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Organisers:

- ❑ Scottish School Sport Federation
- ❑ Scottish Schools Orienteering Association
- ❑ Edinburgh Southern, Kingdom of Fife, Linlithgow and Forth Valley Orienteering Clubs

Organising Committee:

Co-ordinator	Blair Young
Treasurer	Ian Ivision
Secretary	Lorna Young
Vice Chairman	Charlie Raeburn
Transport Co-ordinator	John Forrester
Web Site	Paul Frost
Accreditation	Doreen Biggar
Cultural Day	Peter Coutts
Press	Bill Melville
Event Office	Lorna Young, Doreen Biggar, Anne Stevenson
Airport Reception	Margaret Dagleish

Competition Officials:

National Advisor	Terry O'Brien
President of TC ISF	Karl Keuppens (BEL)
Result service	Andrew Dagleish, Robin Strain
Course Planners/Controllers	Long Distance John Emeleus / Rab Philp
	Middle Distance Steve Barrett / Gareth Bryan-Jones
	Friendship Team Event Katy Lessells / Alastair Lessells

Competition Committees:

Technical Commission in Orienteering of the ISF
Karl Keuppens (President TC)
Franz Hartinger (Vice President TC)
Frances Stone
Jacques Milliere

Control Commission

Karl Keuppens (President TC)
Franz Hartinger (Vice President TC)
Terry O'Brien (National Advisor)

Disciplinary Commission

Jan Coolen (ISF Delegate)
Karl Keuppens (President TC)
Blair Young (Co-ordinator Organising Committee)

Appeal Jury

Karl Keuppens (President TC)
Charlie Raeburn (Vice President Organising Committee)
Terry O'Brien (National Advisor)

Fair-play Jury

Jan Coolen (ISF Delegate) will chair this jury
Karl Keuppens (President TC)
Charlie Raeburn (Vice President Organising Committee)
One representative of the coaches (nominated at the second technical meeting) will be an observer

• Categories

<input type="checkbox"/>	H 1 school teams	H1-school	boys born in 1991 and 1992
<input type="checkbox"/>	H 1 selected teams	H1-select	boys born in 1991 and 1992
<input type="checkbox"/>	D 1 school teams	D1-school	girls born in 1991 and 1992
<input type="checkbox"/>	D 1 selected teams	D1-select	girls born in 1991 and 1992
<input type="checkbox"/>	H 2 school teams	H2-school	boys born in 1993 and 1994
<input type="checkbox"/>	H 2 selected teams	H2-select	boys born in 1993 and 1994
<input type="checkbox"/>	D 2 school teams	D2-school	girls born in 1993 and 1994
<input type="checkbox"/>	D 2 selected teams	D2-select	girls born in 1993 and 1994

• Secretariat - registration, competition centre, information:

Competition Office
Edinburgh Central Youth Hostel (ECYH)
9 Haddington Place, Edinburgh

07591 636175

Here there will be boxes for participating Delegations, into which the updated information will be inserted.
Information will be delivered to each accommodation location at regular intervals.

Web page ISF WSCO 2008:

<http://www.wsco2008.org.uk/>

- Participants

Delegation	Teams	School Teams				Select Teams				Coaches
		H1	H2	D1	D2	H1	H2	D1	D2	
Austria	8	5	5	4	5	5	5	5	5	5
Belgium Flanders	7	5	5	5	5	5	5	5		6
Belgium French	2	5	5				1			2
Belgium German	2			5	5					3
England	8	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	8
Estonia	4	5	5	5	4					4
Finland	1	4								
France	2	5		5						2
Ireland	2		2		5				1	4
Israel	8	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	8
Italy	4	5		5		5		5		4
Latvia	8	4	4	4	5	5	5	5	5	6
New Zealand	2			5	5					5
PR China	5	4	5	5	4		5			5
Poland	4		5	5	5	5				4
Portugal	4	5	5	5	5					3
Scotland A	7	4	4	3	5	1	3	5	4	7
B	3	5	4	3						
Slovakia	6	4	4	4		4	4	4		6
Slovenia	7	5	3	5	3	3	3	3		5
Spain	4	5		5		5		5		6
Sweden	4	5		5		5		5		4
Turkey	2		5	5						2
Total		85	71	93	66	53	41	52	25	99
Total Teams	104	Total Participants 585								

