

2013 IWWF ASIAN WATERSKI & WAKEBOARD CHAMPIONSHIPS
Incorporating the 2013 IWWF Asian Junior (U17) Waterski Championship
25th to 29th September 2013
Palembang, Indonesia

Bulletin 1

After 3 years, Indonesia will once again host the 2013 IWWF Asian Championships; the Indonesia Waterski & Wakeboard Association (IWWA) last organised the 2010 IWWF Asian Championship in Jakarta.

The 2013 Asian Championships will be held at Jakabaring Sports City, Palembang, the venue for 2011 South East Asian Games and 2012 & 2013 IWWF Waterski and Wakeboard World Cup stop.

The average temperature in September is between 33°C to 35°C.

1. Sanctioning Body

IWWF Asian Waterski & Wakeboard Confederation

2. Organizer

Indonesia Waterski & Wakeboard Association (IWWA)

3. Entry Conditions & Administration

Only paid-up Asian member federations of the Asian Confederation are qualified to participate in the 2013 IWWF Asian Waterski & Wakeboard Championships. All athletes must be entered by their respective Federations, including individual athletes.

a. Intention to Enter: Each federation shall submit to the Secretary General of the Asian Confederation, and to the organizing committee, not later than 4 months before the scheduled start of the first event of the 2013 IWWF Asian Waterski & Wakeboard Championships, its intent to compete. Any federation not meeting this requirement will not be allowed to compete until they pay a penalty (to be determined) to the IWWF Asian Confederation.

Each federation shall submit to Secretary General of the Asian Confederation, and to the organizing committee, not later than thirty (30) days before the scheduled start of the first event of the 2013 IWWF Asian Waterski & Wakeboard Championships, the names of the members of its team, the disciplines (Tournament and Wakeboard), the events each will enter, the ranking of each skier/rider, as well as the names of the official reserves. Any federation not meeting this requirement may not be allowed to compete, or if so allowed at the discretion of the Chief Judges and the organizing committee until the federation pays a penalty (to be advised) after the 30-day deadline to the IWWF Asian Confederation for each skier/rider not officially entered. If the official entry forms are not received 24 hours prior to the start of the first event, the federation's skiers' and riders' places in the draw, if allowed to participate, shall be determined by the respective Chief Judges without reference to their ranking.

All Asian Federations must submit the following entry forms as follows:-

Form	Deadline
Intent to Enter	25 th June 2013
Official Entry Forms	25 th August 2013

Forms are to be submitted to the Indonesia Waterski & Wakeboard Association and copied to the Secretary General of the Asian Confederation

4. Rules - General

The competition will be conducted according to the IWWF Asian Technical Rules for Tournament (Waterski) and Wakeboard.

Rule	Tournament (Waterski)	Wakeboard
Eligibility	<p>A Federation may select its team in any manner it desires; however, each team member must be a citizen or applying for citizenship of the country which the Federation represents. In case of doubt as to the nationality of a competitor, the Judges normally will refer to his passport. If a skier/rider does not have a passport from the country for which he is skiing/riding, he must prove residence in the country for at least three (3) years. Each Federation shall certify to the Judges that all members of its team meet these qualifications.</p> <p>All skiers / riders, including individuals, must be entered by their Federation.</p>	
Events	<p>Categories:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Men's Slalom (starting speed 52 km/h) & • Women's Slalom (starting speed 49 km/h) • Men's & Women's Tricks • Men's & Women's Jump 	<p>Categories:</p> <p>Men's Wakeboarding Women's Wakeboarding</p>
Team Selection	<p>Each team shall consist of a maximum of 6 skiers, with the further limitation that no team may have more than four (4) men or four (4) women. Each Federation shall further have the right to nominate two reserve skiers to its team, to replace any injured skier, provided the maximum number of 4 men or 4 women is not exceeded</p>	<p>The Wakeboard team shall consist of a maximum of six (6) riders. No team shall have more than three (3) men or (3) women</p>
Individual Entry	<p>Individual skiers are able to participate however they must meet one or more than one of the following conditions:</p> <p>a) World Tournament, Record Holder. The skier must have performed the record at least 45 days before the first day of the familiarization of the World Championships and have his performance ratified by the IWWF Tournament Council at least 15 days before the first day of familiarization of the World Championships.</p> <p>b) Reigning World, AAO Confederation and Asian Tournament Champions in that event (slalom, tricks or/and jump) in which they defend their title.</p> <p>c) Ranked in the IWWF World Tournament Ranking List in the top 10% men or women in any event excluding overall. The numbers will be rounded to the nearest full digit.</p> <p>Individual riders are permitted to compete provided they are the reigning World, AAO Confederation or Asian Wakeboard Champion.</p>	

