



International EVRICup Committee (I.E.C.)

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08.01 Name event

The official name of the event is the **European Veteran Rollerhockey Invitational Cup**. The short name of the official event name is: **EVRICup**.

08.02 Mission European Veteran Rollerhockey Invitational Cup

The mission is promotion for the international veteran rollerhockey community in the categories 35+ and 50+ and give an international and general contribution to develop the sport roller hockey all over Europe.

08.03 International EVRICup Committee (I.E.C.)

Board period 2018 - 2020 (two periods).

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Financial account number of the I.E.C. will be published and given by the Organizing Club after approval of the I.E.C.

08.04 Actual information about the EVRICup circuit

Following the former website www.evricup.com, all general information about the event is published from January 2018 onwards on the General Facebook page of the EVRICup (www.facebook.com/Evricup) and the official website www.evricup.com.

08.05 EVRICup editions

There is one edition each year. A edition can be held in the spring or autumn of each year. The event will take place on the days Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday (total 4 competition days). The event could possibly start on Tuesday with games for participating teams that are located close by the location of the EVRICup edition.

The maximum participating teams in the 35+ category is 16 teams in 4 groups (groups colors red, blue, green and yellow) and the maximum participating teams in the 50+ category is 16 teams in 4 groups (orange, purple, brown and black). If the Organizing Club is able to accommodate more teams, more teams can be invited, following the list in 8.25.

08.06 **Culture moment**

A special moment for the participators is the culture moment in the area (city or region) of the EVRICup edition. The Organization of this part of the event during the edition of the EVRICup is with the organization committee of that present EVRICup edition.

08.07 **Delegates meeting**

Due the strong growth of the event, good agreements and rules become necessary. Maintain both the agreements and the rules, each year a Delegates Meeting will be held before or shortly after the start of each EVRICup edition. This meeting is preferably held on the Wednesday of the event from 11.00 -12.00 hours and is managed by the I.E.C. During the meeting all participants can submit proposals and questions and the latest concept of this EVRIrules are discussed and validated. The official language is English. The organization committee provides a (conference) room for this meeting (at least 60 seats). The secretary of the I.E.C sends a concept agenda one week before the meeting by e-mail to the contact persons. The maximum invitation is limited to 2 delegates of each 35+ or 50+ team.

08.08 **Rules of participation for the teams and Players**

For the category 35+, the players have to be 35 years or older at the first competition day of the edition they participate in. For the category 50+, the players have to be 50 years or older at the first competition day of the edition they participate in. The organizing club send with the invitation a players list (see attachment). Two weeks before the tournament send all the teams the official players list to the organisation and to the president of the I.E.C. During the delegates meeting on Wednesday the I.E.C. receives the players list (of the delegates and before the first game of each team (35+ and 50+) there is a passport/identity control carried out by the I.E.C. Before the start of the competition, players must be subscribed in a team list (Annex).

Players are now allowed to play in 2 different teams only when it's there own 2nd team (example: player 50+ plays for team A 50+ is allowed to play with own team A 35+ other way around is not allowed due to age restrictions)

Summarized: ***A player/goalie can only play for 1 team (only the I.E.C. can give dispensation by special conditions)***

All teams must send 8 weeks before the tournament started a official EVRI-CUP playerslist (annex) to the organisation and the president of the I.E.C. in cc (ben@benveerman.nl).

08.09 **The rollerhockey accommodation**

The European Veteran Rollerhockey Invitational Cup edition must be organized in a international (covered) rollerhockey accommodation near (< 100 km) an international airport.

08.10 **Rules of the game**

The EVRICup competitions 35+ and 50+ follow the genral rules of the game Rink-Hockey. These rules of the game must have been approved in the General Assembly of the World skate Europa set of these rules have to be available during the Event.

08.11 **Referees**

The status of the referees must be national federation quality. In all the games there are at least 2 referees, on the final day games 3 referees (1 referee for the team errors). The referees use the most recent International Rink-Hockey Refereeing Manuel, a document prepared by World skate Europa technical Commission.

08.12 **Addresses delegates**

The I.E.C. has and updates the most recent list of address of the delegates of the participators in the EVRICup circuit.

08.13 **Responsibility**

The I.E.C. and the organization committee of the present EVRICup edition can accept any liability for damage and/or costs.

