



Koninklijke en Ridderlijke Hoofdgilde van Sint-Michiel v.z.w.
GILDE DER GENTSE SCHERMERS

Chef-Confrérie Royale et Chevalière de Saint-Michel a.s.b.l.
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The Saint Michael's Guild invites you to participate in its
13th "FLEMISH OPEN" FENCING CHAMPIONSHIPS
SABRE F.I.E. SATELLITE TOURNAMENT
Heat for the "Coupe du Nord"

Saturday 23rd and Sunday 24th of October 2010

Venue: Sporthal Hogeschool Gent, Sint-Denijslaan 251, 9000 Gent

Duels' schedule

Saturday October 23rd 2010:

Recreational team tournament: mixed both men and women

EFC qualifying team tournament U-23: men's sabre tournament, for teams under 23 years. (New since 2010)

Youngsters' tournament: two separate competitions for sabre fencers (mixed boys and girls) born in 1997, 1998, 1999 and for sabre fencers (mixed boys and girls) born in 2000, 2001, 2002.

Competition	Check-in time	Scratch	Competition start
Team competition	11.00 to 11.30 am	11.45 am	12.00 noon
Youngsters 1997-1999	11.00 to 11.30 am	11.45 am	12.00 noon
Youngsters 2000-2002	12.00 to 12.30 pm	12.45 pm	1.00 pm

Team tournament formula: 1 round in pools, followed by a direct elimination

Youngsters' tournament formula: depending of the number of participants

Participants will have to submit a national membership card (Belgian or foreign) 2010-2011.

Entry fee: 24 Euro for team and 10 Euro per person for youngsters' tournament

Money prizes: 250 Euro for the first team, 125 for the runner-up

Sunday October 24th 2010:

Individual sabre competition

Men's sabre

Check-in time: 9.00 to 9.30 am

Scratch: 9.45 am

Competition start: 10.00 am

Women's sabre

Check-in time: 10.00 to 10.30 am

Scratch: 10.45 am

Competition start: 11.00 am

The final sabre duels (tableau of 4) men and women: at 3.00 pm. **Prize for the winner of the men's competition: 250 Euro, 100 Euro for the runner-up, and 50 Euro for both 3rd places. Prize for the winner of the women's competition: 150 Euro, 75 Euro for second place, and 35 Euro for both 3rd places.**

FIE Sunday's men's sabre competition is qualified as a satellite tournament on the official F.I.E. calendar. Participants need an **international F.I.E. license for the 2010-2011 season**. Fencers have to apply for this license at their national fencing federation. The 8 finalists will receive world cup points.

As to the women's competition, an international F.I.E. license is not required.



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E.F.C. – C.E.E. This tournament is selected by the EFC-CEE and will be taken in account for the ranking of under 23 year fencers for the official E.F.C. – C.E.E. competitions (New since 2010)

Formula According to “Coupe du Nord” regulations: 1 seeding round + 1 round in pools followed by direct elimination without “repêchage”.

Entrance fee 20,00 Euro (Men), 15,00 Euro (Women) will be collected on tournament’s day

Equipment Participant’s equipment according to F.I.E. regulations. Weapon control before competition start (from 8.15 to 9.30 am). An equipment stand will be present at the venue. Participants qualified for the 32-tableau must have their name on the back of their electric vest, as well as the national colours on their fencing pants.

Responsibility The organisation can not be held responsible by participants with regard to any accident or damage caused to persons or properties.

Information Roger Antonis, Apostelhuizen 87 / 201, 9000 Gent
(Mobile - GSM +32 (0) 472 649 278)
roger.antonis@telenet.be : tournament information
www.confrierie.be (for information with regard to the Saint-Michael’s Guild)
www.gent.be (for a complete hotel leaflet and a map of Gent)

Entries Men’s sabre **Entries by name at the satellite competitions:**
The entry of names of the fencers and all possible replacements, is to be made by the national federations via the FIE Website 7 days before the competition at the latest

Entries Women’s sabre, team competition and youngsters competition Roger Antonis
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Referees The participation of at least 4 fencers of the same club requires the appointment of a referee.

Entries for Men’s sabre should arrive no later than Friday October 15th 2010 at 00:00 hours (Lausanne hour) at the F.I.E. website.

HOTELS

Go to our website and click on EVENEMENTEN and then on Flemish open and choose one of the following links to book your hotel

<http://gentbalie.roomsonline.be/>

<http://gentbalie.roomsonline.be/>default.cfm?langue=nl>

<http://gentbalie.roomsonline.be/>

<http://gentbalie.roomsonline.be/>default.cfm?langue=fr>

<http://gentbalie.roomsonline.be/>

<http://gentbalie.roomsonline.be/>default.cfm?langue=uk>



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Route planner

By airplane:

- From airport Brussels – Zaventem: there is a train directly to “Gent Sint-Pieters”. The venue is at about 300m from the railway station.

By car:

- From Brussels: take the E40 direction Gent and Oostende. Pass the exit « Gent-Centrum », take the exit number 14 and follow direction Gent and “Sint-Pietersstation”, over the N43.
- From Oostende: take the E40 direction Gent and Oostende. Take the exit number 14 and follow direction Gent and “Sint-Pietersstation”, over the N43.
- From Lille/Kortrijk – Antwerp/Holland: take the E17 to Gent until the crossing with the E40. Take the E40 direction “Brugge” and “Oostende”. Then take exit number 14 and follow direction Gent and “Sint-Pietersstation”, over the N43.

You pass over the canal “Ringvaart” and you follow the N43 until the big roundabout: take the 3rd exit direction “Sint-Pietersstation”. Follow the road until the roundabout just before the railway bridge. Turn left into “Sint-Denijslaan: the venue is about 300m further on the left.

There is also a plan available on our website www.confrerie.be (« Challenge Yves Brasseur » – Informatie)