DETAILED PROGRAMME ISF EDINBURGH 2008

MONDAY 21 APRIL 2008		
0900	Competition Office opens ECYH	Arrival and accreditation of teams
1800-2000	Dinner	
2230	Competition Office closed	
TUESDAY 22 APRIL 2008		
0700-2230	Competition office open 0730-1030	
0700-0900	Breakfast	
0845-0915	Meeting for Heads of Delegation ECYH Event Conference Room	Information on the Model Event, Opening Ceremony and Draw of starting order for Long Distance Race
1030-1430	Model Event – each delegation will have 2 hours at Beecraigs	Beecraigs CP, Linlithgow
	Packed Lunch	
1545-1830	Dinner	
1900-2030	Opening Ceremony and Reception	Scottish Parliament
2045-2130	Technical Meeting for the Coaches ECYH CR	Information about Long distance race, start list.
WEDNESDAY 23 APRIL 2008		
0800-2100	Competition Office Open 0800-0930/1530- 1900	
0700-0930	Breakfast	
1100-1500	Long Distance Race – Buses leave from 0900 hours	Devilla, Kincardine, Fife
1100	First Starts	
1330-1500	Packed Lunch	
1615	Courses Close	
1600-1830	Dinner	
1900-2200	Prize Giving and Disco	Meadowbank, Hall 2
2000-2030	Meeting for Heads of Delegations, Meadowbank	Information about Thursday, Cultural Tour, organisation Tourism Fair.,etc
THURSDAY 24 APRIL 2008		
0830-2100	Competition Office Open 0830-1000/1600- 2000	
0730-0930	Breakfast	
1000-1430	Cultural Tour (Packed Lunch)	The Cultural tour will be a 2 hour (approximately) guided walk of central Edinburgh. This will be completed by everyone by 1400 hours.
1515 - 1615	Technical Meeting ECYH Event Conference Room	Information about Middle Distance and Friendship Team Event
1800-2100	Dinner	
1900-2200	Evening for Heads of Delegations	
FRIDAY 25 APRIL 2008		
0800-2100	Competition Office Open 0800-0930/1600- 1900	
0700-0900	Breakfast	
1100-1530	Middle Distance Race	Barr Wood, Stirling
1100	First Starts	
	Packed Lunch	
1615	Courses Close	
1600-1830	Dinner and preparation for Tourism Fair	

1900-2200	Prize Giving and Opening of Tourism Fair with presentations and performances from each country	Teams for the Friendship Team Event published Meadowbank Concourse
SATURDAY 26 APRIL 2008		
0800-2100	Competition Office Open 0830-0930/1230-1330/1700-1900	
0700-0830	Breakfast	
1000-1400	Friendship Team Event (Packed Lunch)	Royal Mile and Holyrood Park
1030	Mass Start	
1230	Courses Close	
1400-1600	Prize Giving Ceremony and Closing Ceremony	Overall Team Results in Classic and Middle Distance Races, Friendship Team Event and ISF Fair Play Trophy Scottish Parliament Outdoor Arena
1600-1830	Dinner	
1900-2200	Farewell Party - Ceilidh	Meadowbank Hall 2
SUNDAY 27 APRIL 2008		
0630-1100	Competition Office Open	Departure of Delegations
0700-0900	Breakfast and Packed Lunches	
1130	Competition Office Closed	

- **Race information**

The competitions will be held according to IOF, BOF and ISF rules

Technical Meetings

Because of the limited space, delegations can only send the following number of coaches:

- 1 - 2 teams entered = 1 coach
- 3 - 4 teams entered = 2 coaches
- 5 - 6 teams entered = 3 coaches
- 7 - 8 teams entered = 4 coaches

Punching system

The electronic punching system **SPORT IDENT** will be used. Needle punches will be at all control points for use as back-up should the SI unit at the control fail.

