



# 2026 UEC TRACK Juniors & U23 EUROPEAN CHAMPIONSHIPS

Cottbus (Germany)

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## TECHNICAL GUIDE

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## 1. OFFICIAL REPRESENTATIVES

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### 1.1. LOCAL ORGANIZING COMMITTEE (LOC)

Event Director	Axel Viertler	<a href="mailto:info@rsc-cottbus.de">info@rsc-cottbus.de</a>	(+49) 172 3534633
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Event website <https://bahnrad-em-cottbus.de/>

### 1.2. UEC REPRESENTATIVES

#### *UEC Management Board*

President	Enrico Della Casa (ITA/SUI)
Vice President	Katarina Jakubova (SVK)
Vice President	Raivo Rand (EST)
Vice President	Georgios Georgiou (CYP)
Member	Bernd Dankowski (GER)
Member	Dafna Lang (ISR)
Member	Sabrina Tsakona Twiss (GRE)

UEC General Secretary Alasdair MacLennan (GBR)

UEC Events Coordinator	Tiziana Lardieri (SUI)
UEC Technical Coordinator	Jos Smets (BEL)
UEC Chef de Piste	Fabio Perego (ITA)
UEC Press Officer	Stefano Bertolotti (ITA)
UEC Photographer	Tommaso Pelagalli (ITA)
UEC Video	Christian Bohm (ITA)

#### *UEC Track Commission*

President	Martin LOLLERGAARD (DEN)
Member	Roberta VAINAUSKIENE (LTU)
Member	Miriam WELTE (GER)
Member	Yarden GAZIT (ISR)
Member	Gabriel MENDES (POR)
Member	Yannick POUHEY (FRA)
Member	Robert SLIPPENS (NED)



## 2. GENERAL INFORMATION

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### 2.1. TRAVEL AND ACCOMMODATION

Travel and accommodation expenses to and from Cottbus must be covered by the National Federations.

#### **Airports**

Nearest airports: Berlin (BER), Dresden (DRS)

Transportation from the airport to Cottbus and vice versa is possible to arrange with the Organiser for extra payment agreed mutually.

#### **Train**

For more information, please visit the following website: [www.bahn.de](http://www.bahn.de)

All participants must hold a valid passport or identity card.

Accommodation requests must be submitted directly to the official travel contacts, below:

#### **Official travel contact**

Contact persons:

Reinhard Semmler	<a href="mailto:ino@rsc-cottbus.de">ino@rsc-cottbus.de</a>	(+49) 175 5982791
Michaela Klaucke	<a href="mailto:rscottbus@gmx.de">rscottbus@gmx.de</a>	(+49) 355 474670

### 2.2. VISAS

Visa obligations must be respected.

Each federation is responsible for obtaining documents for their delegation appropriate entries.

For further information, please visit the embassy website:

<https://www.auswaertiges-amt.de/de/service/visa-und-aufenthalt/visa/207794>

For all invitation letter requests please contact the UEC: [mail@uec.ch](mailto:mail@uec.ch)

All riders and attendants must hold insurance valid in Germany.

### 2.3. OFFICIAL ADDRESS OF THE COMPETITION VENUE

#### **Sportzentrum Cottbus**

Dresdener Str. 18,  
D-03050 Cottbus

#### **Track characteristics**

Length: 333,33 meters outdoor concrete with epoxy resin track.

Width: 7,5 meters

Bend inclination: turns = 41.88° (max.)      straights = 10.0° (min.)

## 2.4. VENUE LAYOUT



## 2.5. ACCOMMODATION

### UEC Official hotel:

<https://garnerhotels.com/cottbus>

+49 355 3553720

[n.weiss@novum-hospitality.com](mailto:n.weiss@novum-hospitality.com)

### List of hotels for teams selected by the Organiser:

<https://bahnrad-em-cottbus.de/de/info.html>

contact: Michaela Klaucke

[rscottbus@gmx.de](mailto:rscottbus@gmx.de)

(+49) 355 474670

## 2.6. MEDICAL – EMERGENCY – LOCAL AUTHORITIES

A team of doctors and paramedics will be present onsite throughout official training sessions and competitions. The medical team will be based in the track centre during official training and competition days.

Official Race Doctor: Markus Zimmer Phone: +49 157 85511556

### Nearest Hospitals

Carl-Thiem Klinikum Cottbus,  
Thiemstr. 111, 03048 Cottbus

Phone: +49 355 460

Central emergency unit: +49 355 46 2959

Distance from Cottbus: 1 km

**Emergency ambulance** Phone: 112

**Police** Phone : 110

### Riders safety on the roads

- After dark you will require a front and back light fitted to your bike.
- Ensure you adhere to all road signs and do not ride on the footway, this is illegal and may result in a fine.
- Please make sure you have your ID with you when you are outside the venue.

### 3. TEAM SERVICES

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#### 3.1. ACCREDITATION

Team Accreditations can be collected from Saturday, 4 July 2026, at the accreditation centre / permanence, during the opening hours:

Sportzentrum Cottbus, Freizeitzone, Dresdener Str. 18, D-03050 Cottbus

Please ensure that you collect your accreditation as soon as you arrive at the Velodrome as it will be required for access to all parts of the venue. Accreditations must be worn and visible whenever you pass through accreditation controls.

#### Accreditation centre / Permanence opening hours

Friday	3 July		13:00 – 18:30
Saturday	4 July	08:00 – 12:00	13:00 – 18:30
Sunday	5 July	08:00 – 12:00	13:00 – 18:30
Monday	6 July	09:00 – 12:00	13:00 – 18:00
Tuesday	7 July	09:00 – 13:00	14:00 – 18:00
Wednesday	8 July	09:00 – 13:00	14:30 – 18:00
Thursday	9 July	09:00 – 13:00	14:30 – 18:00
Friday	10 July	10:00 – 13:00	14:30 – 18:00
Saturday	11 July	10:00 – 13:00	14:30 – 18:00
Sunday	12 July	10:00 – 12:30	13:30 – 17:00

Please be mindful that many of the event personnel you will encounter at the velodrome are volunteers so please treat them with courtesy, as without them the event would not be able to happen.

