

International curling tournament

Riga Open 2023

8.-10.09.2023., Riga, Latvia

Tournament type: Open (any 4)

Place: Riga, Latvia (Kerlinga Halle, Bikernieku street 121h, Riga, Latvia)

Number of teams: 12 5 Guaranteed games:

Participation fee: **320 EUR**

Rules: Games will be played in accordance with current WCF rules.

Ice preparation: Ice will be prepared with Ice Boss before each draw.

System of play: 12 teams will be divided in 3 groups of four teams. After round robin games

teams will be split in three play-off groups where two play-off games will be

played to determine the final standings.

Game length: Maximum 8 ends with extra ends. Time limit: after 1 hour and 35 minutes

teams can finish the end in progress and play one more end. Extra ends are

played without time limit. No time limit for the Final and Bronze game.

Practice There will be 5 minutes pre-game practice time for each team after which the

LSD should be done

DSC (Draw Shot Challenge): Two LSD shots before each game should be delivered according WCF rules.

> LSD will be used to determine the Last Stone Advantage in all Round Robin games and DSC for ranking purposes after Round-Robin games if win-loss record and mutual games will be equal. For the DSC result one worst LSD

won't be counted

Other info: Winners of tournament will get Cup, all teams will get souvenirs

All games will be streamed live on LCA YouTube channel.

Deadline for application: 10.08.2023.

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