08.14 **Contribution participating teams**

The present EVRI Cup organization committee can ask a financial contribution from the participating teams to meet the event budget: the maximum contribution is € 250,- for each team (12 players and delegates).

The present Teams pay a separate contribution of € 7,50 for each team for the website of the I.E.C. The Organization pay this money to the webmaster of the EVRI-CUP !

Payment arrangement enrollment fee:

- time 0: a team is invited by the organization committee to participate in an edition of the EVRICup;
- time 0 plus 4 weeks : is the outward date of a written confirmation of the invited team;
- time 0 plus 6 weeks : is the outward date that the registration fee must be paid into the financial account number as given by the organization committee and as approved by the I.E.C.

If a team retires 8 to 5 weeks before the start of the event, 50% of the entry fees received will be returned.

If a team retires 4 to 0 weeks before the start of the event, 0% of the entry fees received will be returned.

A EVRI Cup edition may not be a profitable financial event. If the final financial statement indicates that profit is created, the organization committee has to donate this amount to the youth roller hockey department of the club which has organized the relevant EVRICup edition. 3 months after the end of the event, the organization committee has to disclose the amount and the way of spending to the I.E.C. on request of the I.E.C. The result will be communicated via the general Facebookpage of the EVRICup and the website www.evricup.com.

08.15 **Participating teams groups**

Category 35+

16 teams of 35+ compete for the championship and are divided in four groups.

Group 35+ Red :

- Team A, number 1 latest edition;
- Team B, number 8 latest edition;
- Team C, number 12 latest edition;
- Team D, number 16 latest edition.

Group 35+ Blue :

- Team A, number 2 latest edition;
- Team B, number 7 latest edition;
- Team C, number 11 latest edition;
- Team D, number 15 latest edition.

Group 35+ Green :

- Team A, number 3 latest edition;
- Team B, number 6 latest edition;
- Team C, number 10 latest edition;
- Team D, number 14 latest edition.

Group 35+ Yellow :

- Team A, number 4 latest edition;
- Team B, number 5 latest edition;
- Team C, number 9 latest edition;
- Team D, number 13 latest edition.

Winners of each group will play semifinals and finals with direct elimination (1th to 4th place). Second ranking from each group will play semifinals and finals with direct elimination (5th to 8th place). Third ranking of each group will play semifinals and finals with direct elimination (9th to 12th place). Fourth ranking from each group will play semifinals with direct elimination (13th to 16th place). Each 35+ team will play five matches.

Categorie 50+

In case of 8 teams participating:

8 teams of 50+ compete for the championship and are divided in two groups:

Group 50+ Orange :

- Team A, number 1 latest edition;
- Team B, number 8 latest edition;
- Team C, number 12 latest edition;
- Team D, number 16 latest edition.

Group 50+ Purple :

- Team A, number 2 latest edition;
- Team B, number 7 latest edition;
- Team C, number 11 latest edition;
- Team D, number 15 latest edition

Group 50+ Brown :

- Team A, number 3 latest edition;
- Team B, number 6 latest edition;
- Team C, number 10 latest edition;
- Team D, number 14 latest edition

Group 50+ Black :

- Team A, number 4 latest edition;
- Team B, number 5 latest edition;
- Team C, number 9 latest edition;
- Team D, number 13 latest edition.

Winners of each group will play finals with direct elimination (1th to 2th place). Second ranking from each group will play finals with direct elimination (3th to 4th place). Third ranking of each group will play finals with direct elimination (5th to 6th place). Fourth ranking from each group will play finals with direct elimination (7th to 8th place). Each 50+ team will play four matches.

In case of 12 teams participating:

12 teams of 35 + or 50+ compete for the championship and are divided in four groups:

Group Yellow ore Orange :

- Team A, number 1 latest edition;
- Team B, number 8 latest edition;
- Team C, number 12 latest edition.

Group Red ore Purple:

- Team A, number 2 latest edition;
- Team B, number 7 latest edition;
- Team C, number 11 latest edition.

Group Bleu ore Brown :

- Team A, number 3 latest edition;
- Team B, number 6 latest edition;
- Team C, number 10 latest edition.

Group Green ore Black :

- Team A, number 4 latest edition;
- Team B, number 5 latest edition;
- Team C, number 9 latest edition.

