IX Gdynia Rhythmic Stars
Gdynia (POL)
March 04 – March 06, 2027

DIRECTIVES

Event ID: 18795

Dear affiliated member federation,

The **Gymnastics federation of Poland** is pleased to invite your federation to participate in the IX Gdynia Rhythmic Stars an official **International Event**, as referenced above.

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

DISCIPLINE	**Rhythmic Gymnastics**
HOST FEDERATION	**Polish Gymnastic Association** Ms. Wieslawa Milewska 11 Ratuszowa St., 03450 Warsaw, Poland +(48) 793 005 241 wmilewska@pzg.pl http://pzg.pl
LOCAL ORGANIZING COMMITTEE	**Fundacja Corda** Ms. Anna Mrozinska Al.Zwycięstwa 255, 81-525 Gdynia +(48) 503 113 846 kontakt@fundacjacorda.pl
LOCATION	**Gdynia, Poland**
DATE	**March 04 – March 07, 2027**
VENUE	**Polsat Plus Arena Gdynia** Kazimierza Górskiego 8, 81-302 Gdynia, Poland +48 (58) 783 55 00 http://www.gdyniaarena.pl  Additional information: - one competition floor - 2 training floors - 1 warm up arena - state-of-the-art sound system - impressive acoustic of the hall
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

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Rules for Advertising and Publicity
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Accreditation Rules

and subsequent decisions of the WGYM Executive Committee
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<tr><td>FEDERATIONS INVITED</td><td>The organizing member federation will invite all WORLD GYMNASTICS member federation in good standing.</td></tr>
<tr><td>AGE LIMITS</td><td>RG: Junior and Senior, as per Technical Regulations – RGI and RGG
All gymnasts must have a valid WGYM licence until the end of the event.</td></tr>
<tr><td>JUDGES AND JURIES</td><td>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 send minimum one qualified judge. Failure to do so will result in 300 € fine to be paid to the LOC.</td></tr>
<tr><td>REGISTRATION DEADLINES</td><td>Please insert the deadlines for your event. Please note that the provisional registration is not compulsory, only the definitive and nominative deadlines are compulsory.

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<tr><td>ENTRY FEES</td><td>The entry fee for this event will be:
- 80€ for an individual gymnast;
and
- 300€ for a group.
- 100€ per gymnast, coach, head of delegation, or any other function with accreditation who have not booked their accommodation through LOC</td></tr>
<tr><td>ACCREDITATION</td><td>The accreditation procedure will take place at the competition hall.
Heads of delegation have to bring to the accreditation office:
-The passports of all participants
-The national flag
-One USB stick with the music for routines
-Certification of insurance for all delegation members covering illness, accidents and repatriation
- Proof of full payment towards the LOC (a SWIFT copy given to the LOC).

Please send all music for routines for each gymnast before February 5, 2027, at: www.tostart.pl

In addition, the LOC will distribute information regarding the gymnasts' safeguarding plan.</td></tr>
<tr><td>EVENT FORMAT</td><td>Junior RGI (WORLD GYMNASTICS Rules)
ALL-AROUND QUALIFICATION FOR FINALS:
Each gymnast performs 4 exercises.
It is permitted for a gymnast to compete with fewer than 4 exercises; however, she will not be included in the all-around ranking, although she may still qualify for an individual apparatus final.
Each Federation can participate with max. 4 gymnasts (except host NF)
In AA ranking, a maximum of 2 gymnasts from the same country will be counted.

APPARATUS FINAL: The best 8 gymnasts per apparatus – max 1 per Federation
Plus 1 wildcard for the host NF, if their gymnasts is not inside of the 8 places.

Senior RGI (WORLD GYMNASTICS Rules)
ALL-AROUND AND QUALIFICATION FOR FINALS:
Each gymnast performs 4 exercises.
It is permitted for a gymnast to compete with fewer than 4 exercises; however, she will not be included in the all-around ranking, although she may still qualify for an individual apparatus final.

