



9th European Veterans Athletics Championships

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ECONOMIC SURVEY AND COSTS INCURRED BY ATHLETES

Dear Athlete,

The European Veterans Athletic Association (EVAA) and the Local Organising Committee (LOC) of San Sebastian have decided to produce a short survey about the European Veterans Athletics Championships (EVACI), particularly concerning the costs incurred by participant athletes during the Championships.

We will continue to try to improve EVACI and the aim is to know more about the economic aspects on the travel costs of athletes. It will also help us to find bids, offers and any sponsorship for the future, besides improving the cooperation between EVAA and LOC.

Otherwise, we'd like to know your opinion about different Championships services in order to help us organise a better EVACI in the future.

In this regard, we would be very grateful if you could dedicate five minutes of your time to complete the following questionnaire so as to contribute to the success of the survey.

Thanks you for your cooperation.

1. PROFILE AND GENERAL INFORMATION

GENDER Male Female

AGE 31-35
36-40
41-45
46-50
51-55
56-60
61-65
66-70
71-75
76-80
81-85
85-90
90+

COUNTRY OF ORIGIN _____

CURRENCY USED EURO OTHER specify _____

GENERAL NOTE: The entered amounts must be considered individually, so for example if 3 people travel by car, you have to indicate just a single share (total expenses divided by three).

2. JOURNEY ORGANISATION

How long was your trip?

- The duration of the Championships and more
- The duration of the Championships (5/6 days)
- Only the days of my races (3/4 days)
- Less than 3 days

When did you organise your trip?

- More than 3 months before
- One month before
- At the last moment

How did you organise your trip?

- Alone (e.g. Internet, personal knowledge, etc.)
- Travel agent
- Other (specify) _____

Would you like to benefit from dedicated athletes packages in the future? YES NO

3. TRANSPORT

What kind of transports did you use to get to the San Sebastian? (You can also indicate more than one preference)

- CAR/CAMPER

Total cost of the trip (e.g. fuel, tolls, car/camper rent) _____

- TRAIN

Total cost of the trip (train ticket and any additional costs e.g. parking) _____

- PLANE

Total cost of the trip (airfare and any additional costs e.g. parking) _____

- OTHER (specify) _____ Total cost of the trip _____

Do you incur any costs regarding local transport? YES NO
(e.g. bus, taxi)

- If so, how much money do you spend? _____

Please, rate the transports from the airport to San Sebastian from 1 to 6
(1.Very bad 2.Bad 3.Could be improved (How?) 4. Good 5. Very good 6.Excellent) _____

Please, rate the transports from the city center/hotels to the Anoeta Sports Complex from 1 to 6
(1.Very bad 2.Bad 3.Could be improved (How?) 4. Good 5. Very good 6.Excellent) _____

4. ACCOMMODATION

What kind of accommodation did you book? (You can also indicate more than one preference)

- HOTEL (stars _____) Total cost _____ daily cost _____
- APARTMENT Total cost _____ daily cost _____
- COUNTRY HOUSE Total cost _____ daily cost _____
- BED AND BREAKFAST Total cost _____ daily cost _____
- HOSTEL Total cost _____ daily cost _____
- CAMPING Total cost _____ daily cost _____
- OTHER _____ Total cost _____ daily cost _____
(specify)

Where was your accommodation situated?

- City Centre (San Sebastian)
- Surroundings of San Sebastian
- < 20km from San Sebastian
- < 60km from San Sebastian
- Others (specify) _____

Who did you share with?

- Alone
- Sharing with partner
- Sharing with athletes how many people were there? _____

5. MEALS

What kind of food do you prefer? (You can also indicate more than one preference)

- RESTAURANT Total cost _____ daily cost _____
- BAR/PUB Total cost _____ daily cost _____
- BY THE HOTEL Total cost _____ daily cost _____
- DINING AREA BY SPORT CENTRE Total cost _____ daily cost _____
- CLOSE TO THE APARTMENT Total cost _____ daily cost _____

What is/was the average cost for each meal?

- < 10 euro 11< euro<20 >21 euro

6. SPORTS COSTS

How many races did you sign up for?

- 1
- 2
- 3
- 4
- Multiple tests
- Other _____

Please, rate the registration procedure from 1 to 6

(1.Very bad 2.Bad 3.Could be improved (How?) 4. Good 5. Very good 6.Excellent) _____

What do you think about the registration fee?

- Expensive
- Normal
- Cheap

During registration, did you join the party?

YES NO

Did you incur any costs for specific technical material?

YES NO

(e.g. Clothes National team)

- If yes, how much money did you spend? _____

Did you use physiotherapy and massages services? YES NO

- If yes, how much money did you spend? _____
- If yes, is the service offered by National Federations or by the Organising Committee ?

7. OTHER COSTS

Are there other important costs that you claimed during the Championships? YES NO

If yes, can you indicate which and the total amount?

- _____ amount _____
- _____ amount _____
- _____ amount _____

Did you participate in excursions next to the Championships area? YES NO

- If yes, how much money do you spend? _____
- If no, why?
 - Lack of time
 - Need rest and being concentrate on races
 - Too expensive
 - No interest

8. COMPANIONS

Did you come with anyone? YES NO

If yes: people not involved in the races (eg. partners, friends)

people involved in the races (eg. coaches)

9. DEGREE OF APPRECIATION OF SERVICES

How did you hear about the Championship?

- Website EVAA
- Press
- Other Championships
- Website EVACI 2013
- Friends
- Others _____

Please, rate the information of the Championship that organization provides (Technical Manual, Entry Booklet, etc) from 1 to 6

(1.Very bad 2.Bad 3.Could be improved (How?) 4. Good 5. Very good 6.Excellent) _____

Please, rate the following services from 1 to 6:

(1.Very bad 2.Bad 3.Coul be improved (How?) 4. Good 5. Very good 6.Excellent)

- Information point
- Restaurant & Bar Services
- Athlete's Expo (if you visited)
- Cleaning Facilities
- Changing Rooms
- WC

Please rate the Competition Services from 1 to 6:

(1.Very bad 2.Bad 3.Could be improved (How?) 4. Good 5. Very good 6.Excellent)

- CALL ROOM
- JUDGES
- SPORTS FACILITIES
 - Velodrome
 - Ministadium
 - Hippodrome San Sebastian
 - Walk circuit
- TIC
- CLAIMS & COMPLAINTS
- RENTING OF EQUIPMENT
- RESULTS SYSTEM

10. FINAL THOUGHTS

Please, write your comments and/or suggestions.

Thanks