













## Nautique IWWF Asia Wakefest Hong Kong 2024

#### **Bulletin 1**

part of the IWWF Asia Wakefest Series Wakeboard & Wakesurf



#### Date &Tentative Run Down

4 Jul 2024 Thursday

8am to 6pm - Unofficial Training

5-6 Jul 2024 Friday & Saturday

8am to 6 pm - Preliminary Rounds/ Finals

7 Jul 2024 Sunday

8am to 5 pm - Finals

5pm to 6 pm - Prize Presentation

7pm to 10pm – After Party

\*Time may be adjusted at Organiser's discretion depending on weather, time and participant numbers.

\*\*The details of the program rundown will be published as soon as possible, subject to the number of participants for the event.

\*\*\* The Wakeboard and Wakesurf competitions will be held simultaneously during the event. Athletes who have joined both wakeboard and wakesurf categories may run the risk of having overlapping competition schedule. In this event, HKCWA will not make any refunds.

## Competition Venues

#### Viewing Terrace & Tolo Corner, Tai Po Waterfront Park

- 2 areas used for competition are about 600m x 250m & 400m x 150m

Area A: 1<sup>st</sup> Track for Wakeboard/Wakesurf; Area B: 2<sup>nd</sup> Track only for Wakesurf



\*Subject to the approval of the government bodies.

#### Disciplines, Quota & Awards

Individual: Quota for whole competition (A+B): 160pax

A. Wakeboard (Please refer to page 4)

Open & Junior Quota: 12pax; Quota for other categories: 6pax

B. Wakesurf (Please refer to page 5)

Open & Junior quota: 12pax; Amateur & Beginner quota: 6pax

Medals and prizes will be awarded to the top 3 winners of each event category.

Team:

C. Team Event (Please refer to page 6)

Trophies and prizes will be awarded to the top 3 teams of team event.















#### Individual Entry Requirement

Anyone is welcome to enter provided they hold an IWWF License (EMS)

All Hong Kong based riders must be HKCWA members in order to join the competition.
 (Membership fee is excluded for the Overseas applicants)
 Renewal of 2024 HKCWA Membership & Annual Membership Fee:
 <a href="https://form.jotform.com/240321305336443">https://form.jotform.com/240321305336443</a>

- All riders must enrol through our official website and IWWF EMS:

1. Individual Entry Form (Deadline: 14 Jun 2024): Wakeboard: <a href="https://form.jotform.com/241151105668451">https://form.jotform.com/241150812985457</a> Wakesurf: <a href="https://form.jotform.com/241150812985457">https://form.jotform.com/241150812985457</a>

Adults: \$950 HKD per event; Juniors: \$600 HKD per event

#### 2. IWWF EMS (Except for Beginner Wakesurf Categories)

after the individual entry from Jotform, you must then be registered by your respective Federation into IWWF's Event Management System (EMS) <a href="https://ems.iwwf.sport/">https://ems.iwwf.sport/</a>.

Each athlete, except Wakesurf Beginner Category, must register to compete in Wakefest Hong Kong using IWWF's EMS no later than 14<sup>th</sup> June 2024. An entry is considered complete when an athlete has registered for the event in EMS and full entry fee payment has been received. Entry fee payment must be made through the individual form.

The procedure for your Federation to register in EMS is as follows:

- 1. Athlete has to login to EMS
- 2. Go to **My Competitions** and Click on "New participation" button.

Select the appropriate competition from the list. Filter as follows:

Country: Hong Kong, China

Code "24HKG002" to compete in Wakeboard

Code "24HKG003" to compete in Wakesurf

3. Select your category and click on "Submit Participation" button. Refer here for video tutorial.

- Entry priority will be given to up to six overseas riders per country (supported by their federations).
- Secondly, a first-come, first-served basis will be used to fill up the quota for each category.
- All remaining applications will go through a random draw to determine the final rider lists.
- The organizer reserves the right to accept or reject, amend the quota for each group, the number of categories and the heat system as deemed necessary
- The organizer reserves the right to close a category if there are less than 3 participants.
- All overseas riders must provide evidence of personal accident insurance for the competition & send a copy of the cover note to <a href="https://hkwsa@hkolympic.org">hkwsa@hkolympic.org</a> 7 days before the event. Participation in the event will not be permitted without adequate cover.

## Team Entry Requirement

All team coach must enrol through our official website below:

Team Entry Form: https://form.jotform.com/241150682132446

Team: \$1000 HKD per team

Each Team may have a maximum of **6 riders** comprising at least 2 men and 2 women riders participating in any categories.

[For the scoring of the team awards, please refer to the selection headed 'Format & Scoring' below.]

