

## INVITATION

Wisła Can-Pack Kraków Basketball Club is pleased to invite you to participate in the pre-season international tournament which will take place in Cracow from **22 to 24 September 2017**.

We will be very pleased to host your team in our city.

Below you can find more information.

## ❖ About Kraków

Kraków is the second largest and one of the oldest cities in Poland. Situated on the Vistula River (Polish: Wisła) in the Lesser Poland region, the city dates back to the 7th century. Kraków has traditionally been one of the leading centres of Polish academic, cultural, sport and artistic life and is one of Poland's most important economic hubs. The city has a population of approximately 760,000, with approximately 8 million additional people living within a 100 km radius of its main square. In 2000, Kraków was named European Capital of Culture. In 2013 Kraków was officially approved as a UNESCO City of Literature. The city hosted the World Youth Day in July 2016.

Kraków is the host city of the 2014 FIVB Men's Volleyball World Championship and 2016 European Men's Handball Championship. It has also been selected as the European City of Sport for 2014. Football is one of the most popular sports in the city. The two teams with the largest following are thirteen-time Polish champion Wisła Kraków, and five-time champion Cracovia, both founded in 1906 as the oldest still existing in Poland.

Kraków is twinned, or maintains close relations, with 36 cities around the world:

 Bordeaux, France	 Guadalajara, Mexico	 Quito, Ecuador
 Bratislava, Slovakia	 Innsbruck, Austria	 Rochester, New York, USA
 Budapest, Hungary	 Kiev, Ukraine	 Rome, Italy
 Cambridge, USA	 La Serena, Chile	 St Petersburg, Russia
 Curitiba, Brazil	 Leipzig, Germany	 San Francisco, USA
 Cusco, Peru	 Leuven, Belgium	 Seville, Spain
 Edinburgh, UK	 Lviv, Ukraine	 Solothurn, Switzerland
 Fes, Morocco	 Milan, Italy	 Split, Croatia
 Florence, Italy	 Niš, Serbia	 Tbilisi, Georgia
 Frankfurt, Germany	 Nuremberg, Germany	 Veliko Turnovo, Bulgaria
 Göteborg, Sweden	 Orléans, France	 Vilnius, Lithuania
 Grozny, Russia	 Pécs, Hungary	 Zagreb, Croatia

### ❖ **About Wisła Can-Pack Kraków**

Wisła Can-Pack Kraków is a Polish women basketball team, based in Kraków, playing in the Polish League and EuroLeague Women. Wisła is the oldest (1906) and most successful club in Poland. Wisła won the Polish championship 25 times, 11 times was second and 9 times third. Wisła won Polish Cup 11 times and Polish Super Cup 2 times. Wisła is doing well on the European courts, in the 2009/2010 season Wisła was fourth team in Europe, and in each preceding years they reached at least 1/8 finals of the EuroLeague Women.

### ❖ **About tournament**

Pre-season tournament will take place in Kraków from 22 to 24 September 2017. All games will be played in TS Wisła Sports Hall.

All games will be played according to FIBA rules.

From all games will be live stats and if clubs agree the whole tournament will be broadcast online on YouTube.

In the tournament will play 6-8 teams in two groups.

Transport, accommodation and meals are paid by the participant. We will help you with find good and not expensive hotel.

Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to keep in touch.

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