At the permanence important event information can be found such as training schedules, team cabins, car parking, messages, lost property, etc.

#### 3.2. COMMISSAIRES PANEL MEETING

Date: Monday 6 July Time: 09:00 until 09:45  
Location: Sportzentrum Cottbus, Vereinsheim RSC Cottbus, Dresdener Str. 18, D-03050 Cottbus

#### 3.3. CONFIRMATION OF STARTERS / LICENSE CHECK

Date: Monday 6 July Time: 10:00 until 13:00  
Location: Sportzentrum Cottbus, Freizeitzone, Dresdener Str. 18, D-03050 Cottbus

Team managers must confirm all starters, presenting all licenses (with passport or copy for the Juniors category) and provide a sample of teams' apparel. Moreover, in order to accelerate the preparation of the start lists we would be grateful if each nation could provide us a list with the best time/result realized of their riders in timed events.

To assist the National Federations with the final confirmation, an online tool has been created: the UEC Events Check-In System. This will give coaches and team managers the opportunity to upload information on starters in each event remotely in a 2-day window immediately prior to final confirmation and license check. The check-in system will open on Friday 3 July at 15:00 CET. You can log in using the following link: <https://uec.timing-technology.com>.

#### 3.4. TEAM MANAGERS MEETING

Date: Monday 6 July Time: 19:00  
Location: Stadthaus Cottbus, Erich-Kästner-Platz 1, 03046 Cottbus

Riders' numbers will be distributed during that meeting. We request a maximum representation of two people per team attend the meeting.

Attendance is required by UCI and National Commissaires, Team Managers, Event Director, UEC Track Coordinator, UEC representative, UEC Events coordinator, UEC Technical coordinator and UEC Chef de Piste.

### 3.5. TEAM PARKING AREA

Teams should park in the designated spaces around the Velodrome.



### 3.6. TEAM STORAGE AREA

Each team is allocated a space in the storage areas, velodrome inside.

These areas are provided with lighting and covered with security 24 hours a day starting from Saturday, 4 July.

Teams who arrive prior should contact the velodrome, through the email [info@rsc-cottbus.de](mailto:info@rsc-cottbus.de) to see if further arrangements can be made at teams' costs.

The Organiser will meet each team on arrival and show the designated space.

Teams should bring their own lockers because as this common area will be shared with other teams.

Teams will be able to access the storage areas from **Saturday, 4 July 13:00** until **Sunday, 12 July 20:00**.

### 3.7. TEAM BOXES (infield)

**Team boxes will be available from Friday, 3 July at 13:00.** Team boxes are allocated in the track centre taking into account the size of each team. Due to the large number of people on the track centre, the space is limited. Please ensure equipment does not excessively narrow or block walkways.

Team boxes will have one table, chairs and bike racks. No furniture is allowed to be removed from the allocated box, from the infield or chained up.

#### Power supply in team boxes

Teams boxes will be powered with 230V, standard 2-pin outlet. The venue requires that all electrical equipment meets German Standards and Safety requirements. Teams must have all appliances tested and tagged by a qualified electrician.

**Please do not plug extension leads into this socket or kettles**, coffee machines or fan heaters as they use high power consumption and may cause the supply to fail.

### 3.8. TEAMS CHANGING ROOMS

There are male / female changing rooms and shower facilities available at the velodrome.

### 3.9. RIDING BICYCLES IN THE VENUE

Riding bicycles in the corridors of the velodrome is prohibited at all times. Bicycles are only to be ridden within the warm up zone and on the track.

#### Tunnel safety measures:

- The tunnel must remain free of obstacles.
- Are **NOT** allowed in the tunnel:
  - o Cycling
  - o Standing starts
  - o Rollers

### 3.10. TEAM PERFORMANCE ANALYSTS

An area will be provided for sports scientists on the home straight concourse. Availability is limited.

All NF wishing to utilize this facility must book their position with the Organiser, prior to their arrival and **no later than Monday 15 June 2026.**

The cost of this service (price to be confirmed on booking request)\* will need to be borne by the teams. Bookings will be made on a first come, first served basis.

Please note: Price will vary depending on the request and the provider doing the service. NF will not be able to set up their own wireless networks as they interfere with other equipment in use by LOC. All those private set ups will be immediately removed by the LOC.

## 4. MEDIA

### 4.1. MEDIA AREA

The Main Media Area is located in the infield the track. In the infield: extra tent next to the storage areas. In order to access the Media Area an accreditation is necessary.

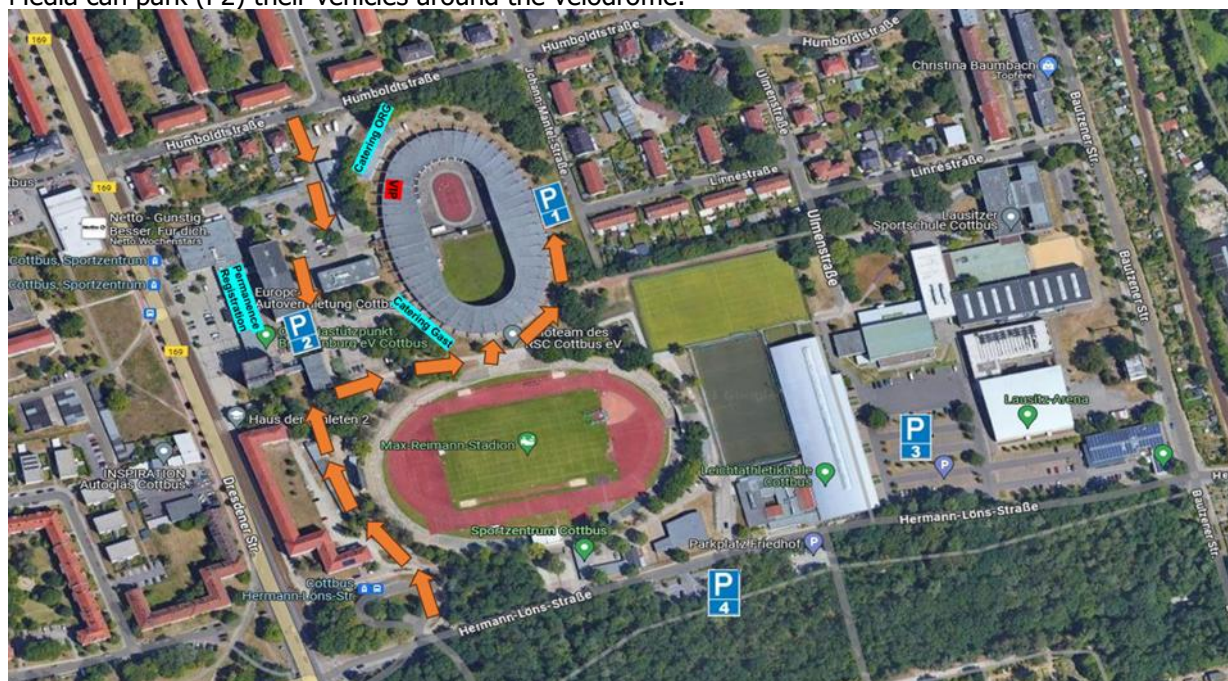
To apply for media accreditation, please visit the UEC website <https://www.uec.ch/en/media>

