

Gymnastik International 2026
Fellbach-Schmidlen (Germany)
14.-15.03.2026



DIRECTIVES


Event ID: 18431

Dear Friends,

the **German Gymnastics Federation** has the pleasure to invite your Federation to participate in the aforementioned official FIG International Tournament for **RGI Junior**, **RGI Senior** and **RGG Senior**.

DISCIPLINE	Rhythmic Gymnastics
HOST FEDERATION	Deutscher Turner-Bund Otto-Fleck-Schneise 8 60528 Frankfurt a. M.
LOCAL ORGANIZING COMMITTEE	TSV Schmidlen Remstalstraße 36 70736 Fellbach E-Mail: delegations@gymnastik-international.de Website: www.gymnastik-international.de
LOCATION	Fellbach-Schmidlen, Germany
DATE	14.-15. March 2026
VENUE	Sporthalle 1 Schmidlen Remstalstraße 38 70736 Fellbach
APPARATUS SUPPLIER	Please refer to the attached apparatus list.
RULES AND REGULATIONS	<p>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:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Statutes • Code of Ethics • Code of Conduct • Technical Regulations • Code of Discipline • Code of Points and relevant Newsletters • General Judges` Rules • Specific Judges` Rules • Anti-Doping Rules • Medical Organization of FIG Competitions and Events • License rules (except for non-competitive events) • FIG Framework for Safeguarding Athletes and other Participants from Harassment and abuse in Sport during Events • Media Rules • Apparatus Norms • Rules for Sanctioning (approval) of International Events • Advertising and Publicity Rules • Regulations for Award Ceremonies • Accreditation Rules <p>and subsequent decisions of the FIG Executive Committee</p>
FEDERATIONS INVITED	The Organizing Member Federation will invite all FIG Member Federations in good standing.
SIZE OF DELEGATION	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1-2 Senior RGI • 1 Junior Team RGI (2-4 Junior Gymnasts) • 1 Senior RGG • 1-2 Coaches RGI • 1-2 Coaches RGG

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1-2 Judges
AGE LIMITS	Junior & Senior, as per FIG Technical Regulations. All gymnasts must have an FIG licence valid until the end of the event.
JUDGES	All judges must have a current valid FIG brevet (min IV) at the time of the event, in the respective category (RGI and/or RGG). If a Federation does not enter a judge or comes with a judge of an insufficient level, LOC will request the payment of a fine of 150 EUR per missing judge.
REGISTRATION DEADLINES	Definitive registration: 16.01.2026 Per Email
	Nominative registration 06.02.2026 Per Email
ENTRY FEES	The non-refundable entry fee for this event will be as follows: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 50 EUR per RGI gymnast • 150 EUR per Group • 100 EUR per person (incl. gymnasts, coaches and staff), who have not booked their accommodation through LOC.
ACCREDITATION	The accreditation procedure will take place at the competition hall. Heads of delegation must bring to the accreditation office: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Passports or copies (on paper) of all participants • Certification of insurance for all delegation members covering illness, accidents and repatriation (on paper) In addition, the LOC will distribute information regarding the gymnasts' safeguarding plan.
COMPETITION FORMAT	FIG Junior RGI (FIG Rules) ALL-AROUND TEAM COMPETITION AND QUALIFICATION FOR FINALS: The Federations participating with 2-4 gymnasts will join the Team Competition. They must present 4 exercises according to the junior program. In a team competition, a gymnast may participate with 1-3 exercises. No more than 4 exercises can be executed per Federation (except host NF). The team results will be calculated based on all 4 presented exercises. If a NF participates with only 1 gymnast, she must present an exercise with each of the 4 apparatus and can qualify with each apparatus for the Apparatus Finals. However, she won't be ranked in the team ranking and won't get a medal/certificate for AA. APPARATUS FINAL: The best 8 gymnasts per apparatus – max 1 per Federation (except host NF). If no gymnast from the host NF is among the top 8, then the host NF can nominate one gymnast. This would result in 9 gymnasts in the apparatus final. FIG Senior RGI (FIG Rules) ALL-AROUND AND QUALIFICATION FOR FINALS: Each gymnast performs 4 exercises Each Federation can participate with max. 2 gymnasts. APPARATUS FINAL: The best 8 gymnasts per apparatus – max 1 per Federation (except host NF) If no gymnast from the host NF is among the top 8, then the host NF can nominate one gymnast. This would result in 9 gymnasts in the apparatus final. FIG Senior RGG (FIG Rules) ALL-AROUND AND QUALIFICATION FOR FINALS: Each Group performs 2 exercises. APPARATUS FINAL: The best 8 Groups per apparatus – max 1 per Federation If the group from the host NF is not among the top 8, then the host NF can nominate their group. This would result in 9 groups in the apparatus final.
PROVISIONAL SCHEDULE	12.03. / 13.03. Arrival of the delegations 13.03. Training sessions according to schedule Orientation & Judges Meeting (evening) 14.03. Team Competition RGI Juniors, AA RGI Seniors & AA RGG Seniors

