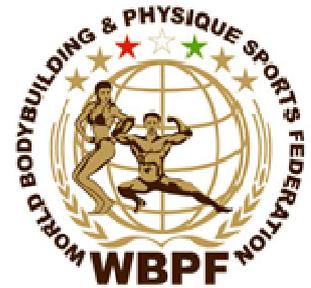
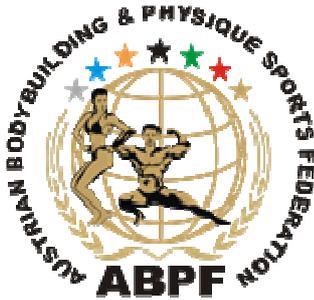


# INSPECTION REPORT



of the

**9<sup>th</sup> INTERNATIONAL AUSTRIAN CHAMPIONSHIPS and AUSTRIAN NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS 2018**

**AUSTRIAN NEWCOMER CHAMPIONSHIPS Model Physique (F) / Sport Physique (M) 2018**

**on 19<sup>th</sup> May, 2018**

**at Lugner City Mall, Vienna, Austria**

**Total Prize Money € 1.500,-**

## WELCOME MESSAGE OF THE ORGANIZER

Dear athletes, delegates and Bodybuilding and Physique Sports enthusiasts!

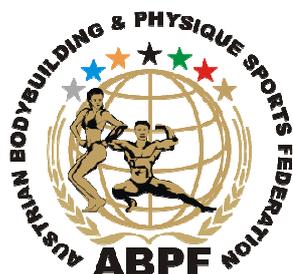
The Austrian Bodybuilding & Physique Sports Federation (ABPF) is proud to organize and conduct the 9<sup>th</sup> International Austrian Championships sanctioned by the World Bodybuilding & Physique Sports Federation (WBPF). We wish to extend our great pleasure and a warm welcome to all participants of these championships in Vienna, the capital city of Austria.

After the 8<sup>th</sup> International Austrian Championships on 20<sup>th</sup> May and the 8<sup>th</sup> International Austria Cup and 2<sup>nd</sup> Vienna Pro on 23<sup>rd</sup> September last year this is now the eleventh international event being organized and conducted at Lugner City Mall by ABPF under the leadership of its President Mag. Axel Bauer. Richard Lugner, the owner of the mall named after him, is a world-famous celebrity and strong supporter of bodybuilding and physique sports in Austria. Due to that we love to choose this venue site which also offers a lot of advantages.

You can be assured that during your visit we will do our best to make your stay comfortable, entertaining and unforgettable and to make these championships a great success.

Yours in sport

Mag. Axel Bauer  
ABPF President



Mag. Horst Leser  
ABPF Secretary General

## **TRAVEL INFORMATION**

Austria is an alpine country in Central Europe with about 8.8 million people. The majority of the population speaks the official language German but many Austrians can also speak English. The official currency is the Euro (100 Eurocent is 1 Euro). The time zone is Central European Time (Coordinated Universal Time + 1 hour) except from the end of March to the end of October. For the competition the time zone is Central European Summer Time (Coordinated Universal Time + 2 hours). Concerning mains electricity the plug type is C and F, the residential voltage is 230 V and the frequency is 50 Hz.

Next to a highly developed industry, international tourism is the most important part of the national economy. Between 2005 and 2010 Vienna, the capital and largest city of Austria with a population of about 1.8 million, was the world's number-one destination for international congresses and conventions and still attracts over 6.8 million tourists a year. For further information just open the website [www.wien.info](http://www.wien.info) in a browser and choose a language in the sub-menu "Deutsch"!

Vienna is served by Vienna International Airport, located 18 km southeast of the city centre. The Vienna S-Bahn line S7 provides the cheapest local service to the city centre taking approx. 25 minutes. The more expensive City Airport Train connects the airport directly to Wien Mitte railway station, close to the city centre, in just 16 minutes. Furthermore, there are buses from the airport to various places in Vienna. Of course, there are several taxi companies that operate at the airport and car rental facilities are also available. The railway system connects Vienna with other European cities, like Munich, Venice, Budapest, Prague, Bratislava and Zürich. Vienna has multiple road connections including motorways. In Vienna public transport is provided by buses, trams and 5 underground metro lines. Concerning the weather in May the lowest temperatures can range between 13 and 16 degrees Celsius and the highest between 20 and 26 degrees Celsius.