Winners of Orange and Black play cross finals against the Second Ranks of Purple and Light Blue. Winners of Purple and Light Blue play cross finals against the Second Ranks of Orange and Black. The four Winners of these matches will compete (by lottery) in two semifinals to determine the final match for places 1 and 2 and the final match for places 3 and 4. The losers of the four cross finals play two semifinals (by lottery). The winners will compete in a match for places 5 and 6. The losers will compete in a match for places 7 and 8. Third Ranking Orange and Black play a cross final, as also third Ranking Purple and Light Blue. The winners will compete in a match for places 9 and 10. The losers will compete in a match for places 11 and 12. Each 50+ team will play four games.

Different number of teams

In Case of a different number of participating teams in 35+ and/of 50+, the Organization Committee will try to follow the aforementioned

08.16 Schedule time reservationWednesday

10.00 – 12.30	hour	Culture time for all participators.
11.00	hour	Latest arrival time participators at the location of the organization committee EVRICup edition.
11.00 – 12.00	hour	Delegates meeting I.E.C. and organization committee EVRI Cup edition.
14.00 – 22.30	hour	Hockeytime (the games).

Thursday

09.00 – 22.30	hour	Hockeytime (the games).
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Friday

09.00 – 22.30	hour	Hockeytime (the games).
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Saturday

09.00 – 20.00	hour	Hockeytime (the games).
21.30 – 24.00	hour	Traditional EVRI Cup dinner and closing ceremony.

08.17 Maximum matches pro day

Each team plays no more than 2 games a day. When it is necessary to play 3 games a day, there will be two hours rest between the games.

08.18 First medical aid

It's necessary to have a first medical aid and a AED equipment in the arena during all the games.

08.19 Communication

There are a last 3 communication moments of the present organization committee with the participators of the next EVRICup edition:

1th moment, 6 months before the next EVRICup edition

The present organization committee sends an official invitation to the participators

2th moment, 5 months before the next EVRICup edition

The present organization committee send the definitive list of the participators and possibilities for hotel reservations in the area of the next EVRICup edition. The participators can organize from this moment on their own trip to the next EVRICup edition location (reserve Flight, tickets etc.).

3th moment, 4 months before the next EVRICup edition

The present organization committee starts an EVRICup edition website and/or Social media page (such as Facebook) with all latest information about the next EVRICup edition.

08.20 Promotion EVRICup edition

There are at least the following promotion possibilities (promotion rollerhockey):

1th possibility, EVRICup website and/or Social Media page (Facebook etc)

An own EVRICup edition website and/or Social media Page with all latest information about the next EVRICup edition.

2th possibility, Editionposter

An own EVRICup edition poster with the official EVRICup logo.

3th possibility, Articles in or at local newsmedia

The organization committee must try to accommodate at least one mediaevent before and one after the event in or at the most important local newsmedia.

4th possibility, Websites

A publication on the website of the I.E.C. www.evricup.com and/or Social media platforms of the organizing club and a publication on the website and/or Social media platforms of the national rollerhockey federation.

5th possibility, Country flags

Nation flags of the participating teams in the sports hall.

6th possibility, Music and voice accompaniment

After the qualification games and during the finals there must be musical accompaniment in the arena before the games, between the games and between each part of the games. Before the games a voice accompaniment (line ups etc.) and during the games for the goalscores.

08.21 Merchandising

The organization committee has the right to sell EVRICup materials during the tournament days in order to assure the financial results according to the EVRICup rules.

08.22 The EVRICup logo

The organization committee can use the EVRICup logo for the during edition. The colors of the logo must be relevant to the colors of the flag of the country where the EVRICup edition is organized.

08.23 **EVRICup international calendar 2018 - 2021**

The I.E.C. has accepted the international bids for the next EVRICup editions in the years 2017 and 2018:

- 2018	Viana do Castelo	Portugal
- 2019	Geieg	Spain
- 2020	Bassano ?	Italië
- 2021	Nantes ? ore Pace de Arcos	Portugal

08.24 **Team invitation next EVRICup edition**

The teams will be invited by the present EVRICup organization committee with the following procedure:

1. The 1st and 2nd invitation is for the own veteran teams in the 35+ and 50+ category of the organization committee;
2. The 3rd till 9th invitation is for veteran teams in the 35+ and 50+ category of the countries Andorra -Germany-Austria-Swiss-Argentina and Brasil;
3. The 10th and 11th invitation is for the previous winners of the EVRICup edition in the 35+ and 50+ category;
4. The 12th until the 20th invitation is for the veteran teams in the 35+ at the ranking 35+ (see EVRICup rules point 08.25);
5. The 20th until the 24th invitation is for the veteranteams in the 50+ at the ranking 50+ (see EVRICup rules point 08.25).

