

# NEWSLETTER CANOE MARATHON RACING

*For  
National Team Leaders,  
ICF Canoe Marathon Event organisers,  
National Federations,  
International Technical Officials, and  
All other persons interested in Canoe Marathon*

## ***NEWSLETTER 2015-3 September 2015***

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### ***EUROPEAN CHAMPIONSHIPS BOHINJ***

The picturesque Bohinj in the Slovenian Alps hosted the 2015 European Championships.

It was a very well organized event with 23 national teams taking part, and Masters' competitions were held on the days before the Championships.

12 countries shared the medals.



### ***WORLD CUP BRANDENBURG***

The German hosts of the 2016 World Championships made a successful test event when in early August they organized a World Cup event at the Brandenburg venue with competitors from 12 countries from 3 continents taking part.

### ***WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS GYŐR***

The Hungarian organizers had created a great set up for the 2015 Canoe Marathon World Championships in Győr, with competitions for Masters and Para Canoe competing in their competitions in the days before the World Championships races.

Competitors from **44 countries from all 5 continents** had entered the World Championships competitions, but unfortunately a few of these countries pulled out in the last minute.

Nearly 400 entered for Masters and Para Canoe, more than 500 team members in the World Championships which is a new participation record, of which we are very proud. 13 countries shared the medals.

The Hungarian organizer had created a fantastic venue on the riverbank in the centre of the highly sport friendly town of Győr close to Budapest and Vienna in the centre of Europe. Thousands of spectators followed the races along the river bank and from the grand stand at the start, finish and portage area. Hungarian television transmitted live using 16 cameras along the course, and live streaming was produced so that all those interested in canoeing all over the world could follow the exciting competitions.

As expected some of the most spectacular races were Men's and Women's kayak, especially Men's kayak with fantastic fights and almost unbelievable sprint finishes determining the winners.



**Hank McGregor of South Africa  
renews his title in Men's K1**



**Adrián Boros/László Solti of  
Hungary are new champions in  
Men's K2**



**Anna Koziskova of the Czech  
Republic is new champion in  
Women's K1**



**Renáta Csaj  
/Alexandra Bara of  
Hungary renews their  
title in Women's K2**





*Thanks to all officials for their contribution in Győr*

## **WORLD RANKING 2015**

After the World Championships the World Ranking 2015 was concluded.

<b>WORLD RANKING 2015 - K1 WOMEN</b>							
Rank	Name	Nation	W Cup 1 short distance	W Cup 1 normal distance	World Champ.-ships	Classic Series	Total
1	<b>Anna Koziskova</b>	<b>CZE</b>			<b>200</b>		<b>200</b>
2	Pia Ruhm	GER	60	60	55	20	195
3	Michaela L. Jonsson	SWE	90	100			190
4/5	Renata Csay	HUN			180		180
4/5	Bridgette Harley	RSA	100	0	80		180
6	Annemia Pretzmann	DEN	85	90			175
7	Kristina Bedec	SRB			170		170
8	Lizzie Broughton	GBR			140	20	160
9/10	Jennifer Klein	GER	75	75			150
9/10	Jennifer Egan	IRL			150		150
11/12	Lenka Hrochova	CZE	70	70			140
11/12	Lili Katona	HUN	55	85			140
13	Vanda Kiszli	HUN			130		130
14	Nuria Villace	ESP			120		120
15/16	Melissa Jonhsson	GBR	65	50			115
15/16	Jennifer Swallow	GBR	50	65			115
17	Samatha Rees-Clark	GBR			110		110
18	Tegan Fraser	AUS			100		100
19	Moa Ringqvist	SWE	43	55			98
20	Marlena Ahrens	AUS			90		90
21/22	Ulrike Vierstraete	BEL	40	45			85
21/22	Aurora Figueras	ESP			85		85
23	Emma Andersen	SWE			75		75
24	Tanja Jantunen	FIN			70		70
25	Nicole Russell	RSA			65		65
26	Gwendoline Morel	FRA			60		60
27	Jia Ning Deborah	SIN			50		50
28	Stien Verlinden	BEL			45		45
29	Anastasia Nebolsina	RUS			40		40
30	Micaela Maslein	ARG			35		35