## **VENUE SITE**

The "Lugner City" is a shopping mall and office building located directly on the so called "Gürtel" (the belt) in the 15<sup>th</sup> district of Vienna. There you can find all kind of shops and restaurants, an entertainment complex with cinemas, the modern fully equipped gym "McFIT" and the official four-star hotel "arte" that is located in the same building. The competition will take place on the "Show-Bühne" (stage) that is located in the centre of the mall. The stage can be viewed from all floors and three sides (front, left and right) so a maximum visibility is granted. The official address is:

Lugner City  
1150 Wien  
Gablenzgasse 12-15  
phone: +43 1 98150 0  
fax: +43 1 98150 98

The mall can be easily reached with the metro line U6, station "Burggasse-Stadthalle", exit "Burggasse". On Saturdays (competition day), parking in the Lugner City garage is free of charge from 9 a.m. to midnight!

## **OFFICIAL HOTEL**

The official hotel recommended by the organizer is the four-star hotel "arte" that is located in the same building as the venue site. The address is:

arte Hotel Wien  
Wurzbachgasse 17  
1150 Wien  
phone: +43 1 7898899

e-mail: willkommen@artewien.at  
homepage: www.artewien.at

We have made a special arrangement to grant corporate rates to all participants (athletes/delegates/supporters/media personal). The room rates are about € 90,- for the double room and about € 68,- for the single room (without breakfast but with WLAN) depending on the time of the actual booking and the availability. The rooms can be booked directly at the hotel using the code words "Austrian Championships".

An alternative recommendation for the budget customer would be the hostel "A & O Wien Stadthalle". The prices begin from € 27,- per person and night. The address is:

A & O Wiener Stadthalle  
Lerchenfelder Gürtel 9-11  
1160 Vienna  
phone: +43 1 4930480-3900  
internet: www.aohostels.com/de/wien/wien-stadthalle

There are many more nice hotels available near the venue site but it is recommended to make hotel bookings as early as possible to get better rates.

## COMPETITION SCHEDULE

The weigh in takes place on Friday 18<sup>th</sup> May 2018 from 16 to 18 p.m. and on Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> May 2018 from 10 to 12.30 a.m. at the stage in Lugner City mall.

The competition will start on Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> May 2018 at 2 p.m. The categories and their planned order are:

1. AUSTRIAN NEWCOMER CHAMPIONSHIPS (only for Austrians!):  
**WOMEN'S Model Physique**
2. INTERNATIONAL AUSTRIAN CHAMPIONSHIPS und AUSTRIAN CHAMPIONSHIPS:  
**WOMEN'S Model Physique** -160cm/-165cm/-170cm/+170cm height  
**WOMEN'S Sport Physique** -165cm/+165cm height  
**WOMEN'S Athletic Physique** -165cm/+165cm height  
Overall: WOMEN'S Model Physique  
**MEN'S Juniors Bodybuilding** -75kg/+75kg Bodymass  
**MEN'S Masters Bodybuilding - 50 years** -80kg/+80kg Bodymass  
**MEN'S Masters Bodybuilding + 50 years/ + 60 years**
3. AUSTRIAN NEWCOMER CHAMPIONSHIPS (only for Austrians!):  
**MEN'S Sport Physique - NOTE MAXIMUM BODYMASS:**  
-170cm height: height(cm) minus 102; -175cm height: height(cm) minus 100; -180cm height: height (cm) minus 98; +180cm height: height (cm) -96.
4. INTERNATIONAL AUSTRIAN CHAMPIONSHIPS und AUSTRIAN CHAMPIONSHIPS:  
**MEN'S Sport Physique - NOTE MAXIMUM BODYMASS:**  
-170cm height: height(cm) minus 102; -175cm height: height(cm) minus 100; -180cm height: height(cm) minus 98; +180cm height: height(cm) -96.  
**MEN'S Athletic Physique - NOTE MAXIMUM BODYMASS:**  
-160cm height: height(cm) minus 98; -167cm height: height(cm) minus 96; -175cm height: height(cm) minus 94; -182cm height: height (cm) -92, +182cm height: height(cm) -90.  
**MEN'S Bodybuilding** -80kg/-90kg/-100kg/+100kg Bodymass  
Overall: MEN'S Bodybuilding
5. Qualification for European Championships (only for Austrians!)