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	APPARATUS FINAL: The best 8 gymnasts per apparatus – max 2 per Federation Plus 1 wildcard for the host NF, if their gymnasts is not inside of the 8 places. **Senior and Junior RGG (WORLD GYMNASTICS Rules)** ALL-AROUND AND QUALIFICATION FOR FINALS: Each Group performs 2 exercises. APPARATUS FINAL: The best 6 Groups per apparatus – max 1 per Federation Plus 1 wildcard for the host NF, if there is no group qualified for the finals. Host country has no limit regarding individual gymnasts, but only two seniors and one junior gymnast can qualify to the apparatus finals
PROVISIONAL SCHEDULE	**March 02, 2027 (Tuesday)** Arrival of the delegation **March 03, 2027 (Wednesday)** Podium training, judges drawing for AA **March 04, 2027 (Thursday)** All around: RGI, RGG **March 05, 2027 (Friday)** All around: RGI, RGG **March 06, 2027 (Saturday)** Judges drawing for Finals Finals: RGI, RGG Gala Show **March 07, 2027 (Sunday)** Departure of the delegations
MEDICAL SERVICES	First aid staff will be available at the venue and will assist with further needs
VISA	Please verify immediately with your travel agent or the Polish Embassy or Consulate in your country if a visa is required for your travel to Poland The LOC will be happy to assist each delegation member with an official invitation letter, provided that the request is made before **December 10,2026** to the LOC. To request an invitation letter, please send 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 upon arrival. Each Delegation must present either a **cover note** or a **photocopy of the valid insurance policy**. The policy must be valid starting **from the day of arrival** and must remain valid for the **entire duration of the stay**. If a federation cannot provide proof of valid insurance, the LOC will offer insurance coverage at the Federation's own expense, at a cost of: 25€ **per person/day.**

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 travel costs of their delegation members.** The travel schedule form must be returned to the LOC by **February 4, 2027**
LOCAL TRANSPORTATION	**The only airport** is Gdansk-Rebiechowo "Lech Walesa" Airport (GDN). The LOC will provide free transportation from/to Gdansk airport Gdynia railway and bus stations during arrival and departure days as well as from/to the hotel and the Competition Hall. Additional transportation from/to Airport outside official arrival and/or departure days will be subject to an extra charge of 20 euro per person.
ACCOMMODATION	The invited participating federations must pay for the accommodation expenses of their delegation members. **The costs per person and per night are as follows:** - EUR 140,00 (single room) - EUR 105,00 (double room) - EUR 95,00 (triple room) **The above-mentioned prices include:** - Accommodation incl. breakfast - Dinner at the hotel: 2 – 6.03.2027 - Transportation from Gdansk Airport (GDN) or Gdynia main train station (Gdynia Glowna) to the hotel and back on official days of arrival and departure - Local transportation After the registration deadline, the registered federations will be assigned to one of the following hotels. Assignments are made based on capacity **Hotel My Story** Al. Zwycięstwa 14, 81-402 Gdynia www.mystorygdynia.pl **Hotel Mercure** Ul. Armii Krajowej 22, 81 – 372 Gdynia **The number of rooms is limited.** The prices charged for the hotel rooms will not exceed the usual hotel rates. While the Accommodation Form must be returned to the LOC by **February 4, 2027** at the very latest, the hotel rooms will be allocated on a "first come, first served" basis. 100% for the Accommodations costs must be paid to the LOC at the time of the Nominative entry – **4th February 2027**
MEALS	Lunch will be served **for Judges only** during competition days free of charge

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Up until 15th February 2027: 50% of the total amount
After 15th February 2027: no refund
Only written cancellation sent by e-mail will be accepted.</td></tr>
<tr><td>PRIZE MONEY</td><td>The prize money, free of any deductible taxes, will be distributed in EUROS as follows:
RGI – Seniors All Around
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BANK ACCOUNT INFORMATION
Beneficiary: Fundacja Corda
Adress: Al. Zwyciestwa 255, 81- 525 Gdynia, Poland
Bank Name: Santander Bank Polska
IBAN: PL81109011020000000157159500
SWIFT Code: WBKPPLPPXXX

Each participating member Federation is kindly requested to integrate the payment's purpose as follows: Gdynia Rhythmic Stars 2027 + Country
The participating federations are responsible for covering all bank fees in connection with the bank transfers.</td></tr>
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Live stream: www.rell.tv</td></tr>
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Sincerely Yours,

Maciej Szafran
Secretary General
Polish Gymnastic Association

Warszawa, 16.11.2026