	<p>15.03. Apparatus Finals RGI Juniors, RGI Seniors & RGG Seniors After the end of competition (appr. 16:00 h) the departure of the delegations will be possible</p> <p>15.03. / 16.03. Departure of the delegations</p>
EVENT MANAGER	Mrs. Kim Georgina Bayer
MEDICAL SERVICES	The Organizing Committee will provide a first aid medical service during official training and competition.
MUSIC	<p>Please send the Music Form and all Music Files (MP3) to the LOC by 27.02.2026 at the very latest.</p> <p>Please label the individual files as follows: <i>Country Code_Name_Surname_Apparatus_Junior/Senior</i></p> <p>We kindly ask all coaches to have a USB with all music during the competition</p>
VISA	<p>Please verify immediately with your travel agent, the German Embassy or Consulate in your country if a visa is required for your travel to Germany. The LOC will be happy to assist each Delegation Member with an official invitation letter, provided that the request is made before 06.02.2026 to the LOC.</p> <p>The request must include the function, full name, gender, date of birth, citizenship and passport number, passport expiry date, the arrival and departure dates of the Delegation Member as well as the city the visa application support letter must be sent to.</p>
INSURANCE	<p>The Host Federation, the LOC and the FIG will not be held responsible for any liabilities in the event of accidents, illness (including COVID-19), repatriation, or similar occurrences.</p> <p>In accordance with the FIG Technical Regulations, all participating Federations are responsible for ensuring that all Delegation Members have valid insurance coverage for illness, accidents, and repatriation during the entire duration of their stay.</p> <p>It is mandatory that Delegation Members are covered by basic insurance (covering sickness, accident, and repatriation) in their country of residence, in order to benefit from coverage by the FIG IMSSA subsidiary insurance. For detailed information regarding the FIG IMSSA insurance for Athletes and Judges, please refer to:</p> <p> https://www.gymnastics.sport/site/pages/medical-insurance.php</p> <p>The LOC will verify insurance coverage upon arrival. Each Delegation must present either a cover note or a photocopy of the valid insurance policy. The policy must be valid starting from the day of arrival and must remain valid for the entire duration of the stay.</p> <p>If a Federation cannot provide proof of valid insurance, the LOC will offer insurance coverage at the Federation's own expense, at a cost of: 20 EUR per person/day.</p>
SAFEGUARDING	<p>From the official day of arrival until the official day of departure, all participants — including gymnasts, coaches, judges, and other Delegation Members — will have the possibility to contact the LOC Safeguarding Officer by phone or email in case of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Harassment • Abuse of any kind • Any situation where they feel uncomfortable or unsafe <p>The contact information for the LOC Safeguarding Officer will be provided to all Delegations upon arrival on site.</p> <p>As part of the FIG's commitment to athlete welfare and youth protection, posters of the "10 Golden Rules of Gymnastics", part of the FIG's awareness campaign, must be clearly displayed in several key areas, including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Training Halls • Warm-Up Areas • Public Zones <p>These measures are in place to ensure a safe, respectful, and supportive environment for all participants throughout the event.</p>

INTERNATIONAL TRANSPORTATION	<p>The invited participating federations must pay for the travel costs of their delegation members to and from Stuttgart airport or Stuttgart main train station.</p> <p>The Travel Schedule Form must be returned to the LOC by 13.02.2026</p>														
LOCAL TRANSPORTATION	<p>The LOC will arrange the local transportation from Stuttgart Airport or Stuttgart main train station for all participating NFs, who have booked their accommodation through LOC.</p> <p>The local transport is ensured from the official day of arrival to the official day of departure.</p>														
ACCOMMODATION	<p>The invited participating federations must pay for the accommodation expenses of their delegation members.</p> <p>The costs per person and per night are as follows: EUR 155,00 (single room) EUR 125,00 (double room; with one double bed) EUR 110,00 (triple room – first come, first serve)</p> <p>Fee includes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Accommodation - Breakfast (in the Hotel) - Lunch (in the Gym): Friday, Saturday, Sunday - Dinner (in the Gym): Friday, Saturday, Sunday - Local Transportation (if necessary) <p>The Accommodation Form must be returned to the LOC by 06.02.2026 at the very latest. The Hotel rooms will be allocated on a “first come, first serve” basis.</p> <p>100% of the Accommodation costs must be paid to the LOC until 27.02.2026</p> <p>In case of cancellation, costs will be refunded as follows: Until 06.02.2026: 100% refund of the total amount From 07.-16.02.2026: 50% refund of the total amount After 17.02.2026: no refund Only written cancellations sent by e-mail will be accepted.</p>														
BANK ACCOUNT INFORMATION	<p>TSV Schmiden RSG GI2026 Volksbank Stuttgart eG IBAN DE64 6009 0100 1303 1010 09 BIC VOBADDESS</p> <p>Each participating Federation is kindly requested to integrate the payment's purpose as follows: <i>Gymnastik International 2026 + Country</i> The participating federation is responsible for covering all bank fees in connection with the bank transfers.</p>														
MARKETING	FIG advertising and publicity norms must be respected														
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Sincerely Yours,
Frankfurt, 21.10.2025



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