

FMJD 3rd WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP VETERANS 60+

Korbach, Germany 22nd – 29th of October 2023

Rules & Regulations

1. **The organization** of the World Championship Veterans 60+ 2023 has been allotted by the FMJD to the Germany Draughts Federation.

2. **General schedule:**

a. Arriving Day	October 21 st
b. World Championship 60+	October 22 nd – October 28 th
i. Technical meeting	October 21 st , 21:00
ii. 1 st round	October 22 nd , 09:00
iii. Closing ceremony	October 28 th , 16:00 – 17:00
c. World Championship 60+ Blitz	October 28 th , 17:00
d. World Championship 60+ Rapid	October 29 th , 09:00
e. Departure Days	October 29 th and 30 th

3. **Participants**

Tournament is open for each player born in 1963 or earlier, who accepts these rules & regulations and all FMJD regulations.

4. **Venue**

Hotel *Touric* Stadhalle, Medebacher Landstrasse 10, 34497 Korbach, Germany
www.touric.de

5. **Competition's Tournament Director (CTD)**

Jan Zioltkowski (Zioltkowski@t-online.de)

6. **Official titles:**

- a. World Champion Veterans
- b. Women's World Champion Veterans
- c. World Champion Rapid Veterans
- d. Women's World Champion Rapid Veterans
- e. World Champion Blitz Veterans
- f. Women's World Champion Blitz Veterans
- g. Subclassifications with titles:
 - i. World Champion 70+ (born 1944-1953)
 - ii. World Champion 80+ (born 1943 or earlier)

7. System of competitions:

- a. Game rate:
 - i. World Championship 60+ 1h 20' + 1'
 - ii. World Championship 60+ rapid 15' + 5"
 - iii. World Championship 60+ blitz 5' + 3"
- b. Number of rounds to be confirmed by the main referee during the technical meeting. Tournaments will be played in FMJD Swiss system 7–9 rounds, depending on the number of participants.
- c. Official FMJD software – Draughts Arbiter will be used for pairing.
- d. Rules and duties of players/referees described in FMJD annexes are valid.

8. **Any protest to Jury of Appeal** should be given in written form (in English) to the main referee not later than 5 minutes after the game. Each protest is valid only after paying a deposit of 100 euro. The deposit will be returned only if a protest will be accepted.

9. Competition fee

- a. 40€ per player for the main tournament
- b. 20€ per player for the rapid tournament
- c. 20€ per player for the blitz tournament

Competition fee should be paid to FMJD via on-line system <https://fmjd.org/fin/fees/> or via bank transfer (details: <http://fmjd.org/fmjd.html>).

Deadline for payment – **October 17th**.

10. Accommodation

- a. All costs of travel, accommodation and visa expenses for players and accompanying people have to be paid by their national federations or by themselves except World Champion Veteran 2022: mf Rudnitsky Alexander (USA) who will be hosted by the **organizer**.
- b. Official hotel:

Hotel *Touric* Stadhalle, Medebacher Landstrasse 10, 34497 Korbach

- i. Hotel charges (included accomodation and breakfast) for players who will send reservation to CTD and pay before August 31st.

1. Single room: 75€ per person per day
2. Double room: 57,5€ per person per day

- ii. Bank account of Germany Draughts Federation (Verein für das Brettspiel Dame e.V.) for electronic payment of the accomodation:

IBAN: DE25 5235 0005 0000 1023 50

BIC (SWIFT): HELADEF1KOR

Description: VWC Hotel

iii. Hotel reservation after August 31st is possible and depends on availability of the rooms in official hotel. In that case cost of accomodation and breakfast is higher by 5€ per person per day (80€ and 62,5€ accordingly). For more details please contact with CTD.

c. Players are free to book any other hotels. In case of any questions please contact directly with CTD.

11. **Application** (notification) to CTD (see p.5) **with a copy to FMJD office** – (office@fmjd.org) with a deadline **October 15th**.

12. For any questions concerning visa, hotels, ... please contact CTD before August 31st.

13. Prizes:

a. Prize money – minimum 1.000€.

Details about exact dividing of it will be announced to the public before the 2nd round;

b. The players of general group (among men and women) classified in the first three places will receive official medals and diplomas of FMJD Championship;

c. The best three players of each age category will receive special prizes and diplomas;

d. All participants will receive diplomas provided by organizer.

14. Participation in the event also means consent to all FMJD regulations and accept to being photographed and/or video recorded during the event. These materials can be used by FMJD and their partners.

15. In the event of ambiguity in the FMJD regulations or in this regulation, the decision will be made by the main referee in consultation with the organization and the FMJD tournament director.