



**NEUM 2022**

# **BACKGAMMON CHAMPIONSHIP**

**WBGF WORLD CLUBS EVENT  
& INDIVIDUAL CATEGORIES**

**11 - 16 OCTOBER 2022**

**GRAND HOTEL NEUM**

**BOSNIA AND HERZEGOVINA**

## **TOURNAMENT HOSTS**

**PRODUCERS** Backgammon Federation of Bosnia and Herzegovina / Backgammon Club Zrinjski - Derby

**ORGANIZER** World Backgammon Federation WBGF

**DIRECTOR** ★ Arda Findikoglu ★

**RULING COMMITTEE** To be announced at the start of the tournament

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Zrinjski - Derby



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Head of Assembly

**WBGF**



Bernhard Mayr  
President



Arda Findikoglu  
Head Director



## CATEGORY FEES

CATEGORY	ENTRY FEES (€)	REGISTRATION FEES (€)
World Clubs <small>(per team)</small>	240	60
Masters	240	60
Intermediates	120	30
500 € Super Jackpot	460	40
200 € Super Jackpot	180	20
Doubles Consultation <small>(per team)</small>	160	40
Speedgammon	40	10
DMP Challenge	16	4

\* 100% of entry fees will be added into the prize pool.

\* Registration fees include:

- Tuesday Welcome Cocktail
- Sunday Awarding ceremony presentation
- Special design trophies for prize winners.

## MATCH LENGTHS

CATEGORY	MATCH LENGTH	
World Clubs	Group Stage	9 pts
	Elimination Stage	11 pts (Final 13)
Masters	Main	13 pts (Semi & Final 15)
	2 <sup>nd</sup> Chance	9 pts (Semi & Final 11)
	Grand Final	17 pts
	Last Chance	5 pts (Final 7)
Intermediates	Main	11 pts (Semi & Final 13)
	2 <sup>nd</sup> Chance	7 pts (Semi & Final 9)
	Grand Final	15 pts
	Last Chance	5 pts (Final 7)
500 € Super Jackpot		11 pts (including Final)
200 € Super Jackpot		9 pts (including Final)
Doubles Consultation		7 pts (Final 9)
Speedgammon		5 pts (including Final)
DMP Challenge		1 pt (including Final)

## PRIZES

100% of entry fees will be returned as money prize. Organizers will donate an added value of **1.000** Euros into the prize pool of World Clubs Championship. Prize distribution will be as follows:

WORLD CLUBS CHAMPIONSHIP TITLES * (TOTAL ADDED VALUE DISTRIBUTION: € 1.000)	PRIZE POOL DISTRIBUTION (%)
Winner Team	60
Finalist Team	25
3 <sup>rd</sup> Team	15

\* Percentages might be reevaluated depending on the number of participating clubs.

MASTERS CATEGORY TITLES			
TITLE	PRIZE DISTR. (%)	TITLE	PRIZE DISTR. (%)
Main Winner	40	Undef.Br.Winner Bonus	4
Main Finalist	18	Undef.Br.Finalist Bonus	2
Main 3 <sup>rd</sup>	9	Undef.Br.Semi Finalist Bonus	1 each
Main 4 <sup>th</sup> & 5 <sup>th</sup>	4,5 each	Last Chance Winner	5,5
Main 6 <sup>th</sup> , 7 <sup>th</sup> , 8 <sup>th</sup> & 9 <sup>th</sup>	2 each	Last Chance Finalist	2,5

INTERMEDIATES CATEGORY TITLES			
TITLE	PRIZE DISTR. (%)	TITLE	PRIZE DISTR. (%)
Main Winner	44	Undef.Br.Winner Bonus	5
Main Finalist	20	Undef.Br.Finalist Bonus	2,5
Main 3 <sup>rd</sup>	10	Last Chance Winner	6
Main 4 <sup>th</sup> & 5 <sup>th</sup>	5 each	Last Chance Finalist	2,5

DOUBLES CONSULTATION TITLES	PRIZE POOL DISTRIBUTION (%)
Doubles Winner Team	50
Doubles Finalist Team	25
Doubles Semi Finalist Teams	12,5 each



## IMPORTANT NOTES

Tournament director keeps the right to oblige the usage of clocks in any round of any category.