Attention: If there are less than 3 competitors in one category this category can be united with another one and if there are more than 10 competitors in a planned category this category can be divided in two categories. That is why the categories and their order will be finally determined after the weigh in!

## PARTICIPATION AND REGISTRATION

To compete in the 9<sup>th</sup> International Austrian Championships or Austrian Championships

- you have to be at least 16 years old, as Junior you are born in 1997 or you are younger and as Master you are born in 1968 or you are older.
- you have to **register by writing** to the organizer ABPF, Favoritenstraße 26/6, 1040 Wien, Austria and mentioning your surname and given name, nationality, date of birth, height, planned weight and category or categories and payment method of the registration fee either by fax under the number +43 1 7105499-9 or by E-mail to office@wbpf.at (subject: REG9IACH+your name) **no later than 14<sup>th</sup> May 2018**.
- you have the permission of your national WBPF-federation if you are not Austrian and have no residence in Austria.
- you have an appropriate physical development according to the final and binding decision of the chief judge.
- you pay the **registration fee per category** (double start is possible) and **the coach fee (if you have one)**. If paid **in advance** via bank transfer to the organizer ABPF, IBAN AT63 1100 0086 4558 6200 (Fill in your surname and given name in the field "payment reference"!) and **receipt no later than 16<sup>th</sup> May 2018** the registration fee is **€ 40,-** and if paid **in cash** during the weigh in it is **€ 50,- per category**. The coach fee is **€ 20,-** and if paid **in cash** during the weigh in it is **€ 25,-!** It is possible to register one coach for one or more athletes. Note: It is not possible to enter the preparation rooms without an accreditation as coach.

National federations that wish to bring a judge are welcome provided that the judge carries an international judges card and is appropriately dressed in the official WBPF uniform (grey suit, white shirt, official tie). All international WBPF judges will be considered for judging.

## AWARDS

During the weigh in every participant receives a meal (diet or normal food) and beverage voucher valid for the restaurant "Jacky's" in Lugner City mall and a diploma (certificate of participation) during the victory ceremony. According to their placement the top three of each category receive a medal (gold, silver or bronze), 3<sup>rd</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> place receive additionally a cup and 1<sup>st</sup> place receives a statuette. **Women's Overall** winner receives a **wrist watch and € 500,-** and **Men's Overall** winner receives also a **wrist watch and € 1000,-!**

## COMPETITION RULES

The competition is conducted according to the WBPF rules book except for the scoring rounds. There is only one and final round! Concerning the posing music with a maximum duration of 60 seconds athletes can either use a CD (music at the beginning) or a USB flash drive (containing the music only).

**Antidoping controls** according to the WADA rules can be conducted!

Tanning: For women's model and sport physique and men's sport physique competitors air-brush tan is obligatory. ABPF is cooperating with PROTAN and recommends the use of their services for the best possible appearance on stage. The price for tanning is

- for all women categories € 50,-
- for all men's physique categories € 60,-
- for all men's bodybuilding categories € 65,-

The prices mentioned include the application of the extra products

- Show Shine: ultralight oil mainly for women
- Muscle Juice: posing oil for a brighter shine

- Lock down: prevents the dissolving of the color (sweat production)
- Hot Stuff: oil that enhances the vascularity and the pump up of the muscles
- Bikini Bite: fixes the bikini that it stays where it has to be!

The extra products can also be ordered separately. The price is € 5,- per application. All products bought from [www.protan.at](http://www.protan.at) will be sprayed on for free if the bill is presented. The organizer highly recommends to reserve online for all services like make up (€ 35,-), tattoo covering (price from € 20,-) and hair style (€ 25,-)!

## **TICKETS**

There is only a **limited number of VIP-tickets for € 50,- each** that grant a seat and a meal and beverage voucher valid for the restaurant "Jacky's" in Lugner City mall. These tickets can be bought in advance from ABPF, office of President Mag. Axel Bauer, Favoritenstraße 26/6, 1040 Wien, Austria, phone: +43 1 7105499, fax: ad 9, E-Mail: [office@wbpf.at](mailto:office@wbpf.at). Entry free.

## **TROUBLE SHOOTING**

If you need any help or have questions that are not covered by this report please feel free to contact the organizer!

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