Media accreditation needs to be collected at the accreditation centre/ permanence and photographers' bib's will be distributed in the media area during the opening hours.

Please ensure that you collect your accreditation as soon as you arrive at the velodrome as it will be required for access to all parts of the venue. Accreditations must be worn and visible whenever you pass through accreditation controls.

For any further inquire please contact Stefano Bertolotti: [s.bertolotti@uec.ch](mailto:s.bertolotti@uec.ch) or the local Press Officer Thomas Juschus + [thomasjuschus@yahoo.de](mailto:thomasjuschus@yahoo.de), +49 163 6996636

Media can park (P2) their vehicles around the velodrome.



### 4.2. INTERVIEW ZONE

Next to the Awards Ceremony podium, a flash interview zone will be organised open for the media.

## 5. PROGRAMME

### 5.1. TRAINING SCHEDULE

#### 5.1.1. Official training sessions

The detailed schedule will be announced after the end of the registrations.

##### Saturday, 4 July

08.30 – 13.00	Official Training	1 hour and 30 min. per group
13.30 – 19.30	Official Training	1 hour and 30 min. per group

##### Sunday, 5 July

08.30 – 13.00	Official Training	1 hour and 30 min. per group
13.30 – 19.30	Official Training	1 hour and 30 min. per group

##### Monday, 6 July

08.30 – 13.00	Official Training	1 hour and 30 min. per group
13.30 – 19.30	Official Training	1 hour and 30 min. per group

- Training behind a deryn or motorbike is prohibited during official training.
- Using the starting blocks is not permitted during any of the sessions.
- Standing starts are permitted during official training sessions only, under the following conditions :
  - on the home straight only
  - with the assistance of someone waving a flag at the exit of the 4th bend to warn the other riders present on the track
  - in the last 30' during official training sessions and in coordination with the other nations in the same session.
  - with the approval of the UEC Chef de Piste and/or commissaires overseeing the training sessions

#### 5.1.2. Open training & Warm-up sessions during the competition

- Training behind a deryn or motorbike is prohibited during any of the sessions.
- Using the starting blocks is not permitted during any of the sessions.
- Standing starts are only permitted during warm-up sessions only, under the following conditions :
  - on the home straight only
  - with the assistance of someone waving a flag at the exit of the 4th bend to warn the other riders present on the track
  - in the last 15' during the warm-up sessions prior to team sprint or kilometre events
  - with the approval of the UEC Chef de Piste and/or commissaires overseeing the training sessions.
- Madison exchanges will only be allowed during the Madison training sessions

##### a. Every competition day in the morning

- Venue will open 2:00 hours before the competition start.
- Warm-up will start 1h30' before the competition start only for competition riders of the day.
- End of warm-up 15 minutes before the competition start.

##### b. Between session 1 and session 2

- After end of session 1: start open training if possible.
- Last 45' before start of session 2: warm-up only for competition riders of the 2nd session.
- 15' before start of session 2: end of warm-up

##### c. Madison specific training

Thursday, 9 July	15.15 – 15.45 Organised training session for Madison Women U23
	15.45 – 16.15 Organised training session for Madison Men U23
Saturday, 11 July	14.00 – 14:30 Organised training session for Madison Women Juniors <b>(mandatory for all participating nations)</b>
	14.30 - 15.00 Organised training session for Madison Men Juniors <b>(mandatory for all participating nations)</b>

### UNOFFICIAL TRAINING:

The velodrome may accept teams before the Official Training sessions, with scheduled rental hours.  
Please contact: Detlef Uibel , [detlef.uibel@rad-net.de](mailto:detlef.uibel@rad-net.de) , +49 163 3541675

## 5.2. DETAILED VENUE SCHEDULE

### Saturday, 4 July

08:00	Venue open for Riders / Teams
08:00	Permanence open
08:30 – 13:00	Official training
13:30 – 19:30	Official training
18:30	Permanence closed
20:00	Infield closed

### Sunday, 5 July

08:00	Venue open for Riders / Teams
08:00	Permanence open
08:30 – 13:00	Official training
13:30 – 19:30	Official training
18:30	Permanence closed
20:00	Infield closed

### Monday, 6 July

08:00	Venue open for Riders / Teams
08:00	Permanence open
08:30 – 13:00	Official training
10:00 – 13:00	License Check
13:30 – 19:30	Official training
19:00 – 20:00	Team managers meeting
19:00	Permanence closed
20:30	Infield closed

### Tuesday, 7 July

08:00	Venue open for Riders / Teams ( <b>not</b> allowed on the track!)
08:30 – 09:45	Warm-up session (Only for events of the day)
<b>10:00 - 14:29</b>	<b>Session 1</b>
15:00 – 16:15	Open training
16:15 – 16:45	Warm-up session (Only for events of the 2 <sup>nd</sup> session)
<b>17:00 – 20:21</b>	<b>Session 2 + award ceremonies</b>
21:00	Venue and maintenance area closed