During accreditation, the delegation leaders will receive SPORT IDENT control cards (SI-Cards) for all participants by paying cash a guarantee of 100 EUR. These cards will be used at the training, at both competitions as well as during the Friendship Team Event. After the Friendship Team Event, the SI Cards have to be given back to the Secretariat. An amount of 30 EUR will have to be paid for each non-returned card.

Important note: The finish time is recorded in every competition by the competitors by „punching“ of finish unit which will be placed on finish line.

Results service, Split times

Preliminary results will be posted in finish area of each competition. There will be established on-line results transmission which can be found on address: <http://www.wsko2008.org.uk/>

The official results together with split times will be placed into boxes for each team after the competition.

Control descriptions

The control descriptions for each competitor's course will be printed on the front side of the competition map. Information of all control descriptions will be prepared for the Technical Meeting. A separate control description for each course and for each competitor shall be handed out before the competition, in the start lines at -3 minutes.

Start groups, Draw, Start lists

The president of technical commission will give a declaration form to team leaders, for all team members to be listed in their start order (for the start draw). This will be at accreditation. The start order will be the same for the long and middle distance races. Groups are numbered from 1 to 5. There can only be one competitor from same country in each group. The group No. 1 starts first, group No. 5 starts last.

The form must be handed to the secretariat BEFORE the Meeting of Heads of Delegation 8.45 am Tuesday 22nd April.

The draw will be done according to group settings and will be made on 22nd April 2008 before the first technical meeting of Coaches.

Start list for team leaders:

Long distance - at the first technical meeting on 22nd April 2008

Middle distance - afternoon Thursday 24th April 2008

Friendship Team Event (composition of teams & numbers) - evening 25th April 2008 (during the Tourism Fair)

Starting interval

Starting interval is 2 minutes.

Start numbers

Each Delegation will be allocated their numbers to be used at Long Distance and Middle Distance races, during accreditation.

Friendship Team Event - one team (3 athletes) - Each athlete has an identical number

1 - 170	youths
171 - 230	others

Refreshment during competition and on the course

Water will be available during whole championship in the start and finish area and in all competition centres. There will also be refreshment on courses at the Long Distance Races. All competitors have been supplied with a commemorative water bottle and we would encourage athletes to fill these at the accommodation and take to the race sites. Scottish tap water is safe for drinking.

Usage of shoes with nails

Competitors can use shoes with nails in all terrains except the Friendship team event. The usage of shoes with nails during Friendship Team event is strongly discouraged!

Clothing transport from start to finish

The clothing transport from pre-start into the finish area will be provided during both individual competitions. It is necessary to pack clothes into the athletes own bag and mark them with name of respective Delegations. These things will be transported continuously during competition.

Classification of the teams

For both races (long and middle distance), the classification of the teams will be made by adding the three best individual times of each run. The general classification will be made by adding the results of both runs (middle and long distance). The winning team will be the team with the lowest aggregate time total.

When two teams achieve the same time, the team showing the best result on the long distance will be declared winner. In the case of equal results, the best individual time of the long distance run determines the winner. When both teams are again equal, the second time decides who will be declared winner and so on.

Complaints

Any complaint shall be made orally or in writing to the organiser at the latest 30 minutes after the last competitor has finished. The organiser adjudicates the complaint. The complainant shall be informed about the decision immediately. There is no fee for a complaint.

Protests

Protests will be accepted in writing up to 30 minutes after the answer concerning the complaint has been given. The protest must be given to the President of the Jury with a deposit of € 50. The deposit will be returned if the complaint is upheld.

Movement of coaches and delegation members and use of mobile phones in the start area

Properly marked coaches and delegation members are allowed in the start and finish area. They are not allowed in the start and finish lanes. The use of mobile phones in the start area is forbidden for everybody until the last starter has gone on their course.

PRIZES

Classification of the teams: The 3 best teams of each category (selected teams and school teams separately) will be awarded prizes. The first 3 teams in each category will receive medals (5 athletes + 1 coach).

