FORMAT & RULES

The teams are divided into two groups of six and in each group a complete round-robin of 20 boards will be played. At the end of the round-robin the first two ranked teams will play a KO match of 48 boards (4 sessions of 12: 1st A v. 2nd B - 1st B v. 2nd A) in Semi-final A, the third and fourth in Semi-final B (3rd A v. 4th B - 3rd B v. 4th A) and the fifth and sixth in Semi-final C (5th A v. 6th B - 5th B v, 6th A). The winners of Semi-final A will play a KO match of 48 boards (4 sessions of 12) for the title; the losers will play a KO Match of 36 boards (3 sessions of 12) for the third and fourth places; the winners of the Semi-finals B and C will play a KO match of 36 boards (3 sessions of 12), respectively, for fifth and ninth places; the losers of these Semi-finals will not play. If together with the defending Champion or the Host Federation another team of the same Country (having achieved the right to participate, according the result of the European Teams Championship) participates in the event, the teams have to play together the semi-final (if achieved).

The EBL Open Teams Championship Rules & Regulations will be applied to the Champions Cup.

HUM Systems are not allowed.

PRIZES

1st Team - 5,000 € - Trophy - EBL Gold Medal

2nd Team - 3,000 € - Silver Medal

3rd Team - 2,000 € - Bronze Medal

4th Team - 1,500 €

5th Team - 1,000 €

9th Team - 600 €

The winning team will receive the Trophy and the title of European Champion Club as well as the right to participate in the next edition.