### Wednesday, 8 July

08:00	Venue open for Riders / Teams ( <b>not</b> allowed on the track!)
08:30 – 09:15	Warm-up session (Only for events of the day)
<b>09:30 – 10:00</b>	<b>Qualifying Elimination race MJ (if needed)</b>
<b>10:00 - 15:58</b>	<b>Session 1</b>
16:15 – 16:45	Warm-up session (Only for events of the 2 <sup>nd</sup> session)
<b>17:00 – 20:49</b>	<b>Session 2 + award ceremonies</b>
21:00	Venue and maintenance area closed

#### Thursday, 9 July

08:00	Venue open for Riders / Teams ( <b>not</b> allowed on the track!)
08:30 – 09:15	Open training
09:15 – 09:45	Warm-up session (Only for events of the day)
<b>10:00 – 15:06</b>	<b>Session 1</b>
15:15 – 15:45	Organized training session Madison WU23
15:45 – 16:15	Organized training session Madison MU23
16:15 – 16:45	Warm-up session (Only for events of the 2 <sup>nd</sup> session)
<b>17:00 – 20:20</b>	<b>Session 2 + award ceremonies</b>
21:00	Venue and maintenance area closed

#### Friday, 10 July

08:00	Venue open for Riders / Teams ( <b>not</b> allowed on the track!)
08:30 – 09:45	Warm-up session (Only for events of the day)
<b>10:00 - 13:58</b>	<b>Session 1</b>
14:15 – 15:15	Open training
15:15 – 15:45	Warm-up session (Only for events of the 2 <sup>nd</sup> session)
<b>16:00 – 21:26</b>	<b>Session 2 + award ceremonies</b>
21:30	Venue and maintenance area closed

#### Saturday, 11 July

08:00	Venue open for Riders / Teams ( <b>not</b> allowed on the track!)
08:30 – 09:15	Open training
09:15 – 09:45	Warm-up session (Only for events of the day)
<b>10:00 - 13:23</b>	<b>Session 1</b>
14:00 – 14:30	Organized training session Madison WJ <b>(mandatory for all participating nations)</b>
14:30 – 15:00	Organized training session Madison MJ <b>(mandatory for all participating nations)</b>
15:15 – 15:45	Warm-up session (Only for events of the 2 <sup>nd</sup> session)
<b>16:00 - 20:53</b>	<b>Session 2 + award ceremonies</b>
21:30	Venue and maintenance area closed

#### Sunday, 12 July

08:00	Venue open for Riders / Teams ( <b>not</b> allowed on the track!)
08:30 – 09:45	Warm-up session (Only for events of the day)
<b>10:00 – 12:33</b>	<b>Session 1</b>
12:45 – 13:15	Warm-up session (Only for events of the 2 <sup>nd</sup> session)
<b>13:30 – 18:23</b>	<b>Session 2 + award ceremonies</b>
20:00	Venue and maintenance area closed for riders/teams/press

### 5.3. COMPETITION SCHEDULE

DAY 1 - Tuesday 7th July 2026				
08:00	Venue open for teams & riders (not allowed on the track)			
08:30-09:45	Warm-up session (only for the races of the day)			
Session 1				
10:00	WU23	Individual Pursuit 4000 m	Qualifying	1:03
	MU23	Individual Pursuit 4000 m	Qualifying	1:07
	WJ	Team Pursuit	Qualifying	0:35
	MJ	Team Pursuit	Qualifying	1:15
	MU23	Team Sprint	Qualifying	0:16
	MJ	Team Sprint	Qualifying	0:13
14:29	4:29			
15:00-16:15	Open training			
16:15-16:45	Warm-up session (only for 2nd session races)			
Session 2				
17:00	MU23	Team Sprint	First Round	0:13
	MJ	Team Sprint	First Round	0:12
	WJ	<b>Scratch Race</b>	<b>Final 8 km</b>	<b>0:15</b>
	WU23	<b>Elimination Race</b>	<b>Final</b>	<b>0:18</b>
	WU23	<b>Individual Pursuit</b>	<b>Finals 3rd-4th and 1st-2nd</b>	<b>0:13</b>
	MU23	<b>Individual Pursuit</b>	<b>Finals 3rd-4th and 1st-2nd</b>	<b>0:11</b>
	WJ	<b>Scratch Race</b>	<b>Award Ceremony (main entrance)</b>	<b>0:08</b>
	WU23	<b>Elimination Race</b>	<b>Award Ceremony (main entrance)</b>	<b>0:08</b>
	WU23	<b>Individual Pursuit</b>	<b>Award Ceremony (main entrance)</b>	<b>0:08</b>
	MU23	<b>Individual Pursuit</b>	<b>Award Ceremony (main entrance)</b>	<b>0:08</b>
	MU23	<b>Team Sprint</b>	<b>Finals 3rd-4th and 1st-2nd</b>	<b>0:08</b>
	MJ	<b>Team Sprint</b>	<b>Finals 3rd-4th and 1st-2nd</b>	<b>0:06</b>
	MJ	<b>Scratch Race</b>	<b>Final 8 km</b>	<b>0:15</b>
	MU23	<b>Elimination Race</b>	<b>Final</b>	<b>0:18</b>
	MU23	<b>Team Sprint</b>	<b>Award Ceremony (main entrance)</b>	<b>0:12</b>
	MJ	<b>Team Sprint</b>	<b>Award Ceremony (main entrance)</b>	<b>0:12</b>
MJ	<b>Scratch Race</b>	<b>Award Ceremony (main entrance)</b>	<b>0:08</b>	
MU23	<b>Elimination Race</b>	<b>Award Ceremony (main entrance)</b>	<b>0:08</b>	
20:21	3:21			