Individual classification: The 6 best individuals of each category and each race (long and middle distance) will be awarded prizes. The first 3 in each category will receive awards.

▪ Model event - training

Date: Tuesday 22 April 2008

Training centre: Beecraigs Country Park, Linlithgow

Time of training: 10.00 – 14.00

Map: Beecraigs, scale 1: 10 000, contour interval 5 m, 296 x 218mm. Updated by Stirling Surveys, April 2008. Printed on waterproof paper.

Course Planner: Dave Lane (LINOC)

Transport distances:	Event office - training centre	40 km
	training centre - start	300 m
	training centre - finish	100m

Terrain: The area is mostly wooded & criss-crossed by a network of paths & bisected by a minor road. The western part is similar to the Middle distance terrain whereas the south-eastern part reflects more the Long Distance Terrain. The terrain is generally runnable although undergrowth (especially brambles) are present.

Toilets: Training centre.

For the model event, Si timing shall be available. However due to the nature of the Training there will NOT be a Timed Start.

Competitors who wish to have their times recorded & downloaded must first CLEAR their Si Card and when they choose to Start endorse the PUNCHING START CONTROL.

Punch the FINISH Control at the end & then go to DOWNLOAD to receive a print-out of your splits.

▪ Long Distance Race

Date: Wednesday – 23 April 2008

Race centre: Devilla Forest, Kincardine

Start 00: 1100 hrs

Start interval: 2 min.

Time limit: 150 min.

Finish closing: 16.15

Map: Devilla Forest , Kincardine on Forth,
Scale 1:10,000, Contour Interval 5m. Printed on waterproof paper.
Updated by Stirling Surveys, April 2008.

Course planner: John Emeleus

Controller : Rab Philp

Transport distances: Event office - race centre 50 km
Parking – start area: 10 min walk, red-withe tape
finish – bus: 20 min. Walk, red – withe tape
start - map start 100 m

Terrain

The area is a man-made plantation with numerous tracks and rides. Runnability is very variable with underfoot conditions including: heather, short grassland and following recent forestry work, brashings. Rhododendron bushes are accurately mapped as impenetrable and these are a major feature in some sections of the area. Unusually for Scotland, climb will not be a major factor on the courses.

Devilla Forest Description Additions

Where forestry works have been carried out this has resulted in branches from tree cutting being left on the forest floor (brashings) in many places. There are also vehicle tracks from these forestry works that have **not** been mapped. A number of trees that have been blown down by strong winds may also be found in areas of the forest.

Some, but not all, of the ditches that have been dug in the cleared felled areas, in preparation for replanting, have been mapped. There has also been some recent planting of very small trees in some of these cleared felled areas.

The winter weather has resulted in wetter underfoot conditions than normal for this time of year. These conditions mean that there are areas of standing water in some of the mapped dry erosion gullies and rides, as well as in some of the unmapped vehicle tracks caused by forestry workings.

Toilets: Warm Up Zone, adjacent to Start & Finish area.

Course length:

<input type="checkbox"/> H1-school	6,30 km, 155 m, 17 Controls
<input type="checkbox"/> H1-select	6,50 km, 175 m, 17 Controls
<input type="checkbox"/> D1 -school	5.50 km, 140 m, 12 Controls
<input type="checkbox"/> D1-select	5.60 km, 130 m, 15 Controls
<input type="checkbox"/> H2-school	4,60 km, 115m, 12 Controls
<input type="checkbox"/> H2-select	4,70 km, 110 m, 11 Controls
<input type="checkbox"/> D2-school	3,70 km, 80 m, 10 Controls
<input type="checkbox"/> D2-select	3,90 km, 75 m, 11 Controls

▪ Middle Distance Race

Date: Friday 25 April 2008

Race centre: Barr Wood, Stirling

Start 00: 1100 hrs

Start interval: 2 min.

Time limit: 120 mins

Finish closing: 1615 hrs

Map: **Barr Wood**, scale 1: 10 000, contour interval 5 m, 218mm x 252mm, printed on waterproof paper
Updated April 2008 by Stirling Surveys.

