INFORMATION BULLETIN  
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17th FINA WOMEN’S WATER POLO WORLD CUP

SURGUT (RUSSIA)

September 04-09, 2018

The Water Polo Federation of Russia (WPFR) has the honor and pleasure to invite you to the 17th FINA WOMEN’S WATER POLO WORLD CUP 2018, to be held in Surgut, Russia. The following information will assist your National Federation in its attendance to this event.

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IMPORTANT DATES TO NOTE

Arrival in Surgut: September 2, 2018
Technical Workshop for WP Referees: September 3, 2018 (09.00-17.00, Hotel "Medvezhyi ugol")
Technical Meeting: September 3, 2018 at 18.00 Hotel "Medvezhyi ugol"
Competition: September 4-9, 2018
Departure: September 10, 2018

DEADLINES

July 10th  Visa Information
July 17th  Accommodation and Travel Forms
July 20th  Preliminary Entry Form
August 24th  Final Entry Form
**DELEGATES**

Mr. Andrey KRYUKOV  
FINA TWPC Bureau Liaison

Mr. Lolo IBERN  
FINA TWPC Chairman

Mr. Mark KOGANOV  
FINA TWPC Vice Chairman

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FINA TWPC Honorary Secretary

Ms. Monica BROCHERO  
FINA TWPC Member

Mr. Gus PINKER  
FINA TWPC Member

Mr. Qi ZHAO  
FINA TWPC Member

Prof. Bela MERKELY  
FINA SMC Member – Medical & Anti-Doping Delegate

Ms. Olga KAMARDINA  
FINA Press Delegate

**REFEREES**

*Neutral Referees:*

Mr Michiel ZWART (NED)

Mr. Alessandro SEVERO (ITA)

Ms. Natacha FLORESTANO (BRA)

Mr. Maro SAVINOVIC (CRO)

*Referees with the Team:*

AUS  Ms. Nicola JOHNSON

CAN  Ms. Marie-Claude DESLIERES

CHN  Mr. Anlong MENG

ESP  Mr. Jaume TEIXIDO

NZL  Mr. Michael BROOKS

RSA  Mr. Dion WILLIS

RUS  Mr. Sergey NAUMOV

USA  Ms. Amber DRURY

**A Referees Technical Workshop** will be organised for all participating Referees on the day of the Technical Meeting (Hotel “Medvezhyi ugol”). Workshop Times: (09:00-17:00 hours).
The Workshop is mandatory and completed successfully will count as recertification.

**TEAMS**

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OFFICIAL AIRPORT

Surgut international Airport (SGC)

VENUE INFORMATION

➢ Main competition venue:
➢ 21/2 Universitetskaya Str. Surgut

The competition venue is indoor aquatics center included 50m pools and many premises for different activities as weightlifting, acrobatics and gymnastic rooms. Main competition pool is indoor pool with dimensions of 50 x 25 m. The capacity of tribunes is about 500 spectators. The OC will prepare one more prefabricated tribune for 250 spectators. Warm up area (only for swimming) is planned to be in the 25m pool (depth 1.10-1.80m) which is in the same complex. Warming up with the balls (20 minutes) will be given to the teams before each game.

➢ Training venues:

Swimming pool 25x25m size, 2.20m depth. The location of the pool is 15 min from the competition venue and team hotels (www.lds-surgut.ru)
**ACCREDITATION**

To speed up the process of obtaining accreditation for your teams we kindly ask you to send us the signed photos of players and staff who will come in Surgut no later than 10th on August. Please send it in the format jpeg: Country Code_Surname_Name_function (e.x. RUS_Ivanov_Ivan_player).

**VISA INFORMATION**

For your visa support, please, address our Federation (in word format by rus_waterpolo@mail.ru) directly providing application form with the list of participants with every person’s passport number, its date of issue and date of expiry, date of birth, place of birth, current citizenship, gender and function position (whether he/she is an official (coach, doctor, team manager, etc.) or a player).

For individual visas we will need copies of the passports, person’s occupation, home and office address, telephone and fax numbers and city of obtaining the visa.

*For teams from America, Asia and Oceania we also need a Scanned Passport Copy.*

*To ensure timely visa issuance, please, give us all the necessary information not later than July, 10.*

Please note, that the validity of passport must be no less than 6 (six) months before the date of expiry.

**LOCAL TRANSPORTATION**

Local transportation will be provided from and to the airport and between the venue and the official hotel.

**ACCOMMODATION AND MEALS**

*FINA Delegates, Neutral Referees and Referees with Teams*

Hotel for FINA Delegates and officials:

Hotel “Medvezhi ugol” (23/1 Krylov Str., Surgut, Khanty-Mansiysk autonomous okrug, 628414) is a 4*, contemporary hotel. The location of the hotel is in 10 minutes distance by car from the competition venue.

http://hotelmedved.ru/
**Teams**

**Hotels for the teams:**


   Is a recently opened contemporary 4* hotel, which will accommodate 4 teams. Hotel is in 10 minutes driving distance by bus from the venue.

   **Extra accommodation:**
   - Single room – 5000 rubles/per person/per night without meal
   - Double room – 5800 rubles/per room/per night without meal
   - Meals: breakfast – 600 rubles, Lunch – 500 rubles, Dinner – 500 rubles


   Is a 4* hotel, started to operate in less than 2 years. The hotel will accommodate 4 teams. The location of the hotel is in 10 minutes driving distance by bus from the venue.

   **Extra accommodation:**
   - Single room – 3800 rubles/per person/per night including the breakfast
   - Double room – 5000 rubles/per room/per night including the breakfast
   - Meals: Lunch – 600 rubles, Dinner – 800 rubles

8 days and 8 nights full board accommodation per team including 17 persons (1 single room and 8 twin rooms) plus 1 referee with the team, will be covered.

⇒ For extra persons or additional days for the team please contact: rus_waterpolo@mail.ru

Please submit the Accommodation Form no later than July 17th 2018.

**TRAINING INFORMATION**

**Training Dates:** September 01-09

* Training will be available on September, 1st. If you would like to train, please contact: rus_waterpolo@mail.ru
## COMPETITION SCHEDULE

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*Team of Russia will be playing the last game of the day during preliminary round. Please note that the Management Committee of FINA Competitions may change the order and schedule of games to meet with the requirements of the Host Federation and/or television.
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