









2023 ICF Junior and U23 Wildwater Canoeing World Championships ROUDNICE NAD LABEM Team Leaders Meeting

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1. Welcome, Introduction of Race Officials

A. Jury Composition

Role	Name
Jury Chair	Terry BEST (ICF)
Jury Member	Manuela GAWEHN (ICF)
Jury Member	Ludek ROLECEK (HOC)

B. Other main officials

Role	Name
Chief Official	Manuela GAWEHN (ICF)
Chief Judge	Peter SCHOFIELD (GBR)
Competition Manager	Tomas SLOVAK (HOC)
Technical Organiser	Robert KNEBEL (HOC)
Start Judge	Hana KNEBLOVA (CZE)
Pre-Start Controll Judge	Libuse ROLECKOVA (CZE)
Finish Judge	Thomas GAWEHN (GER)
Boat Control Judges	Enrique CUESTA (ESP)

2. Roll Call of delegations

Calculation of simple majority should a vote be required. Chief Official also has a vote and in case of a tied vote the Chief Official has the casting vote.

AUSTRALIA (AUS), AUSTRIA (AUT), BELGIUM (BEL), BOSNIA AND HERCEGOVINA (BIH), CANADA (CAN), CROATIA (CRO), CZECH REPUBLIC (CZE), FRANCE (FRA), GERMANY (GER), GREAT BRITAIN (GBR), IRELAND (IRL), ITALY (ITA), JAPAN (JPN), LATVIA (LTV), NETHERLANDS (NED), NEW ZEALAND (NZL), POLAND (POL), REPUBLIC OF NORTH MACEDONIA, ROMANIA (ROU), SERBIA (SRB), SLOVAKIA (SVK), SLOVENIA (SLO), SPAIN (ESP), SWITZERLAND (SUI), UKRAINE (UKR), UNITED STATES OF AMERICA (USA), VENEZUELA (VNZ), VIETNAM (VIE),

3. Antidoping education programme (WADA) validation









4. Information during the competition – WhatsApp group

ICF WWC Community

WhatsApp-Community



5. WARNING – FORBIDDEN ZONES ABOVE AND BELLOW THE WIER

PLEASE RESPECT RULES

The movement of ALL PADDLERS in the area above and bellow the wier is restricted by yellow painted buoys. It is strictly forbidden to enter the weir protection zone.



6. Confirmation of start list

Please check carefully for spelling, events and withdrawals.











7. Start list distribution Classic

- The start lists for the **classic individual** will be loaded to WhastApp group at Tuesday 04.07.2023 9:00 and 1 copies will be placed in nation boxes by Tuesday 04.07.2023 12:00, larger teams will receive 2 copies.
- After classic individual, **Teams** start list will be loaded to WhatsApp group at Wednesday 5.7.2023 20:00 and 1 copies will be placed in nation boxes at Wednesday 5.7.2023 20:00. Larger teams will receive 2 copies.

Sprint

- The start lists for the **Qualification 1**st **heat** will be loaded to WhatsApp group at Thursday 06.07.2023 12:00
- For the Qualification 2nd, **Finals** and **Teams** start list will be loaded WhatsApp group directly after the heats

Reminder: please give name changes for team events asap to the race office!

8. **BIB** distribution

- same bibs for sprint and classic individual and teams

Proposal: Bib distribution in race office times:

Classic individual: 04.07.2023 Tuesday 17:00-18:30

Classic team: 06.07.2023 Thursday 7:00-8:30

Sprint individual only if new BIBS needed: 07.07.2023 Friday 7:00-8:30

Sprint Team only if new BIBS needed: 08.07.2023 Saturday 7:00-8:30

International races: CLASSIC 04.07.2023. Tuesday 17:00-18:30, SPRINT 07.07. Friday

7:00-8.30

Deposit for team bibs and for international race - 100€ / Nation











9. **Events Validity**

A. Individual events

NATIONS	MK1 JUN	WK1JUN	MC1JUN	WC1 JUN	MC2JUN	WC2JUN
TOTAL BOATS	57	28	28	11	13	2
TOTAL NATIONS	22	13	10	6	8	2
NATIONS	MK1U23	WK1U23	MC1U23	WC1U23	MC2U23	WC2U23
TOTAL BOATS	52	28	22	12	13	5
TOTAL NATIONS	22	11	12	7	8	5

B. Team events

EVENT	MK1 team	WK1 team	MC1 team	WC1 team	MC2 team	WC2 team
TOTAL NATIONS JUNIOR	12	5	8	3	0	0
TOTAL NATIONS U23	14	8	7	4	4	1

C. International events

EVENT	MK1	WK1	MC1	WC1	MC2	WC2
TOTAL BOATS	18	5	4	0	1	1
TOTAL NATIONS	6	3	1	0	1	1

10. Race Progression - sprint WCh

Event	HR1 to Final	HR2 to Final	Total in Final		
MK1 JUNIOR	5	10	15		
WK1 JUNIOR	5	10	15		
MC1 JUNIOR	5	7	12		
WC1 JUNIOR	11	0	11		
MC2 JUNIOR	5	5	10		
WC2 JUNIOR	1	<u>0</u>	1		
MK1 U23	5	10	15		