Course planner: Steve Barrett

Controller – Gareth Bryan-Jones

Transport distances: Event office - prestart 50 km
Drop off – start area: 500 m.
start - map start 80 m
finish area - pick up point : 300 m

Terrain

The area is a contrast to the Long distance area. It is a mixture of natural woodland, plantation and rough open moorland with gorse bushes. The central section of the map is used as a Scout Camp and has numerous paths and small enclosures. Features tend to be small but clearly defined.

Toilets: Prestart & in the finish area

Course lengths:

<input type="checkbox"/> H1-school	3.70km. 130m, 15 Controls.
<input type="checkbox"/> H1-select	4.00km. 150m, 17 Controls.
<input type="checkbox"/> D1-school	3.00km. 95m, 14 Controls.
<input type="checkbox"/> D1-select	3,10km. 100m, 15 Controls.
<input type="checkbox"/> H2-school	2.50km. 80m, 13 Controls.
<input type="checkbox"/> H2-select	2,80km. 70m, 15 Controls.
<input type="checkbox"/> D2-school	2,10km. 50m, 10 Controls.
<input type="checkbox"/> D2-select	2,20km. 70m, 11 Controls

On all Courses there are **COMPULSORY CROSSING POINTS to Cross Boundary fences**. These are indicated on the map by the) (symbol & shall be taped on the ground.

▪ Friendship Team Event

Date: Saturday 26 April 2008

Race centre: Holyrood Park, Edinburgh

Start 00: Mass Start 10.30 - youth
10.40 - others

Maps are available from 0900 hrs to Team Leaders for distribution

Time limit: 120 min.

Finish closing: 12.30 hrs

Map: HOLYROOD scale 1:7500, contour interval 5 m, paper size 296mm x 418mm. Updated September 2007 by Deeside Orienteering & Leisure Maps. Printed on waterproof paper.

Course planner : Katy Lessells

Controller Alastair Lessells

Transport distances: Event office - race centre 1.5 km
race centre - start 0 m
race centre - finish 0 m
start - map start 50 m

Terrain: Urban type, rough open parkland, streets and pathways in the city.

Toilets: At race centre.

Recommendations: Spiked Shoes are **NOT** recommended for the Friendship Team Event.

Important note

Common meeting points must be punched by all members of team (patrol) within 20 seconds, when this limit is exceeded the team is disqualified. **Control C must be the final control to be visited & punched before the team finish with hands joined**

Course: 35 Controls in total = 32 normal Controls + 3 meeting points

• Transport / times and means of bus transportation

TUESDAY 22 APRIL – BEECRAIGS COUNTRY PARK

Group 1

0915 hrs	Edinburgh Central Smart City	Israel, China and Scotland Slovak Republic, Slovenia and Scotland
1000 hrs	New Lanark	England and Ireland

Group 2

1015 hrs	Edinburgh Central Smart City Globetrotter	Turkey and Flanders then to Globetrotter – Flanders Austria and Finland, Portugal and Estonia Latvia
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Group 3

1115 hrs	Edinburgh Central Smart City	Spain, Italy and Sweden/ New Zealand, France and Belgium French Community Belgium German Community then to Edinburgh Central - Poland
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All Delegations have 2 hours at Beecraigs for training.

WEDNESDAY 23 APRIL – LONG DISTANCE RACE DEVILLA

Allocation to coaches will be determined by start time (as will breakfast sitting). It is very important that athletes and coaches only travel at their allocated time.

