



**AEON CUP 2022**  
**Worldwide R.G. Club Championships**  
**Tokyo, Japan**  
**20-23 October, 2022**



**DIRECTIVES**

**Event ID: 17151**

Dear FIG affiliated Member Federation,

Japan RG Federation has the pleasure to invite your Federation to participate in the aforementioned official FIG International Event.

<b>DISCIPLINE</b>	<b>Rhythmic Gymnastics</b>
<b>HOST FEDERATION</b>	<b>Japan Gymnastics Association</b> Address: 8F Japan Sport Olympic Square 4-2 Kasumigaokamachi, Shinjuku-ku, Tokyo 160-0013, Japan
<b>LOCAL ORGANIZING COMMITTEE</b>	<b>Japan Rhythmic Gymnastics Federation</b> Contact person: Makiko IKEDA 3-13-10-8F, Nishiazabu, Minatoku, TOKYO 106-0031, Japan Tel: +81 3 5770 5711 e-mail: <a href="mailto:honbu@japan-rg.com">honbu@japan-rg.com</a> web site: <a href="http://www.japan-rg.com">http://www.japan-rg.com</a>
<b>LOCATION</b>	<b>Tokyo, Japan</b>
<b>DATE</b>	<b>From 20 to 23 October 2022</b>
<b>VENUE</b>	<b>Tokyo Metropolitan Gymnasium</b> Address: 1-17-1, Sendagaya, Shibuya-ku, Tokyo, 151-0051 Japan Phone number: +81 3-5474 2111 web site: <a href="http://Tokyo Gymnasium TOP   Tokyo Sports Culture Corporation (transer.com)">Tokyo Gymnasium TOP   Tokyo Sports Culture Corporation (transer.com)</a>
<b>APPARATUS SUPPLIER</b>	<b>Please refer to the attached apparatus list.</b>
<b>GYMNASTS' HAND APPARATUS</b>	The list of the RG Hand Apparatus with valid certificates is published on the FIG website ( <a href="#">here</a> ) and updated regularly. Make sure that your gymnasts use only FIG certified Hand Apparatus for this event and for any other FIG recognized competitions, as they will not be allowed to compete with an Apparatus that does not comply with the norms.  Random checks on the FIG and Manufacturers' Logos will be carried out at any time during the Event.
<b>RULES AND REGULATIONS</b>	The event will be organized under the following FIG rules, as valid in the year of the event, except for any deviation mentioned in these directives: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Statutes</li> <li>• Code of Ethics</li> <li>• Code of Conduct</li> <li>• Technical Regulations</li> <li>• Code of Discipline</li> <li>• Code of Points and relevant Newsletters</li> <li>• General Judges' Rules</li> <li>• Specific Judges' Rules</li> <li>• Anti-Doping Rules</li> <li>• Licence rules (except for non competitive events)</li> <li>• FIG Framework for Safeguarding Athletes and other Participants from Harassment and abuse in Sport during Events</li> <li>• FIG Medical Guidelines for FIG Competitions and Events</li> <li>• Media Rules</li> <li>• Apparatus Norms</li> </ul>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Rules for Sanctioning (approval) of International Events</li> <li>• Advertising and Publicity Rules</li> <li>• Regulations for Award Ceremonies</li> <li>• Accreditation Rules</li> </ul> <p><i>and subsequent decisions of the FIG Executive Committee</i></p>								
<b>FEDERATIONS INVITED</b>	<p>The LOC will invite all FIG Member Federation in good standing. One club team comprising one junior gymnast and two senior gymnasts per federation can participate.</p> <p>The cost of the international flights and accommodation for the official members of the top five teams/federations in the Aeon Cup 2019 will be covered by the LOC. Official members: 3 gymnasts, 1 coach, and 1 judge</p> <p>Top five federations of the Aeon Cup 2019: RUS, BLR, UKR, ISR, ITA</p> <p>Depending on the situation in the future, some federations may not be allowed to participate in the Aeon Cup 2022.</p> <p>The LOC reserves the right to limit the number of participating federations in case the number of entries exceeds more than expected.</p>								
<b>AGE LIMITS</b>	<p><b>Juniors:</b> 13-15 (born in 2007 – 2009)</p> <p><b>Seniors:</b> 16+ (born in 2006 or before)</p> <p><b>All gymnasts must have a valid FIG license until the end of the event.</b></p>								
<b>SIZE OF DELEGATION</b>	<p>The size of a delegation is as follows:</p> <table border="1"> <tr> <td>Gymnast</td> <td>1 junior gymnast 2 senior gymnasts</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Coach</td> <td>1</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Judge</td> <td>1</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Total</td> <td>5</td> </tr> </table> <p>✧ Participation requires a team of three comprising one junior and two senior gymnasts.</p> <p>✧ No reserve gymnast is admitted.</p>	Gymnast	1 junior gymnast 2 senior gymnasts	Coach	1	Judge	1	Total	5
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<b>ENTRY FEES</b>	No Entry Fee will be applied for this event.								