<b>DAY 2 - Wednesday 8th July 2026</b>				
08:00	Venue open for teams & riders (not allowed on the track)			
08:30-09:15	Warm-up session (only for the races of the day)			
09:30-10:00	Qualifying Elimination race MJ (if needed)			
<b>Session 1</b>				
<b>10:00</b>	WU23	Team Pursuit	Qualifying	0:41
	MU23	Team Pursuit	Qualifying	1:02
	WJ	Team Pursuit	First round	0:28
	MJ	Team Pursuit	First round	0:27
	MJ	1 km Time Trial	Qualifying (8 qualif.)	1:04
	MU23	1 km Time Trial	Qualifying (8 qualif.)	1:04
	WU23	Team Sprint	Qualifying	0:26
	WJ	Team Sprint	Qualifying	0:26
	MJ	Elimination Race	Qualifying	0:20
<b>15:58</b>				<b>5:58</b>
16:15-16:45	Warm-up session (only for 2nd session races)			
<b>Session 2</b>				
<b>17:00</b>	<b>MJ</b>	<b>1 km Time Trial</b>	<b>Final</b>	<b>0:24</b>
	<b>MU23</b>	<b>1 km Time Trial</b>	<b>Final</b>	<b>0:24</b>
	WU23	Team Sprint	First Round	0:13
	WJ	Team Sprint	First Round	0:12
	<b>WJ</b>	<b>Team Pursuit</b>	<b>Finals 3rd-4th and 1st-2nd</b>	<b>0:14</b>
	<b>MJ</b>	<b>Team Pursuit</b>	<b>Finals 3rd-4th and 1st-2nd</b>	<b>0:14</b>
	<b>MJ</b>	<b>1km Time Trial</b>	<b>Award Ceremony (main entrance)</b>	<b>0:08</b>
	<b>MU23</b>	<b>1km Time Trial</b>	<b>Award Ceremony (main entrance)</b>	<b>0:08</b>
	<b>WJ</b>	<b>Team Pursuit</b>	<b>Award Ceremony (main entrance)</b>	<b>0:12</b>
	<b>MJ</b>	<b>Team Pursuit</b>	<b>Award Ceremony (main entrance)</b>	<b>0:12</b>
	<b>WU23</b>	<b>Team Sprint</b>	<b>Finals 3rd-4th and 1st-2nd</b>	<b>0:07</b>
	<b>WJ</b>	<b>Team Sprint</b>	<b>Finals 3rd-4th and 1st-2nd</b>	<b>0:07</b>
	<b>MJ</b>	<b>Elimination Race</b>	<b>Final</b>	<b>0:18</b>
	<b>MU23</b>	<b>Scratch Race</b>	<b>Final 10 km</b>	<b>0:16</b>
	<b>WU23</b>	<b>Team Sprint</b>	<b>Award Ceremony (main entrance)</b>	<b>0:12</b>
	<b>WJ</b>	<b>Team Sprint</b>	<b>Award Ceremony (main entrance)</b>	<b>0:12</b>
	<b>MJ</b>	<b>Elimination Race</b>	<b>Award Ceremony (main entrance)</b>	<b>0:08</b>
	<b>MU23</b>	<b>Scratch Race</b>	<b>Award Ceremony (main entrance)</b>	<b>0:08</b>
<b>20:49</b>				<b>3:49</b>

**DAY 3 - Thursday 9th July 2026**

08:00	Venue open for teams & riders (not allowed on the track)			
08:30-09:15	Open training			
09:15-09:45	Warm-up session (only for the races of the day)			
<b>Session 1</b>				
<b>10:00</b>	WJ	Sprint	Qualifying	0:32
	WU23	Sprint	Qualifying	0:22
	WJ	Individual Pursuit 3000 m	Qualifying	0:48
	MJ	Individual Pursuit 3000 m	Qualifying	1:10
	WJ	Sprint	1/16 finals	0:16
	WU23	Sprint	1/16 finals	0:16
	WU23	Team Pursuit	First round	0:24
	MU23	Team Pursuit	First round	0:25
	WJ	Sprint	1/8 finals	0:25
	WU23	Sprint	1/8 finals	0:28
<b>15:06</b>			<b>5:06</b>	
15:15-15:45	WU23	Madison	Organized training session	
15:45-16:15	MU23	Madison	Organized training session	
16:15-16:45	Warm-up session (only for 2nd session races)			
<b>Session 2</b>				
<b>17:00</b>	WJ	Sprint	1/4 finals 1st heat	0:13
	WU23	Sprint	1/4 finals 1st heat	0:13
	<b>WJ</b>	<b>Individual Pursuit</b>	<b>Finals 3rd-4th and 1st-2nd</b>	<b>0:11</b>
	<b>MJ</b>	<b>Individual Pursuit</b>	<b>Finals 3rd-4th and 1st-2nd</b>	<b>0:11</b>
	WJ	Sprint	1/4 finals 2nd heat	0:14
	WU23	Sprint	1/4 finals 2nd heat	0:14
	<b>WU23</b>	<b>Scratch Race</b>	<b>Final 10 km</b>	<b>0:18</b>
	<b>WJ</b>	<b>Individual Pursuit</b>	<b>Award Ceremony (main entrance)</b>	<b>0:08</b>
	<b>MJ</b>	<b>Individual Pursuit</b>	<b>Award Ceremony (main entrance)</b>	<b>0:08</b>
	<b>WU23</b>	<b>Scratch Race</b>	<b>Award Ceremony (main entrance)</b>	<b>0:08</b>
	WJ	Sprint	1/4 finals decider	0:04
	WU23	Sprint	1/4 finals decider	0:04
	<b>WU23</b>	<b>Team Pursuit</b>	<b>Finals 3rd-4th and 1st-2nd</b>	0:14
	<b>MU23</b>	<b>Team Pursuit</b>	<b>Finals 3rd-4th and 1st-2nd</b>	0:14
	<b>WJ</b>	<b>Elimination race</b>	<b>Final</b>	<b>0:18</b>
	<b>WU23</b>	<b>Team Pursuit</b>	<b>Award Ceremony (main entrance)</b>	<b>0:10</b>
	<b>MU23</b>	<b>Team Pursuit</b>	<b>Award Ceremony (main entrance)</b>	<b>0:10</b>
<b>WJ</b>	<b>Elimination race</b>	<b>Award Ceremony (main entrance)</b>	<b>0:08</b>	
<b>20:20</b>			<b>3:20</b>	

