
Road to Baku 2017

BAKU 2017

4th Islamic Solidarity
Games



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Introduction

Welcome to the Baku 2017 Islamic Solidarity Games, organised by the Azerbaijan Islamic Solidarity Games Organising Committee (AISGOC), in partnership with the Islamic Solidarity Sport Federation (ISSF).

The Islamic Solidarity Games will take place between 12-22 May, 2017. They will bring together people from across the Islamic world in a spirit of unity, peace, excellence and respect. Athletes from over 50 participating countries will have the opportunity to take part in 10 days of competition, across 20 sports in 16 state-of-the-art venues located in and around Azerbaijan's beautiful capital city, Baku.

The Games will take place in front of packed stadia and an international broadcast audience that will reach in excess of 1 billion households, across four continents.





Sport

1. Athletics
2. Water polo
3. Taekwondo
4. Wrestling freestyle
5. Weightlifting
6. Karate
7. Football
8. Artistic Gymnastics
9. Swimming
10. Boxing
11. Rhythmic Gymnastics
12. Diving
13. Wushu
14. Basketball
15. Tennis
16. Judo
17. Volleyball
19. Handball
20. Table Tennis
21. Greco-Roman Wrestling
22. Zorkhana
23. Shooting



Athletes Village

The world-class Athletes Village stands ready to welcome athletes from all participating countries.

Featuring an array of leisure facilities, a fully equipped medical centre and a selection of national and international catering options, the Athletes Village has been designed to provide all competitors with every possible necessity and comfort ahead of, and during, the Games. The athletes will also be able to take advantage of dedicated transport facilities to take them to and from all venues.





Venues

The Islamic Solidarity Games will take place across 16 fantastic world-class sporting arenas including the Baku Olympic Stadium, Heydar Aliyev Arena, Crystal Hall, Baku Aquatics Centre and National Gymnastic Arena.



Volunteer Programme

Over 8,000 fully trained volunteers will help ensure the Baku 2017 Islamic Solidarity Games is a memorable occasion for athletes, officials and spectators alike.

They will be on hand to help facilitate, direct and provide information and support across all the venues used in the Games, including the Athletes Village.



Grassroots Programme

The Baku 2017 Islamic Solidarity Games Grassroots Programme is designed to support all National Olympic Committees (NOCs) and their respective athletes in generating excitement ahead of the Games, across all participating countries.

These Games are an opportunity to inspire people from across the Islamic world to celebrate sport and embrace the way it can bring out the very best in us, both individually and collectively. The Grassroots Programme will bring people together from countries and cultures and ensure that the Baku 2017 Islamic Solidarity Games leaves a long and lasting sporting legacy.



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