



## International Curling Tournament **VENTSPILS CUP 2017**

- The date:** 24 - 26 August 2017  
**Location:** Reconstructed Ice Hall of the Olympic Centre Ventspils, Sporta Street 7/9, Ventspils, Latvia.
- Organiser:** Ventspils Curling Club  
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[www.facebook.com/VentspilsCurlingCup](https://www.facebook.com/VentspilsCurlingCup);
- Partner:** Olympic Centre Ventspils
- Guarantee by the  
Organiser:**
- Five games for each team
  - Cups and prizes for winners
  - The closing party of the Ventspils Cup for all participants of the teams, their children and guests on Saturday, 26 August. *Guests are welcome to participate for additional fee 10 EUR.*
- Application deadline:** **Until 7 August 2017 by filling in the application form**
- Participation fee:** 300 EUR per team
- Participation prepayment:** Participation fee prepayment until 20<sup>th</sup> July 280 EUR.
- Recipient bank details:**
- Ventspils Curling Club**  
Reg. No.: 40008070580  
Address: Sporta Street 7/9, Ventspils, Latvia  
Account: LV53HABA0551005425728  
Bank: AS "SWEDBANK"  
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Purpose of the payment: participation fee "Ventspils Cup 2017"
- \* Teams, which need invoice are asked to submit their bank details to the organizer in advance.
- The Cup will be organised:**
- **The tournament will start on the Thursday evening of 24th August** and finish with the closing party on the Saturday evening of 26th August.
  - OPEN tournament with a maximum of 5 participants in one team;
  - Team types: Men, Women, Juniors, Seniors, Mixed, Wheelchair;
  - Altogether 16 - 24 teams in the tournament;
  - Games are played according to the WCF rules (four stones Free Guard Zone Rule);
  - According to the draw all teams are divided into groups. Starting with the second game the Schenkel system is used (each team meets the most equal opponent);
  - Each game has 8 ends with the time limit;
  - Evaluation: win - 2 points, tie - 1 point, loss- 0 points. In case of a tie the following additional criteria will be used: ends and stones.
- Rules of the competition and results of the drawing will be sent to all participants until 14 August 2017.**
- Accommodation at sportsmen hotel of the Olympic Centre "Ventspils", distance from ice hall is only 200 meter - [www.hotelocventspils.lv/en](http://www.hotelocventspils.lv/en) (twin room for two persons with breakfast for one night 47.50 EUR). It is also possible to choose other hotel or a camping site in Ventspils. Learn more about accommodation facilities on the website [www.visitventspils.com/en/things-to-do-in-ventspils/?group=12](http://www.visitventspils.com/en/things-to-do-in-ventspils/?group=12)  
**The Organiser will kindly assist in booking a hotel for you.**

**See you in Ventspils!**  
**Sincerely Yours,**  
**Ventspils Curling Club**