DAY 4 - Friday 10th July 2026					
08:00	Venue open for teams & riders (not allowed on the track)				
08:30-09:45	Warm-up session (only for the races of the day)				
Session 1					
10:00	MJ	Omnium	Qualifying Points Race 10 km	0:30	
	MU23	Sprint	Qualifying	0:37	
	WJ	Omnium - race I	Scratch Race 8 km	0:15	
	MU23	Sprint	1/16 finals	0:30	
	MJ	Omnium - race I	Scratch Race 8 km	0:15	
	MU23	Sprint	1/8 finals	0:26	
	WJ	Omnium - race II	Tempo Race 8 km	0:15	
	MJ	Keirin	1st round	0:14	
	MU23	Sprint	1/4 finals 1st heat	0:13	
	MJ	Omnium - race II	Tempo Race 8 km	0:15	
	MU23	Sprint	1/4 finals 2nd heat	0:13	
	MJ	Keirin	1st round repechages	0:09	
	MU23	Sprint	1/4 finals decider	0:06	
	13:58				3:58
14:15-15:15	Open training				
15:15-15:45	Warm-up session (only for 2nd session races)				
Session 2					
16:00	WJ	Omnium - race III	Elimination Race	0:18	
	WJ	Sprint	Semi-final 1st heat	0:07	
	WU23	Sprint	Semi-final 1st heat	0:07	
	MJ	Omnium - race III	Elimination Race	0:18	
	WJ	Sprint	Semi-final 2nd heat	0:07	
	WU23	Sprint	Semi-final 2nd heat	0:07	
	MJ	Keirin	Semi-finals	0:09	
	WJ	Sprint	Semi-final decider	0:04	
	WU23	Sprint	Semi-final decider	0:04	
	WU23	Points Race	Final 25 km	0:37	
	WJ	Sprint	Finals 1st heat	0:07	
	WU23	Sprint	Finals 1st heat	0:07	
	MJ	Keirin	Finals 7-12 and 1-6	0:09	
	WU23	Points Race	Award Ceremony (main entrance)	0:08	
	MJ	Keirin	Award Ceremony (main entrance)	0:08	
	WJ	Omnium - race IV	Points race 15 km	0:25	
	WJ	Sprint	Finals 2nd heat	0:07	
	WU23	Sprint	Finals 2nd heat	0:07	
	MU23	Points Race	Final 40 km	0:52	
	WJ	Sprint	Finals decider	0:04	
	WU23	Sprint	Finals decider	0:04	
	MJ	Omnium - race IV	Points race 20 km	0:30	
	WJ	Omnium	Award Ceremony (main entrance)	0:08	
	MU23	Points Race	Award Ceremony (main entrance)	0:08	
	WJ	Sprint	Award Ceremony (main entrance)	0:08	
	WU23	Sprint	Award Ceremony (main entrance)	0:08	
	MJ	Omnium	Award Ceremony (main entrance)	0:08	
	21:26				5:26

DAY 5 - Saturday 11th July 2026				
08:00	Venue open for teams & riders (not allowed on the track)			
08:30-09:15	Open training			
09:15-09:45	Warm-up session (only for the races of the day)			
Session 1				
10:00	MJ	Sprint	Qualifying	0:27
	WU23	Omnium - race I	Scratch Race 10 km	0:17
	MJ	Sprint	1/16 finals	0:06
	WJ	Keirin	1st round	0:14
	MJ	Sprint	1/8 finals	0:25
	MU23	Omnium - race I	Scratch Race 10 km	0:16
	WU23	Keirin	1st round	0:14
	MJ	Sprint	1/4 finals 1st heat	0:13
	WU23	Omnium - race II	Tempo Race 10 km	0:15
	WJ	Keirin	1st round repechages	0:14
	WU23	Keirin	1st round repechages	0:09
	MJ	Sprint	1/4 finals 2nd heat	0:13
	MU23	Omnium - race II	Tempo Race 10 km	0:16
	MJ	Sprint	1/4 finals decider	0:04
13:23				3:23
14:00-14:30	WJ	Madison	Mandatory training session	
14:30-15:00	MJ	Madison	Mandatory training sessin	
15:15-15:45	Warm-up session (only for 2nd session races)			
Session 2				
16:00	WU23	Omnium - race III	Elimination Race	0:18
	MU23	Sprint	Semi-final 1st heat	0:07
	MU23	Omnium - race III	Elimination Race	0:18
	MU23	Sprint	Semi-final 2nd heat	0:07
	WJ	Keirin	Semi-finals	0:09
	WU23	Keirin	Semi-finals	0:09
	MU23	Sprint	Semi-final decider	0:04
	<b>WJ</b>	<b>Points Race</b>	<b>Final 20 km</b>	<b>0:30</b>
	<b>MU23</b>	<b>Sprint</b>	<b>Finals 1st heat</b>	<b>0:07</b>
	<b>MJ</b>	<b>Points Race</b>	<b>Final 25 km</b>	<b>0:37</b>
	<b>MU23</b>	<b>Sprint</b>	<b>Finals 2nd heat</b>	<b>0:07</b>
	<b>WJ</b>	<b>Points Race</b>	<b>Award Ceremony (main entrance)</b>	<b>0:08</b>
	<b>MJ</b>	<b>Points Race</b>	<b>Award Ceremony (main entrance)</b>	<b>0:08</b>
	<b>WJ</b>	<b>Keirin</b>	<b>Finals 7-12 and 1-6</b>	<b>0:09</b>
	<b>WU23</b>	<b>Keirin</b>	<b>Finals 7-12 and 1-6</b>	<b>0:09</b>
	<b>MU23</b>	<b>Sprint</b>	<b>Finals decider</b>	<b>0:04</b>
	<b>WU23</b>	<b>Omnium - race IV</b>	<b>Points race 20 km</b>	<b>0:30</b>
	<b>MU23</b>	<b>Omnium - race IV</b>	<b>Points race 25 km</b>	<b>0:32</b>
	<b>WJ</b>	<b>Keirin</b>	<b>Award Ceremony (main entrance)</b>	<b>0:08</b>
	<b>WU23</b>	<b>Keirin</b>	<b>Award Ceremony (main entrance)</b>	<b>0:08</b>
	<b>MU23</b>	<b>Sprint</b>	<b>Award Ceremony (main entrance)</b>	<b>0:08</b>
	<b>WU23</b>	<b>Omnium</b>	<b>Award Ceremony (main entrance)</b>	<b>0:08</b>
	<b>MU23</b>	<b>Omnium</b>	<b>Award Ceremony (main entrance)</b>	<b>0:08</b>
20:53				4:53

