





# UIPM 2023 Modern Pentathlon World Championships Bath, Great Britain 21 - 28 August 2023

# **INVITATION LETTER**

Dear Friends,

The UIPM – Union Internationale de Pentathlon Moderne, together with Pentathlon Great Britain (PGB), has the pleasure to invite a delegation of your National Federation to participate in the UIPM 2023 Modern Pentathlon World Championships (MPWCH) to be held in Bath, Great Britain, from 21 to 28 August 2023 according to the following schedule.

20 August	Arrival of Delegations				
18 August 19-28 August	11:00-20:00 09:00 – 18:00	Accreditation Office Open	Competition Venue		
20 <sup>th</sup> August	20:00	Technical Meeting for W's & M's Relays	Competition Venue		
		Jumping Test	Competition Venue		
	Women's & Men's Relays				
21 August		Women's Relay Fencing Ranking Round	Competition Venue		
		Men's Relay Fencing Ranking Round	Competition Venue		
	17:00	Opening Ceremony	Competition Venue		
	Women's & Men's Relays				
		Women's Relay Final	Competition Venue		
22 August		Women's Relay Medal Ceremony	Competition Venue		
22 August		Men's Relay Final	Competition Venue		
		Men's Relay Medal Ceremony	Competition Venue		
	20:00	Technical Meeting for W's Q	Competition Venue		
	Women's Individual Qualification				
		Women's Qualification Group A	Competition Venue		
23 August		Women's Qualification Group B	Competition Venue		
		Women's Qualification Group C	Competition Venue		
	20:00	Technical Meeting for M's Q & W's SF	Competition Venue		
	Men's Individual Qualification & Women's Fencing Ranking Round				
24 August		Men's Individual Qualification Group A	Competition Venue		
		Men's Individual Qualification Group B	Competition Venue		
		Men's Individual Qualification Group C	Competition Venue		
		Women's Fencing Ranking Round	Competition Venue		
	20:00	Technical Meeting for M's SF	Competition Venue		
25 August	Women's Individual Semi-Finals & Men's Fencing Ranking Round				







		Women's Individual Semi-Final A	Competition Venue	
		Women's Individual Semi-Final B	Competition Venue	
		Men's Fencing Ranking Round	Competition Venue	
26 August	Men's Individual Semi-Finals			
		Men's Individual Semi-Final A	Competition Venue	
		Men's Individual Semi-Final B	Competition Venue	
	20:00	Technical Meeting for W's & M's Finals	Competition Venue	
27 August	Women's & Men's Individual Finals			
		Women's Individual Final	Competition Venue	
		Women's Final Medal Ceremony	Competition Venue	
		Men's Individual Final	Competition Venue	
		Men's Final Medal Ceremony	Competition Venue	
	20:00	Technical Meeting for Mixed Relay	Competition Venue	
28 August	Mixed Relay			
		Mixed Relay Fencing Ranking Round	Competition Venue	
		Mixed Relay	Competition Venue	
		Mixed Relay Medal Ceremony	Competition Venue	
	17:00	Closing Ceremony	Competition Venue	
29 August	Departure of Delegations			
Please Note: Detailed timetable to be confirmed once entries closed				







# **Competition Format & Rules**

The competition will be carried out according to the UIPM Competition Rules and Regulations and relevant guidelines.

Swimming	25m indoor pool, 8 lanes		
Fencing	10 indoor pistes (Ranking Round)		
	1 outdoor piste (bonus round)		
	Separate training pistes		
Riding	50 x 40m grass ride arena		
Running	Hard surface & Natural Grass		
Shooting	40+2 main shooting range with precision laser targets (ALS) and		
	24 target training range (EcoAims).		

# **Competition Venue**

Address: Sports Training Village, The University Of Bath, Claverton Down, Bath BA2 7AY.

Access to the competition will be strictly regulated by the accreditation system. The Accreditation Centre will be located at the competition venue. A detailed manual of all locations will be provided to NFs closer to the event.

#### **Accommodation & Travel**

National Federations can opt to purchase the accommodation & travel package provided by the LOC. We strongly advise teams to consider this as this will guarantee the team the best event experience.

The accommodation & travel package includes:

- Accommodation located on the University of Bath campus, which is just a 2 minutes' walk from the competition venue.
- All teams will have their own flat and access to their own kitchen facilities and lounge, with an ensuite single room for each athlete.
- All accommodation packages include a full board catering package, served in the dining hall next to the accommodation blocks. The full board catering includes:
  - o A full English hot breakfast with buffet-style continental options.
  - Hot & cold buffet options for lunch and dinner.
- The LOC can support teams ordering additional food into their kitchens prior to arrival if they want to do any of their own food preparation. The cost of the food would be at an additional cost to the team.
- Access to the onsite pool and gym training facilities (operational times tbc).
- 24-hour security onsite with a 24/7 security contact number.
- Athlete helpdesk located in the accommodation block, open from 08:00-22:00 daily.
- Airport transfers to and from Bristol or Heathrow Airport to the accommodation (arrival and departures). Athletes are advised to fly into Bristol Airport or Heathrow Airport, where the LOC will have meet & greet teams to support teams getting on







their airport transfers to ensure a smooth transit from the airport to the official accommodation. Teams not arriving at Bristol or Heathrow airports can ask for a transfer offer from LOC at an additional cost.

