## Padel Arenas Coolbet Padel Cup Competition regulations

## Year 2024 competition season

With these regulations, the organizing team of the Padel Arenas Coolbet Padel Cup (hereinafter 'CPC') confirms the competition format, participation criteria, etc. for the year 2024 (i.e. competition season from January 1 until December 31). Conditions not specified in the regulations, but which may prove to be important, will be decided for each competition by a referee appointed by the CPC.

## CPC ranking

CPC maintains a current ranking for the ongoing season. Ranking points can be followed on the Padel Arenas website. https://padelarenas.ee/. Points collected over tournaments are valid for 1 season (current season). The points collected over 3 CPC tournaments taken into calculation of the players overall ranking.

Tournament scoring system

|  | Winner | Finalist | Semi- <br> finalist | Quarter- <br> finalist | $1 / 8$ round | $1 / 16$ round |
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| Points | 750 | 500 | 300 | 180 | 90 | 40 |

## Stages

There are a total of 3 stages in the 2024 competition season

- 1st stage:

29-30 March,

- 2nd stage: 12-13 July,
- 3rd stage: 11-12 October,
- Players with highest overall ranking will be invited to the CPC Masters competition held at the end of the year.


## Stage format

- Each team shall play a minimum of 2 matches.
- All main table matches are played as best-of-three tiebreak sets. To win a set, a team needs to win six games, by two game advantage. If the score gets to $5-5$, the set can be resolved with $7: 5$ score. If that is not achieved and teams reach a 6:6 tie, then a tiebreak game to 7 points, by two point advantage is played, to determine the winner of the set.
- Consolidation round games are played in 'pro-set format' where a single set till eight games won, by two game advantage, is played to determine the winner of the match. If the score gets to 7-7, the match can be resolved with 9:7 score. If that is not achieved
and teams reach an 8:8 tie, then a tiebreak game to 7 points, by two point advantage, is played to determine the set win.
- At 40:40, a decisive point (golden point) is played and the team receiving the serve decides to whom the decisive point shall be served.
- Maximum size of the stage table 24 teams (48 players).
- The duration of the stage is a maximum of 2 days.


## Prizes

- Top 3 teams in each stage will receive cash prize and medals.
- Prizes will be awarded as follows:
- $1^{\text {st }}$ place -1000 euros
- $2^{\text {nd }}$ place -600 euros
- $3^{\text {rd }}$ place -300 euros
- CPC Masters tournament prizes will be awarded as follows:
- $1^{\text {st }}$ place -2000 euros
- $2^{\text {nd }}$ place -1200 euros
- $3^{\text {rd }}$ place -600 euros
- All monetary prizes are awarded per team.


## Registration for the tournament

- Registration for the tournament is by invitations only.
- After receiving the invitation, a player must notify of its participation within 7 days.
- The tournament participation fee is 50 euros per player (i.e. 100 euros per team)
- The tournament table is determined by draw and published in the RankedIn environment 3 days before the competition by 23:59 (for a competition starting on Friday a draw is published on Tuesday by 23:59).
- If a player withdraws after the publication of the draw, then the participation fee will be refunded only upon presenting a medical certificate.


## Medical assistance break

If a player sustains a medical injury during a warm-up or match, a player is entitled to take a medical assistance break to treat that injury. In order to take a medical assistance break, a player must obtain permission from the Tournament Referee and a break must be taken at the change of sides or after the end of a set.

If the referee decides that a player has suffered a serious injury, a medical assistance break can be taken immediately. A player may only take one medical assistance break to treat the same injury, with the exception of the same injury seriously worsening during the match.

The medical assistance break is limited to 3 minutes, which the head judge can extend if he considers it justified.

The tournament organizer ensures that there is a first aid containing elastic bandages, cold spray, cold gel, disinfectant, and band aids at the tournament venue.

