registration forms (provisional, definitive, nominative, accommodation, visa request and travel schedule) must be sent through the National Federations.

Sincerely Yours,

Athens, 23/09/2026



Vasileios TSOLAKIDIS/President
of Hellenic Gymnastics Federation