<b>ACCREDITATION</b>	<p>Accreditation of all delegations will take place at the hotel upon their arrival. In addition, the LOC will distribute information regarding the gymnasts' safeguarding plan.</p>								
<b>EVENT FORMAT</b>	<p>Qualification and final for RGI (senior and junior) and team.</p> <p>All participants take part in the qualification except for:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ The winning club team of the Japan R.G. Club Championships</li> <li>➤ The federations of the top five club teams of the Aeon Cup 2019</li> </ul> <p>They are exempt from the qualifications and directly move to the finals.</p> <p>The top-three club teams from the qualifications will proceed to the finals.</p> <p>As for the individual competition, the top four seniors and top 2 juniors from the qualifications will proceed to the finals.</p>								
<b>PROVISIONAL SCHEDULE</b>	<table border="1"> <tr> <td>Date</td> <td>Activities</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Day 1 Oct. 18 (Tue)</td> <td>Official Arrival, Accreditation, Orientation meeting (No training on this day)</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Day 2</td> <td>Official Training, Judges' meeting/instruction</td> </tr> </table>	Date	Activities	Day 1 Oct. 18 (Tue)	Official Arrival, Accreditation, Orientation meeting (No training on this day)	Day 2	Official Training, Judges' meeting/instruction		
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	Oct. 19 (Wed)	
	Day 3 Oct. 20 (Thu)	Aeon Cup 2022 Qualification (2 apparatus) Federations of the top five club teams of the Aeon cup 2019 are exempt from the qualification round.
	Day 4 Oct. 21 (Fri)	Aeon Cup 2022 Qualification (2 apparatus) Federations of the top five club teams of the Aeon cup 2019 are exempt from the qualification round.
	Day 5 Oct. 22 (Sat)	Aeon Cup 2022 Finals
	Day 6 Oct. 23 (Sun)	Aeon Cup 2022 Finals
	Day 7 Oct. 24 (Mon)	Official Departure Excursion and Farewell Party: depending on the situation of the COVID-19
	Day 8 Oct. 25 (Tue)	Official Departure
	The schedule is subject to change due to the COVID-19 situation	
<b>EVENT MANAGER</b>	Makiko IKEDA	
<b>MEDICAL SERVICES</b>	The LOC will provide first aid and medical services	
<b>COVID-19</b>	<p>FIG requires all participants, judges and officials to take standard precautionary measures, such as washing their hands and using a mask at all times and, when possible, to keep a physical distance of at least 1.5 meters.</p> <p>The only situation in which it is possible that the safety distance may not be respected is when the coach assists the gymnast during their performances (catching, directing, guarding). This phase should be as short as possible and the person assisting is obliged to use a mask during this time</p> <p>Gymnasts do not need to wear a mask or cover their faces during their performance; in the training area or in the competition area and as far as possible they should maintain a physical distance of at least 1.5 m. physical distance.</p>	
<b>VISA</b>	<p>Under the current COVID-19 situation, all participants are <u>required</u> to obtain a visa to travel to Japan, regardless of their nationalities.</p> <p>LOC will send the necessary information and application form for federations that made a provisional registration after the deadline.</p>	
<b>INSURANCE</b>	<p>The Host Federation, the LOC, and the FIG will not be held responsible for any liabilities in case of accidents, illness, repatriation, and the like.</p> <p>The FIG Technical Regulations foresee that all participating Federations are responsible for making their own arrangements to have the necessary valid insurance coverage against illness, accidents and for repatriation for all the members of their Delegation.</p> <p>Basic insurance (sickness, accident and repatriation) in your country of residence is compulsory in order to be able to benefit from coverage by FIG IMSSA subsidiary insurance. Please also refer to <a href="https://www.gymnastics.sport/site/pages/medical-insurance.php">https://www.gymnastics.sport/site/pages/medical-insurance.php</a> for additional information regarding the FIG IMSSA insurance for Athletes and Judges.</p> <p>The LOC will verify the insurance upon arrival of the delegation members (e.g. cover note or photocopy of the valid policy).</p> <p>Delegation members with insufficient insurance cover must inform the LOC in advance. The LOC will subsequently offer insurance at the Federations own charge. Price per person/day is as follows :</p> <p>JPY760 per person/day for illness and medical fees JPY3,000 per person/day for illness, medical fees and repatriation</p>	
<b>INTERNATIONAL TRANSPORTATION</b>	The official airports for this event are Haneda International Airport and Narita International Airport.	

