



# Polish Masters Squash Open 2024

## 25<sup>th</sup>- 27<sup>th</sup> October

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### **Date, Event category**

This European Masters Open event will be held from 25<sup>th</sup> to 27<sup>th</sup> October. The tournament will start on Friday Oct 25 around 10:00 am. The Prize Giving Ceremony takes place at the latest 3.00 pm on Sunday Oct 27.

### **Closing date for entries**

**Thursday, October 10**

Late entries are only acceptable before the seeding is published at the discretion of the Tournament Director and Masters Sub-Committee in the interest of the tournament.

### **Venue**

SQUASH4YOU (7 courts club)

Nad Strugą 7 Street, 31-408 Cracow

<http://www.squash4you.pl/pmso>

<https://www.facebook.com/PolishMastersS4Y>

### **Categories**

Men's: +35, +40, +45, +50, +55, +60, +65, +70,

Women's: +35, +40, +45, +50, +55, +60, +65, +70

The TD reserves the right to amalgamate age groups if there are insufficient entries to make a workable draw. Players are only allowed to enter one category.

## Eligibility

This event is open to all players who are over 35, 40, 45, 50, 55, 60, 65, 70 on the first day of the event. As specified by the ESF, to compete in all ESF Registered events players must hold an active European Registration Number (European Squash ID, ESID), which is approved and validated by his MNA and ESF. Objections to the entry of a player from an MNA must be made without delay after the entry of the player has been published. Players without a European Registration Number (European Squash ID, ESID) can register through the ESF website:

<https://esf.tournamentsoftware.com/member/createorganizationaccount.aspx>

## Seeding

The seeding will be carried out by the Masters Committee Seeding Panel using the latest available results and ESF Masters Rankings valid at the closing date and in accordance with the ESF Masters Circuit Guidelines.

## Matches

All matches played will consist of the best of five games, under the rules of the WSF. All players are guaranteed a minimum of three matches. The Tournament Organisers will organize plate matches consisting of the best of five games. PAR 11 scoring (to 2 clear points) will be used.

## Draws

Maximum draw size: 32 for 3 day event.

## Refereeing

Both players will be expected to mark and referee matches, usually the next match on the court, where they played.

## Ball

DUNLOP PRO.

## Prizes

Medals for 1st, 2nd and 3rd place in each age group and other prizes from sponsor (if there will be one). The Prize Giving Ceremony take place at the latest at 3.00 pm on Sunday Oct 27.

## Insurance

Players enter and play in the tournament at their own risk. Neither the organisers nor the ESF will accept responsibility for any claims including for injury or accident. Suitable insurance must be organised by the player or the participating federation.

## Hotel

Reservations can only be made by the tournament organisers.

### 1<sup>st</sup> Option

PURO HOTEL KRAKOW \*\*\*\*

Ogrodowa 10

31-155 Krakow, Poland

[www.en.purohotel.pl/krakow](http://www.en.purohotel.pl/krakow)

*( for tournament packages B and C)*

### 2<sup>nd</sup> Option

DWOREK ŻŁOTY RÓG\*\*\*

Legnicka 3

31-216 Krakow, Poland

<http://www.zlotyrog.com/>

*( for tournament packages E)*

## Transport

Players who book a package B, C, or E will be picked-up and dropped off at Krakow Airport or Krakow main railway station. On all playing days there will be a regular transfer service between the hotel and the venue.

## Entries

The European Masters Circuit is open to all Masters of any nationality provided the player is not banned by his MNA. All entries must be made online and the entry fee paid by bank transfer.

## Payment

The entry fee and package fee, as detailed below, must be paid to the host by the closing date by bank transfer (net of bank charges) to:

Beneficiary Bank Name: Santander Bank Polska S.A.

Beneficiary Bank Address : al. Jana Pawła II 17, 00-854 Warszawa, Poland

Account Holder Name : Squash4You s.c.