## Registration & Fees

#### Please note that we will ONLY accept online entry forms.

If the event is cancelled prior to the start of competition, due to bad weather or other circumstances, entry fees will be refunded to the enrolled riders through the online payment system.















Applications from riders with outstanding payments for past events will not be accepted unless he/she provides payment evidence or settles the outstanding payment.

<u>Deadline</u>	Enrolment Fees & Remarks
Enrolment Starts:	Adults: \$950 HKD per event
22 May 2024 12:00pm	Juniors: \$600 HKD per event
	(Entry fee including souvenir, lunch at venue, transportation between hotel & venue) The organizer reserves the right to accept or reject, amend the quota of the entry as deemed necessary
Enrolment Deadline:	
14 Jun 2024 11:59pm	Online Entry Form and payment:
	Wakeboard: <a href="https://form.jotform.com/241151105668451">https://form.jotform.com/241151105668451</a>
	Wakesurf: https://form.jotform.com/241150812985457
	IWWF EMS registration: https://ems.iwwf.sport/
	There will be an administration fee of \$1000 HKD for all kinds of appeal.
Competitors' List	Competitors' lists will be posted on:
On or around	HKCWA website www.waterski.org.hk
21 Jun 2024	HKCWA Facebook <a href="http://www.facebook.com/HongKongChinaWaterSkiAssociation/">http://www.facebook.com/HongKongChinaWaterSkiAssociation/</a>
	IG: <u>HKCWA</u>
Team Entry Deadline	Deadline for team applications, team forms must be completed through the online
26 Jun 2024 23:59	system. Team Entry Fee is \$1000
	Team Entry Form and payment: <a href="https://form.jotform.com/241150682132446">https://form.jotform.com/241150682132446</a>
After 10 Jul 2024	Entry fees will be refunded within 6 weeks through online payment system if riders
	are not selected
<u> </u>	I .

## Withdraw & Refund

Refund will be only given to the athletes who provide a medical certificate prior to the competition. A refund of 30% admin cost will be deducted before we issue the refund to the athlete.

For other exceptional case, athletes can submit a request via email to <a href="https://hkwsa@hkolympic.org">hkwsa@hkolympic.org</a>, providing valid justifications and supporting documents.

The final decision will be made by the Executive Committee of HKCWA, taking into consideration the specific circumstances.

#### Prize Money (in HKD)

International	1st		2no	d	3rc	I	Su	b Total
Men's Open Wakeboard	\$	9,000.00	\$	6,000.00	\$	3,000.00	\$	18,000.00
Women's Open Wakeboard	\$	9,000.00	\$	6,000.00	\$	3,000.00	\$	18,000.00
Men's Open Skim	\$	4,800.00	\$	3,200.00	\$	1,600.00	\$	9,600.00
Men's Open Surf	\$	4,800.00	\$	3,200.00	\$	1,600.00	\$	9,600.00
Women's Open Skim	\$	4,800.00	\$	3,200.00	\$	1,600.00	\$	9,600.00
Women's Open Surf	\$	4,800.00	\$	3,200.00	\$	1,600.00	\$	9,600.00
Local								
Men's Open Wakeboard	\$	1,000.00	\$	650.00	\$	350.00	\$	2,000.00
Women's Open Wakeboard	\$	1,000.00	\$	650.00	\$	350.00	\$	2,000.00
Men's Open Skim	\$	1,000.00	\$	650.00	\$	350.00	\$	2,000.00
Men's Open Surf	\$	1,000.00	\$	650.00	\$	350.00	\$	2,000.00
Women's Open Skim	\$	1,000.00	\$	650.00	\$	350.00	\$	2,000.00
Women's Open Surf	\$	1,000.00	\$	650.00	\$	350.00	\$	2,000.00

For Prize Money of Team, it will be announced again depending on the number of participating teams. For details about the need for Visa to travel to Hong Kong you can check information on HKSAR Immigration

Department Website <a href="https://www.immd.gov.hk/eng/services/index.html">https://www.immd.gov.hk/eng/services/index.html</a>

