

World Men Championships 2014
December 4 – 15, 2014 in Abu Dhabi, United Arab Emirates

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World Men Championships 2014: Bulletin 2

WTBA present the World Men Championships 2014 Bulletin no. 2 for WTBA member federations. 2014 WMC Bulletin 1 was sent out in April and is available together with all forms on World Bowling website www.WorldBowling.org

The World Men Championships 2014 will be hosted by the World Tenpin Bowling Association, UAE Bowling Federation and Zayed Sports City.

Please pay attention to the deadlines presented in this bulletin, chapter 6.

In this bulletin the following items are presented:

1. Preliminary Schedule
2. Hotel and transportation
3. Various
4. Visa information
5. Various fees
6. Forms and deadlines

We are looking forward to receiving further questions and information from you and to meet you and your teams during the WMC 2014. Do not hesitate to contact us!

Questions about the championship contact WMC 2014 office

2014WMC@worldtenpinbowling.com

For all questions about room reservations please contact the Centro Capital Center directly as indicated.

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Kevin Dornberger, President



Christer Jonsson, WTBA Secretary General

1. Preliminary Schedule

Preliminary Schedule

Day	Date	Time Frame	Activity
Tuesday	02.12.2014	all day	Unofficial Practice
Wednesday	03.12.2014	all day	Unofficial Practice
Thursday	04.12.2014	all day 17.00 - 19.00 20.00 - 21.00	Last Day of Arrival/Unofficial Practice Manager Meeting Opening Ceremony
Friday	05.12.2014	09.00 - 10.30 11.30 - 13.00 14.00 - 15.30 16.30 - 18.00 19.00 - 20.30	Official Practice, Squad 1 Lane Maintenance Official Practice, Squad 2 Lane Maintenance Official Practice, Squad 3 Lane Maintenance Official Practice, Squad 4 Lane Maintenance Official Practice, Squad 5
Saturday	06.12.2014	09.00 - 12.30 13.30 - 17.00 18.00 - 21.30	Singles, Squad 1, Long Oil Lane Maintenance Singles, Squad 2, Long Oil Lane Maintenance Singles, Squad 3, Long Oil
Sunday	07.12.2014	09.00 - 12.30 13.30 - 17.00 18.00 - 18.45 18.45 - 19.30 19.30 - 20.00	Singles, Squad 4, Long Oil Lane Maintenance Singles, Squad 5, Long Oil Lane Maintenance Singles Semi-Finals, Long Oil Singles Finals, Long Oil Singles Medal Ceremony
Monday	08.12.2014	09.00 - 12.30 13.30 - 17.00 18.00 - 21.30	Doubles, Squad 1, Medium Oil Lane Maintenance Doubles, Squad 2, Medium Oil Lane Maintenance Doubles, Squad 3, Medium Oil

Tuesday	09.12.2014	09.00 - 12.30	Doubles, Squad 4, Medium Oil Lane Maintenance
		13.30 - 17.00	Doubles, Squad 5, Medium Oil Lane Maintenance
		18.00 - 19.00	Doubles Semi-Finals, Medium Oil
		19.00 - 20.00	Doubles Finals, Medium Oil
		20.00 - 20.30	Doubles Medal Ceremony
Wednesday	10.12.2014	09.00 - 11.45	Trios Squad 1, Block 1 Long Oil Lane Maintenance
		12.45 - 15.30	Trios Squad 2, Block 1 Long Oil Lane Maintenance
		16.30 - 19.15	Trios Squad 3, Block 1 Long Oil
Thursday	11.12.2014	08.30 - 11.15	Trios Squad 2, Block 2 Medium Oil Lane Maintenance
		12.15 - 15.00	Trios Squad 3, Block 2 Medium Oil Lane Maintenance
		16.00 - 18.45	Trios Squad 1, Block 2 Medium Oil
		19.15 - 20.30	Trios Semi-Finals
		20.30 - 21.45	Trios Final
Friday	12.12.2014	09.00 - 13.00	Team Squad 1, Block 1 Long Oil
		13.00 - 13.30	Trios Medal Ceremony
		13.00 - 14.00	Lane Maintenance
		14.00 - 18.00	Team Squad 2, Block 1 Long Oil
Saturday	13.12.2014	08.30 - 12.30	Team Squad A, Block 2 Medium Oil Lane Maintenance
		13.30 - 17.30	Team Squad B, Block 2 Medium Oil Lane Maintenance
		18.30 - 20.00	Team Semi-Finals
		20.00 - 21.30	Team Finals
		21.30 - 22.00	Team Medal Ceremony
Sunday	14.12.2014	09.00 - 11.00	Masters Step 1
		11.00 - 11.30	All Event, Medal Ceremony
		11.00 - 12.00	Lane Maintenance
		12.00 - 14.30	Masters Step 2
		14.30 - 15.00	Lane Maintenance
		15.00 - 15.45	Masters Semi-Finals
		15.45 - 16.30	Masters Final
19.00	Banquet		
Monday	15.12.2014		Departure

