- INVITATION -

Dear Swim friends!

It is our pleasure to invite you to participate in the **Banská Bystrica Cup 2012** in swimming, which is being organized by the Swimming Club UMB Banská Bystrica.

The event will be held at the newly fully renovated 50 meter Štiavničky pool in Banská Bystrica on 3.- 4. November 2012.

The event is included in the LEN calendar.

FINA has approved of the Banská Bystrica Cup 2012 as the qualifying competition at he World Championships 2013 in Barcelona.

Invites are being sent to swimming federations and clubs across Europe.

Please respond promptly (30th September 2012 at the latest) with your preliminary interest in participation (see form in our page www.poumb.sk), along with an stimated number of team members, to help us start planning for accommodation and presentation of the event to the media.

Participants (finalists and medals) of Junior European Championships, Junior World Championships and Junior Olympic Games along with participants (finalists and medals) of European Champions, World Championships and Olympic Games do not have to pay any starting fees and their accommodation expenses will be covered by the organizer.

Other expenses are subject to agreement.

Accomodation care of by organizer on the basis of order (reservations) send by the same date as the entries:

- Accommodation in Hotel LUX (www.hotellux.sk) at the very special price (only this meeting) of 27,00 EUR per person and night including half board (buffet dinner + buffet breakfast)
- Lunch on Sunday 4th November 2012 in the restaurant located directly in the building of the swimming pool at the special price of 6,00 EUR

Starting fees shall be paid in cash at team registration.

We would be very hapy if swimmers of your federation/club would come Banska Bystrica, Slovakia!

We are looking forward to our meeting and remain with,

Best regards