0900 hrs	Edinburgh Central	2 buses	98 passengers
	Smart City	2 buses	98 passengers

	Globetrotter	1 bus	49 passengers
	New Lanark	1 minibus	14 passengers
0915 hrs	New Lanark	1 bus	48 passengers
0930 hrs	Edinburgh Central	4 buses	179 passengers
	1 bus travelling via Globetrotter		17 passengers
	Smart City	1 bus	49 passengers
1100 hrs	Edinburgh Central	1 bus	49 passengers
	Smart City	1 bus	49 passengers

Return Travel from Devilla

1415 hrs	2 buses to Edinburgh Central		
	2 buses to Smart City		
1445 hrs	1 bus to New Lanark		
1530 hrs	3 buses to Edinburgh Central		
	1 bus to Smart City		
	1 bus to Globetrotter		
	1 mini-bus to New Lanark		
1616 hrs	1 bus to Smart City		
	1 bus to Edinburgh Central via Globetrotter		

THURSDAY 24 APRIL – CULTURAL DAY

1000 hrs	Globetrotter	66 passengers
1030 hrs	New Lanark	62 passengers

Both groups return to their accommodation leaving Edinburgh Central at 1630 hrs.

FRIDAY 25 APRIL – MIDDLE DISTANCE – BARR WOOD

0900 hrs	Edinburgh Central	2 buses	98 passengers
	Smart City	2 buses	98 passengers
	Globetrotter	1 bus	49 passengers
	New Lanark	1 mini-bus	12 passengers
0930 hrs	Edinburgh Central	4 buses	179 passengers
	1 bus travelling via Globetrotter		17 passengers
	Smart City	1 bus	49 passengers
0950 hrs	Stirling	1 mini-bus	14 passengers
1020 hrs	Stirling YH	1 bus	46 passengers
1100 hrs	Edinburgh Central	1 bus	49 passengers
	Smart City	1 bus	49 passengers

Return from Barr Wood

1615 hrs	1bus to Stirling YH	50 passengers
1615 hrs	1 mini-bus to Stirling YH	12 passengers
1615 hrs	12 buses to Edinburgh	ALL passengers

SATURDAY 26 APRIL – FRIENDSHIP TEAM EVENT – HOLYROOD PARK

0800 hrs Stirling YH All passengers
Return to Stirling at 2200 hrs

0845 hrs Globetrotter All passengers
Return to Globetrotter at 1600 hrs

CEREMONIES AND SOCIAL EVENTS

TUESDAY 22 APRIL – OPENING CEREMONY

1700 hrs New Lanark All passengers
Return of athletes and some coaches 2045 hrs

1820 hrs Globetrotter All passengers
Return of athletes and some coaches 2045 hrs

The Opening Ceremony is being hosted within the Scottish Parliament.

Due to security procedures for entry into the Parliament Delegates are asked to depart for the Parliament as follows:

Group 1 depart accommodation at 1740 hrs Israel, China, Scotland, Slovak Republic, Slovenia

Group 2 depart accommodation at 1800 hrs Turkey, Flanders, Austria, Finland, Portugal, Estonia

Group 3 depart accommodation at 1820 hrs Spain, Turkey, Sweden New Zealand, France, Belgium French Com, Poland and Belgium German Com

Each delegation are asked to nominate 2 athletes for the flag carrying ceremony. These athletes must be ready to depart their accommodation at 1650 hrs to take part in a rehearsal and will therefore eat dinner at the first sitting.

Flag bearers should gather at the entrance to their accommodation .

Due to constraints in the numbers allowed in the Garden Lobby athletes and Heads of Delegation will gather there while coaches will gather in the main public area of the building with a live transmission being shown on large screens.

There will be a reception in the Parliament after the Ceremony.

WEDNESDAY 23 APRIL - LONG DISTANCE AWARD CEREMONY AND DISCO

MEADOWBANK STADIUM

This will take place in Hall 2 of Meadowbank starting at 1900 hrs.

1730 hrs New Lanark All Passengers

1830 hrs Globetrotter All Passengers

Meadowbank is a 20 minute walk from both Smart City and Edinburgh Central and guides will depart from both at 1830 hrs.

FRIDAY 25 APRIL - MIDDLE DISTANCE AWARD CEREMONY AND TOURISM FAIR

MEADOWBANK STADIUM CONCOURSE

1745	Stirling YH	All Passengers
1830	globetrotter	All Passengers

Schedule

1830-1915 hrs	Setting up of Cultural Fair
1915-1945 hrs	Award Ceremony
1945-2030 hrs	Fair only
2030-2150 hrs	Cultural Show

Meadowbank is a 20 minute walk from both Smart City and Edinburgh Central and guides will depart from both at 1820 hrs.

