



# UIPM 2017

## LASER-RUN

## WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS

### Cape Town, SOUTH AFRICA

## INVITATION LETTER

Dear Friends,

The UIPM – Union Internationale de Pentathlon Moderne, together with the South Africa Modern Pentathlon Association (SAMPA) has the pleasure to invite a delegation of your National Federation to participate in **UIPM 2017 Laser-Run World Championships** that will be held in Cape Town (South Africa) from the **13<sup>th</sup> to the 15<sup>th</sup> of October 2017** according to the following programme:

PROGRAMME (all times to be confirmed)			
<b>13 October</b>	Arrival of Delegations		
	11h00	Training on competitions field of play, FRIDAY	GREENPOINT
	16h00	13 October, AM / PM session	
		Accreditation LOC Office	SUN SQUARE CITY BOWL
	20h00	Technical Meeting Individual Competition.	SUN SQUARE CITY BOWL
<b>14 October</b>	<b>Laser-Run Individual Competition Day</b>		
	08h00	Race briefing for the morning session	LOC OFFICE GREENPOINT
	09h00	Start of the 1st round of the morning session	GREENPOINT
	13h30	Race briefing for the afternoon session	LOC OFFICE GREENPOINT
	14h00	Start of the 1st round of the afternoon session	GREENPOINT
	20h00	Technical Meeting – Mixed Relay	SUN SQUARE CITY BOWL
<b>15 October</b>	<b>Laser-Run Open / Mixed relay Competition Day</b>		
	08h00	Race briefing for the morning session	LOC OFFICE GREENPOINT.
	09h00	Start of the 1st round of the morning session	GREENPOINT
	13h30	Race briefing for the afternoon session	LOC OFFICE GREENPOINT
	14h00	Start of the 1st round of the afternoon session	GREENPOINT
	19h30	Gala Dinner – Closing Ceremony	GREENPOINT
<b>16 October</b>	Departure of Delegations/Cultural Day		

*\* For the competition, there will be a warming up dedicated area.*

## Competition Rules

The competition will be carried out according to the UIPM competition rules and relevant guidelines.

- Running: Paved walkway.
- Shooting: 50 Pentashot Hit & Miss, UIPM homologated laser targets (including competition and warming up areas)

Notes:

- 1) There will be qualifications rounds depending on the number of registered participant's in each age category. If qualification rounds are required for any category, there will first be heats with the finals at the end of the day.
- 2) Categories and distances for both Open and Elite Divisions will follow UIPM rules ([https://www.uipmworld.org/sites/default/files/laser-run\\_guidelines\\_final\\_digital\\_0.pdf](https://www.uipmworld.org/sites/default/files/laser-run_guidelines_final_digital_0.pdf)).
- 3) Delegations are allowed to enter unlimited number of athletes.

## Competition Venues

The competitions are scheduled to occur at Green Point, Helen Suzman Boulevard – Waterfront VNA Information and maps will be sent shortly to all Nations by e-mail.

## Competition Clothing

Athletes should wear an athletic outfit. In all cases, the upper body part must be covered. The nationality of the athlete must be identified on the outfit (either name of the country in full or 3-letters country code) especially for Elite division. Footwear must be worn.

## Accommodation

Teams in elite division and athletes in open division are responsible to book accommodation as per information provided in hotel list to secure LOC support. **Deadline for accommodation booking is 21 September.** Please find below the list of the competition hotels:

### 1) Hotels with transportation provided to/from the competition

(these hotels are the only ones to have LOC support: information, updates, official transportation, etc.)

#### **TSOGO SUN STAY EASY CAPE TOWN CITY BOWL 100 rooms**

[www.tsogosun.com/stayeasy-cape-town-city-bowl](http://www.tsogosun.com/stayeasy-cape-town-city-bowl)

48 EURO per person / night sharing, maximum 2 people

Breakfast included.

For reservations/email: [reservationslrwch@gmail.com](mailto:reservationslrwch@gmail.com)

3.3 km from competition venue

#### **SUN SQUARE CAPE TOWN CITY BOWL 100 rooms**

[www.tsogosun.com/sunsquare-cape-town-city-bowl](http://www.tsogosun.com/sunsquare-cape-town-city-bowl)

66 EURO per person / night sharing, maximum 2 people

Breakfast included

For reservations/email: [reservationslrwch@gmail.com](mailto:reservationslrwch@gmail.com)

3.3 km from competition venue

### **CITY LODGE V&A WATERFRONT 50 rooms**

[www.clhg.com](http://www.clhg.com)

74 EURO per night/person sharing, maximum 2 people

Breakfast included

**For reservations/email: [clva.groups@clhg.com](mailto:clva.groups@clhg.com) REF: SAMPA**

2,4 km from competition venue.