	<p>d) Qualified as follows:</p> <p>Women Slalom: 3 @55kph/18.25 Tricks: 2,000 points Jump: 30 metres</p> <p>Men Slalom: 3 @58kph/18.25 Tricks: 3,500 points Jump: 40 metres</p>	
Team Overall Scoring	<p>In team competition, the best three Team scores, men or women, in each OPEN event (in the eliminations or finals) PLUS the best three Team scores, boys or girls, in each U17 event (in the eliminations or finals) shall be summed up to obtain the team score.</p> <p>The best performance in an event in the preliminary or final round by a team skier shall be awarded 1000 points and be referred to as the "Best Team Score". All other performances shall be calculated according to the formulae in 5.03 substituting "Best Team Skier's Score" for "Best Overall Skier's Score". The performance by a skier who is not an official member of his Federation's team shall not be taken into consideration in the calculation of the team score.</p>	The four (4) best placements will be used to compute the overall team score and a maximum of two (2) scores per category shall be used
Individual Overall Scoring	Each overall competitor shall be awarded in each event a certain number of overall points according to the relationship of his best score in either the preliminary round or the final round to the best score in the event during either round by a skier who is qualified as an overall skier.	N/A

Junior Rules (Under 17 years)	IWWF Asian Junior Championship (Tournament for U-17)	
Eligibility	As per above plus only those born in 1996 and later are eligible.	
Events	Categories: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Boys Slalom (starting speed 49 km/h) & • Girls Slalom (starting speed 46 km/h) • Boys & Girls Tricks • Boys & Girls Jump (1.50m Ramp Height) 	
Team Selection	Each team shall consist of a maximum of 4 skiers, with the further limitation that no team may have more than three (3) men or three (3) women. Each Federation shall further have the right to nominate two reserve skiers to its team, to replace any injured skier, provided the maximum number of 3 men or 3 women is not exceeded	

Individual Entry	Individual skiers are able to participate however they must meet one or more than one of the following conditions: Ranked in the IWWF Asian Tournament Ranking List in the top 5 men or women in any event excluding overall.
Team Overall Awards	There will be no separate Team Overall Awards.
Individual Overall Scoring	Each overall competitor shall be awarded in each event a certain number of overall points according to the relationship of his best score in either the preliminary round or the final round to the best score in the event during either round by a skier who is qualified as an overall skier.
Familiarisation	There will be no Official Familiarisation

5. Homologation

This competition will be Record Capability (RC) homologated.

6. Language

English / Indonesian

7. Entry fee

Entry fee for each athlete will be USD150.00. This includes lunch during the competition and fee for the Opening Ceremony on Wednesday and Closing Ceremony Dinner on Sunday. Entry fees must be paid in cash during registration before the event begins. Currency is in US Dollars.

8. Opening Dinner and Banquet Final Night Party:

The price for non-athletes to attend both the Opening and Closing Ceremony Dinner will be total USD50.00 per head.

9. Accommodation

Official Hotel:

The Jayakarta Daira, Palembang

<http://palembang.jayakartahotelsresorts.com>

Jl. Jenderal Sudirman no. 153 Palembang - South
Sumatra, Indonesia

PH: +62 711 365 222

Fax: +62 711 364 222

Email: rsvoplg@jayakartahotelsresorts.com

and cc : fom@jayakartadaira.com

Hotel Rates:

- Superior Room (Single or Twin)
- Room : USD67.00 / Nett
- Package (Single or Twin Room + Breakfast + Lunch + Dinner) = USD97.00 / Nett

Hotel Contact Person/s:

M. Tariq Febrian

Email : mtifay@gmail.com

and please copy all hotel correspondence/s to:

Indonesian Waterski & Wakeboard Federation
Ostra Ligwina

Email : ostra@waterski-indonesia.or.id

**Deadline to Submit Hotel
Reservation Forms:**

25th August 2013

10. Travel to Indonesia & Visa Requirements

All teams and officials should make arrangements to arrive and depart from Sultan Mahmud Badaruddin II Airport.

Formalities

A passport valid for at least six months from date of arrival, plus proof (tickets) onward or return passage, are all it takes to visit Indonesia.

Free Tourist Visa

Free Tourist visas of 30 days are available for passport-holders from the 12 countries, namely **Thailand, Malaysia, Singapore**, Brunei Darussalam, **Philippines, Hong Kong S A R**, Macao S A R, Chile, Morocco, Peru, Vietnam and Equador.