If no attendees can respond to the invitation, the successor teams from the ranking are invited. The final participants lists of the 35 + and 50 + categories should as much as possible represent the 10 European rollerhockeycountries.

08.25 **Ranking EVRICup participators**

Every participation at a EVRICup edition gets 1 ranking point. The ranking points determine the invitation line up for the next EVRICup edition.

Present I.E.C. Ranking cateogie 35 +		December 2019	
1.	C.T. Barcino	Spain	23 points
2.	GEiGG	Spain	23 points
3.	DREAMTEAM/Valkenswaardse R.C. 35+	The Netherlands	20 points
4.	R.V. Rolta Leuven	Belgium	16 points
5.	C.P. Vilafranca	Spain	15 points
6.	C.P. Parede	Portugal	15 points
7.	C.P. Voltrega	Spain	11 points
8.	G.D.R. Os Lobinhos	Portugal	8 points
9.	Herne Bay United Veterans	England	7 points
10.	Paço de Arcos	Portugal	7 points
11.	Hockey Prato (Carbonia)	Italy	9 points
12.	F.C. Porto	Portugal	4 points
13.	C.P. Calafell	Spain	2 points
14.	Bassano	Italy	3 points
15.	F.C. Barcelona	Spain	2 point
16.	Club Patin Alcalà	Spain	1 point
17.	Seixal Futebol Clube	Portugal	1 point
18.	Evergreen Trieste	Italy	1 point
19.	Ass. Juventude Viana	Portugal	3 point
20.	GD Fabril	Portugal	1 point
21.	ADS Tergeste	Italy	1 point

22.	Barcelos	Portugal	2 point
23.	Vila Praia	Portugal	1 point
24.	Hockey Veterani Modena	Italy	1 point
25.	Old Blacks Pordone	Italy	1 point
26.	HC Voiron	France	1 point

Reserve list 35+

If a team after three invitations does not participate in the three EVRICup editions 35+, the participation points will expire and the team enters with 0 points the reserve list.

1.	R.S.C. Cronenberg	Germany	0 points
2.	Southsea R.H.C.	England	0 points
3.	T.S.G. Darmstadt	Germany	0 points
4.	All Stars Italy	Italy	0 points
5.	Hockey Novara	Italy	0 points
6.	R.S.C. Darmstadt	Germany	0 points
7.	R.E.S.G. Walsum	Germany	0 points
8.	R.H.C. Kuringen	Belgium	0 points
9.	Old Stars The Netherlands	The Netherlands	0 points
10.	H.C. Castiglione	Castiglione della Pescaia	0 points
11.	R.H.C. Basel	Switzerland	0 points

Present I.E.C. Ranking categorie 50 +

December 2019

1.	Dreamteam 50 +	The Netherlands	11 points
2.	G.D.R. Os Lobinhos	Portugal	9 points
3.	H.C. Castiglione	Italy	9 points
4.	C.P. Cibeles	Spain	8 points
5.	ASD Tergeste	Italy	8 points
6.	GEiGG	Spain	7 points
7.	C.T. Barcino Old Cat 50 +	Spain	7 points
8.	E.H.R.C. Marathon	The Netherlands	6 points
9.	Herne Bay United	England	2 points
10.	VRC 50 +	The Netherlands	1 point
11.	C.P. Parede	Portugal	3 point
12.	L.M.R. Algés	Portugal	1 point
13.	C.P. Voltrega	Spain	3 point
14.	C.A. Oviedo	Spain	3 point
15.	Kurink HC	Belgium	3 point
16.	Hocky Evergreen Trieste 50 +	Italy	3 point
17.	Ass. Juventude Viana	Portugal	2 point
18.	La Portene	Portugal	1 point
19.	Bassano	Italy	1 point
20.	Hoquei Master Team of Academico	Spain	1 point
21.	La Portena	Argentina	2 points

Reserve list 50 +

If a team after three invitations does not participate in the three EVRICup editions 50 +, the participation points will expire and the team enters with 0 points the reserve list.

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| 1. | K.V. Rolta R.H.C. | Belgium | 0 points |
| 2. | Retroveterans 50 + | International | 0 points |
| 3. | Euroveterans 50 + | International | 0 points |