

**Deutscher
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To the
National Gymnastics Federations/
Members Federations FIG

Invitation to the 30th “Turnier der Meister”, March 24th – 26th, 2006

in Cottbus, Germany – FIG-World-Cup Competition Category B in 2006

Dear Gymnastics Friends,

The German Gymnastics Federation has the pleasure to invite your federation to participate in our traditional “Turnier der Meister” which will be held for the 30th time in Cottbus, Germany.

Date: 24.03. – 26.03.2006
Venue: Lausitz-Arena” Cottbus / Qualification
Stadthalle / Finals
Host: German Gymnastics Federation
Organiser: Organising Committee “Turnier der Meister”
Apparatus manufacture: **SPIETH**

Competition Format: According to the rules for the FIG World Cup Series 2005/ 2006 in Artistic Gymnastics and the technical regulations, edition 2005. FIG Code de Pointage (2005 edition), Competition III

Qualification rounds

- ❖ Finals I (MAG: floor, pommel horse, rings; WAG: vault, uneven bars)
- ❖ Finals II (MAG: vault, bars, high bar; WAG: beam, floor)
subject to modification

<u>Schedule:</u>	Thursday, 23.03.	Arrival 04:00 p.m. – 07:00 p.m. Training 08:30 p.m. Technical Meeting at the hotel
	Friday, 24.03.	08:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m. Training 11:30 a.m. – 12:50 p.m. Warm – Up 01:00 p.m. – 07:00 p.m. Qualification rounds MAG & WAG
	Saturday, 25.03.	08:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m. Training 11:30 a.m. – 12:50 p.m. Warm – Up 01:00 p.m. – 04:00 p.m. Final I MAG & WAG
	Sunday, 26.03.	08:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m. Training 11:30 a.m. – 12:45 p.m. Warm – Up 01:00 p.m. – 04:00 p.m. Final II MAG & WAG 07:00 p.m. Banquet
	Monday, 27.03.	Departure of delegations

Participants: According to the regulations of the FIG World Cup 2005/2006. Each Federation may nominate 4 female and 6 male gymnasts. Please note that only 2 gymnasts per federation can compete on each apparatus.

Age Limit: born in or before 1990

Judges: Each Federation may nominate female and male judges. As soon as we have received the full complement we will inform the FIG, as the FIG are responsible for the confirmation of all judges in World Cup events.

Financial conditions: **Travel**
Travel expenses of the delegation members are to borne by the participating federations.

Accommodation and Full Board

The Costs for accommodation and full board are to be borne by the federations. From March 23th to March 27st, 2006 will be borne this cost by the organiser for gymnasts ranked 1 – 3 (rank after last World-Cup). For additional days in Cottbus costs are to be borne by the respective federations (costs for accommodation, full board, airport and local transfers), i.e.:

- EUR 70,--per day/ per person in double room
- EUR 85,--per day/ per person in single room

Bookings are made as requested.

No refund possible if later arrival or early departure.

All members of the delegations are invited in the final banquet.

Accommodation

Lindner Congress Hotel****

Berliner Platz

D – 03046 Cottbus

Phone: + 49 – 355 – 366 – 0

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www.lindner.de

(or equivalent hotel near competition area)

Prize Money: The amount of prize money will be at a total of **CHF 25.000,--**

For each apparatus: **CHF 2.500,--** *The amount will be paid in EUR.*

Rank	CHF
1	750,--
2	600,--
3	400,--
4	250,--
5	200,--
6	150,--
7	100,--
8	50,--

Miscellaneous: ***Insurance***
Each member of the delegation needs to have a valid health and accident insurance. Members of the delegation without sufficient coverage must inform the OC in advance. The OC will then cover insurance at the federation's own charge.

Visa for Germany

Please make sure with your travel agency or German Embassy in your country that you are holding valid travel documents including visa to enter Germany. Any visa requests must be made in your home country. There is no way to receive an entry visa upon arrival in Germany. The DTB will be glad to assist you with an official invitation letter, provided that your request (including full name, date of birth, passport numbers and arrival & departure dates of each member of the delegation) is made by 01st February, 2006.

Deadlines:	Nominative Entry:	Monday, 23 rd January 2006
	Visa Requests:	Wednesday, 1 st February 2006
	Travel Details:	Friday, 17 th February 2006
	Payment:	Friday, 24 th February 2006

Payment:

Please pay attention to that you have to include the bank transfer fee with the payment.

Please address the payment to:	CGS - Cottbuser Gesellschaft für Sportförderung mbH
Please indicate as payment's purpose:	Turnier der Meister / YOUR FEDERATION
Bank Name:	Sparkasse Spree-Neisse
Account Number:	3209101107
Bank Code:	180 500 00
IBAN:	DE64 18050000 3209 1011 07
BIC:	WELADED1CBN

Notification:

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You will receive detailed information and individual financial conditions after your nominative entry.

We send you season's greetings and look forward with pleasure to welcome your delegation in March in Cottbus !



Wolfgang Willam
Sports Director-

Enclosures

Forms for nominative entry, visa request, hotel reservation and travel details