







## **INVITATION**

Competition: THESSALONIKI EUROCUP EFC CIRCUIT

U23 in Men & Women Epee (Ind.)

**Category**: European U23 Circuit (born in 2003-2012)

**Date**: Saturday 13 December 2025

**Venue**: Pylaia Municipal Sports Center, Thessaloniki, Greece **Organizer**: Thessaloniki Fencing Club, Municipality of Pylaia-Hortiatis

Fencing Club AOX Pylaias & Hellenic Fencing Federation

1. **Registration U23 (Ind.)**: According to the EFC U23 Circuits Rules, the registration of fencers must be completed exclusively by National Federations through the EFC website: <a href="www.eurofencing.info">www.eurofencing.info</a> within 7 days before competition starts. Participation in the competition is open for the athletes having valid EFC licenses for the 2025-2026 season, in accordance with the quotas of EFC.

\*For Greek fencers, the registration must be submitted to the Hellenic Fencing Federation by Thursday 20 November 2025.

- **2. Registration Fee**: 40€, to be paid in cash upon confirmation of registration on the day of the competition.
- 3. Schedule: U23 Men's Epee (Ind.): Saturday, 13 December 2025

08:00 - 08:30: Registration 09:00: Start of Competition

U23 Women's Epee (Ind.): Saturday, 13 December 2025

13:00 – 13:30: Registration 14:00: Start of Competition

U23 Pools (Ind.) schedule including times and piste assignments, will be available the day before the competition at <a href="https://www.fencingworldwide.com">www.fencingworldwide.com</a>

Last call: 30 min before scheduled start time.

No participation confirmations will be accepted after this deadline.

- **4. Equipment:** All equipment must be FIE-approved for U23.
- **5. Weapon Control:** Weapon checks will take place at the piste and will be carried out by the referees.
- **6. Formula for U23 Individual Competition:** One (1) round of pools will be held, after which 20–25% of the fencers will be eliminated. This will be followed by a direct elimination table (15 touches), without repechage. Final rounds include semifinals and finals.

7. **Referees Quota:** 1-3 Fencers – No referee required

4-9 Fencers – 1 referee 10-15 Fencers – 2 referees 16-20 Fencers – 3 referees

Non-compliance of the quotas is sanctioned by 500 EUR for every missing referee according to EFC Rules. All referees must be entered the same way as the fencers, through EFC website.

- **8. Responsibility:** The organizers assume no responsibility in case of accidents or loss of personal belongings at the venue.
- 9. Live Results: Available at <a href="https://www.fencingworldwide.com">www.fencingworldwide.com</a>

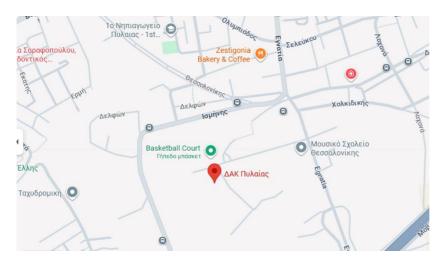
10. Prizes: 1st place: Cup, Gold Medal and Diploma

2<sup>nd</sup> place: Silver Medal and Diploma 3<sup>rd</sup> places: Bronze Medal and Diploma

4<sup>th</sup> to 8<sup>th</sup> places: Diploma

11. Available on venue: Snack Bar

## 12. Location: Pylaia Municipal Sports Center



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