- A dedicated transport desk at the accommodation to support with all transfers and any changes/amendments etc required.
- Advice and support with flight booking and information as required.

Please note: if any teams chose to stay off-site the LOC is unable to provide any transport and only lunch will be provided.

#### **Financial Conditions**

<b>Booking Confirmed</b>		Package Details	
	Entry Fee	Entry Fee	Entry Fee
	No Transport	Transport - Bristol	Transport - <b>Heathrow</b>
	No Accommodation	Accommodation	Accommodation
		(single rooms)	(single rooms)
	Only lunch provided	Full Board Catering	Full Board Catering
	Min payment €300		
	(4 days)		
Rooms confirmed	Euro 75	Euro 225	Euro 235
by 21.06.23		Euro 225	Euro 255
Rooms confirmed	Euro 75	Euro 250	Euro 260
after 21.06.23			

# Payment of the registrations must be:

- <u>Transferred to UIPM bank account</u> with following bank details after receiving the invoice from the LOC, or
- Paid directly at UIPM NF portal by credit card after receiving the invoice from the LOC.

### Bank account details:

Beneficiary: UNION INTERNATIONALE DE PENTATHLON MODERNE (UIPM)

Bank: CMB Monaco

IBAN (EUR): MC58 1756 9000 0106 0078 3000 250

**BIC code: CMBMMCMXXXX** 

#### ATTENTION:

All extra costs for bank transfers should be worn by the sender.

Ignoring that the amount will be invoiced afterward.

Please indicate the Invoice number/country code in the description of the transfer.

#### **Deadlines**

Delegations are kindly reminded that the UIPM Online registration system is mandatory. The online system will be open from 10<sup>th</sup> June 2023. All registrations must be done in the UIPM NF Portal by **25 July 2023**. Any changes after this must be sent by email to the LOC.







Deadlines are as follows:				
Participation Confirmation	20 June 2023			
Closure of Registration – Individual & Relay	25 July 2023			
Payment of the registrations	Before 01 August 2023			

If the LOC does not receive complete information of your delegation prior to the closure of the registration system or UIPM does not receive your delegation's payment, then it will be considered that your delegation is non-participating.

Transport services from Bristol or Heathrow airport to and from the official accommodation are only guaranteed if the arrival and departure information is provided in the registration system prior to the deadline.

# **Ticketing**

Registered team personnel will be able to access the spectator seating & competition areas with their accreditation.

Spectator Tickets with prices starting from £5 for adults and £5 for concessions per day. Tickets can be purchased here: Modern Pentathlon/Laser Run World Championship 23 Tickets and Dates 2023 (seetickets.com)

#### **Athlete Licences & Riding Ability**

Athletes are only allowed to participate in UIPM sanctioned events if they are in possession of a valid Athletes License. Registration is not possible without a License Number. If an athlete does not have a license, they will not be allowed to take part in the competition. If any athlete does not have an ID number, their National Federation should add them using the NF area in the UIPM portal.

You are kindly reminded of UIPM Rule 1.12.1 and its relevance to this competition is as follows: Pentathletes without riding ability listed on their Licence uploaded to the UIPM portal by the competition registration deadline cannot compete in World Senior Championships. Such a Letter/certificate must be sent to upload on the UIPM portal before the registration deadline and some video footage might be asked prior to the Championships.

In addition, the athlete must show sufficient riding ability in the warm-up, otherwise, they will not be allowed to compete in the riding phase.

#### **Insurance**

According to UIPM Rules, all members of attending delegations should insure themselves in case of accidental injury or illness. The LOC will not accept any responsibility financial or other, for any loss, injury or illness of any member of the delegation.







# Liability

The LOC does not assume any liability for accidents, thefts or other incidents of any kind. Otherwise, the statutory provisions shall apply.

#### **Visa Information**

Visiting NFs should confirm visa and vaccination requirements for entry into Great Britain prior to traveling to the event. Please find attached the LOC's Visa Guidance document for advice on Visa applications.

The LOC cannot accept responsibility for arranging visas but can provide specific letters of invitation if needed. To request a letter of invitation please email: <a href="mailto:admin@wch2023.org">admin@wch2023.org</a>.

#### **Laser Pistols**

Firearms licenses are not a legal requirement when bringing Modern Pentathlon laser pistols into the UK for competition purposes, because they are not covered by weapon law.

**General Information** 

- All athletes are kindly requested to wear their official national uniform at the competition.
- Expected Weather conditions: 13-20°C in August

#### **LOC Contact Details:**

National Federation Liaison POC: Amy Haken

Email: admin@wch2023.org

UIPM 2023 Pentathlon World Championships Website: <a href="https://pentathlongb.org/2023wch">https://pentathlongb.org/2023wch</a>

#### **International Federation Contact Details:**

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Please directly contact the LOC for inquiries or question you might have.

We look forward to seeing you in Bath for a fantastic UIPM 2023 Pentathlon World Championships!

Best regards,

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