2021 DUBAI MUSCLE CLASSIC

MAIN INFORMATION

NAME OF THE EVENT: **DUBAI MUSCLE CLASSIC**

CITY / COUNTRY: **DUBAI, UAE**

DATE: **October 27th-30th, 2021**

EVENT OPEN FOR: **All National Federations Affiliated to the IFBB.**

IFBB ELITE PRO CARD QUALIFIER YES ☒

IFBB INTERNATIONAL RANKING QUALIFIER NO ☒

DAY OF ARRIVAL **27/10/2021**

DAYS OF COMPETITIONS: **28th- 29th - 30th of October**

DAY OF DEPARTURES **31/10/2021**

REGISTRATION DAY: **27/10/2021**	TIME: **10:00 – 20:00**	PLACE: **Emirates Bodybuilding Federation - 22nd St - Al Twar 2 - Dubai**
WEIGH-IN DAY: **27/10/2021**	TIME: **10:00 – 20:00**	PLACE: **Emirates Bodybuilding Federation - 22nd St - Al Twar 2 - Dubai**

*All Athletes must wear their posing attire during weigh-in for inspection. Female competitors must also bring their shoes for inspection. Posing attire and tanning must be in accordance with the IFBB rules. Any tanning which can be wiped off is not allowed.

RECOMMENDED AIRPORT: Dubai International Airport (DXB)

VISA INFORMATION: https://u.ae/en/information-and-services/visa-and-emirates-id/do-you-need-an-entry-permit-or-a-visa-to-enter-the-uae

*Due to the COVID-19 situation, we recommend you check with the corresponding authorities of the country (Consulate, Embassy, etc.), the current regulation to avoid any inconveniences when travelling. The National Federations, athletes, and officials, must adopt and strictly follow any healthy and other measures imposed, required, or recommended by the competent authorities with respect to the COVID-19 pandemic situation.

*An Official Letter of Invitation will be made available if required. An athlete, included in an official National Federation team, who request and receive an invitation from the IFBB Head Office or the Organizing Committee of an IFBB sanctioned EVENT for visa purposes, and uses that visa to unlawfully stay in the host country or any other country, will be subjected to the disciplinary proceedings and measures. The relevant National Federation is responsible to carefully control the proper, legal use of the visa by his/her athlete and it will be subjected to a fine and/or a suspension, in case of any misuse and/or unlawful utilization of the same visa.

VENUE: Dubai World Trade Centre, Sheikh Zayed Rd. - Trade Centre 2 – Dubai, UAE

HOTEL INFORMATION

RECOMMENDED HOTEL: NOVOTEL DUBAI WORLD TRADE CENTRE, Al Saada Street, Dubai

REGISTRATION FEE:

Each athlete must pay the IFBB registration fee of **250 $ (USD)** each.

Registration fee for athletes to enter this competition must be paid in advance by credit/debit card or PayPal at http://www.ifbb.com/competition-registration. Please add your name during online payment and bring a copy of your payment confirmation to the registration. Payments at arrival shall have an extra charge of **60 $ (USD)** .

CROSSOVERS: **100 $ (USD)**

DEADLINE FOR ONLINE PAYMENT: **18/10/2021**

*Participating athletes must be recommended by their National Federation by sending the Final Entry Form with their names directly to the Organizing Committee, to the IFBB Technical Committee and IFBB Head Office in Madrid.
The final decision to allow an athlete to compete in this EVENT rests with the IFBB.

*It is also the FULL OBLIGATION AND RESPONSIBILITY of a National Federation to MONITOR ALL THE ATHLETES affiliated to this National Federation who are fulfilling a period of ineligibility due to Anti-Doping Rule Violation or any Disciplinary case, to make sure these athletes WILL NOT REGISTER/COMPETE/OR PARTICIPATE IN ANY CAPACITY in any EVENT either at National or International level, Official or Invitational.

*All athletes will have to present their Passports and IFBB International Cards at the Registration. Any athlete who has not yet purchased or renewed his/her IFBB International Card will have to buy one at registration. IFBB Cards are **35 € (EUROS)** and are mandatory.

*All posing music must be on an USB drive only. The posing music in the MP3 format must also be the only file on USB. Each competitor must affix his/her name on the USB for easy identification. The use of profane, vulgar, and offensive language is strictly prohibited in the posing music.

