



IFAGG B-category Competition

AGG Japan Cup 2024 Yamaguchi

March 23 & 24, 2024



Dear Friends,

The Japanese Federation of Aesthetic Group Gymnastics JFAGG has the pleasure to invite you to participate in the AGG Japan Cup 2024 IFAGG B-category Competition in Yamaguchi, Japan.

SPORT	Aesthetic Group Gymnastics
DATE	March 23 & 24, 2024
COMPETITION VENUE	<p>Shunan City Manabi Kouryu Plaza</p> <p>https://www.city.shunan.lg.jp/site/mnb/3377.html</p> <p>Address: 4-10, Chuo-cho, Shunan, Yamaguchi, 746-0016, Japan</p> 
ORGANIZATION CONTACT PERSON	<p>IFAGG A-member</p> <p>Japanese Federation of Aesthetic Group Gymnastics JFAGG</p> <p>https://www.ifagg.org/</p> <p>Email: jfagg@hotmail.co.jp</p> <p>Ms. Saori Kubota</p>
SPONSORSHIP	<p>City of Shunan and the board of education, City of Hikari and the board of education, the Chamber of Commerce and Industry of Sinnanyo, the Chamber of Commerce and Industry of Tokuyama, Yamaguchi Broadcasting, Hotel Shisuien, Hozanen</p> 
RULES AND REGULATIONS	<p>All participants must follow the IFAGG rules and regulations. Please refer to the current IFAGG Technical Rules and Regulations.</p>



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DELEGATIONS INVITED	The Japanese Federation of Aesthetic Group Gymnastics JFAGG invites all IFAGG members in good standing.
EVENT FORMAT	<p>Category:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Short Program including Age 6-8 category 2. Long Program 3. Short Program Mixed 4. Long Program Mixed <p>Age Group:</p> <p>Children 6-8 (only short program)</p> <p>Children 8-10</p> <p>Children 10-12</p> <p>Children 12-14</p> <p>Junior</p> <p>Senior</p> <p>-No limit of participating entry</p> <p>-All enter finals</p> <p>The organizing committee reserves the right to make any further changes whenever necessary in</p>
COMPETITION AREA	Competition Carpet 13 X 13
ENTRY FEES	<p>The non-reimbursable Entry fee is:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A group consisting of 1-6 nominated gymnasts and a maximum of 2 coaches is EUR 100/group • A group consisting of 7 or more nominated gymnasts and a maximum of 3 coaches is EUR 130/group • Extra accreditation over the limit of group number is 20€ per person <p>Points to note:</p> <p>Please note the additional charge for the group registrations after the deadline is EUR 100 per group (to the LOC).</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ The organizer will send you the invoice after the deadline. Please settle the payment in invoiced Japanese Yen (JPY). ✓ The participating delegation is responsible for covering all bank fees in connection with the bank transfers. ✓ The entry fee is NON-REFUNDABLE.



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REGISTRATION	<p>Only IFAGG members can register all delegation members.</p> <p>ONLINE registration must be done at: https://rgform.eu/event.php?id_prop=4660</p> <p>Deadlines: Definitive registration – February 22, 2024</p> <p>All gymnasts and coaches must have a valid IFAGG license for 2024!</p>
PROVISIONAL SCHEDULE	<p>This is only Provisional schedule, and it is subject to change. The Final program will be confirmed after the registration deadline.</p> <p>Friday, March 22, 2024 Arrival of Delegations Afternoon: Set up the competition hall Training possibility (only evening)</p> <p>Saturday, March 23, 2024 10:00-12:00: Judges seminar (mandatory), Free training 11:30: Welcome meeting 12:00: Official training 14:00: Judge's meeting 15:00: Opening ceremony and Preliminaries Draw for Finals</p> <p>Sunday, March 24, 2024 Morning: Free training for all teams 11:00: Judge's meeting 12:00: Finals Awarding ceremony</p>
JUDGES	<p>Judges' list will be confirmed by IFAGG. Judges' proposals must be done on IFAGG website & KSIS.</p> <p>IFAGG: https://www.ifagg.com/v1/page.php?n=54 Ksis: https://rgform.eu/event.php?id_prop=4660</p> <p>The deadline is February 22, 2024</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> All judges must have a valid IFAGG judges license for 2024 and comply with the IFAGG Code of Ethics for judges. IFAGG nominates and confirms judges list after the deadline due.