Visa















A. Wakeboard Competition Categories* Individual Entry Form: https://form.jotform.com/241151105668451					
Wakeboard Categories	Men's Intermediate Men's Advanced Men's Outlaw Men's Open Men's Master (age 30 or above)	Women's Novice Women's Intermediate Women's Advanced Women's Open	Junior's Men (age 18 or under) Junior's Women (age 18 or under)		
Wakeboard Rules:	IWWF 2022 Official Wakeboard Rules https://iwwf.sport/wp-content/uploads/2	022/05/IWWFWakeboardBoatRi	ules-2022.pdf		
Wakeboard Format & Scoring	<ul> <li>https://iwwf.sport/wp-content/uploads/2022/05/IWWFWakeboardBoatRules-2022.pdf</li> <li>Individual (Wakeboard)         <ul> <li>Each rider shall be allowed two passes through the wakeboard course during which time he/she may perform any routine he/she chooses. They will be judged on subjective style categories, to arrive at a single combined score.</li> </ul> </li> <li>Judges will award a maximum of 100 points to each rider based on their overall impressions of the routine performed. Riders found to be under the influence of alcohol or narcotics may be disqualified.</li> <li>The judges will score each rider in each of the following categories:</li> </ul>				
	Wakeboard: Execution - 33.3 Point *Divisions				
Wakeboard Restrictions	Junior (mixed):  **Women's & Men's Novice Division:	Trick Restrictions  No restrictions in tricks performed.  Refer to Novice Trick list 2013  Only surface tricks, ollie, basic 2 Wake Jump are permitted and ca be also performed switch stance. All inside-out tricks are not count			
	Women's & Men's Intermediate Division:  Men's & Women Advance Division:	No inverted tricks and 360 degree (or higher) rotational tricks permitted.  Maximum two (2) basic invert tricks OR 360 rotational tricks are permitted, or a combination of one (1) basic invert trick and one 360 rotational trick permitted. No handle-pass inverted tricks or blind-landing inverted tricks are permitted except for frontside degree rotational inverts.  Maximum five (5) inverted/360s rotational tricks permitted, or A maximum combination of four (4) inverted/360s rotational tricks either one (1) 540 rotational trick OR one (1) Technical invert tricks or blind-landing inverted tricks not exceeding 180 degree Mobius nor any rotational tricks exceeding 540 degree are permitted.			
	Men's Outlaw Division:				
	med med med make amendments on the quota for age category. d have the authority to amend any				















	B. Wakesurf Competition Categories* Individual Entry Form: https://form.jotform.com/241150812985457					
Wakesurf Category:	Open Wakesurf A1. Men's Open Skim A2. Men's Open Surf A3. Women's Open Skim A4. Women's Open Skim	- No trick restrictions				
	Junior Wakesurf B1. Junior Men's Skim (U18) B2. Junior Men's Surf (U18) B3. Junior Women's Skim (U18) B4. Junior Women's Surf (U18)	<ul> <li>Junior Participants must be 18 years old or under as of 31st December 2024.</li> <li>No trick restrictions.</li> </ul>				
	Amateur Wakesurf C1. Men's Amateur Skim C2. Men's Amateur Surf C3. Women's Amateur Skim C4. Women's Amateur Surf	<ul> <li>Previous Amateur champions will need to compete in the Open category.</li> <li>Past Open category participants cannot compete in the Amateur category.</li> <li>No trick restrictions.</li> </ul>				
	Beginner Wakesurf * C1. Men's Beginner Skim C2. Men's Beginner Surf C3. Women's Beginner Skim C4. Women's Beginner Surf	<ul> <li>Past top 3 medallists of the Beginner category will be required to compete in the Open/Amateur category.</li> <li>Trick restrictions: <ol> <li>No detachment tricks (Body Varial, Shuv-it, Big spin etc);</li> <li>No surface spinning tricks that are more than 360; No air spinning tricks (alley oop, air reverse, Ollie 180 etc).</li> </ol> </li> </ul>				
Wakesurf Rules:	Refer to the following IWWF Rules: https://iwwf.sport/wp-content/uploads/2024/04/20	24-OFFICIAL-WAKESURF-RULES-FINAL.pdf				
Wakesurf Format & Scoring	the route performed. Each individual heat per on the day. The judges will score the first ride athletes' performance after that rider is judged.  The judges will score each rider in each of the	following categories: ty - 1-10 Points; Difficulty – 1-10 Points; Variety - 1-10				
Wakesurf Restrictions:	*For the Trick Restrictions, please refer to the section headed "Wakesurf Rules" above.					















