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## INTRODUCTION

From 6<sup>th</sup> to 8<sup>th</sup> November, the Whitewater Stadium of Pau-Pyrénées, new name is Parc Aquasports, will welcome the 2020 ICF Canoe Slalom World Cup.

It will be an opportunity for the athletes to reconnect with the competition in these times of pandemic.

The city of Pau and its metropolitan area has a big sporting culture and has already proved their capacity to host events at the highest level : Tour de France and Vuelta (cycling), CCI 5\* (riding), Pelota world championships in 2010, ... and for canoe slalom numerous ICF World Cups, one European Championships and one ICF World Championships.

Feel free to join us to share together strong emotions and nice sensations through this exciting adventure!

The Organising Committee



## PRESIDENT'S WORDS

For many years, the French Canoe Federation gained a lot of competences in hosting international competitions of great quality. The history in Pau began in 2009 with the ICF Canoe Slalom World Cup at the new inaugurated Whitewater stadium of Pau-Pyrénées. Then, it never ends to confirm the trust the international governing bodies of canoeing put in the Pau Organising Committee and in the French Canoe Federation.

Building on the success of the previous World Cups organized in 2015, 2016, the World Championship in 2017, and the European Championship in 2019, the city of Pau is keen to prepare a magnificent program with the greatest athletes in the world.

Despite the postponement of the competition due to the COVID-19 pandemic, it is with the same enthusiasm and the same passion that French Canoe Federation and Pau Béarn Pyrénées urban community will work together in order to lead a new exciting project.

We hope to see you soon in Pau!



Jean ZOUNGRANA,  
French Canoe Federation President



François BAYROU,  
Mayor of Pau

## GENERAL INFORMATION

### KEY DATES

18 <sup>th</sup> October	Deadline for visa requirement
27 <sup>th</sup> October 2020	Closing of nominal entries
2 <sup>th</sup> November 2020	Opening of competition venue
From 2 <sup>th</sup> to 5 <sup>th</sup> November 2020	Official trainings Free trainings
4 <sup>th</sup> November 2020	Team leaders meeting – 18.15
5 <sup>th</sup> November 2020	ITO's meeting Official equipment control
6 <sup>th</sup> November 2020	Competition day 1
7 <sup>th</sup> November 2020	Competition day 2
8 <sup>th</sup> November 2020	Competition day 3 Closing of the venue

### VENUE NAME/ADDRESS

Parc Aquasports, Whitewater stadium of Pau Pyrénées,

39, avenue de l'Yser, 64320 BIZANOS

+33 5 59 40 85 44

### KEY CONTACTS

**Website:** <https://www.canoeicf.com/canoe-slalom-world-cup/pau-2020>

**Facebook:** <https://www.facebook.com/paucanoe>

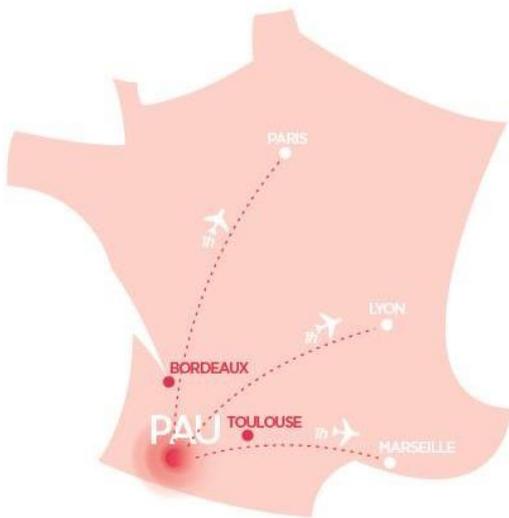
**Instagram:** [www.instagram.com/paucanoe](http://www.instagram.com/paucanoe)