<b>DAY 6 - Sunday 12th July 2026</b>				
08:00	Venue open for teams & riders (not allowed on the track)			
08:30-09:45	Warm-up session (only for the races of the day)			
<b>Session 1</b>				
<b>10:00</b>	WJ	1 km Time Trial	Qualifying (8 qualif.)	0:50
	WU23	1 km Time Trial	Qualifying (8 qualif.)	0:48
	MJ	Sprint	Semi-final 1st heat	0:07
	MU23	Keirin	1st round	0:18
	MJ	Sprint	Semi-final 2nd heat	0:07
	MU23	Keirin	1st round repechages	0:19
	MJ	Sprint	Semi-final decider	0:04
<b>12:33</b>				<b>2:33</b>
12:45-13:15	Warm-up session (only for 2nd session races)			
<b>Session 2</b>				
<b>13:30</b>	WJ	1 km Time Trial	Final	0:26
	WU23	1 km Time Trial	Final	0:26
	MJ	Sprint	Finals 1st heat	0:07
	WJ	Madison	Final 20 km	0:35
	MJ	Sprint	Finals 2nd heat	0:07
	MJ	Madison	Final 30 km	0:40
	MJ	Sprint	Finals decider	0:04
	WJ	1km Time Trial	Award Ceremony (main entrance)	0:08
	WU23	1km Time Trial	Award Ceremony (main entrance)	0:08
	WJ	Madison	Award Ceremony (main entrance)	0:08
	MJ	Madison	Award Ceremony (main entrance)	0:08
	MJ	Sprint	Award Ceremony (main entrance)	0:08
	MU23	Keirin	Semi-finals	0:09
	WU23	Madison	Final 25 km	0:40
	MU23	Keirin	Finals 7-12 and 1-6	0:09
	MU23	Madison	Final 40 km	0:50
	WU23	Madison	Award Ceremony (main entrance)	0:08
	MU23	Keirin	Award Ceremony (main entrance)	0:08
	MU23	Madison	Award Ceremony (main entrance)	0:08
<b>18:23</b>				<b>4:53</b>

**NOTES :**

- The competition schedule is subject to changes.
- Daily schedules will be announced on the notice board and via email.

## 6. EVENT SPECIFIC REGULATIONS

### 6.1. ARTICLE 1. GENERAL RULES

- 1.1** The Union Européenne de Cyclisme in cooperation with the Radsportclub Cottbus E.V. will organise the 2026 Track Juniors and U23 European Championships for the following disciplines.

<b>MEN U23</b>	<b>WOMEN U23</b>
Sprint	Sprint
Team Sprint	Team Sprint
1 Km TT	1 Km TT
Keirin	Keirin
Individual Pursuit 4 km	Individual Pursuit 4 km
Team Pursuit 4 km	Team Pursuit 4 km
Points race 40 km	Points race 25 km
Scratch race 10 km	Scratch race 10 km
Madison 40 km	Madison 25 km
Elimination race	Elimination race
Omnium	Omnium
<b>MEN JUNIOR</b>	<b>WOMEN JUNIOR</b>
Sprint	Sprint
Team Sprint	Team Sprint
1 Km TT	1 Km TT
Keirin	Keirin
Individual Pursuit 3 km	Individual Pursuit 3 km
Team Pursuit 4 km	Team Pursuit 4 km
Points race 25 km	Points race 20 km
Scratch race 7,5 km	Scratch race 7,5 km
Madison 30 km	Madison 20 km
Elimination race	Elimination race
Omnium	Omnium

These Championships may be contested by riders entered by their National Federation as a National Team.

- 1.2** Entries must be submitted by National Federations starting from **Saturday 6 June until Friday, 26 June 2026, 23:59 CET** (riders, staff and NF Officials) in : <https://uec.evodata.it/>

Entrants for European Championships shall hold licenses issued by a Federation affiliated to the UEC and have the nationality of the Federation submitting the entry.

**1.3** National Federations may nominate the following riders / teams to the events:

Events	Men U23 / Juniors		Women U23 / Juniors	
	entered	start	entered	start
Sprint	3	2	3	2
Keirin	3	2	3	2
Team Sprint	4	3*	4	3*
1 km TT	3	2	3	2
Individual pursuit	3	2	3	2
Team pursuit	5	4*	5	4*
Points race	2	1	2	1
Scratch race	2	1	2	1
Omnium	2	1	2	1
Madison	3	2*	3	2*
Elimination race	2	1	2	1

*\* = 1 team*

**Where the number of entries for an event exceeds the track limit, qualification heats will be added to the competition schedule.**

**1.4** The riders to contest each Championship shall be confirmed by an official of their Federation to the Commissaires, during the confirmation procedure, before the start of the Team Managers meeting.

**1.5** Riders ages shall be calculated as defined by the UCI rules.

Nevertheless, taking into account the UCI rules, articles 1.1.034, 3.2.001, 3.4.004, 9.2.024, 11.1.003 and in accordance with the UCI, the participation at the U23 competitions shall be open to riders of 18 and over.

