



**1<sup>st</sup> World Deaf Indoor  
Athletics Championships**

**BULLETIN NO 2**



**14 – 17 March 2019**

**Tallinn, ESTONIA**

## Information

Estonian Deaf Sports Union (EDSU) is proud to organize 1st World Deaf Indoor Athletics Championships from 14 March – 17 March 2019 in Tallinn, Estonia and warmly welcome all participants

## Organizer

	International Committee of Sports for the Deaf (ICSD)
	Estonian Deaf Sports Federation (EDSU)

## Partners

	Tallinn City Government
	Estonian Ministry of Culture
	Estonian Athletic Association
	Estonian Paralympic Committee
	Estonian Deaf Youth Organization
	Japan NISHI



Dear guests!

I welcome all athletes and athletics friends. I am sincerely happy that the 1st World Deaf Indoor Athletics Championships will take place here in Tallinn. It is a great honour to the city. Every international sports event that takes place in Tallinn helps the city become known as a city of sports around the world.

It is a pleasure to say that there are more and more big competitions taking place in Tallinn. We have always supported sports, because through supporting sports we become more sportful ourselves. Big competitions taking place in Tallinn also increase the popularity of sport, as well as awareness of different sports.

It is said that sport never becomes easier- the athletes just become stronger. Gold medals that athletes strive towards do not consist of gold, but are made of sweat, consistency, decisiveness and determined effort. To success, you must have a strong psychological background in addition to a strong physique. Recognition is just not medals, it is making a strong performance and giving it your best.

Dear athletes, we wish you a successful competition and spirited experiences. If you exceed yourself, you can count yourself as a winner. In addition, we hope that you will have time to check out our beautiful city and we hope you come back soon!

Taavi Aas  
Mayor of Tallinn

## Organizing committee



**Toomas Sepp**

Secretary of Tallinn City Government



**Sergei Matvijenko**

President of Estonian Deaf Sport Union



**Kaido Tiislär**

General Secretary of Estonian Deaf Sports Union,  
Financial Services



**Richard Pearce**

Technical Director of ICSD Athletics



**Mohamed Madoun**

Representative ICSD



**Timo Tarve**

Head Referee Athletics

## Coordination committee



**Ilvi Vare**

General Coordinator



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Deputy General Coordinator



**Kairit Olenko**

Transportation Services



**Marja-Liisa Landar**

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**Vaiko Vare**

IT & Accreditation

## Preliminary program 11th to 17th March 2019

### 11 - 13 March

Arrival of the delegations

### Tuesday 12 March

15:00 - 18:00 Official training at Lasnamäe Athletics Hall

10:00 - 14:00 and 19:00 - 21:00 Accreditation in Hestia Hotel Susi

### Wednesday 13 March

17:00 - 19:00 1st Technical Meeting in Park Inn by Radisson Hotel,

11:00 - 14:00 Official training at Lasnamäe Athletics Hall

13:00 - 16:00 Accreditation in Hestia Hotel Susi

### Thursday 14 March

11:00 Opening Ceremony at Lasnamäe Athletics Hall

14:00 Start of the Competitions

### Friday 15 March

10:00 - 12:20 1. IDAF conference in Park Inn by Radisson Hotel

14:00 - 19:00 Competitions at Lasnamäe Athletics Hall

### Saturday 16 March

10:00 2nd Technical Meeting in Park Inn by Radisson Hotel

14:00 - 19:00 Competitions at Lasnamäe Athletics Hall

### Sunday 17 March

11:00 - 15:00 Competitions and closing at 16:00

18:00 Banquet

### Monday 18 March

Departure of the delegations

## Competition Venue

The 1st WDIAC 2019 competitions will be held at the Lasnamäe Athletics Hall

Address: **Punane Str 45, Tallinn**

## Lunch

All teams is responsible by itself for lunch on the time competitions.

At Lasnamäe Athletics Hall is possibility have a lunch at Sport Café (price 5-10 EUR). In the neighborhood of Lasnamäe Athletics Hall is restaurant Kichen Rõõm and some fastfood places.

## Accommodation

On time WDIAC 2019 will be all team accommodated to

**Radisson Blu Hotel Olümpia (Liivalaia Str 33)**

**Park Inn by Radisson Central Tallinn (Narva Str 7c)**

**Hestia Hotel Susi (Peterburi Str 48)**

**Oru Hotel (Narva Str 120)**

The hotel offers single and twin/double rooms with breakfast and dinner. All rooms have air conditioning, a flat-screen TV, work desk and private bathroom, as well as free Wi-Fi.

## Transfer and transport

WDIAC 2019 OC provides the transfer Tallinn Airport - Hotel - Tallinn Airport, Port of Tallinn - Hotel - Port of Tallinn. (All arrival and departure dates and times should be sent to WDIAC 2019 OC).

WDIAC 2019 ensure transport on official training times and competition dates from Hotel-Lasnamäe Athletics Hall - Hotel.

All transport plans will be find on WDIAC 2019 official homepage and on <https://app.sportity.com>. All accredited athletes and officials have right drive free in Tallinn Public Transport. (Necessary accreditation ID).

## Contacts

Organizing committee e-mail: [wdiac2019@gmail.com](mailto:wdiac2019@gmail.com)

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## Banquet

The Organizer offers a banquet in Viktoria restaurant 17.03.2019 at 18:00

**REGISTRATION DEADLINE:** 10.03.2019

PLEASE SEND THE BANQUET FORM TO [wdiac2019@gmail.com](mailto:wdiac2019@gmail.com)

## Web-site

[www.wdiac2019.com](http://www.wdiac2019.com)

## Sportity App

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