



On behalf of the European Hockey Federation we would like to extend a warm welcome to all participating nations of the EuroParaHockey Championships 2019, in Antwerp.

The European Hockey Federation is committed to ensuring that hockey continues to be a sport for all. Our inclusive values are an integral part of our development activities, and it continues to grow with each passing year.

We are very proud of all our athletes and look forward to seeing some fantastic hockey in this tournament. To all parents, and staff, we thank you for your continued help and support.

To the KBHB & Royal Victory Hockey Club thank you for making this such an integrated event. To all the players, we wish you a great tournament. To the fans: Enjoy the show!

Marijke Fleuren EHF President

Juan Andres & Helen Kichardson-Walsh European ParaHockey Ambassadors

**FUTCHOOKEY** 







# Hosts, Venues, Dates

18<sup>th</sup> to 22<sup>nd</sup> August 2019 Hosts & Organisers



**Royal Victory Hockey Club** 

A leading club in Belgium with a proud history that boasts three water based pitches.

A very well governed top hockey club with strong youth and ParaHockey sections.

The organising committee from the club wishes all teams a fabulous time.

21st August 2019 Finals Day



EuroHockey Championship Venue

The finals Venue will have a purpose built stadium for the EHC & EPHC the venue is currently undergoing a massive renovation resulting in a state of the art venue for the EuroHockey Championships and will become the home of Olympia Hockey Club.

Many thrilling international matches will be held there next summer including the ParaHockey Finals on 21st August 2019

# **Technical & Competition**

### **Event**

The Event will consist of a senior tournament. Once the EHF has received all the entries we will decide the exact format of the tournament but we wish to encourage as many Nations as possible to enter one team.

### Rules

The tournament will follow FIH rules for ParaHockey (ID) as posted on the FIH website and hosts 7-a-side matches at half size pitches.

### Divisioning

Championship (Performance); Trophy (Intermediate); Challenge (Emerging);



# **Travel, Transport & Accommodation**

#### **Team Accommodation**

The teams will stay at the ASH Hostel
The booking is centrally managed through the EHF
and will form part of your entry. The Hostel will be
fully booked out by the ParaHockey teams for the
duration of the event 18th to 22nd August.

Arrival Transfers

The Official Transfer locations are
Brussels Airport & Antwerp Train Station
Victory Hockey Club will arrange transfers with
each nation, only from the above locations. If your
team is unable to travel into these arrival points, it
is the responsibility of them (and additional cost)
to organise transport from another airport/station.

Insurance
Including health insurance
Please ensure that each member of your delegation
has adequate insurance cover







# Schedule

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		DAY 1: Sunday 18th August	
12:00	16:00	ARRIVAL BRUSSELS AIRPORT	
12:00	16:00	TRANSFER TO VICTORY HC	
17:00	18:00	DINNER AT CLUB	
18:00	19:00	TOURNAMENT BRIEFING AT CLUB	
19:00	20:00	TRANSFER TO ASH HOSTEL	
		DAY 2: Monday 19th August	
08:00	08:30	TRANSFER TO VICTORY HC	
09:00	09:30	OPENING CEREMONY	
09:30	12:30	DIVISIONING MATCHES	
12:30	13:30	LUNCH AT CLUB	
13:30	16:30	DIVISIONING MATCHES	
16:30	17:00	DAY ONE END	
17:00	18:00	REST/CHANGE	
18:00	19:00	DINNER AT CLUB	
19:00	20:00	TRANSFER TO ASH HOSTEL	
		DAY 3: Tuesday 20th August	
08:00	08:30	TRANSFER TO VICTORY HC	
09:00	09:30	OPENING CEREMONY	
09:30	12:30	DIVISIONING MATCHES	
12:30	13:30	LUNCH AT CLUB	
13:30	16:30	DIVISIONING MATCHES	
16:30	17:00	DAY ONE END	
17:00	18:00	REST/CHANGE	
18:00	19:00	DINNER AT CLUB	
19:00	20:00	TRANSFER TO ASH HOSTEL	
		DAY 4: Wednesday 21st August	
09:00	09:30	TRANSFER TO EHC VENUE	
10:00	12:00	WATCH EHC MATCH	
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14:15	14:30	Parade onto the Stadium. All teams and officia	ls
14:30	15:00	Finals (All Teams) play at EHC Venue	
16:00	16:30	Medal Ceremonies for all pools	
18:00*	20:00	WATCH EHC MATCH	
20:00	22:00	WATCH EHC MATCH	
18:00*	22:00	TRANSFER TO ASH HOSTEL	
		DAY 5: Thursday 22nd August	
06:00	12:00	BREAKFAST AT ASH HOSTEL	
		TRANSFER BRUSSELS AIRPORT	



### **Costs**

Costs for each participant and members of the management team: <u>€215 per person</u>.

This includes transfers, accommodation, all meals, travel in Belgium to club and EHC and a visit to the Belfius EuroHockey Championships.

Maximum Squad Size: 12 Players & 4 Staff

## **Entry**

Directly through the European Hockey Federation
Education and Development Manager
Tom Pedersen-Smith

Entry forms must be submitted by March 1st 2019. Payment must be received by April 30th 2019.

Email: development@eurohockey.org