	<p>Participating federations must cover the travel costs of their delegation members except for the federations of the top five teams of the last Aeon Cup which took place in 2019.</p> <p>Top five federations of the Aeon Cup 2019: The international flight of the five (3 gymnasts, coach, and judge) official delegation members will be covered by the LOC (economy class).</p> <p>The Travel Schedule Form must be returned to the LOC by Sept. 25, 2022.</p>																				
<b>LOCAL TRANSPORTATION</b>	The LOC will provide free local transportation for all participants from/to the official airports to the official hotel in Tokyo as well as from/to the official hotel and the competition venue.																				
<b>ACCOMMODATION</b>	<p>The Prince Park Tower Tokyo 4-8-1 Shibakoen Minato-ku Tokyo Japan 105-8563 TEL : 03-5400-1111 FAX : 03-5400-1110 <a href="http://www.princehotels.com/en/parktower/">http://www.princehotels.com/en/parktower/</a></p> <p>JPY 28,000 (single room per person per night, tax is not included) JPY 18,000 (double room per person per night, tax is not included) JPY 15,000 (triple room per person per night, tax is not included) The invited participating federations must pay for the accommodation expenses of their delegation members except for the federations of the top five teams of the last Aeon Cup which took place in 2019.</p> <p>The prices charged for the hotel rooms will not exceed the usual hotel rates.</p> <p>While the Accommodation Form must be returned to the LOC by Aug. 20, 2022, at the very latest, the hotel rooms will be allocated on a “first-come, first-serve” basis.</p> <p>The invoice will be sent to your federation after the deadline of the Accommodation Form.</p>																				
<b>MEALS</b>	<p>Breakfast will be served at the designated dining area in the hotel exclusive to the participants. In addition, a meal allowance will be paid to participants (the official members).</p> <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th></th> <th>Aeon Cup 2019 Top five teams</th> <th>Aeon Cup 2019 6<sup>th</sup> to 8<sup>th</sup> teams</th> <th>Other teams</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Official day</td> <td>5,000JPY</td> <td>3,000JPY</td> <td>1,500JPY</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Arrival and Departure</td> <td>2,500JPY</td> <td>1,500JPY</td> <td>750JPY</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p>➤ The above meal fee is one person per day</p>		Aeon Cup 2019 Top five teams	Aeon Cup 2019 6 <sup>th</sup> to 8 <sup>th</sup> teams	Other teams	Official day	5,000JPY	3,000JPY	1,500JPY	Arrival and Departure	2,500JPY	1,500JPY	750JPY								
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<b>CANCELATION POLICY</b>	<p>Cancellation charges for accommodation are; 10% for cancellations made 30 days in advance, 80% for cancellations made the day before, and 100% for cancellations made on the day of arrival or no-show.</p>																				
<b>FINAL BANQUET</b>	<p>All participants are invited to the party free of charge. *In case the situation arising from COVID-19 spread does not allow it, the LOC reserves its right to cancel the final banquet.</p>																				
<b>PRIZE MONEY</b>	<p>The Prize Money, free of any deductible taxes, will be distributed in <b>JPY</b> as follows:</p> <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th colspan="3">Prize Money in JPY</th> </tr> <tr> <th>Ranking</th> <th>Club Competition</th> <th>Senior Individual</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>1</td> <td>JPY100,000</td> <td>JPY400,000</td> </tr> <tr> <td>2</td> <td>JPY 60,000</td> <td>JPY300,000</td> </tr> <tr> <td>3</td> <td>JPY 50,000</td> <td>JPY200,000</td> </tr> <tr> <td>4</td> <td rowspan="2"></td> <td>JPY100,000</td> </tr> <tr> <td>5</td> <td>JPY60,000</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	Prize Money in JPY			Ranking	Club Competition	Senior Individual	1	JPY100,000	JPY400,000	2	JPY 60,000	JPY300,000	3	JPY 50,000	JPY200,000	4		JPY100,000	5	JPY60,000
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	US 1\$ = JPY119 (as of 2022/3/21) EUR 1€ =JPY131 (as of 2022/3/21)											
<b>BANK ACCOUNT INFORMATION</b>	The payment details will be provided to those Federations who are required to make payment.											
<b>MARKETING</b>	FIG advertising and publicity norms must be respected											
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Sincerely Yours,



Norifumi YAMAMOTO,  
Secretary General  
Japan Gymnastics Association  
Place and date: Tokyo, August 31, 2022

