



**BUSAN IWWF**  
World Wakeboard Championships 2013



## Bulletin No.2

**Korea Waterski & Wakeboard Association Welcomes All Countries to  
Participate in Busan IWWF World Wakeboard Championships 2013  
at Hwamyong Eco Park in Busan  
from August 28th to September 1st, 2013.**



**Hwamyong Eco Park**

***MasterCraft***  
Official World Wakeboard Championships' Tow Boat



We are delighted to show the above 'Hwamyeong Eco Park' and 'Busan Metropolis' for the Korean 2013 World Wakeboard Championships to families of the sport of waterski & wakeboard worldwide.

## **Busan, a City of international Sports**

### **I . Busan Metropolitan City**

#### **Overview**

- Weather Mild Oceanic Climate (Average Temperature: 15 °C)
- Location North East Asia, Southern tip of the Korean Peninsula
- Population 3.56 million
- Area 767.34 km<sup>2</sup> (0.8% of the R.O.K)
- Admin. Districts 15 Districts & 1 County

#### **Vision**

- Since its opening to the world in 1876, Busan has grown to become a major port city in Northeast Asia. It is now raising its profile as a city of international sports, convention and exhibition.
- Busan has the capability and experience of hosting a variety of international sports events including the 2002 Asian Games and the World Cup Final Draw Ceremony and football games.

- The next goal of Busan is to promote mutual understanding and peace between the countries of the world through the hosting of major sporting events including the Olympics, in the true spirit of the Olympic movement.

## **II. International Sporting Events & Conferences**

### **History**

- 1988 Seoul Olympics (Yachting Event)
- 1995 Asian Weightlifting Championships
- 1997 2nd East Asian Games
- 2002 14th Busan Asian Games  
17th FIFA World Cup Korea/Japan Final Draw & Matches  
8th Far East and South Pacific Games for the Disabled (FESPIC)
- 2005 35th Volvo Youth Sailing ISAF World Championship  
13th APEC Economic Leaders' Meeting
- 2006 IPC Powerlifting World Championships Senior & Junior  
WTBA World Tenpin Bowling Championships for Men
- 2007 Tour de Korea (International Cycling Road Race)
- 2008 AIBA Executive Committee Meeting  
4th TAFISA World Sport For All Games  
6th IOC World Forum on Sport, Education and Culture
- 2009 ISAF Annual Conference
- 2011 4th High Level Forum on Aid Effectiveness (HLF-4)
- 2012 95th Lions Clubs Int'l Convention
- 2013 21st Asian Table Tennis Championships

IOC members attending the 6th IOC World Forum on Sport, Culture and Education in 2008 praised Busan with one accord, stating that "The City of Busan is more than capable of hosting the Olympic Games."



(Eulsookdo Island in Nakdong River)



(Haewundae Beach well-known worldwide)



(Landscape of Busan Metropolis)

## Location

You can arrive in Gimhae International Airport via Incheon International Airport that takes about 40 minutes away from the Hwamyong Eco Park, where we will host the 2013 World Wakeboard Championships at the waterfront area of Busan. More information (key Tel. numbers) can be obtained via the following airport website address: <http://www.airport.co.kr/mbs/gimhaeeng/>

We are going to provide the limousine bus for transportation of all national team officials with their families and supporters, at a cost of USD20.00 per a person (round) at the headquarter room, 42F Carlton room of the Busan Lotte Hotel for our accreditation dates for the Worlds. However, the fee of all riders is all included by entry fee, USD220.00. In the airport, we will locate guides who are educated by the Organizer and will welcome the visiting teams and IWWF VIPs and event officials

with supporters. Also they guide them to their limousine bus for their earlier-booked hotel.



Introduction on Gimhae International Airport is located at Daeheo 2-dong, Gangseo-gu, Busan. This airport began the service as Busan Suyong airfield for the first time on August 1958, and was raised to Busan International Airport on September 1963. It was moved to current location on August 1976 to expand the facilities and changed the name to Gimhae International Airport. Gimhae International Airport continued to progress with the local community and now 9,170 thousand passengers are using it annually. And travel convenience facility for passengers as well as the disabled is gradually being expanded. To make a safe airport, hi-tech telecommunication & electronics equipments were installed for operation in best condition

### Domestic Airline Information from Incheon to Busan

- 06:20 to 07:25 (OZ8532)
- 08:15 to 09:20 (KE1401)
- 14:40 to 15:45 (KE1403)
- 17:15 to 18:20 (KE1405)
- 19:35 to 20:40 (KE1407)

## **Weather at the Site**

Conditions out of the location: It is a wonderful place surrounded by mountains each from the eastern, western, and northern ways of the Nakdonggang river and they act as the factor of the low speed of the wind.