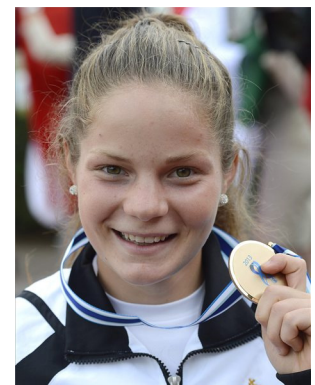
**Anna Koziskova**

**WORLD RANKING 2015 - K1 MEN**

Rank	Name	Nation	W Cup 1 short distance	W Cup 1 normal distance	World Champ.-ships	Classic Series	Total
1	<b>Andrew Birkett</b>	<b>RSA</b>	100	90	130	20	<b>340</b>
2	Adám Petró	HUN	90	100	140		<b>330</b>
3	Hank McGregor	RSA			200	18	<b>218</b>
4	Adrian Boros	HUN			180		<b>180</b>
5/6/7	Aaron Butler	GBR	50	75	45		<b>170</b>
5/6/7	Ivan Alonso	ESP			170		<b>170</b>
5/6/7	Jose Ramaelho	POR			150	20	<b>170</b>
8	Dries Corrijn	BEL		85	70	14	<b>169</b>
9	Matteo Grazianni	ITA		70	90		<b>160</b>
10	Nicolai Morcke	DEN	45	65		17	<b>127</b>
11	Adam Jakub	CZE			120		<b>120</b>
12	Quentin Urban	FRA			110		<b>110</b>
13	Daniel Johnson	GBR	60	43			<b>103</b>
14	Karl Anders Sletsjoe	NOR	85			17	<b>102</b>
15	Keith Moule	GBR			100		<b>100</b>
16	Andreas Heilingner	GER			75	15	<b>90</b>
17	Davidek Pavel	CZE			85		<b>85</b>
18	Alfredo Faria	POR			80		<b>80</b>
19	Greg Louw	RSA	75				<b>75</b>
20	Mathias Hamar	NOR	70				<b>70</b>
21	Francesco Balsamo	ITA			50	18	<b>68</b>
22/23	Krisztián Máthé	HUN	65				<b>65</b>
22/23	Arkadiusz Krajewski	POL			65		<b>65</b>
24/25	Thomas Sharpe	GBR		60			<b>60</b>
24/25	Michael Leverett	AUS			60		<b>60</b>
26/27/28	Emil Torstensson	SWE	55				<b>55</b>
26/27/28	Michael Goodall	GBR		55			<b>55</b>
26/27/28	Edwin Lucas	FRA			55		<b>55</b>
29	Marvin Frick	GER		50			<b>50</b>
30	Ross McMullen	GBR		45			<b>45</b>
31	Nicolai Blach	DEN			28	16	<b>44</b>
32	Vitaliy Tsurkan	UKR			40		<b>40</b>
33	Pascual H. Orellana	ARG			30	7	<b>37</b>
34	Marten T. V. Larsen	DEN			35		<b>35</b>
35	Sasa Vujanic	AUS			26		<b>26</b>
36	Peter Egan	IRL			24		<b>24</b>
37	Sergil Boichuk	UKR			20		<b>20</b>


**Andrew Birkett**
**WORLD RANKING 2015 - C1 WOMEN**

Rank	Name	Nation	World Ch	Total
1	<b>Zsanett Lakatos</b>	<b>HUN</b>	200	<b>200</b>
2	Kincso Takacs	HUN	180	<b>180</b>
3	Marine Sansinena	FRA	170	<b>170</b>
4	Raquel Rodriguez	ESP	160	<b>160</b>
5	Johanna Handrick	GER	150	<b>150</b>
6	Ksenia Bezrodnikh	RUS	140	<b>140</b>
7	Yuan Yin Lim	SIN	130	<b>130</b>
8	Krasimira Stoycheva	SRB	120	<b>120</b>


**Zsanett Lakatos**

**WORLD RANKING 2015 - C1 MEN**

Rank	Name	Nation	W. Cup 1 short distance	W. Cup 1 normal distance	World Champ-ships	Total
1	Vaclav Dubsky	CZE	90	90	110	290
2	Nikica Ljubek	CRO	85	85	100	270
3	Bruno Kumpez	CRO	50	65	90	205
4	Matthias Ebhardt	GER	100	100		200
5	Marton Kover	HUN			200	200
6	Manuel Antonio Campos	CRO			180	180
7	Nuno Barros	POR			170	170
8	David Mosquera	ESP			150	150
9	Kurt Kuschela	GER	75	70		145
10	Jakub Brezina	CZE			140	140
11	Gergely Balazs Nagy	HUN			130	130
12	Roman Erlinekov	RUS			120	120
13	Doug Ellery	CAN			85	85
14	Oleksii Shpak	UKR			80	80
15	Mirco Daher	ITA		75		75
16	Ivaylo Dimitrov	BUL			75	75
17	Arved Heine	GER	70			70
18	Sven Tosch	GER	65			65
19	Jonas Mode	GER	60			60
20	Jan Lunacek	CZE	55	0		55


**Vaclav Dubsky**
**THE LONG TERM CALENDAR**

<b>2016</b>	World Cup 1 – 8-9 April	Pietermaritzburg /South Africa	Confirmed
	World Cup 2 – 30-31 July	Prado Vila Verde /Portugal	Confirmed
	European Masters Cup 29-30 June European Championships 1-3 July	Pontevedra /Spain	Confirmed
	Masters World Cup 12-13 September World Championships 16-18 September	Brandenburg /Germany	Confirmed
<b>2017</b>	World Cup – <b>proposed</b> dates 27-28 May World Cup - <b>Dates to be confirmed</b>	Hazewinkel /Belgium Shaoxing /China	Confirmed Confirmed
	European Masters Cup European Championships <b>Dates to be confirmed</b>	Vila Nova de Gaia-Crestuma / Portugal	Confirmed
	Masters World Cup 5-6 September World Championships 8-10 September	Pietermaritzburg /South Africa	Confirmed
<b>2018</b>	World Cup	<b>Zagreb /Croatia</b>	<b>Application - decision 2016</b>
	European Masters Cup European Championships	Metkovic /Croatia	Confirmed
	Masters World Cup World Championships	Prado Vila Verde /Portugal	Confirmed
<b>2019</b>	World Cup		Open
	European Masters Cup European Championships		Open
	Masters World Cup World Championships	Shaoxing /China	Confirmed

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Jorn Cronberg', with a large, stylized initial 'J'.

**Jorn Cronberg**  
**Chairman**