**Sport information:** [events@ffck.org](mailto:events@ffck.org)

**General information:** [contact@paucanoe.com](mailto:contact@paucanoe.com)

## LOCATION

## HOW TO ACCESS PAU?



### PAU PYRENEES AIRPORT

**35 MINUTES** from the White Water Stadium  
**PARIS (ORLY & ROISSY-CDG)** 9 daily flights

**LYON** 3 daily flights



### MOTORWAYS

Exit at 10 min from the White Water Stadium

**A65 BORDEAUX - PAU > 2 H**

**A64 BIARRITZ - PAU > 1 H**

**A64 TOULOUSE - PAU > 2 H**

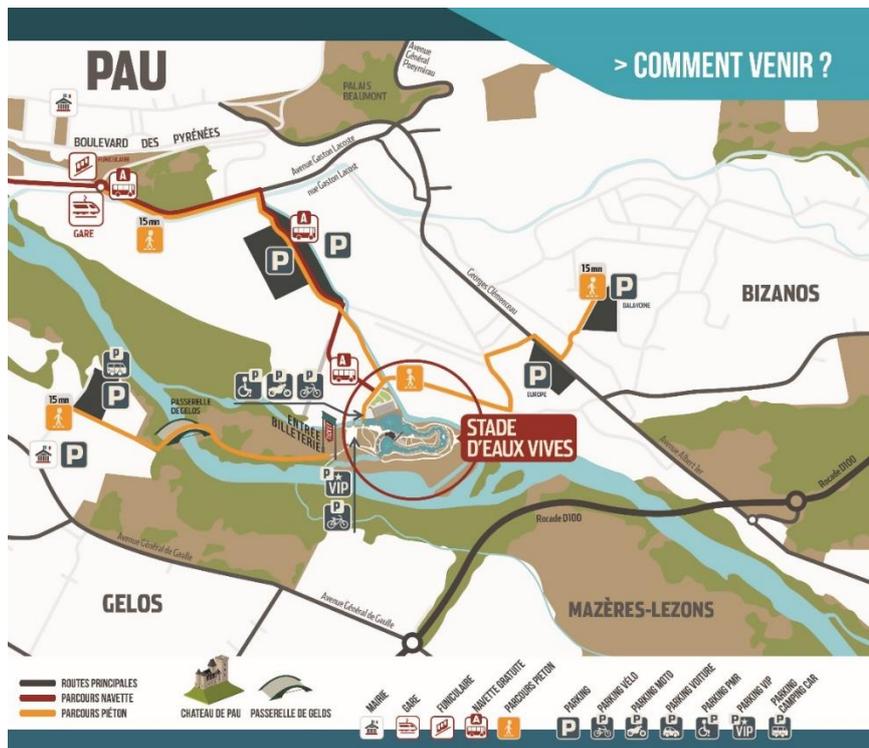


**10 Min WALKING** from the White Water Stadium

**DIRECT TGV** from PARIS (5H)

**DIRECT ACCESS** from BORDEAUX & TOULOUSE

## THE VENUE IN THE CITY





## CURRENCY

The currency you can use in Pau is the euro (€).

## LOCAL ATTRACTION

You can find on this website all of the activities that you cannot miss in the town of Pau (<https://www.pau-pyrenees.com>).

## ACCOMMODATION

You can find on this website all information about accommodation in Pau (<https://www.pau-pyrenees.com/home/preparer-son-sejour/ou-dormir>).

VENUE

VENUE MAP



## TECHNICAL ASPECTS OF THE COURSE

- Competition course:
  - Length: 280 meters
  - Width: 15 meters
  - Drop: 5 meters with an average slope of 2%
  - Water flow during the World Cup: 12 m<sup>3</sup>
  - 50-meter conveyor belt system
- Training course: 200-meter, warm-up and cool-down areas linked to the river “Gave de Pau”

## OTHER TRAINING POSSIBILITES

### Stadium Pont d’Espagne

- Pau Canoë-Kayak Club Universitaire
- Avenue Corps Franc Pommies, 64110, JURANCON
- Phone: 0033 766 07 41 49
- Mail: [accueil@pau-ck.org](mailto:accueil@pau-ck.org)
- Website: <https://www.pau-canoë-kayak.fr/page/38947-accueil>

### Stadium Pont des Grottes – Saint-Pé de Bigorre

- Hautes Pyrénées Sport Nature
- Impasse de la Pradette 65270 ST PE DE BIGORRE
- Phone: 0033 5 62 41 81 48
- Mail: [sport-nature@cg65.fr](mailto:sport-nature@cg65.fr)
- Website: <http://www.sport-nature.org>

### Whitewater Stadium – Orthez

- Route de Biron 64300 ORTHEZ
- Mail: [ortheznautique@gmail.com](mailto:ortheznautique@gmail.com)
- Website: [www.onck.fr](http://www.onck.fr)
- Booking: <https://www.onck.fr/planning-de-reservation-du-bassin/>

## EVENTS & COMPETITION SCHEDULE

### OFFICIAL TRAINING

The competition venue will be open to all the National Federations and secured from the Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> November 2020 at 07:30 to Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> November 2020.

Participating National Federations will have access to official trainings from Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> to Friday 5<sup>th</sup> November as follows:

- 1 slot of training per day and per nation
- 25 to 30 boats per group
- Different courses designs will be set-up every day by the Organising Committee
- Water safety will be taken care by the Organising Committee

### EVENTS

SLALOM	EXTREM CANOE SLALOM
Men's Kayak (MK1)	Men's Extreme Canoe Slalom (MCSLX)
Men's Canoe (MC1),	Women's Extreme Canoe Slalom (WCSLX)
Women's Kayak (WK1)	
Women's Canoe (WC1)	

### COMPETITION SCHEDULE

Day 1 – Friday 6 <sup>th</sup> November	Heats Group 1 – WK1 & MK1 Heats Group 2 – WC1 & MC1
Day 2 – Saturday 7 <sup>th</sup> November	Group 1 semi final & final – WK1 & MK1 Extreme Canoe slalom time trials & final phases
Day 3 – Friday 8 <sup>th</sup> November	Group 2 semi final & final – WC1 & MC1

The updated detailed competition schedule is available on the competition webpage:

<https://www.canoeicf.com/canoe-slalom-world-cup/pau-2020/schedule>

## ENTRIES & PARTICIPATION FEE

### ENTRIES, ACCREDITATION AND DEADLINES

#### Principles:

- Entries and accreditation requests must be made by the National Federation using the ICF's online entries system (SDP):

<https://icf.msl.es/icf/icf.jsp>

- For detailed instructions on how to submit entries, please read the [SDP user guide](#). Any questions or issues to entries or accreditation should be sent to [sdp@canoeicf.com](mailto:sdp@canoeicf.com) prior to the respective deadline.

