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Venue

The Cup will be held at the Nicosia Olympic Swimming Pool, which features an outdoor 50-meter pool and two outdoor 25-meter warm-up pools available for the competition.

The venue is equipped with ALGE electronic timing equipment, a video wall displaying the running time of the match, exclusion times, scores, and the names of teams and players. Four shot clocks are also available.



The Nicosia Olympic Swimming Pool adheres to International Olympic Swimming Standards and follows safety procedures for security, first aid, and fire-fighting.

Other facilities available at the complex include changing rooms and showers, meeting rooms, and a cafeteria. The spectator capacity is 1,000.

Eligibility

Boys aged 15 and under (born 2010 and after).

Organizer

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Competition Rules

The Cup will be organized in accordance with World Aquatics and COMEN water polo rules.

Each team must be accompanied by a referee. If a team is not accompanied by a referee, a penalty of €1,000 (one thousand euros) will be imposed.

Each participating country can register up to 15 players. However, during the Technical Meeting, the Delegates must submit a final list of 13 players to the Chairman of the Technical Committee.

Technical Meeting

The Technical Meeting will be held on Friday, November 7, 2025, at 19:00. All team representatives, head coaches, assistant coaches, delegates, and referees are invited to attend. The meeting place will be announced later.

Official Airport

Larnaca International Airport "Glaucos Clerides" (30 minutes from the city of Nicosia)

Host City

Nicosia, the capital of Cyprus and one of the oldest cities in our region, is a sophisticated and cosmopolitan location in the Eastern Mediterranean. Rich in history and culture, it seamlessly blends its historic past with the amenities of a modern city. With a rich and visible history spanning over 6,000 years, Nicosia has witnessed the tumultuous past of Cyprus. It is also the last divided capital of Europe, holding a significant place in European culture.

The heart of the city, enclosed within the 16th-century Venetian Walls, boasts several museums, art galleries, Byzantine churches, and many medieval and neo-classical buildings. The narrow streets retain the romantic atmosphere of the past. Although Cyprus is small in size, it offers a wealth of treasures to discover in its capital.

Dating back to the Copper Age (3000 B.C.), Nicosia is perhaps the only area in Cyprus that has been continuously inhabited to the present day, with its first inhabitants settling in the fertile Mesaoria Valley.



Nicosia's illustrious history and geographical uniqueness have made it a crossroads for some of history's most important civilizations. Imprints left by the Ptolemies, Romans,



Byzantines, Franks, Venetians, Ottomans, and the British can all be encountered in one's travels through the Old Town area. Much of Nicosia's charm and beauty is found in the old city with its labyrinthine alleyways and elegant courtyard houses. Outside the walls, the new city with its modern facilities serves as a cosmopolitan centre of a modern European capital.

Training

The Nicosia Olympic Swimming Pool will be available for training on Friday, November 7, 2025 (morning and afternoon sessions).

Full details regarding the training will be sent upon receipt of the teams' arrival date and time.



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Competition Schedule

DATE	TIME	WHITE	BLUE
Saturday, 8 November 2025	09.00	CYPRUS	ISRAEL
	10.45	MALTA	MONACO
Saturday, 8 November 2025	17.30	OPENING CEREMONY	
	18.30	CYPRUS	MALTA
	20.15	MONACO	ISRAEL
Sunday, 9 November 2025	09.00	MONACO	CYPRUS
	10.45	ISRAEL	MALTA
	12.00	AWARDS CEREMONY	