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Berlin, 6<sup>th</sup> November 2022

## Invitation to the 61<sup>st</sup> "Weißer Bär von Berlin"

Dear Madame or Sir, dear coaches, fencers and officials of the respective federation,

we, the combined organising committee of the Berliner Fechterbund e.V and the Fecht-Club Grunewald Berlin e.V. would like to bring to your attention to the

**international men's epee competition 61<sup>st</sup> "Weißer Bär von Berlin"  
on 11<sup>th</sup> /12<sup>th</sup> of February 2023,  
in the "Horst-Kober Sportzentrum."**

We invite you to participate in this traditional fencing competition. Thanks to our reliable partners and sponsors, such as the Sportmetropole Berlin, the Königliche Porzellan-Manufaktur, Eventtation and hauptstadt sport.tv, we are able to offer fencers and spectators alike a high-class fencing experience in a historic setting.

The 61<sup>st</sup> "Weiße Bär" will return to the **Horst-Kober Sportzentrum** (Glockenturmstraße 3-5, 14053 Berlin) for the preliminary fights on Saturday and the first half of Sunday. The gala finale will be fought on Sunday in the **historic Kuppelsaal**.

As in previous years you will have the possibility of paying the entry fee of € 30.00 per starter in advance by bank transfer. But you also have the opportunity to pay € 35.00 in cash on the day of the tournament.

The regulation concerning referees is adjusted to EFC regulations. This means that one referee needs to be provided for five entering fencers, two for ten entries, and three referees for 16 entries and more. They will receive a fee of € 50.00 per day employed and free accommodation in the BILDUNGSSTÄTTE DER SPORTJUGEND BERLIN insofar as we, the organising committee, are notified ahead of the competition and as long as there are rooms available (please allow for two weeks so that reservations can be made). The penalty for not providing referees has now been raised to € 500.00.

All available information to the can be found on the website **[www.bearfencing-berlin.de/en](http://www.bearfencing-berlin.de/en)**. Should you have questions for the organising committee or regards the registration process, please contact us via **[contact@bearfencing-berlin.de](mailto:contact@bearfencing-berlin.de)**.

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The registration of international fencers closes on 5<sup>th</sup> of February 2023 (but it is different for different nations, so please check your regulations).

We would like to inform you that in the week prior to and after the “Weiße Bär” we offer the opportunity to partake in fencing courses of the clubs in Berlin. Should you be interested, please let us know of your intention to participate in an informal e-mail until the 3<sup>rd</sup> of February 2023.

Furthermore, should you have any question regarding, or need of further assistance in finding accommodation, please don't hesitate to contact us.

We look forward to seeing you all in February and to welcoming you once again to the capital of Germany.

Kind regards,

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Representative of the FC Grunewald Berlin e.V.

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