### **OTHER HOTELS IN CAPE TOWN ( NO LOC SUPPORT )**

#### **SUN 1 HOTELS.**

[www.sun1.co.za](http://www.sun1.co.za)

#### **RADISSON BLU WATERFRONT**

[www.capetown.info@radissonblu.com](http://www.capetown.info@radissonblu.com)

#### **Transport**

Transport will be provided only for non-South African participants in the Elite Division from/to Cape Town International Airport (CPT), only if information is submitted to LOC by 21 September.

Nations coming with their own mini-buses/cars, please note vehicles' number plates in Entry Form to arrange parking places at Hotels and entry to competitions venue.

#### **Financial Conditions**

National Federations can register their athletes for 2 different events: Laser-Run Mixed Relay and Individual. Athletes and Accompanying persons can register for the Gala Dinner/Closing Party if they want to attend it.

Entry fees, per person, **until August 31<sup>st</sup>:**

Laser-Run Individual only: 60 Euros

Laser-Run (Individual and Relay): 90 Euros

Gala Dinner: 30 Euros

Entry fees, per person, **from September 1<sup>st</sup>:**

Laser-Run Individual only: 75 Euros

Laser-Run (Individual and Relay): 112 Euros

Gala Dinner: 30 Euros

Registration process and payments should be done **by 21 September**, as follows:

- via UIPM portal for Elite Division (National Federations are responsible for that);
- via UIPM online registration displayed at the home page of UIPM website, for the Open Division (<http://uipm-space.gem-technology.com/#!/competition-public-registration/1244>).

<b>Deadlines</b>	<b>Registrations close for both Elite and Open Divisions by September 21<sup>st</sup>.</b>
<b>Athletes Licenses</b>	<p>It is reminded that all athletes in Elite Division must have an UIPM ID number in order to be registered, if some of them don't have the ID yet, the first step is for their NF to add them through your NF portal.</p> <p>For Open Division, athletes will be requested to present their UIPM ID number during the registration process. If they do not have it, an UIPM ID number will be generated at the end of the registration process.</p>
<b>Insurance</b>	According to UIPM Rules all members of attending delegations should insure themselves in case of accidental injury or illness. The organizer will not accept any responsibility financial or other, for any loss, injury or illness of any member of the delegation.
<b>VISAS &amp; Vaccinations</b>	<p>Visiting NFs should confirm visa and vaccination requirements for entry into SOUTH AFRICA prior travelling to the event. The LOC cannot accept responsibility for arranging visas but can provide specific letters of invitation if needed. For information if you need a visa or vaccinations please contact your nearest Embassy or Consulate.</p> <p>Entry Requirements and countries exempted from visa:  <a href="http://www.dha.gov.za/index.php/immigration-services/exempt-countries">http://www.dha.gov.za/index.php/immigration-services/exempt-countries</a></p> <p>The passport/ ID card for EU citizens should be valid for the next 6 months.</p>
<b>Laser Pistols</b>	Firearms licenses are not a legal requirement when bringing full laser pistols, air and CO <sub>2</sub> pistols with laser container into South Africa for competition purposes. For delegations travelling from Johannesburg to Cape Town on domestic flights please contact the LOC to make arrangements.
<b>General Information</b>	<p>All athletes are kindly requested to wear their official national uniform at the competition.</p> <p>Please also bring a track of your national anthem and a national flag (192 × 128cm).</p> <p>Weather conditions: Cape Town climate in October moderate to warm. Average temperature in October: weather 20°/11°. Voltage: 220 V</p> <p><b>Official hashtags of the competitions are #LaserRunWCH.</b> Please advise your athletes to use it in social media while posting photos related to the competition.</p>
<b>LOC Contact Details</b>	<p><b>SAMPA – South African Modern Pentathlon Association</b></p> <p><b>Address:</b> La Bella Vita Wine Estate, Metz 224, Paarl 7646, South Africa</p> <p><b>Tel:</b> +27 76 054 1632</p> <p><b>e-mail:</b> <a href="mailto:cptlrwch2017@gmail.com">cptlrwch2017@gmail.com</a></p> <p><b>Website:</b> <a href="http://www.sampasport.co.za">www.sampasport.co.za</a></p>

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We look forward to seeing you in Cape Town in 2017.

Best regards,

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