



# 15<sup>TH</sup> INTERNATIONAL TACHOV WOMENS CHALLENGE 2026



**APRIL 17-19, 2026**

Welcome to the Ultimate Women Recreational Ice Hockey Experience!!

Lace up your skates and get ready to join the “Rainman All-Stars” and the “HC Tachov” for the **“15<sup>TH</sup> INTERNATIONAL TACHOV WOMENS CHALLENGE 2026”** international women’s ice hockey showdown in the city of Tachov!!

This is your chance to compete, connect, and celebrate the sport with teams from across the globe.



## **HOST CITY:**

Tachov is a charming town located in the Pilsen Region of the Czech Republic, close to the German border and approximately 30 km west of Pilsen. Founded in the 13th century, the town has a rich history influenced by the Austrian Empire and later Czechoslovakia. With around 14,000 inhabitants, Tachov offers a calm and friendly atmosphere, ideal for hosting international sporting events.



For the duration of the tournament, there is no need to use your own car. All essential facilities, including the hotel, ice arena, additional sports facilities, and the city centre with restaurants, bars, clubs, and supermarkets, are conveniently located within walking distance.

For more information, please visit [Wikipedia](#) or the [website of the City of Tachov](#).

# TACHOV WOMENS CHALLENGE 2026

Tournament Website: [Click here](#)

WhatsApp-Event-Group with all team managers: [Click here](#)

## **TOURNAMENT INFORMATION:**

**PROGRAM:** Friday April 17, 2026 - Travel Day.  
Saturday April 18, 2026 - First Tournament Day (9:00-20:00)  
Sunday April 19, 2026 - Second Tournament Day (9:00-18:00).

**LOCATION:** Ice Arena Tachov, Pobrezni 691, 347 01 Tachov (Czech Republic)  
One ice surface (58x28m), twelve locker rooms, restaurant/bar etc.  
Website: [Ice Arena Tachov](#)

**FORMAT:** Women's recreational ice hockey teams from all over the world.  
One recreational division with max eight teams in two groups.  
Playing time will be 2x 20 minutes (running time) per game.  
Guaranteed four tournament games per team!!  
Online live scoring and stats under <https://rainman-allstars.de>  
Tournament schedule will be issued after the registration deadline.

**RULES:** The tournament will be a non-checking and non-fighting tournament.  
Nearly all official IIHF-Rules will apply. But old "Icing Rule" is used.  
Players are only allowed to play for one team in the tournament.  
The tournament stands for FAIRNESS on and off the ice!!  
Tournament rules will be submitted with the tournament schedule.

**OTHERS:** Two official league referees per game.  
Ice preparation after every game.  
First aid staff in the arena.  
Own dedicated locker room from the first to the last game.  
Equipment storage in the arena on Friday.  
Water for the games (directly from the tap in the locker room).  
Trophies for Ranking, Fair-Play & Individual Player Awards.  
Tournament pictures from all games.  
Lunch is served twice in the arena restaurant (Saturday & Sunday).  
Dinner is served once in the arena restaurant (Saturday).

## **TOURNAMENT HOTELS:**

We've blocked five accommodations in a total of 140 beds in short walking distance to the arena. You can easily reach everything on foot and do not need to drive the whole weekend. Main tournament hotel will be the "Parkhotel" with 50 beds. Nearby another four accommodations with a total of 90 beds together.

Also, we've blocked a whole floor (around 50 beds) of a private school accommodation 2 km (20 min walk or 10 min drive) behind the ice arena. The rooms have all been completely renovated and are very well equipped. There I could accommodate you in and the tournament package will get much cheaper.

For those accommodations that do not offer own breakfast buffet, we will organize it weather in the ice arena or in the [Café Kamrovec](#) (approx. 500-600m from all accommodations).

Main Tournament Hotel:

### **Parkhotel Tachov**

Zamecka 1395, 347 01 Tachov

Website: [Parkhotel Tachov](#)



## **TOURNAMENT FEES:**

### **180.- EUROS PER PLAYER OR 110.- EUROS PER NON-PLAYER**

Included in this fee:

- Tournament organization (arena, referees, timekeepers, hotels, meals etc.).
- Guaranteed four tournament games with 2x 20 minutes.
- Online live scoring and stats.
- Two official league referees per game.
- Ice preparation after every game.
- First aid staff in the arena.
- Own dedicated locker room from the first to the last game.
- Equipment storage in the arena on Friday.
- Water for the games (directly from the tap in the locker room).
- Trophies for Ranking, Fair-Play, Individual Player Awards.
- Tournament pictures from all games.
- Two nights with breakfast in double occupancy or more bedded rooms.
- Three meals in the arena restaurant (Saturday lunch & dinner and Sunday lunch).

Notice:

*Single rooms are limited and only available upon request.*

## **TOURNAMENT REGISTRATION AND PROCEDURES:**

**REGISTRATION DEADLINE: JANUARY 31, 2026  
(ON THE BASE “FIRST PAY – FIRST PLAY”)**

### **UNTIL JANUARY 31, 2026 – DEPOSIT PAYMENT OF 500.- EUROS**

Only teams who make the deposit on time are guaranteed a starting place in the tournament. At this point, we should also know how many participants you plan to bring to check if enough rooms/beds have been booked for the tournament.

### **UNTIL MARCH 22, 2026 – FINALE PAYMENT**

We need the full remaining payment for the tournament by March 22<sup>nd</sup>.

Your deposit will of course be credited towards the remaining payment.

Please note that hotel rooms can no longer be cancelled from March 23<sup>rd</sup> onwards, but name changes are possible until the check-in. The hotels have strict cancellation policies, which unfortunately we cannot change. Thank you for your understanding.

### **UNTIL APRIL 5, 2026 – ROOMING LIST AND ROSTER**

After receiving your deposit, we will send you two lists. Please return these completely filled out by April 5<sup>th</sup>.

### **CANCELLATION-POLICY:**

***FROM MARCH 23, 2026:***

***NON-REFUNDABLE PAYMENTS OR ROOM CANCELLATIONS!!***

## **IMPORTANT NOTES:**

**PLAYERS HAVE PRIORITY TO GET AN ACCOMMODATION INSIDE TACHOV.**

**ONE TEAM MUST CONSIST OF AT LEAST 13 PLAYERS AND A GOALIE (13+1).**

**U18 PLAYERS ONLY WITH PRINTED PERMISSION OF PARENTS (IF NOT JOINING THE TOURNAMENT).**

**IT'S ONLY ALLOWED TO PLAY FOR ONE TEAM IN THE TOURNAMENT.**

**PARTICIPATION AT YOUR OWN RESPONSIBILITY AND RISK!!**

**ALL PARTICIPANTS FROM THE TOURNAMENT SHOULD HAVE SPECIAL SPORT ACCIDENT AND TRAVEL ABROAD INSURANCES. THESE INSURANCES AREN'T PROVIDED BY THE TOURNAMENT ORGANIZER AND EACH PARTICIPANT SHOULD TAKE RESPONSIBILITY FOR OBTAINING SUCH INSURANCES. IT'S NOT INCLUDED IN THE TOURNAMENT FEE. THE TEAM MANAGERS MUST BRIEF THEIR TEAM MEMBERS ABOUT IT. WITH ENTERING OF THE ARENA, YOU AGREE WITH THESE REGULATIONS!!**

**LET'S HAVE A GREAT TIME IN TACHOV!!**

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