

# SIMONIS

## EUROPEAN CHALLENGE CUP 2008

### Date / Venue

Start of Matches: Tuesday 02.09.2008  
Finals: Saturday 06.09.2008  
Departure: Sunday, 07.09.2008  
Venue: Patrick Canadian Taverne  
Allemanenstr. 49  
Rankweil / Austria

SINCE 1680

*Swan Simonis*<sup>®</sup>  
SIMONIS CLOTH

### Deadline Announcements:

15.08.2008

All announcements to:

EPBF / Gre Leenders  
E-mail: gre.leenders@planet.nl



### 1. Participation eligibility

The maximum number of participating teams in the Simonis European Challenge Cup is 32. Maximum of 3 teams per country can be announced. Host country and Title holder are extra.

Only **teams** which have participated in the National Team Championship **2007-2008** are allowed. **It is allowed to use players who are announced for the National Team Championship 2008-2009.**

The host organizer and the defending champion (if a member of the EPBF member) have a priority right to take part. Then, the national champions will be considered.

If then free spots available, the as no. 2 announced teams will be considered ( the date of the announcement is decisive)

Per team a minimum of 3 and maximum of 8 athletes may be announced. 50% of the announced athletes are not required to be in possession of the citizenship that the member nation announcing the team represents.

Athletes that are nominated for two teams in one and the same championship are not allowed to participate.

### 2. System

Double Elimination, the last 4 teams – Single Elimination (16 Participating teams)

Double Elimination, the last 8 teams – Single Elimination (32 Participating teams)

### 3. Match format

Match 1	8-Ball	2 winning sets race to 4 (Set = Best of three)
Match 2	9-Ball	2 winning sets race to 5 (Set = Best of three)
Match 3	8-Ball	2 winning sets race to 4 (Set = Best of three)

Match 4      9-Ball      2 winning sets race to 5 (Set = Best of three)

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Each team match consists of 4 individual matches that are to be played by 4 different athletes for each team. It is possible for a team to participate with only three athletes and in such case the fourth match will be forfeited. In case of a tie (2:2) then a "Penalty shooting" will decide.

The tournament will be played alternate break.

## **4. Dress Code**

All athletes must be dressed in accordance with the **club** uniform with a minimum of EPBF Dress Code B. ( Black Dressed Trousers ( no jeans or jeans look alike – to be determined by the tournament leader ), Shirt with collar ( no T-shirt), Black or dark Socks and Black dressed shoes ( no sport shoes ). These all to determined by the tournament leader.

## **5. Team announcement**

Only athletes which are registered in the EPBF Team Sheet and which can identify themselves with an ID-card/Passport, have the right to play. The EPBF will check the team announcements with their respective federations. If a federations declares that the team announcement is o.k. then there is no discussion possible weather a player is allowed to play or not. It is then also irrelevant if any other medium shows something different.

## **6. Prize money & trophies**

Total prize money; 15.000,00 €.

Prize money: 1 <sup>st</sup> place	€ 5.000.00
2 <sup>nd</sup> place	€ 3.000.00
3 <sup>rd</sup> place	€ 1.500.00
5 <sup>th</sup> place	€ 1.000.00

The winning team will be titled **European Simonis Challenge Cup Winner 2008**

## **7. Entry fee**

€ 400.00 per team, is to pay in cash at the accreditation.

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## 8. Draw

Three weeks before the tournament the draw will be made by the EPBF. The draw will be also published on the EPBF website and after this draw the teams can make their hotel booking.

## 9. Hotelbooking

Hotel 1.                      Hotel Roessle  
Rautenastr. 28  
6832 Röthis



Hotel 2.                      Hotel Hoher Freschen / Best Western  
Kreuzlingerstr. 2  
6830 Rankweil



Hotel 3.                      Hotel Sternen  
Tobel 14  
6833 Klaus



Hotel prices:                Single room 54 € per person per night.  
Double room 44 € per person per night  
Triple room or Four Bed Room 40 € per person per night

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Each team need to be at the venue 90 minutes before the start of its first game to make its accreditation.