VISA on ARRIVAL (VoA)

This facility is available for nationals of the following countries:

Argentina, Australia, Brazil, Canada, Denmark, Finland, France, Germany, Hungary, Italy, Japan, New Zealand, Norway, Poland, South Africa, South Korea, Switzerland, Taiwan, United Arab Emirates, United Kingdom and the United States of America.

Citizens of these countries will be able to apply for a VoA valid for either 3 or 30 days upon arrival by air in Bali, Jakarta and a few other international airports or by ship at a limited number of Indonesian sea ports. A 3-day visa costs US\$10.00 and a 30-day visa costs US\$25.00

The VoA cannot be extended or converted into any other kind of visa. Also be aware that Immigration officials calculate the 30-day period as follows: your arrival day is counted as your first day, and you must leave the country on the 30th. Day.

How to Obtain the "VISA on ARRIVAL" (VoA)?.

Travellers from the above countries must be in possession of a passport which is valid for at least 6 months from the date of arrival and the completed embarkation/disembarkation card they received from their airline. They must also be able to prove they have sufficient funds for their stay in Indonesia.

Arriving travellers with Visa-On-Arrival status have to go first to one of the 'VoA Counters', located before immigration clearance in Jakarta and Palembang Airport, to pay the appropriate fee and have passports stamped with the VoA before proceeding to the Immigration Clearance Desk. Payment of visa fees can only be made in US dollar bank notes, Indonesian Rupiah equivalent or by VISA or MASTERCARD.

12. Transportation

The organising committee will arrange transportation for teams and officials from the Sultan Mahmud Badaruddin II Airport to the Official Hotel, the Jayakarta Daira, Palembang which is a 20 Minute drive away.

13. Liability

The Indonesian Waterski & Wakeboard Association, the IWWF Asian Confederation and the organizing committee of the 2013 IWWF Asian Championships, do not accept any liability for damage to persons, materials or property against competitors, technical officers, judges, official helpers and other persons. All competitors take part at their own risk in every respect even if they are engaged out of the competition, e.g. in any additional program. With their entry in the competition they give up any claim for instances of loss of any kind arising indirectly or directly during this event. Participants should take out private accident insurance besides their health insurance. Damage to third parties (e.g. spectators) is insured only within

the limits of the organizer's liability. Participants will be required to sign a waiver upon registering and provide evidence of personal accident insurance.

14. Official contact addresses:

Organizing Committee: Indonesian Waterski & Wakeboard Association
 Danny Boestami – Event Director
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Indonesian Waterski & Wakeboard Association
 Radlia Mattalatta – Assistant Event Director
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 E Mail: radliam@gmail.com

15. Provisional Schedule

Monday, 23rd September 2013
Arrival of Teams & Registration
Unofficial Practice

Tuesday, 24th September 2013
Arrival of Teams & Registration
Unofficial Practice

Wednesday, 25th September 2013
Arrival of Teams & Registration
Official Homologation
Asian Junior Girls Slalom - Preliminaries
Asian Junior Boys Slalom - Preliminaries
Asian Junior Girls Tricks - Preliminaries
Asian Junior Boys Tricks - Preliminaries
Asian Junior Girls Jump - Preliminaries
Asian Junior Boys Jump - Preliminaries
Opening Ceremony (evening)

Thursday, 26th September 2013
Open Women Slalom - Preliminaries
Open Men Slalom - Preliminaries
Open Women Tricks - Preliminaries
Open Men Tricks – Preliminaries

Friday, 27th September 2013
Asian Open Women Jump - Preliminaries
Asian Open Men Jump - Preliminaries
Women's Wakeboard Quarter-Finals
Men's Wakeboard Quarter-Finals

Saturday, 28th September 2013
Asian Junior Girls Slalom Finals
Asian Junior Boys Slalom Finals
Asian Junior Girls Tricks Finals
Asian Junior Boys Tricks Final
Women's Wakeboard Last Chance Qualifiers
Men's Wakeboard Last Chance Qualifiers
Asian Junior Girls Jump Finals
Asian Junior Boys Jump Finals
Junior Waterski Medal Ceremony (Event Venue)
Asian Women's Wakeboard Semi-Finals
Asian Men's Wakeboard Semi-Finals

Sunday, 29th September 2013
Asian Open Women Slalom Finals
Asian Open Men Slalom Finals
Asian Open Women Tricks Finals
Asian Open Men Tricks Finals
Asian Open Women Wakeboard Finals
Asian Open Men Wakeboard Finals
Asian Open Women Jump Finals
Asian Open Men Jump Finals
Individual Medal Ceremony (Event Venue)
Team Overall Awards Presentation & Closing Ceremony Dinner

16. Others

Unofficial practice information, official tow boats, etc to be advised in the next bulletin.