

EXHIBITION REGULATIONS
National Exhibition of Young Philatelists with International
Participation
MLADÉ BRNO 2023

1. Name and objectives of the exhibition

The National Exhibition of Young Philatelists with International Participation MLADÉ BRNO 2023 is a philatelic competition exhibition of young philatelists from the Czech Republic and invited European countries. It is held to commemorate the centenary of the 1st international exhibition of postage stamps held on the territory of independent Czechoslovakia - BRNO 1923.

The aim is to enable young philatelists to display their exhibits, gain higher qualifications and compare the levels of their collections with the collections of young philatelists from neighbouring countries. The exhibition is going to have two levels, enabling exhibitors to compete both at the first level exhibition and at the second level exhibition as a first-time exhibitor.

2. Exhibition organizer

The organizer of the National Exhibition of Young Philatelists with International Participation MLADÉ BRNO 2023 (hereinafter referred to as MLADÉ BRNO 2023) is the Philatelic Club 06-22 of Alfons Mucha in Brno (hereinafter referred to as Club of A. Mucha). The exhibition is represented by the Exhibition's Organizing Committee (hereinafter referred to as OC), which has the final decision-making authority.

3. Co-organizer and collaborators

The co-organizer is the Association of Czech Philatelists, z.s. (hereinafter only SČF).

Collaborating organizations are the Brno City Council, the Brno-Centre district, Czech Post and other organizations.

4. Venue and date of the event

The exhibition will be held in the Cross-shaped Corridor of the New Town Hall in Brno, with the entrance from the New Town Hall. The exhibition will be open to the public daily from Tuesday, 2 May to Monday, 8 May 2023, from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. The opening ceremony for invited guests will be held on 1 May 2023.

5. Organizational principles

The BRNO 2023 Exhibition is governed by these Exhibition Rules, the SČF Exhibition Rules, and the evaluation of the competitive exhibits is governed by the Principles of the Evaluation of SČF Competitive Exhibits.

6. Exhibition classes

A. Non-Competitive Class

The non-competitive class will present exhibits invited by the Organizing Committee, which cannot be exhibited in the competitive class.

B. Competitive class

It will show exhibits of the youth class and is divided into a 1st level exhibition (B1) and a 2nd level exhibition (B2), which are evaluated separately.

7. Conditions of participation

Exhibitors may apply for participation by submitting applications, which can be found in the annex to these exhibition regulations. **Applications must be sent to the Organizing Committee by January 31, 2023.** Exhibitors will be informed about the acceptance of their exhibit during February and invited to deliver it to the Organizing Committee.

For the 1st level exhibition, the qualification requirements must be met, i.e., a large silver medal won at a 2nd level exhibition, not older than 3 years.

No qualification is required for the 2nd level exhibition.

The range of exhibits is determined by the age of the exhibitor as follows:

Group	Age	Number of sheets
Z	under 12	16 or 32
A	aged 13 - 15	32 or 48
B	aged 16 - 18	48 or 64
C	aged 19 - 21	64 or 80

First-time exhibitors in Groups Z and A may present half the number of sheets required by the minimum extent rule.

8. Exhibition Fees

Young exhibitors are not required to pay any fees at this exhibition.

9. Exhibition frames

The exhibition frames are 91 x 111 cm in size and have a capacity of 16 album sheets of 26.5 x 29.5 cm format, Arranged in 4 rows per 4 sheets each. The album sheets of each exhibit must be numbered at the back top and placed in transparent protective covers. If the exhibit album sheets are of different sizes, it can be exhibited as long as the number and size of differently-sized sheets are indicated in the application.

10. Exhibition awards

Exhibits are judged by an exhibition jury, made up of accredited jurors for youth philately. The evaluation will be carried out in accordance with the SČF exhibition regulations and the Rules for evaluating SČF competition exhibits. Exhibitors will be awarded based on the number of points obtained. The exhibition will be evaluated and medals and diplomas will be awarded at the predetermined date of the Palmares – see the program in the exhibition catalogue.

11. Handling of exhibits

All the exhibits must be delivered by mail or in person to the exhibition's Organizing Committee by March 31, 2023.

By mail to the address:

**RNDr. Zdeněk Okáč
Celostátní výstava mladých filatelistů MLADÉ BRNO 2023
Dudíkova 11
621 00 Brno
Czech Republic**

In person: exhibition secretariat, Orlí 30, Brno, every Wednesday from 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

After the exhibition has ended, the exhibits will be ready for personal collection on May 8, 2023 in the exhibition premises, after prior agreement with the exhibitors. Unclaimed exhibits will be sent by post by 20 May 2023. Exhibitors are advised to insure their exhibits for the duration of postal transportation. After receiving the exhibit from the transport company and during the exhibition, the Organizing Committee is responsible for the safety measures. Exhibitors shall provide transport packaging for their exhibits themselves.

12. Additional Provisions

Organizing Committee of the exhibition, SČF, the Municipality of the city of Brno, the city district of Brno-centre, Czech Post, members of the jury, members of the Organizing Committee and their collaborators are not responsible for damage, losses and other harm done to exhibits or property. Should such a case occur, it will be dealt with according to the applicable laws of the Czech Republic. The organizing Committee reserves the right to make any changes to these exhibition regulations.

13. The address and members of the Organizing Committee

MEMBERS OF THE ORGANIZING COMMITTEE:

Chairman and Head of the Philatelic Section	RNDr. Zdeněk Okáč
Vice-chairman and Czech Post Representative	Ing. Martin Blecha
Head of the Marketing Section	Ing. Jaroslav Punčochář
Head of the Exhibition Section	Ing. Zdeněk Nevosád, CSc.
Head of the Technical Section	Jiří Dostál
Head of the Social Section	Ing. Milan Ošmera
Main organizer	Ing. Oldřich Pecháček
Exhibition's lawyer	JUDr. Boleslav Pospíšil
Members	Helena Hanáčková Ak.arch Tomáš Kotas Ing. Jan Petrás Ing. Bohdan Zicha Ivo Rotter
Auditor	

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