

## THE ONE SLOVAKIA GRAND PRIX 2011

Every player who will apply for this tournament will automatically agree with the rules of this tournament, as well as with other rules normally used in organisation of pool- billiard tournaments even in the case that do not figure in these tournament rules.

### **Application for the tournament:**

As a proper application is considered:

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One application is valid for more players. Every application includes:

- name and surname of the player (players)
- club
- nationality
- possible request for inclusion in morning or afternoon group phase of the tournament (Saturday) respectively the request for common inclusion of more players in the same phase( e.g. due to transport reasons)
- e-mail address of the player (players)

Application will be confirmed by e-mail. In case that the player has applied for the tournament but finally cannot participate, it is a matter of their honor to check out as soon as possible. This will enable other players to apply for the tournament or on the other side will not influence drawing of the tournament. Deadline is on Wednesday 30.11.2011 at 11:59 pm.CET.

In case that the player/players apply for the tournament after this deadline , their application will be accepted only in case of vacancies.

### **System of the tournament:**

Tournament is played for two days that is on 03.-04.12.2011. On Saturday 03.12.2011, qualifying groups will be played, the number and size of these groups will be set according to the number of registered players. Players play with each other in the group. Maximum number of the players is 96, which means 16 groups of 6 players. On Sunday 04.12.2011 the system Double KO will be played, it means 32 players will stay. Double KO will be reduced from 4 players to single KO. In case of maximum number of players, only two players from each group of 16 groups will forward. In case of smaller number of groups, the missing players will be completed by the players placed on the third positions in the groups ( according to the achieved score).

The final ranking of the players in the groups will be determined by following criteria with the emphasis to its order:

- the number of winning matches in the group

- percentage of the score
- mutual match

Placing of Sunday Double KO will be realized according to following criteria:

- placement in the group
- coefficient of the score

In case of equal criteria for two or more players , these will be placed in drawing order.

The game number 9 is played in the tournament according to the valid rules EPBF rules, the winner determines the break off. It is allowed to use foil for balls positioning. The shooting player puts the balls by himself.

The group is played at 5 winning games, in Double KO at 7 winning games. Semifinals, finals and the third place match are played at 9 winning games.

The entry fee is set at 15, - € for all participants in Saturday's group qualifications and each player will pay it in the presentation of the tournament. All qualified players to Sunday Double KO will pay up to EUR 10, - €. For **not winning** players it is only the first entry fee and are obliged to pay nothing extra.

The organizer reserves the right to require payment of the basic entry fee (15, - €) in advance, possible instructions will be announced no later than 11.11.2011.

## **Drawing**

When the possibility of signing up for the tournament finishes, players will be divided by tossing into the afternoon and the morning group, which allows players of the afternoon group to travel for presentation not in the morning. This toss will be on Thursday, 01.12.2011 in morning hours and it will be posted on the website of the organizing gaming house ([arena.ruzomberok.eu](http://arena.ruzomberok.eu)). If additional players are registered after this date, they will be divided into the morning and afternoon groups and informed about it as soon as possible. The drawing of the groups of the tournament will take place on Saturday after a presentation of the group stage.

Drawing of the group stages, as well as the groups themselves will take place so that they will comply with any requests from players for inclusion in the same time phase, respectively. So that the distribution of individual players in the group stages and the groups themselves will be the most balanced in terms of country representation, gender, performance ... The organizer of the tournament reserves the right not to comply with all requests of players on a common inclusion in the group stages, but it is strongly committed to make every effort to satisfy these requests.

Organizer reserves the right to deploy certain players at its discretion to the individual groups.

## **The tournament**

Advancing to Sunday spider Double KO will be reported to the players after playing all games of the group, possibly after finishing the games of all groups. (Transmitting from third place). Immediately after the announcement to the player about his advancing to Sunday part of this tournament, this player is required to present himself and to pay outstanding fee up to the full amount (10, - €). In case of refusal to participate on Sunday part of the tournament the organizer will release the place to the next player on the third position according to the achieved score.

The referee of the tournament and organizers will be presented during the presentation. In case of problematic moments in the game the referee decides about cooperation with the tournament organizers. In case that a problematic situation is expected on the table, it is recommended to stop the game before start and ask the referee for assessment of subsequent warming up. His verdict will be crucial. If he was not invited to judge, opinion of the player who played the shot is the most important.