**According to the UCI Track Regulations art. 3.2.001, only 2<sup>nd</sup> year juniors are allowed to participate in individual events of the U23 category.**

**Therefore, a Junior rider who decides to compete in an individual event of the U23 category have to announce his/her choice at the license check control and this choice will be valid for all events of the European Championships.**

**This rider won't be allowed to compete in Junior Individual and Team events.**

#### **TEAM EVENTS**

Riders in the Junior category may also contest Under 23 Championships provided that:

- ✓ Men & Women Under 23 Team Pursuit: maximum 2 junior riders per team
- ✓ Men & Women Under 23 Team Sprint: maximum 1 junior rider per team
- ✓ Men & Women Under 23 Madison: maximum 1 junior rider per team

**However, in team competitions, juniors are only permitted to participate in only one category of the team event in which they are competing.**

Examples:

- A junior competing in the U23 Team Pursuit is not allowed to participate in the Junior Team Pursuit but may contest the Junior Madison
- A junior competing in the U23 Madison, is not allowed to participate in the Junior Madison but may contest the Junior Team Pursuit

Riders who are Under 23 but registered as a member of a road trade team (World Teams, Women's World Teams, Pro Teams, Continental Teams, Women's Continental Teams) may contest the Under 23 championships.

### 1.6 Body numbers – Clothes

The riders are obliged to use the body numbers which will be supplied by the organization. Changes to these body numbers and clothes are not allowed. Riders must compete in their national jersey.

#### **Riders shall wear one (1) body number in the following events:**

1km TT, Individual Pursuit, Team Pursuit (each rider one number), Team Sprint (each rider one number).

#### **Riders shall wear two (2) body numbers in all other races, Omnium included.**

**The riders competing in Madison will receive dedicated body numbers.**

#### **Pin less number systems:**

- Bunch events : numbers must be placed on outer layer of clothing
- Individual Pursuit / TT Km / Team Pursuit / Team Sprint : number pockets permitted

### 1.7 Publication

All results, rankings and communiqués will be available in in teams announcement boards. Results will also be published on the UEC website: [www.uec.ch](http://www.uec.ch) and on the official live timing website: [www.veloresults.com](http://www.veloresults.com)

### 1.8 Unforeseen

In those events in which the regulations not specify, the commissaires panel, in conjunction with the UEC Technical delegate and the organization (where applicable), will decide.

- 1.9 As per UCI regulation 1.3.023, any rider of height 1.80m and taller, who wishes to apply for height exemption for handlebar extensions, must submit a "Rider Attestation Application" form to the UCI 15 days prior the competition, so as to appear on the "UCI Official List of Riders in Category 2 & 3 Height" document. No rider height measurements will be performed at the championships.

## 6.2. ARTICLE 2 - EVENTS REGULATIONS

### 2.1 Sprint, Individual Pursuit, 1km TT, Points Races, Keirin, Scratch, Team Pursuit, Team Sprint, Omnium, Madison.

All the above-mentioned Championships will be conducted in accordance with the UCI-regulations, subject to any exemptions approved by the UCI.

**A derogation has been granted to the UEC for the application of Articles 3.2.117 and 3.2.157 of the UCI Regulations, concerning the number of sprints in the Points Race and the Madison respectively. The UEC is authorised to use the version of these articles that will come into force on 1 September 2026, as set out in the memo published on the UCI website**

- 2.2 Where the number of entries for an event exceeds the track limit, all riders entered shall first participate in qualifying heats according to the UCI Regulations, except Elimination Juniors (see 6.2.3).

The maximum number of the riders/teams on the track will be determined by the UEC Track Commission.

### 2.3 Elimination race (as a Championship)

1. For the start of the race, riders shall line up in single file along the railing and in the sprinters lane.
2. The coaches holding their rider in the sprinters lane are followed to push them during the start but from a standstill position (2 feet on the ground at the same time).
3. Where applicable, the order of the riders shall be determined according to the UCI regulations, in respect to their current UCI Individual Track Endurance Classification.

The order for non-ranked riders, will be done by drawing lots.

Team managers are reminded to collect their LED devises next to the race secretariat/timing platform, at least 30 min. before each Elimination race.

Where the number of entries for an event exceeds the track limit, all riders entered shall first participate in qualifying heats according to the UCI Regulations. Except for the Junior category where in the interest of their development, qualifications will not be run by a scratch race but by an elimination race. A minimum of 2 riders must be eliminated, and the result of the qualifications determines the starting order in the final.

The maximum number of the riders/teams on the track will be determined by the UEC Track Commission.

## 2.4 Madison

1. One (1) team from each nation may contest each Championship.

2. The distances for each championship are:

Women Junior	20 km
Men Junior	30 km
Women U23	25 km
Men Under 23	40 km

In case of qualifying heats, the distance shall be 50% of the distance of the final.

3. The UEC Track Commission shall consider the experience of riders in the Junior Championships in deciding the number of riders to contest the final.

4. The maximum number of the riders/teams on the track will be determined by the UEC Track Commission

## 6.3. ARTICLE 3 - AWARDS

### Jersey and medals

Every European Championship will be awarded for:

The 1<sup>st</sup> place: Champion(s) jersey and Gold medal

The 2<sup>nd</sup> place: Silver medal

The 3<sup>rd</sup> place: Bronze medal

For team pursuit and team sprint, medals and jerseys will be awarded to all riders of the three teams on the podium. To receive the medal/jersey, the rider must have participated in the competition.

Winners are obliged to be in time for the awards ceremony.

Riders must present themselves in race clothing, wearing their national jersey and shall not wear a helmet, a cap a headband or glasses until they leave the podium ceremony area.



#### 6.4. ARTICLE 4 - ANTIDOPING

The event may be selected for doping controls either by the International Testing Agency (ITA) or by the National Antidoping Agency. If selected, doping controls will be conducted under the UCI Anti-Doping Rules.

The antidoping tests will take place in the office of the Olympic base in the sport centre.



#### 6.5. ARTICLE 5 - PENALTIES

The UCI penalty scale is the only one applicable.

#### 6.6. ARTICLE 6 - RESPONSABILITIES

The Organiser and UEC will not, under any circumstances, be liable to any accidents or damage that occurs during training and competitions.

The Organiser and UEC decline all responsibilities towards the riders and others in case of an accident.

For all cases not covered by these specific regulations, the UCI rules will apply. Any problems will be solved between the organizers, the Commissaires Panel and UEC officials.

## 7. APPENDIX

### Venue parking layout

