**Invitation: Nitra cup youth, Slovakia June 07-08, 2025**

Dears,

We are pleased to announce new tournament in our city. Many years, youth korfball tournament was part of our famous **International Korfball Weekend in Nitra.** But in 2025 we start with new tradition of Nitra cup, youth korfball tournament in categories U9, U11, U13 and U16.

Age limits:

U9 – kids born after 1.9.2015 – korfball 4 (4 on 4 players, 2 korfs 2,5m height, ball no.4)

U11 – kids born after 1.9.2013 – korfball 4 (4 on 4 players, 2 korfs 2,5m height, ball no.4)

U13 – kids born after 1.9.2011– korfball 4 (4 on 4 players, 2 korfs 3m height, ball no.5)

U16 – kids born after 1.9.2008 – monokorfball (4 on 4 players, 1 korf 3,5m height, ball no.5)

The tournament will be organized in 2 days in main sports hall in Nitra:

On the first day (Saturday June 07, 2025), we will play round robin tournaments in each category.

On the second day (Sunday June 08, 2025) we plan to play playoff of each category. If national teams U15 will participate in tournament, we can play official friendly matches in korfball 8 (8 on 8 players).

We can arrange accommodation for your teams in the student dormitory in Nitra, including breakfast or in the gym of one of our primary school, including breakfast. The number of places are limited, first come, first served. We expect teams to arrive to Nitra on Saturday morning. If your team wants to come earlier (or stay longer), let us know, we will arrange it.

During your stay in our city, you have a lot of **tourist opportunities**. Nitra is very nice historical city with a lot of sightseeing, for example Nitra castle, Calvary hill, many churches, theater building, nice pedestrian zone with a lot of pubs and restaurants. Over the city of Nitra there is Zobor hill, you can make a short hike with a nice view of the city from the top.

Starting fee: 30 €/team (if you will bring more than 4 teams, starting fee will be 25€/team)

Accommodation (inc. breakfast)

- student dormitory 25 €/per person

- pension 32€/per person

- school gym 10 €/per person (you have to bring your own mattresses and sleeping bags)

We would like to ask you, if you are able to provide any **referee for the tournaments** to help us cover this agenda.

Please fill in a registration form:

<https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSdIE8zT0PYzUHB9n8oSux5dm3e_OMeYyYTIquOB4XxfNFNZMQ/viewform?usp=header>

We can’t wait to welcome you to our Nitra cup! Got questions or special requests? Don’t hesitate to reach out—we’re here to help and will go the extra mile to make sure everything works out perfectly for you! Let us know how we can make your experience even better. **See you in Nitra!**

Kindest regards from organizing committee