2. Official Hotel

Hotel	Centro Capital Centre
Distance to downtown	10 km
Distance to the airport	29.5 km
Distance to Bowling Center	3.5 km
Address	Capital Centre at Abu Dhabi National Exhibition Centre (AD-NEC) Abu Dhabi, UAE
Phone	+971 (0) 2 4096490
Fax	+971 (0) 2 4096667
E-mail	Sherif.malak@rotana.com
Website	www.rotana.com

Room rates	
Single rooms	USD 83 (AED 300) for single occupancy
Double rooms	USD 96 (AED 350) for double occupancy
Triple rooms	Not Available
Quadruple rooms	Not Available

All fees are expressed in USD.

Room rates are inclusive of break and taxes.

All rooms have wireless internet access free of charge. Wireless internet is provided in-room free of charge.

All hotel reservations must be made directly to sherif.malak@rotana.com.

Transportation and services are only guaranteed through bookings made directly with the hotel. The WTBA block should be sufficient for all however early booking is encouraged to guarantee residency. After **October 1, 2014** the WTBA room block designated by Centro Capital Centre reduced, thus availability at the primary hotel is only guaranteed through October 1. If all rooms have been filled, and further reservation requests are received, then you will be placed at a backup hotel where the room price is approx. 175 USD

Transportation will be provided only from/to Abu Dhabi International airport.

In case you arrive UAE to Dubai you have to arrange your transportation yourself.

If you need transportation between Dubai and Abu Dhabi the following has been recommended.

For any type of transportation (rental cars/buses) the following persons may be contacted:
Ms. Judy judilyn@superprice-dubai.com or Mr. Jonathan jag@superprice-dubai.com

Locations and contact information as well as information about Superprice Rent-a-Car can be found in the following link.

http://superprice-dubai.com/index.php?slug=our_offices

3. Various

Website

Various information related to the WMC 2014 is available at www.ADWTBC.com.

Bulletins, forms and payment information is available on World Bowling website www.WorldBowling.org – under Events/Championships

Lane Pattern

The Technical Delegate Marios Nicolaidis has selected **Long and Medium** lane pattern categories to be used during 2014 WMC.

The specific lane patterns within the two categories will be announced at the Team Managers' meeting on December 4, 2014.

Registered Countries

Until September 23 the following countries have registered to participate.

Bermuda	England	Wales
Canada	Finland	Australia
Mexico	Israel	Iraqi
Puerto Rico	Lithuania	Japan
USA	Northern Ireland	Jordan
Austria	Norway	Kuwait
Belarus	Sweden	Saudi Arabia
Denmark	Switzerland	

If you intend to participate - Please send your registration Form A, latest October 1, 2014
Don't forget to make room reservations direct to the hotel.
Also start Visa application process soonest if needed!

Ball registration

We will use an online registration of bowling balls. Those who participated in 2014 WYC in Hong Kong may be familiar with the process. Each bowler will get login information so they can register their bowling balls before arrival to Abu Dhabi. We will inform in detail later.

