

Announcement



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# Curling



## WINTER WORLD MASTERS GAMES **INNS' BRUCK 2020**

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## Preamble:

With over 3,000 athletes the Winter World Masters Games 2020 (WWMG) are the biggest winter multi-sports event for athletes over 30\* years of age. It is a unique chance for recreational sportspersons to compete with former professional sportsmen and -women. WWMG supports the togetherness between athletes through common sports activities, entertainment and cultural events. (\*this may differ for the various sports)

## Organizer:

The Winter World Masters Games will take place from 10-19 January 2020 in Innsbruck and Tyrol and will be organised by Innsbruck-Tirol Sports GmbH.

## Competition Management:

Sports management: Kitzbühel Curling Club  
Ice Technician: Chris Noble

**Administrative Management Curling:** Veronika Huber

## Venue

The Curling competition will take place at the Sportpark Kitzbühel, located near the city center of the famous winter sports destination. Six (6) sheets of ice will be installed in the ice arena for the period of the Winter World Masters Games. Beside Curling, some Ski Jumping events will also take place in Kitzbühel. The venue here is the HS 42 Schattberg ski-jump.

## Operating Company:

Sportpark Kitzbühel GmbH  
Sportfeld 1  
6370 Kitzbühel  
Austria



<http://www.sportpark-kitzbuehel.com>

## Rules:

**Mixed Competition:** The Mixed Event will be open to 24 teams. Mixed teams consist of two female and two male players. The competition will be played according to the latest WCF Rules for Mixed Curling unless explicitly amended. All games will be 8 ends. In case of a tie a Single-Stone-Shoot-Out will be used to break the tie. The 24 teams will be divided into 4 groups of 6 teams each. Each group will play a round-robin. All group winners as well as all runners-up qualify for the play-offs, of the top eight teams. All other teams are eliminated.

**Mixed Doubles Competition:** The Doubles Event will be open to 12 teams. A Doubles team consists of two players\*, one female and one male. Handicapped athletes are welcome. The competition will be played according to the latest WCF Rules for Doubles Curling unless explicitly amended. All games will be 8 ends. In case of a tie a Single-Stone-Shoot-Out will be used to break the tie. The 12 teams will be divided into 2 groups of 6 teams each. Each group will play a round-robin. All group winners as well as all runners-up qualify for the play-offs, of the top four teams. All other teams are eliminated.

The teams can be put together as follows for example:

\* Team: 1 female athlete, 1 male athlete; (inter-) national (e.g. AUT-AUT, CAN-SCO, etc)

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## Eligibility:

The Winter World Masters Games are an event for amateur athletes. All athletes that are not members of a national high-performance team and who have not participated in world or continental championships (e.g. European championships) in 2018/2019 or later, are eligible for play.

Each athlete is responsible for having his/her physical fitness checked by an appropriate doctor to ensure he/she is fit for participating in WWMG and ready for the physical stress that is connected to such participation. It is the personal responsibility of each athlete to have such an adequate sports medical check made.

## Mixed:

Age: Mixed Curling athletes must be 35 or older on 30 June 2019.

Nations' quota: 24 Teams. WCF Member Associations may enter one mixed gender team for this event. Allocation and seeding of correct entries according to the World Mixed ranking list of the season 2018/2019. There is one guaranteed spot for host nation Austria. After the closing date vacant spots will be allocated through wildcard. World Ranking - <http://www.worldcurling.org/worldrankings>

## Mixed Doubles:

Age: Doubles Curling athletes must be 50 or older on 30 June 2019.

Nation's quota: No regulation. There is one guaranteed spot for host nation Austria. The remaining 11 spots will be drawn by lot among all correct entries received before the closing date.

## Insurance:

Each participant is responsible for having a valid accident and health insurance (including return transport) sufficient for WWMG 2020. In addition each participant is responsible for having a suitable liability insurance for the duration of his/her participation in the WWMG 2020. Please be aware that the WWMG 2020 organizers will not take out any insurance policy in favour of the participants.

## Team-Captains-Meeting (TCM):

One representative per team must participate in the Team-Captains-Meeting. The TCM will take place prior to the first games of each category. Time and place are still to be announced.

## Preliminary time schedule:

The Mixed and Doubles events will take place from 12-17 January 2020.

## Ceremonies & medals:

Ranks 1-3 of each event will receive a medal. These will be made available by the Organizing Committee. The award ceremony for the Curling events will take place on Saturday 18 January 2020 in the Master Games Village in Innsbruck.

## Antidoping:

As determined by IMGAs (International Masters Games Association) and according to the WADA Code, the use of performance-enhancing substances is strictly forbidden. Each participant is obliged to both accept and behave according to the IMGAs Anti-Doping rules. The rules can be viewed here: <https://imga.ch/en/events/#doping>

## Registration & Closing date:

### Mixed:

In order to enter a team to the Winter World Masters Games a National Curling Association must send an e-mail to [curling@innsbruck2020.com](mailto:curling@innsbruck2020.com). The closing date for the allotted spots is 30 June 2019.

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Entries are only valid if confirmed by the organizers and when the entry fee is received in full. The organizers will directly allocate vacant spots (if any) after the closing date and the period allowed for payment.

## **Mixed Doubles:**

In order to enter a team to the Winter World Masters Games the attached form must be returned by e-mail to [curling@innsbruck2020.com](mailto:curling@innsbruck2020.com). The closing date for the participation in the drawing for the Doubles spots is 30 June 2019. (Further information regarding the final entry procedure will be published after that drawing)

## Entry fee:

The entry fee is EUR 180 per team member. Therefore, for Mixed teams the total entry fee is EUR 720. The total entry fee for Doubles teams is EUR 360.

## **Included in the entry fee are:**

- Participation in WWMG 2020
- Organisation of the events
- Participation in official Opening Ceremony taking place in Innsbruck
- Transport to Opening and Closing Ceremony
- One individual return train ticket to Innsbruck
- Starter package with attractive goodies
- Social program
- Official certificate of participation (digital)
- Award ceremony and medals for ranks 1-3
- Results list via internet
- Participation in Closing Ceremony

For the Curling events an additional reception on Thursday 16 January 2020 is included.

## General terms of business:

The General Terms of Business of the Innsbruck-Tirol Sports GmbH as organizer of the Winter World Masters Games are an integral part of this announcement. The terms can be viewed here: [www.innsbruck2020.com/media/agb\\_athleten.pdf](http://www.innsbruck2020.com/media/agb_athleten.pdf).

## Additional information:

In case of further questions please visit the Questions & Answer page on our following website: [www.innsbruck2020.com/faq](http://www.innsbruck2020.com/faq).

## ATTENTION!!

This announcement is a preliminary document and is subject to further changes.

## **Attachments:**

Entry Form Mixed Curling

Entry Form Mixed Doubles

(Both forms can also be downloaded at [www.innsbruck2020.com/entrycurling](http://www.innsbruck2020.com/entrycurling) as word files.)

## Entry Form:

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## Mixed Curling



### Mixed Competition:

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### Registration Mixed Competition



### National Federation:

Name Skip	
Date of Birth	
Name Player 2	
Date of Birth	
Name Player 3	
Date of Birth	
Name Player 4	
Date of Birth	

### Contact Information:

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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## Mixed Doubles Curling



### Mixed Doubles Competition

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**Nation's quota:** No regulation.

### Registration Mixed Doubles



Nationality	
Name Player 1	
Date of Birth	

Nationality	
Name Player 2	
Date of Birth	

### Contact Information:

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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