

Beach Handball CHAMPIONS CUP Gran Canaria

EHF BEACH HANDBALL CHAMPIONS CUP 5 - 8 November 2015 in Gran Canaria, Spain

Gran Canaria, Spain

Gran Canaria is the third-largest island in the Canaries archipelago but accounts for almost half the population. It lives up to its cliché as a continent in miniature, with a dramatic variation of terrain, ranging from the green and leafy north to the mountainous interior and desert south. This is a rare Canary Island where you feel that there are still secret places to explore.

To glean a sense of this impenetrable quality, head to the centre where the sheer drama of the mountains more resembles the Tibetan highlands than a relatively small island. Alas, all too frequently, the perception of Gran Canaria is one of mass beach-front tourism, with few visitors ever discovering the riches of the natural hinterland. Considering this diversity in landscape, the good news is that, with your own wheels, you can get a reasonable look at the entire island in just three days or so, while the trip is equally feasible, if more time-consuming, by bus. Las Palmas de Gran Canaria is a bustling port town called home by an eclectic mix of people. If the bustle gets too much, head to The North where Arucas offers a laidback atmosphere and a few sights that make wandering worth your while. Also nearby is Teror, with its farmers' markets and picturesque houses.

The flip side to all that bucolic mountainous terrain is a rugged coastline interspersed with white sandy beaches and, more famously (and depressingly), a garish tiara of purpose-built holiday resorts. Fortunately, there's no need to hang around. For active travellers Gran Canaria can keep the adrenalin pumping, with scope for hiking, horse trekking and water sports. Culture vultures can be similarly satiated by the museums, churches and historic towns, as well as by getting under the skin of the colourful, cosmopolitan capital of Las Palmas de Gran Canaria.











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Basic information

Following the Beach Handball philosophy the ebt Finals shall be a competition simply structured, with easy rules, a lot of sun, lifestyle and high level competitions based on the fair play spirit. Nevertheless also this competition has to follow the EHF standards concerning its minimum requirements and organisational structure.

Teams

- 12 men's + 12 women's teams (entries follow a "first come first served" basis) including the defending champions from ChC 2014
- The defending champions are eligible to take part in case they are playing in the respective National BH Championships in 2015
- The winners of the National BH Championship are eligible to take part
- In case the winner cannot take part the 2nd or the 3rd ranked team can be registered

Note: The National Federations have to submit the official squad (max 16 players out of the winning / nominated squad) that participated in the respective National Championship in 2015. One week prior to the Champions Cup the teams will be asked to reduce their official squad to 10 players!

Registration procedure

- Nomination by the National Federations
- National BH Championship is obligatory
- The registering National Federation have to submit the final ranking of the National BH Championship together with the registration

Registration period

31 August 2015 (00:00 CET) - 04 September 2015 (24:00 CET)



Payments

EHF

Deposit Payment: \notin 2,000 Registration Fee: \notin 200 Both amounts were taken from the respective National Accounts. The deposit payment will be stored within the EHF and used in case of need.

U.L.P.G.C. (co-organiser)

Bank details: BANKIA Account name: UNIVERSIDAD DE LAS PALMAS DE GRAN CANARIA I.B.A.N (International Bank Account Number): ES69 2038 8745 9564 0000 1223 BIC (Bank Identifier Code) de Bankia. CAHMESMMXXX

Accommodation EHF Officials

Hotel Meliá Tamarindos C/. Retama, 3 – 35100 – Playa de San Agustín www.melia.com

Accommodation Teams

Please see the official website: www.grancanariabhb.com

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Overall time table

June 2015	Calling for participants
4.9.15	Deadline for registrations
Sept. 15	Info to the teams
4.11.15	Latest arrival of participating teams
4.11.15 / 19:00 – 20:00	Technical Meeting (obligatory for all team representatives)
5 – 8.11.15	EHF BH Champions Cup
9.11.15	Departure all

Additional Activities

EHF Brainstorming Clinic 3 November 2015 / 14:00 – 18:00 – 4 November 2015 / 09:00 – 17:30