SATURDAY 26 APRIL – FAREWELL CEILIDH

1745 hrs	Stirling YH	All Passengers
1830 hrs	Globetrotter	All Passengers

An evening of Scottish dancing to the Jim Gold Scottish Dance Band. 1900-2200 hrs.

DEPARTURE SCHEDULE

This will be confirmed with all Delegations on Friday 25 April.

• Health care

The first aid will be provided in competition areas.

The Organiser is not responsible for any costs relating to the health insurance of participants. We strongly recommend that you have your own health insurance. Competitors participate at their own risk. Third party insurance and personal injury insurance is mandatory and shall be the responsibility of either each team's Federation or of each team or individual, according to each nation's regulations.

• Lodgings

Edinburgh Central Youth Hostel

9 Haddington Place
Off Leith Walk
Edinburgh
0131 524 2090

China, Belgium Flanders Girls, Belgium French Com,
Italy, France, New Zealand, Poland, Scotland Boys, Israel,
Spain, Turkey, Sweden

▪ Smart City Hostel

Blackfriars Street

Austria, Belgium German Com, Estonia, Scotland Girls,

Edinburgh
0131 524 1989

Portugal, Slovenia, Finland, Slovak Republic

- **Globetrotter Inn**

Crammond Foreshore
Edinburgh
0131 336 1030

Latvia
Belgium Flanders Boys

- **New Lanark Youth Hostel**

Wee Row
New Lanark
Lanark
01555 666710

England
Ireland

- **Stirling Youth Hostel**

01786 473442

England
Ireland

- **Board**

Board starts with dinner (21nd April 2008) and ends with breakfast (27th April 2008). Tickets will be distributed for the sittings. Dining rooms are situated at each accommodation. The time schedule is in the programme. The capacity of the canteen in ECYH and Smart City is limited, the meals will be served in three sittings.

- **Social and cultural events**

The Opening and Closing Ceremonies will be held at the Scottish Parliament. The social evenings (Disco and Scottish Ceilidh Farewell Evening) and Tourism Fair will be held at Meadowbank Stadium.

- **Social and folklore evening (Tourism Fair)**

This is an event, which should encourage cultural exchanges between the young athletes of the participating countries in order to present their country and cultural background in a most original way.

Therefore, a tourism fair entitled "**Why you should spend your holidays in my country?**" will be organized. You can provide either folders or videos, photos, folk dances, modern dances, theatre, music or any other original exhibition. Countries will be given a form on arrival to complete necessary details for the Tourism Fair.

- **Obligations of the delegations**

Delegations are bound to stay and pay for their participation in the championship from the first to the last day. They must participate in the Opening Ceremony, Classic and Middle Distance Competition, Cultural Events, Cultural Tour, Tourism Fair, Friendship Team Event and Closing Ceremony. Any delegation refusing to participate in any of the above events will be liable to ISF disciplinary action.

Each delegation will pay a guarantee fee EUR 200 at registration. This fee will be used for covering the costs of any eventual damage in the delegation's accommodation. In the case of no damage, the fee will be returned at the end of the competition.

- **Fair-play trophy**

During the Meeting of all of the Heads of Delegations and during the first technical meeting for coaches, the ISF Delegate will hand over a form to the Heads of Delegations, the members of the OC and the members of the TC. All persons above are invited to hand in the form to a member of the Fair Play Jury one hour after the last team has finished the Friendship Team Event. The Heads of Delegations are invited to fill in their form in dialogue with their coaches and students.

Fairplay jury determines the winner of trophy based on evaluation of supplied filling forms. The evaluation is supervised by ISF delegate.

- **Other practical information**

Risks in terrain Ticks occur in all terrains! Please make sure you check entire body surface after competition or exercise in forest. For tick removal contact the Red Cross at the race sites.



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