Account Holder Address: Poczeczka 3 31-408 Kraków, POLAND

Account number: 18 1090 1795 0000 0001 2087 3133

IBAN: PL 18 1090 1795 0000 0001 2087 3133

SWIFT/BIC: WBPPLPP

Reference: PMSO 2024, name of player

Please mark payment clearly with the name of the player.

## Tournament Packages

### **Package A** ..... / € 70 per person

Basic Entry fee (includes the ESF levy), tournament t-shirt

### **Package B** ..... / € 285 per person / € 215 euro accompanying - partners, coaches

Entry fee (includes the ESF levy), 2 nights bed and breakfast, accommodation in double room (PURO Hotel\*\*\*\*), 5 meals in the club (Lunch: Fri, Sat, Sun; Supper: Fri, Sat), transport between arrival/departure point (airport, main railway station) and hotel, local transport, tournament t-shirt.  
*Please, note there is extra charge for single room!*

### **Package C** ..... / € 355 per person / € 285 euro accompanying - partners, coaches

Entry fee (includes the ESF levy), 3 nights bed and breakfast, accommodation in double room (PURO Hotel\*\*\*\*), 5 meals in the club (Lunch: Fri, Sat, Sun; Supper: Fri, Sat), transport between arrival/departure point (airport, main railway station) and hotel, local transport between hotel and venue, tournament t-shirt . *Please, note there is extra charge for single room!*

### **Package D (only meals)** ..... / € 120 per person

Entry fee (includes the ESF levy), tournament t-shirt, 5 meals in the club (Lunch: Fri, Sat, Sun; Supper: Fri, Sat)

### **Package E (cheaper hotel option )** ..... / € 225 per person

Entry fee (includes the ESF levy), 2 nights bed and breakfast (Dworek Złoty Róg Hotel\*\*\* next to the club), 5 meals in the club (Lunch: Fri, Sat, Sun; Supper: Fri, Sat), tournament t-shirt, transport between arrival/departure point (airport, main railway station) and hotel.  
*Please, note there is extra charge for single room!*

Extra charge for single room	(B and C packages)	/ € 55 per person per night
	(E package)	/ € 30 per person per night

Extra night double room	(C package)	/ € 75 per person per night
	(E package)	/ € 50 per person per night

Extra night single room	( C package)	/ € 120 per person per night
	(E package)	/ € 60 per person per night

## Draws

The seeding lists and time of the first matches for specific age groups will be published 7 days prior to the start date on the ESF Website

Finalised draws for the event will be published on the ESF Website at about 17:00 on the day before the tournament.

Up-to-Date information about this and all other ESF Masters Tournaments will be published regularly in the Facebook group "European Squash Masters". Please join up today!

## ESF regulations & penalties

This event complies with the ESF Masters Circuit Guidelines, a copy of which is available on the ESF website. The tournament will be run under the terms and conditions as set out in ESF Regulations: Code of Conduct - appendix D. The tournament will be run under the terms and conditions as set out in EUROPEAN SQUASH FEDERATION PRIVACY POLICY as published on the ESF website [www.europeansquash.com](http://www.europeansquash.com)

A late withdrawal is a withdrawal made 2 days or less before the start date of a tournament. Ranking penalties may be applied to the records of players who fail to turn up or who make a late withdrawal not supported by a medical certificate.

Following a withdrawal, fees and packages should be reimbursed as follows:

- a) Withdrawal up to 30 days before the start date of a tournament: fees reimbursed in full (less bank charges).
- b) Withdrawal 7-30 days before the start date of a tournament: 50% of fees reimbursed (less bank charges).
- c) Withdrawal 6 days or less before the start date of a tournament: reimbursement at the discretion of the tournament organizer

If a player:

- a) Has entered a tournament and fails to turn up, he/she may receive zero ranking points for the tournament
- b) Fails to play out all scheduled matches for any reason other than illness or injury, he/she may receive zero ranking points for the tournament
- c) Commits either of these offence for a second time within a 12 month period, he/she may be banned from the ESF Masters Circuit for a period of 12 months