The draw is manual (not computerized), public and random.

Tournament matches take precedence over all other forms of play.

Only cash payments are accepted.

The Tournament Committee reserves the right to refuse application to play and/or forbid admittance without giving any reason since the event is by BG Club Zrinjski - Derby and WBGF invitation only.

Should a player wish to leave the playing area during the tournament, he/she must inform the Tournament Director. Failure to do so may result in penalty points being assigned.

The daily break for dinner is between 19:00 and 20:30.

No smoking is allowed in the main playing hall. Tournament seating will be determined by non-smoker preference.

The tournament will be played on professional Tournament Boards. Our boards are regularly cleaned and disinfected at the end of each day. Dice service is provided by organization.

No admittance without proper dress.

WBGF Tournament Rules set will be the main guideline of the rules applied & any additional rules will be posted on the Notice Board prior to the start of the event.

WBGF  
Tournament Rules



World Clubs Event  
Regulations



## PROGRAMME \*

### Tuesday, October 11

- 11:00 WCLC registrations
- 13:00 WCLC Group Stage 1<sup>st</sup> Round
- 15:30 WCLC Group Stage 2<sup>nd</sup> Round
- 18:00 WCLC Group Stage 3<sup>rd</sup> Round
- 19:30 Dinner break
- 21:30 WCLC Group Stage 4<sup>th</sup> Round

### Wednesday, October 12

- All day Individual Categories registrations
- 13:00 WCLC Group Stage 5<sup>th</sup> Round
- 15:30 WCLC Group Stage Playoffs (if needed) & Last 16 Round
- 18:00 WCLC Quarter Finals
- 19:30 Dinner break
- 21:30 WCLC Semi Finals

### Thursday, October 13

- 13:00 Individual Categories registrations. Mini Jackpots, DMP Challenge & Speedgammon
- 14:00 WCLC Grand Finals & 3<sup>rd</sup>/4<sup>th</sup> Duel

- 18:00 Welcome Cocktail
- 19:00 Closing of Individual Categories registrations & Dinner break
- 20:30 Public draw & Start of Main Flights (Masters & Intermediates)

### Friday, October 14

- 13:00 Start of Second Chance Bracket matches, all activities resume
- 19:00 Dinner break
- 20:30 Gameplay resumes
- 22:00 Public draw & Start of Doubles Consultation

### Saturday, October 15

- 13:00 All activities resume
- 17:00 Public draw & Start of Super Jackpots (200 & 500)
- 19:00 Dinner break
- 20:30 Gameplay resumes

### Sunday, October 16

- 12:00 Start of Last Chance Bracket matches, all activities resume
- 15:00 Start of Main Finals
- 16:00 Closing of Mini Jackpots
- 19:30 Awarding Ceremony

\* The organization keeps the right to change the programme in any of its parts. Changes will be announced in advance and posted on the Notice Board.



## RECOMMENDED ACCOMMODATION

For accommodation, we strongly recommend our tournament venue **Grand Hotel Neum** which is located on the coast & is the biggest and most luxurious hotel in Neum, with **400** modern rooms. For reservations, contact the hotel via [prodaja@hotel-neum.com](mailto:prodaja@hotel-neum.com) with the subject **BACKGAMMON TOURNAMENT** or via phone number **+387 36 880 222**.

### Discounted Room Rates:

Single Room  
**68 Euros / night**

Double Room  
**94 Euros / night**

Triple Room  
**141 Euros / night**

Rates include breakfast, WiFi, access to Fitness & SPA, car parking & tourist tax (daily 1€).



### Special Offer:

Daily Meal Pack **14 Euros / course**  
Valid for both lunch & dinner



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## ROUTE

Neum is a unique coastal town of Bosnia and Herzegovina. The country itself has only a 20 km long coastline, and Neum is the only place with sea access.



Being one of the warmest towns of the country, Neum has an average temperature of **22°C** day and **12°C** night times during October.



Coastal strip of Neum cuts off the southeast Croatian exclave from the rest of Croatia & therefore, Neum is located only 70 km from **Dubrovnik Airport**.

**Paid airport to hotel transfer service can be provided upon request.**

All of the neighbouring countries can easily access the destination by **car** as well.