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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • IFAGG reserves the right to invite judges. • Delegations are responsible for all judges' expenses (travel, accommodation, and local transportation). <p>Judges' registration for LOC accreditation must be done ONLINE by IFAGG member only</p>
MUSIC	<p>Music must be submitted in MP3 file format via Ksis at https://rgform.eu/event.php?id_prop=4660</p> <p>Deadline: March 9, 2024. The music files must be in mp3 format only and labelled as follows: Age category / name of the team/ country code Example: S8-10_ Team Sakura_ JPN</p>
INSURANCE	<p>LOC and the IFAGG will not be held responsible for any liabilities in case of accidents, illness, repatriation, and the like. The IFAGG Technical Regulations foresee that all participating delegations are responsible for making their own arrangements to have the necessary valid insurance coverage against illness, accidents and for repatriation for all the members of their Delegation. The LOC will verify the insurance upon arrival of the delegation members (e.g., cover note or photocopy of the valid policy).</p>
MEDICAL SERVICES	<p>MEDICAL SERVICES The Local Organizing Committee will provide a first medical aid service and emergency medical transportation in the competition area.</p>
ANTIDOPING	<p>ANTIDOPING IFAGG Code of Discipline It's a condition of participation in IFAGG's activities that gymnasts and their assistants and representatives will follow the national and international doping rules. All gymnasts and their assistants and representatives are obligated to know the doping rules. The information of the prohibited substances and methods can be found on the https://www.wada-ama.org/</p>
PERSONAL DATA PROTECTION	<p>Personal information of registered gymnasts, coaches, judges, and volunteers are used in published official competition protocols, rgform.eu online environment, competition's/federation's website and in social media channels. By registering to the event, the gymnasts, coaches, judges, and volunteers are giving a consent to publish visual</p>



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	<p>materials (photos, videos) on which they might be displayed. In case the person is not consent with the previous, LOC and federation hast to be informed in written form by the start of the competition. Only photographers and journalists with accreditation are allowed to take pictures and film the event. (Registering via rgform.eu or onsite).</p>
ACCREDITATION	<p>The Delegation will be accredited upon their arrival During the accreditation Heads of Delegations are required to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • correct names spelling of their entire delegation. • make passport control of all gymnasts • proof of medical insurance of all delegation members • make music check control • submit personal data protection declaration • make any necessary payments.
VISA INVITATION	<p>All delegations requiring Visa must complete the visa request form and send it to LOC at https://rgform.eu/event.php?id_prop=4660 by February 1, 2024 The request must include the function, full name, gender, date of birth, citizenship and passport number, passport expiry date, the arrival and departure dates of the delegation member, as well as the city the visa application support letter must be sent to.</p>
TRANSPORTATION	<p>Please book your flight ticket between your local airport and Fukuoka International Airport (FUK) or Yamaguchi Ube Airport (UBJ).</p> <p>LOC recommend using public transportations between the airport and the venue.</p> <p>The nearest Shinkansen train station at the venue is Tokuyama station.</p>



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How to get to the venue	<p><i>From Fukuoka International Airport:</i></p> <p>By Shinkansen:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1, Take subway to Hakata station about 5 min.2, Hakata station to Tokuyama station, it takes about 45 min. by Shinkansen.3, Take taxi to Tokuyama station to the venue about 10 min. <p>By car: It takes about 2.5 hours.</p> <p>~~~~~</p> <p><i>From Yamaguchi Ube Airport:</i></p> <p>By Shinkansen:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1, Take Airport bus to Shin-Yamaguchi station about 35 min.2, Shin-Yamaguchi station to Tokuyama station, it takes about 13 min. by Shinkansen.3, Take taxi to Tokuyama station to the venue about 10 min. <p>By car: It takes about 1 hour</p>
ACCOMMODATION Recommended hotels:	<p>JFAGG has been booked the official hotels for participants.</p> <p><u>All prices are including 2 meals (Breakfast and Dinner) and taxes.</u></p> <p><u>This is the special price only for AGG Japan Cup 2024.</u></p> <p><u>We will let you know Lunch arrangement later.</u></p> <p><u>Hotel rooms are limited and based on a first-come-first-serve basis, so do book your hotels early to avoid disappointments.</u></p> <p><u>Higher priority is given to gymnasts and coaches.</u></p> <p><u>Please find the hotel form on Ksis at</u> https://rgform.eu/event.php?id_prop=4660 <u>and book to JFAGG directly at jfagg@hotmail.co.jp</u></p> <p>The hotels are Onsen-Ryokan</p> <p>Room types: Small room up to 2-5 people in the room Medium room up to 5-10 people in the room Large room up to 10-15 people in the room</p> <p>Prices: JPY8,800 / gymnast / night JPY 12,100 / adult / night</p> <p>We will provide free bus transportations between the official hotels and the venue during competition.</p>

Shisuien 紫水園 <https://www.shisuien.com/>



Houzanen 芳山園 <https://www.houzanen.com/>



Hotel form:

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DEADLINES FOR ENTRIES	Forms	Deadline
	Visa request	February 1, 2024
	Definitive Entry	February 22, 2024
	Judge registration	February 22, 2024
	Hotel form	January 31, 2024
	Music file submission	March 9, 2024
PAYMENT INFORMATION	<ul style="list-style-type: none">● All delegations will receive by mail invoices from LOC for all expenses with the bank information and payment deadline in each invoice.● It is possible to settle the payment upon your arrival.● Please settle the payment in Japanese yen according to the invoice.● We don't accept any other currency for the payment.	

The organizing committee reserves the right to make any further changes whenever necessary in accordance with the IFAGG rules.

Please do not hesitate to contact us.

We are looking forward to seeing you in Yamaguchi, Japan!!

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