

Change of ECU Tournament Rules:  
Proposal for GA in Torino

The number of rounds in the Individual Championships should be changed.

**D.3. Tournament Regulations**

- 3.1 Each Championship shall be played in one group according to the Swiss system.
- 3.1.1 The European Individual Chess Championships shall be played **in 11 rounds**, with one free day.
  
- 3.4 Regulations for tie-breaks and sudden death game  
Playing regulations for tie-break and sudden death game shall be governed by the FIDE Laws of Chess 2001 except for the following:  
**2001 should be deleted**

In the section for European Team Championships one paragraph is written double:

**E.2. Organisation**

- 2.2 The European Team Championship shall be held on the Swiss system in 9 rounds, with one section for the men's teams and one section for the women's teams, considered as separate competitions.

This paragraph has to be deleted. It is the same wording as in 2.2.1

Proposal of Per Ofstad:

- 2.2.2 The European Senior Team Championship shall be held in the Swiss system **in 8 rounds**, with one round per day.

Proposal of Tournament Directors Dirk De Ridder and Werner Stubenvoll:

- 2.2.2 The European Senior Team Championship shall be held in the Swiss system **in 9 rounds**, with one round per day.

Starting from 1 January 2008 for ECU tournaments and tournaments included in the Grand Prix only electronic clocks may be used. The necessary changes in ECU Tournament Rules will be forwarded to the GA in 2007.

**European Tournament Calendar (06.04.2006)**

<b>Event</b>	<b>2006</b>	<b>2007</b>	<b>2008</b>
European Team Championship	--	20.-31.10. Heraklio/Greece	-----
European Individual Championship	03. – 19.04. Aydin – Kusadasi/Turkey	probably 1 – 15.04. Dresden/Germany	bids by 1 July 2006
European Individual Women's Championship	04. – 19.04. Aydin – Kusadasi/Turkey	probably 1 – 15.04. Dresden/Germany	bids by 1 July 2006
European Youth Championship	09. – 20.09. Herceg Novi/ Serbia & Montenegro	13. – 24.09. Sibenik/Croatia	bids by 1 July 2006
European Club Cup	07. – 15.10. Fuegen/Austria	6. – 14.10. Kemer/Turkey	bids by 1 July 2006
European Club Cup for Women	07. – 15.10. Fuegen/Austria	6. – 14.10. Kemer/Turkey	bids by 1 July 2006
European Senior Championship	05.-13.08. Davos/Switzerland	probably Hockenheim/Germany	bids by 1 July 2006
European Senior Team Championship	18. – 25.02 Dresden/Germany	16. – 23.02. Dresden/Germany	bids by 1 July 2006
Mitropa Cup	probably 06. – 15.09. Czech Republic	Hungary	Italy
European Youth Team Championship	11. – 20.07. Balatonlelle/Hungary	19. – 28.06. Subotica/Serbia&Montenegro	bids by 1 July 2006
European Rapid Chess Championship	December Warsaw/Poland	open	bids by 1 July 2006
European Blitz Championship	19.02. Cannes/France	open	bids by 1 July 2006
European Women's Rapid Chess Champ.	12. – 14.05. Znojmo/Czech Republic	open	bids by 1 July 2006
European Women's Blitz Championship	open	open	bids by 1 July 2006
European School Team Championship	20. – 30.06 Varna/Bulgaria	20. – 28.06. Varna/Bulgaria	bids by 1 July 2006

ISCU Grand Prix	25.01. – 06.02. Moscow/Russia	27.01. – 7.02. Moscow/Russia	---
European Individual and Team Championships for Cadets and Juniors (Rapid and Blitz)	20. – 24.11. Herceg Novi/Serbia & Montenegro	01. – 05.10. probably Herceg Novi/ Serbia & Montenegro	bids by 1 July 2006
Children's Intern. Karpow's Club Festival	October Calvià/Spain	open	---
Balkan Individual Championship	---	---	---
European Amateur Championship	22. – 29.07. Pardubice/Czech Republic	open	bids by 1 July 2006
Black See Chess Festival	---	---	---
EU Youth Championship	Austria	open	---
EU Championship	probably November Liverpool	open	---