### Weather from August to September:

- Average sunrise time will be 5:10AM
- Average sunset time will be 7:45PM
- Average temperature will be between 26 and 34 Celsius degree
- Wind Speed will be Before-noon will be average from 0m/s to 1m/s and also after-noon, 0m/s to 2m/s.

## **Official Media**

We will organize the live stream for such media as IT, TV, and SNS, which will show the event from start to final.

## **Official Website**

We may use the respected IWWF website ([www.iwwfed.com](http://www.iwwfed.com)) and IWWF\_WWC one (<http://www.iwwfwakeboard.com/IWWF/Welcome.html>) as an official website for riders & medias.

## **The Championships rules**

This event uses 2013 IWWF World Wakeboard Championships rules.

## **Homologations**

The Chief Judge controls and supervises such facilities as the event course and obstacle for the event.

## **Commentator**

The organizer may pull international & domestic commentators into the Championships so that all viewers enjoy the event enough.

## **Entry Requirements**

All team members are riders at the World Championships and must follow the IWWF World Wakeboard Championships rules 2013 for Korea.

A rider may attend as an individual or a team representative at Busan IWWF World Wakeboard Championships 2013 at Hwamyeong Eco Park in Busan from August 28th to September 1st, 2013.

All member federations affiliated to the IWWF must submit their intent to enter forms by email to the Korean Waterski & Wakeboard Association (the organizer): [kwsa1sts@ymail.com](mailto:kwsa1sts@ymail.com) and Colin Hart Secretary of IWWF Wakeboard at [busanworlds2013@gmail.com](mailto:busanworlds2013@gmail.com). Deadline for submission of the intent to enter form is extended **no later than July 15th, 2013.**

An official entry form is required to put forward to the organizer **no later than July 27th, 2013.**

### **Participating qualifications for a team**

A team will comprise of a maximum 8 riders, with a maximum of 2 riders in the same category, please see Wakeboard World Championship Rule 9.2.1. Additional qualifications follow the 2013 IWWF rules.

### **Participating qualifications for an individual**

The participating qualifications for an individual must be met under the 2013 IWWF rules.

## **Entry fee**

The entry fee for riders will be USD220.00 per a person. This includes transportation, all expenses of daily lunch voucher and dinners for ceremony events.

The entry fee should be paid when you take your accreditation procedures in the official hotel, Busan Lotte Hotel which has the headquarter room (42F Carlton Room). Currency will be US dollar, until we will mention a specific currency.

## **Tentative Championships Schedule**

<u>August 26th Monday</u>	<u>Arrival of riders and officials/Accreditation</u>
	Unofficial Practice
	IWWF WWC meeting at 42F Charlotte Room
<u>August 27th Tuesday</u>	<u>Arrival of riders/Accreditation</u>
	Homologation/Unofficial Practice
	IWWF WWC meeting at 42F Charlotte Room
	Captains meeting at 3F Pearl Room
	Judges & Riders Briefing at 3F Pearl Room
<u>August 28th Wednesday</u>	<u>1st event day</u>
	Opening Ceremony at 3F Art Hall
<u>August 29th Thursday</u>	<u>2nd event day</u>
<u>August 30th Friday</u>	<u>3rd event day</u>
<u>August 31th Saturday</u>	<u>4th event day</u>
<u>September 1st Sunday</u>	<u>Finals</u>
	Prizing Ceremony



## Closing Ceremony & Banquets at 3F Art Hall

September 2nd Monday      Departure day

### **Unofficial Practice before the event**

Any team and rider may make use of unofficial practice dates from August 26th to 27th, 2013.

With regard to your booking of unofficial practice, you are required to submit the request form to the organizer and upon arrival, the practice fee must be paid to the organizer.