CATEGORIES

- BODYBUILDING
Up to & including 70 kg
Up to & including 75 kg
Up to & including 80 kg
Up to & including 85 kg
Up to & including 95 kg
Over 95 kg
OVERALL (3 Elite Pro Cards)

- JUNIOR BODYBUILDING 16-23 YRS - OPEN

- MASTER BODYBUILDING >40 YRS - OPEN
(2 Master Elite Pro Cards)

- CLASSIC BODYBUILDING
Up to & including 171 cm
Up to & including 180 cm
Over 180 cm
OVERALL (2 Elite Pro Cards)

- JUNIOR CLASSIC BODYBUILDING 16-23 YRS - OPEN

- CLASSIC PHYSIQUE
Up to & including 171 cm
Up to & including 175 cm

- WOMEN'S BIKINI
Up to & including 164 cm
Over 164 cm
OVERALL (2 Elite Pro Cards)

- MASTER WOMEN'S BIKINI >35 YEARS – OPEN
(1 Master Elite Pro Card for the winner)

- WOMEN'S BODYFITNESS - OPEN
(1 Elite Pro Card for the winner)

- MASTER WOMEN'S BODYFITNESS - OPEN
(1 Master Elite Pro Card for the winner)

- WOMEN'S WELLNESS – OPEN
(1 Elite Pro Card for the winner)

- MEN´S PHYSIQUE
Up to & including 170 cm
Up to & including 173 cm
Up to & including 176 cm
Up to & including 179 cm
Up to & including 182 cm
Over 182 cm
OVERALL (2 Elite Pro Cards)

Up to & including 180 cm
Over 180 cm
OVERALL (2 Elite Pro Cards)

- JUNIOR CLASSIC PHYSIQUE 16-23 YRS – OPEN

- MASTER CLASSIC PHYSIQUE >40 YRS - OPEN

- JUNIOR MEN'S PHYSIQUE:
Up to & including 174 cm
Over 174 cm
OVERALL

- MASTER MEN'S PHYSIQUE >40 YEARS - OPEN

- MUSCULAR MEN'S PHYSIQUE:
Up to & including 175 cm
Over 175 cm
OVERALL (1 Elite Pro Card for the winner)

AWARDS:

Top three athletes in each category will be awarded with medals.
Top six athletes in each category will be awarded with a Certificate of Excellence and trophies.
Overall winner will have a trophy.

IFBB ELITE PRO CARDS:

18 IFBB ELITE PRO CARDS WILL BE AWARDED

DISTRIBUTION

- Bodybuilding Overall (Elite Pro Cards for the top 3)
- Men's Physique Overall (Elite Pro Cards for the top 2)
- Classic Physique Overall (Elite Pro Cards for the top 2)
- Classic Bodybuilding Overall (Elite Pro Cards for the top 2)
- Muscular Men's Physique (1 Elite Pro Card for the winner)
- Bikini Overall (Elite Pro Cards for the top 2)
- Wellness Overall Winner (1 Elite Pro Card for the winner)
- Bodyfitness Overall Winner (1 Elite Pro Card for the winner)
- Master Bodybuilding Overall (Elite Pro Cards for the top 2)
- Master Bikini Overall (1 Elite Pro Card for the winner)
- Master Bodyfitness Overall (1 Elite Pro Card for the winner)

*REGISTRATION DEADLINE

PRELIMINARY ENTRY FORM: **NO**
FINAL ENTRY FORM:**18/10/2021**

CAMERA/VIDEO TAPE EQUIPMENT

Cameras and/or video tape equipment shall be strictly prohibited in the backstage and/or dressing room areas except when used by the IFBB authorized media person and, in any EVENT, these devices shall be strictly prohibited in the dressing room area.

GREEN CARDS

Green cards are used to limit access to the weigh-in and backstage area during the prejudging & finals. They will be distributed at the judges/team managers meetings as follows:
• Five (5) or more athletes – two (2) green cards.
• Less than (5) athletes – one (1) green card.

EXTRA GREEN CARDS: **YES** ☐ **NO** ☐ **N/A** ☒
PRICE: **0,00 PLEASE SELECT** each.

TANNING NEEDS

The IFBB has banned all tans that can be wiped off. An official will check the tan of all athletes backstage and if the tan comes off by simply wiping, the athlete will be told to remove the tan before going on stage.

PROFESSIONAL TANNING SERVICE: **YES** ☒ **NO** ☐
Contact: **yash@phoeniixuae.com**

CONTACT INFORMATION:

Please send Your Entry Form to:
Contact: **Mr. Tom Reece**
E-mail: **tom.reece@hbg-events.com**

Please send a copy to IFBB Technical Committee:
Eng. Andrew Michalak
E-mail: **amichalak5@gmail.com**

Please send a copy to IFBB Head Office:
Ms. Alba Sanchez
E-mail: **info@ifbb.com**

Contact details for additional correspondence:
Secretary of the Emirates Bodybuilding Federation
Ms. Amany Hanafy
E-mail: ebbfamani@yahoo.com

JUDGES

To be taken into consideration during selection of judges' panels at the competition, IFBB International Judges must be included in the Final Entry Forms sent by National Federations, according to the IFBB Rules. For more information, please contact Mr. Pawel Filleborn, Chairman of the IFBB Judges Committee, under address: pawelfilleborn@gmail.com

All international judges must bring their International Judge's Cards to the Team Managers and Judges Meeting. IFBB International Judges must have a valid IFBB Judge's Card with the IFBB yearly judges fee of **60 $ (USD)** paid for the current year. This fee may also be paid at the EVENT at the Team Managers and Judges Meeting.