4. Visa information

Visitor visa information

This information is intended to assist visitors and teams attending the Mens World Tenpin Bowling Championship 2014 which will be hosted in Abu Dhabi, UAE. All visitors are urged to visit the “Coming to Abu Dhabi” section of www.abudhabi.ae or visas section of their local UAE embassy or consulate for complete and up-to-date details.

GCC nationals are not required to obtain a visa to enter the UAE. They may enter at any port of entry by presenting a passport or ID card issued from a GCC nation.

Citizens of the following countries will be issued a free-of-charge visa upon arrival. This list is subject to change without notice please check in advance:

Netherlands	Italy	United Kingdom
Norway	Austria	Luxemburg
France	Greece	Portugal
Switzerland	Belguim	Germany
San Marino	Iceland	Monaco
Andorra	Vatican	Spain
Sweden	Slovenia	Poland
Finland	Ireland	Denmark
Lithuania	Czech	Slovakia
Estonia	Latvia	Hungary
Croatia	Cyprus	Malta
USA	Bulgaria	Romania
Japan	New Zealand	Australia
Brunei	Hong Kong	Singapore
Canada	Malaysia	Korea

Citizens of all other countries will be required to apply for a visa in advance of their visit.

Official Capacity: Bowlers, support staff and officials will have their visa request supported by the Emirates Bowling Federation (EBF). National federations should contact Mr. Ahmed Murad on +97150 5057616 or email dubaibowling@hotmail.com The following information for each individual:

- Name
- Role at WMC
- Nationality
- Passport Copy
- Arrival and departure dates, with vessel (provide copy of ticket)
- Details of accommodation (provide copy of confirmation)

The EBF will issue a letter which can be used to support your application at the UAE embassy or UAE consulate in your country.

Unofficial Capacity: Spectators and friends who are not listed on the WMC roster should have their visa supported by the hotel they are staying in or through an accredited travel agency. Please contact your hotel directly for procedures.

Please start your visa application process soonest!

5. Various Fees

WMC 2014 Entry Fee

The WMC 2014 entry fee is USD 275.

This fee is payable for all delegations, including players, coaches, managers, head of delegations and other officials connected to each team.

WMC 2014 Supporters Fee

The WMC 2013 Supporter fee is USD 125.

Included in the Supporter fee is

- transportation to/from Abu Dhabi International airport to the official hotel
- transportation to/from official hotel – bowling center
- banquet
- entrance bowling center (there is no entrance fee for the bowling center)

Prepayment of Fees

All fees must be prepaid and payment is to be received by WTBA on or before October 15, 2014.

It is preferred that payments are done by card. Payment instructions will be available on the World Bowling website, www.WorldBowling.org by clicking on "About - Payments" or "Events – Championships – Payments".

If you want to transfer to the WTBA bank account contact the WMC office on 2014WMC@worldtenpinbowling.com. All bank costs must be paid by you.

6. Forms and Deadlines

Attached with this bulletin are the all forms related to the WMC 2014.

All forms are also available on www.worldbowling.org/events/championships

Please pay attention to the following deadlines for WMC 2014.

- **Latest October 1, 2014**
 - Sending “Entry Form A” telling if the federation will participate or not
 - Sending “Form B” to make room reservations **directly to the official hotel**
Note: Federations sending their forms later than October 1, may not be accommodated at the official hotel or expect the special hotel rates.

- **Latest October 15, 2014**
 - Pay the entry fees to WTBA (see Chapter 5 in this Bulletin)

Latest November 1, 2014

- Send Form C Room List with Names
- Send Form D Arrival and Departure
- Send Form E Names in Delegation
- Send Form F Registration for Administrative System
- Send Form G Press Accreditation

Form A: Entry Form

Please return this form even if you do not want to participate in the WMC 2014.

