



EUROPEAN SOFTBALL FEDERATION

TECHNICAL AND COMPETITION COMMISSION

European Massimo Romeo Youth Trophy

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To: *ESF Affiliated Federations*

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Dear ESF members,

As promised in the Post Congress Information, hereby is the new format of EMRYT.

Based on the ESF Technical and Competition Commission at the ESF Congress in Hoofddorp it has been decided to divide the tournament into two Divisions and to allow the participation of boys U13.

- *SPORT Division is the same format and conditions as previous years and is exclusively for girls U13.*
- *FUTURE Division [Development] may have coed teams, girls and boys U13, under the following conditions:*
 - *Majority of the players on the field are girls (i.e. 5 girls minimum always on the field)*
 - *Only girls can pitch*
 - *Flexi Balls 11" will be used*
 - *Maximum 5 runs of each team can be scored in each inning*

Each participant may decide after the deadline of entries (April 15) which Division they prefer to play in.

The ESF's intention for this new addition is to hold a Festival of Youth opened for all players U13. Specific Regulations will be changed based on this decision. Deadline for entries is April 15, the Entry Form can be downloaded from the ESF website.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Best regards

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