Practice fee is USD240.00 per a country per an hour (USD40.00 per 10 minutes). The practice time is on a first come first served basis. No country/team can book more than 2 hours.

### **Official Boat**

The official boat of the event will be the Mastercraft Xstar

### **Judges**

Officials list is as follows:

Chief Judge	Jung Sanghan	KOR
Chief Driver	Martin James	GBR
Assitant Driver	Bill Clifford	AUS
	Dan Levine	USA
Calculator	Florian Butty	CH
	Na Sunyoung	KOR

## Judges

### Region AA Judges

Rob Iacconi AUS

Kenny Ip HK

Cory Harris AUS

### Region PANAM Judges

Loren Levine USA

Daniel Garcia COL

Bob Barrett CAN

### Region E&A Judges

Nuno Eca POR

Colin Hart GBR

Nils Kroon NL

## Visas

If you need to contact your ambassador or consulate, then this bulletin will be help for your visa acquisition.

But if you are having difficulty in getting your visa from your ambassador or consulate, you can get any assistance from the organizer. More information on obtaining your visa can be found at the Korean Government website:

<http://www.mofat.go.kr/ENG/visa/application/>

## Doping Control

In accordance with the IWWF anti-doping rules, doping control will be conducted for the event. All riders agree to be subjected to doping control in participating at this event.

Information about IWWF anti-doping program can find at <http://www.iwsf.com/AntiDoping/WEBpageinformation11.htm> which has some links connected to anti-doping substances list.

## **Transportation**

All officials, riders, and judges should arrive to Gimhae International Airport.

The organizer is going to provide a round official transferring service from Gimhae International Airport to the official hotel for all participants.

For the event dates, we shall provide a shuttle bus service between the official hotel and event site. The time table on an arrival & departure itinerary will be visible on the web-sites of the official hotel and Busan City-hall.

All official teams, their riders, and event officials are required to fill in and submit their application forms attached to the bulletin **by July 15, 2013**, so that the organizers can prepare for their transfer schedules. All official information about the transfer time schedule from Gimhae International Airport to the official hotel is available for via related official web-sites.

## **Official Hotel (Village for all participants)**

All major credit cards are accepted at the official hotel. The official hotel is about 30 minutes by a car or bus from the site, the waterfront of Hwamyong Eco Park:



## Busan Lotte Hotel

Room: Deluxe Room + Breakfasts for 2 persons

Special price, KRW169,400 (Incl. all taxes)

Contact: Soo-jung Jin/Sales Manager

Telephone: +82.51.810.1100

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Email: [sjjin@lotte.net](mailto:sjjin@lotte.net)

Web: <http://www.lottehotelbusan.com>

Booking will be made by the attached Hotel Registration Form.

## **Official Facility**

Starting Dock

Village for all Participants

Safety Guard Crews

Water Coolers

Outdoor Sanitary

Calculating Room

Judging Room

VIP Room

Media Village

We will set up and organize them earlier before the event.

## **Ceremonies**

The organizer will prepare to host various kinds of ceremonies for the Worlds.

1. Opening Ceremony
2. Final Night Banquet with Closing Ceremony

These shall be entered free of charge only for all accredited athletes and officials (Not NF officials but IWWF VIPs, WWC members, and event officials). You can refer to details in the above mentioned 'Entry fee'. The remainders are all required to pay USD50.00 a person per ceremony for their entry fee, which is required to be paid when they take their accreditations at the headquarter room (42F, Carlton Room) of the Busan Lotte Hotel.

## **Responsibilities**

The organizer and IWWF have no responsibility for a loss or damage of any equipment or personal property or any damages of riders, officials, judges, official volunteers and other persons who attend to some unofficial or official programs during the competition. Riders should have their own personal accident insurance policy and show it before attending the Worlds. The policy is required to definitely provide its internationally firmed coverage.

The organizer has no responsibility for any sustained accident by a rider who is participating in the Worlds. Whenever he/she sees a doctor and goes to a hospital in Korea, his/her expenses are very high for medical proceedings and receiving medical service. So any rider needs an appropriate coverage of a personal health insurance. He/she must follow his/her health insurance policy (certificate) /payment of all expenses before medical service/hospitalization.

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