WK1 U23	5	10	15
MC1 U23	5	7	12
WC1 U23	<u>12</u>	<u>0</u>	12
MC2 U23	5	5	10
WC2 U23	<u>6</u>	<u>0</u>	6

sprint international race

all participants both runs

11. Competition Schedule

- Official training ends on Tuesday 4th of July
- Last Version posted on event website on Sunday 1ST July at 22.00

12. Venue & Course Information

Name of River	Labe
Competition Course length Sprint	310 m
Competition course length Classic	3300 m
Competition course flow	Approx. 100 Cumecs
Water regulation on course	Water flow is NOT regulated by the mechanical systems

13. Closing of the course

The course is closed 15 min before the first official start each day until 20 minutes after the last athletes pass the finish line on the whole course

14. Pre-Start Control

The pre-start control will be near the boat entrance:













15. Start and Finish location and procedure

A. Start procedure - individual events

- Boat will be held on the raft and released from 0 after the countdown has finished
- Athletes are responsible to get themselves to the start position on time.
- There will be a clock facing upstream into the warm-up area showing time
- One boat at the start and the following competitor could stay behind the raft.
- At the start will be an acoustic signal
- Athletes must start within 3 seconds of their start time.
- At all times, the athletes must follow the Starter's instruction, or they may be disqualified for the run/race.
- The course is closed 15 minutes before the first competitor at the finish line.











B. Start procedure - team events

- All boats will be held at the rafts.
- Moving backwards not allowed after starting signal
- It doesn't matter which of the three boats cross the start line at first. All boats must pass the beam line within **10 seconds from the "0".**

C. Finish

- The beam line will be indicated by banner.
- Athletes must exit on the river right and pass through equipment control
- Athletes must not leave the finish zone until dismissed by the equipment control judge once they are no longer needed for the ceremonies, anti-doping or equipment control.
- Just after final sprint run will be flowers ceremony for the best three in each category
- During this process, each athlete must wear his competition bibs.

16. Course approval

The course must be approved by a simple majority of the present.

17. Start Interval

A. Team events

Sprint: 60 secondsClassic: 60 seconds

B. Individual events

Sprint Heats: 30 seconds

• Sprint Finals: 60-80 seconds – by the stream

• Classic: 60 seconds

18. Results

- Results will be posted on the official notice at the enquiry desk
- Live results web address is https://live.results.cz/schedule.php?event=202326ICFWCW

19. Location of Enquiry / Protest desk, Protest fee

- The Enquiry desk is located in Race Office.
- Access to this area is limited to accredited Team Leaders only.
- The protest fee is 75 euro or equivalent in local currency
- The Chief Judge will review all the available information for the processing of the enquiry. Following the investigation of the enquiry the decision becomes a matter of fact and therefore cannot be protested further. An Enquiry is considered only when submitted within 20 minutes for classic and 5 minutes for sprint after the competitor's checklist is posted.

20. Equipment measuring and post competition control

Equipment Control is located at the entrance to venue and is open for self-checking:











- Tuesday 04.07. from 10:00 to 18:30
- Equipment control station can be used also each day of competition 15 minutes before each Wildwater canoeing official training slot near the finish line.
- There will be random post equipment control
- airbags must be full pump. All other aspects following the rules.

21. Doping control

- The doping control station is located near Race Office.
- Athletes will be notified for Doping Control at the finish area.
- ID card or passport will be requested.

22. Awards Ceremony, Time and Location, Dress requirement

- Location: see map in appendix 1
- Schedule:

Classic individual and team medal ceremony, Nation Cup Classic: Thursday 06.07 from 16:00

Sprint individual and team medal ceremony, Nation Cup Sprint and closing ceremony: Saturday 08.07. from 18:30

Classic open international race price ceremony: Wednesday 05.07 from 17:38

Sprint open international race price ceremony: Friday 07.07 from 19:20

For international ceremony – only very small gifts (sweets etc.).

• For events that are not valid, there will flower ceremony (without medals and anthems).

23. Water Safety and rescue

- The water rescue service will be located along the course as required.
- Please follow their instructions at all times.

24. Opening ceremony

Till Monday 18:00 o'clock.

- Please send us a link to 1 song that will get your team moving as part of the opening ceremony. Let your team know that this song will be playing for them when they're on the stage and that it would be cool to perform something.
- Next, as part of the opening ceremony, each team will be asked to demonstrate what
 is in them, what their determination and strength is to go into the fight at the World
 Championships. We imagine teams getting ready for that and being prepared. Ideally,











you could talk about it, as a team, and bring something (an instrument, bells, ...anything) that makes a sound and can be used.

25. Venue

- Boat storage no boats on venue except boat storage area! NF can use boat storage area for NF's trailers.
- NF can put their own tents on NF tents area.
- During race days it is not allowed to carry boat through venue area. Athletes have to use footpath (already marked)
- Parking NF can used parking place near access to venue. Spectators' cars are not allowed to use parking place on venue











APPENDIX 1 - Venue Map