Federation →	
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Confirmation	
We want to participate (Yes/No)	

The delegation	
Number of players in the team	
Number of officials connected to the team	

Contact information	
Contact person	
Address	
Phone	
Mobile	
Fax	
E-mail	

The ultimate deadline of submitting this form is October 1, 2014. Entry fees must be paid by October 15, 2014.	
Contact information of the WMC 2014 Organizing Committee	
Phone	E-mail address
+1 414-803-9188	2014WMC@worldtenpinbowling.com

Form B: Hotel Form for Centro Capital Centre Hotel

Please return this form even if you are accommodating your delegation at another hotel!

Federation →	
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Are using another accommodation?	
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Number of rooms	Type of rooms	Arrival date	Departure date

Type of rooms (field no. 2 to in the table above):
1 = Single Occupancy Room / 2 = Double Occupancy Room

The payment must take place directly to the Centro Capital Centre before arrival pursuant to directions in the Championship website.

The ultimate deadline of submitting this form is October 1, 2014 However, submissions received after October 1 cannot be guaranteed rooms in the primary host hotel.	
Your contact about hotel reservations for the WMC 2014	
Phone	E-mail address
+971 (2) 409 6666	sherif.malak@rotana.com

Please send this form to following addresses: sherif.malak@rotana.com and [cc. 2014WMC@worldtenpinbowling.com](mailto:cc.2014WMC@worldtenpinbowling.com)

Form C: Room List with Names

Federation →	
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Your delegation divided at the hotel rooms		
Room	Type	Please type all names at the room
1		
2		
3		
4		
5		
6		
7		
8		
9		
10		
11		
12		

Type of rooms (field no. 2 to in the table above):

1 = Single Occupancy Room / 2 = Double Occupancy Room

The ultimate deadline of submitting this form is November 1, 2014	
Your contact about hotel reservations for the WMC 2014	
Phone	E-mail address
+971 (2) 409 6666	sherif.malak@rotana.com

**Please send this form C to following addresses: sherif.malak@rotana.com and
cc. 2014WMC@worldtenpinbowling.com**

Form D: Arrival and Departure

Federation →	
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Means of transportation	
Will arrive by plane	
Will arrive by train	-----
Will arrive by bus or car	

Arrival information	
Number of people	
Date in digital presentation	
Time in digital presentation	
Arrival airport	
Flight number	

Departure information	
Number of people	
Date in digital presentation	
Time in digital presentation	
Departure airport	
Flight number	

Please note that transportation is only provided for flights arriving and departing from Abu Dhabi International Airport.

The ultimate deadline of submitting this form is November 1, 2014	
Contact information WMC 2014 Organizing Committee	
Phone	E-mail address
+1 414-803-9188	2014WMC@worldtenpinbowling.com

Form E: Names in Delegation

Federation →	
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Players	
Name (first name, family name)	Function
	Male player

Officials	
Name (first name, family name)	Function

The ultimate deadline of submitting this form is November 1, 2014	
Contact information WMC 2014 Organizing Committee	
Phone	E-mail address
+1 414-803-9188	2014WMC@worldtenpinbowling.com

Form G: Press Accreditation

Federation →	
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Registration information	
Federation (if any)	
Name	
Newspaper / Magazine	

The ultimate deadline of submitting this form is November 1, 2014	
Contact information WMC 2014 Organizing Committee	
Phone	E-mail address
+1 414-803-9188	2014WMC@worldtenpinbowling.com

Form F: Registration for Administrative System

Federation →	
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Players (Please TYPE only the names to be shown in the result system!)

Given name	Family name	Date of birth (yyyy-mm-dd)	Gender	Right/left Handed R / L	Two hand- ed player (mark X)
			M		
			M		
			M		
			M		
			M		
			M		

Officials

Given name	Family name	Date of birth (yyyy-mm-dd)	Gender Male/Female M / F	Function

The ultimate deadline of submitting this form is November 1, 2014

Contact information WMC 2014 Organizing Committee

Phone	E-mail address
+1 414-803-9188	2014WMC@worldtenpinbowling.com

