

Press release

The 2011 IIHF World Championship

Tickets on sale from 27th September

Final games from 188 Euros, preliminary rounds from 40 Euros

The 2011 IIHF World Championship Organizing committee released the ticket category prices on Thursday along with the dates and means of sale. Ticket sales start on the 27th of September 2010 at 11:00 a.m. The championship itself starts in the two largest Slovak cities – Bratislava and Košice - on the 29th April 2011 and concludes on the 15th May 2011.

The Bratislava O. Nepela stadium has a 9765 seat capacity for the championship, from which 7704 tickets will be on sale for each game. In Košice the capacity is 7628 seats, with each dual having 6088 tickets up for grabs.

Tickets for individual preliminary and quarterfinal groups will be in two price categories - Bratislava for 55 and 40 Euros and in Košice for 55 and 30 Euros. Play-off duels (including quarterfinals, semi-finals and bronze and gold games) will be played out in Bratislava. Quarterfinal tickets cost 100 and 83 Euros, semi-final tickets 150 and 112 Euros. Bronze game tickets 120 and 90 Euros and final tickets cost 250 and 188 Euros. The cheapest tickets will be the group elimination round tickets – Bratislava games will cost 19 and 14 Euros and Košice games 19 and 10 Euros.

The official ticket sales partner is Ticketportal. Championship tickets can be purchased in person from P.O.S. in Slovakia, the Czech Republic, Hungary, Poland and Slovenia (and in Russia and Belarus from October), or via the internet all around the world.

Season tickets for the entire championship event and ticket packages for individual phases – all preliminary games, all qualification games, all elimination games and all play-off games will be made available from the 27th of September. The second phase of ticket sales starts on the 1st of December and daily tickets for two or three games will be made available. The final phase of sales in which tickets for individual games will be available starts on the 1st of February 2011.

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