#### SDP user guide

[http://www.canoeicf.com/sites/default/files/nf\\_userguide\\_v2.2.pdf](http://www.canoeicf.com/sites/default/files/nf_userguide_v2.2.pdf)

#### Nominal entries:

- Nominal entries close: **27<sup>th</sup> November 2020**
- Each athlete competing must be entered by name.
- Team personnel must also be submitted for accreditation at this time. These entries will be used to produce the accreditation cards for all teams.

#### Reminder:

- Entries or accreditation requests sent directly to the committee or the competition organiser will NOT be accepted.

## PARTICIPATION FEE

Accreditation types and participation fees:

QUALIFICATIONS	REMARKS	COSTS
Athletes	Limited to registered athletes on ICF online entries	105 € per person
Team leaders	2 maximum per national federation	
Team staffs	Unlimited	
ITO	According to the list edited by ICF	Free of charge
NF President or Secretary General	To be validated by ICF 2 maximum per national federation	
NF Guest	Give access to VIP area on Saturday and Sunday	60€ per day/per person



## BANK DETAILS

The payment of participation fees can be made by bank transfer before you reach Pau or on site upon your arrival by cash or bank card. When your registration are closed you can ask us for an invoice at the following address: [events@ffck.org](mailto:events@ffck.org)

### Bank details (for bank transfer):

Account owner: Pau Canoë Événements

Stade d'Eaux-Vives Pau-Pyrénées

39 avenue de l'Yser

64320 BIZANOS

**IBAN: FR76 1027 8022 7300 0202 8160 116**

**BIC: CMCIFR2AXXX**

## VISA REQUIREMENTS

France is a state-member of the European Union. The French Embassy in your country will provide you with all detailed information about visas. You will find details in the website on French Foreign Affairs Ministry (<http://www.diplomatie.gouv.fr/en/>).

Please inform in advance but no later than 18<sup>th</sup> October 2020 the Organising Committee together with the visa form whether your team needs entry visas to France.

These registration forms must be received by French Canoe Federation as soon as possible: [events@ffck.org](mailto:events@ffck.org)

You will find in appendix a visa form to fulfil.



## SPECIAL REGULATION IN FRANCE

### **Evin laws (N. 91-32 January 10<sup>th</sup> 1991)**

- This law forbids advertising for all alcoholic beverages (any level of alcohol including beer) and tobacco inside sports arenas (canoe slalom stadium is a sport arena). No advertising on tracksuits, boats, paddles ...

### **Protection of athlete health law (N. 99-223 March 23<sup>rd</sup> 1999)**

- Specific doping regulations on French territory.





## COVID-19 AND ACCESS CONDITIONS TO FRANCE

The HOC will provide all updated information in a document published on the ICF website:

<https://www.canoeicf.com/canoe-slalom-world-cup/pau-2020/team-info>

## COVID-19 HEALTH AND SAFETY PROTOCOL

Each Participating National Federation will be expected to have undertaken their own risk assessment and have a Covid-19 safety protocol in place and will require to have taken the precautionary measures prior to travel.

Each Participating National Federation is responsible for all costs (including medication) should any member of their Team be required to go into quarantine at any time from arrival to departure and/or be hospitalised or to return to the country of departure.

The ICF, the Host National Federation and the Host Organising Committee will try to support the concerned person as much as they can.

The ICF or the Host National Federation or the Host Organising Committee does not accept any responsibility for Covid-19 infection that occurs during or after the competition but will take all advised precautionary measures to reduce the risk of transmission.

**Facemask will have to be worn at the competition venue at all times.**

Disinfection stations will be located throughout the venue.

NOTE: Sanitary measures can be updated at short notice by the local authorities.

For details, please, see the Global ICF / PAU 2020 COVID 19 protocol:

<https://www.canoeicf.com/canoe-slalom-world-cup/pau-2020/team-info>



APPENDIX 2 - TRANSPORTATION BOOKING FORM

Arrival date	
Departure date	
<b>Transportation means</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Plane <input type="checkbox"/> Train <input type="checkbox"/> Car  If you travel by plane or train, please indicate below the details about hours and number.	
Arrival place:	From:
Flight/Train number:	
Departure place:	To:
Flight/Train number:	
Do you need a shuttle from and to airport/train station? <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO  If from Pau, Tarbes or Lourdes: <b>free trip</b> If from Toulouse/Bordeaux or Biarritz: a financial compensation will be asked, please consult the organization <b>before 24<sup>th</sup> October</b>	

**Do you will travel with other delegation to come to the venue? If it's yes, with which one?**