	C. Team Event						
	Team Entry Form: <a href="https://form.jotform.com/241150682132446">https://form.jotform.com/241150682132446</a>						
Team Entry Requirement	All team coach must enrol through our official website below:  Team Entry Form (Deadline: <b>26 Jun 2024</b> ): <a href="https://form.jotform.com/241150682132446">https://form.jotform.com/241150682132446</a> Each Team may have a maximum of <b>6 riders</b> comprising at least 2 men and 2 women riders participating in any categories.						
Team scoring	a) A team shall consist of a maximum of 6 riders comprising at least 2 men and 2 women riders participating in any categories. The best 6 scores will be used to compute an overall team score b) All team riders must agree to participate by his/her own decision. Any false application of team rider occur, the team will be disqualified.  c) Each team rider will be awarded the following points depending on his final placement in his respective category:  1st place 100 points; 2nd place 80 points; 3rd place 65 points; 4th place 55 points;  5th place 45 points; 6th place 35 points; 7th place 30 points; 8th place 25 points;  9th place 20 points; 10th place 17 points; 11th place 14 points; 12th place 11 points;  13th place 8 points; 14th place 6 points; 15th place 5 points; 16th place 4 points;  17th place 3 points; 18th place 2 points; 15th place 1 point;  20th place and all subsequent riders receive 1 point each  With the use of the heat system, there will be instances where riders have finished in a joint position with a rider in a different heat. Relevant placing points will therefore be given to each team rider based on their placement in the heat and seeding.  d) In the event of a tie, final team placement will be determined by the greatest number of champion, and so on until a winner emerges. If a tie still exists, then the greatest number of second place will be used to decide final placement.  e) If a team rider is disqualified for unsportsmanlike conduct (with the exception of the rider being disqualified for being late to the dock or not wearing a bib) no team overall points shall be awarded for this rider. No substitutions allowed.  f) Only sick leave could accepted to substitution of team riders, no other reasons are allowed, revised team need to submit to the organizer or Chief Judge before start of the competition.  g) In the event that the category does not reach a minimum of 6 riders then the category shall open but points will be counted on the half of above score list.  All judges' decisions are final						















## Other Information (Accommodation, Transportation, Bad Weather Arrangement & others)

## Accommodation for Overseas Riders

We are able to offer subsidised accommodation for a maximum of **Six** overseas riders supported by their federations per country at the official hotel for the event, the Regal Riverside Hotel, (<a href="https://www.regalhotel.com/regal-riverside-hotel/en/about/location-information.html">https://www.regalhotel.com/regal-riverside-hotel/en/about/location-information.html</a>) for up to 4 nights (checking in on Thursday, 4 Jul 2024 and checking out on Monday, 8 Jul 2024)

Hotel Address: 34-36 Tai Chung Kiu Road, Shatin, Hong Kong

For a maximum of six overseas riders supported by their federations per country, we can provide a subsidy on the room charge including taxes of approximately 50% if pre-booked through HKCWA before **21 Jun 2024**. Rooms may be on a single or double room with official room rate at HK660/room/night for Superior Room Class.

#### Superior Room

Type of Room (Superior Room ) Twin Room	Price per night	Special Price for Athletes assigned by your Federation	Special Price with Breakfast
Single or	HK\$660	HK\$495/night/athlete	Extra
Double Room (Single occupancy)			HK\$100/pax/day
Double (Share with other Athlete)	HK\$660	HK\$330/night/2athlete	Extra
		(=HK\$165/night/athlete)	HK\$100/pax/day

\*HKCWA will prepay to the hotel and the rider will need to pay the 50% contribution to us at the registration counter on the 1<sup>st</sup> Event Day. If a rider cannot settle the payment on time, we will not issue the accreditation card to him/her so that he/she cannot attend the competition.

\*\*Late cancellations will not be accepted and full reimbursement would be required.

\*\*\*For a double room if you require a single occupancy then you would be responsible for 100% of the half room. If a person who is not a competitor is sharing a room on a single or double occupancy basis likewise they would be required to pay their full share.

Please urgently advise your accommodation requirements including 1) type of room, 2) Name, 3) Check in date, 4) Check out date, before **21 Jun 2024**, if required, or confirm you will make your own arrangements.

Please contact HKCWA Staff by email if you need accommodation arrangement. We will endeavour to secure preferential rates for other riders

Enquiry Hotline: HKCWA (852) 2504-8168 ; Enquiry Email: hkwsa@hkolympic.org

#### **Transportation**

#### Airport <> Hotel (Regal Riverside Hotel)

Hotel Address: 34-36 Tai Chung Kiu Road, Shatin, Hong Kong

#### 1. By Hotel's Shuttle Bus

The Regal Riverside Hotel will provide the airport shuttle between the hotel, MTR Sha Tin Station, Hong Kong International Airport and Hong Kong Disneyland.

From Airport to Regal Riverside Hotel: As there is no reservation for the seat, please contact the representative counter and register onsite (as above photo).

From Regal Riverside Hotel to Airport:

You may reserve the seat through the below timetable

http://shuttle.regalhotel.com/?rlang=en-US& ga=2.156048059.123203666.1538627670-

> Kindly contact Regal Hotels International Airport Representatives at "B16" Counter for shuttle bus servic 结到官事關應預住後團機場終练轉序[B16] 與軟機場服務員奇能有關官錄四十服務。















#### 1371174669.1538627670

#### 2. By Bus A41 Route

You may take Bus A41 from the Airport Bus Terminus, and then take off at "Regal Riverside Hotel" bus stop (HKD22.3/trip, around 60 minutes). The hotel is located on the opposite side of the bus stop.





#### **To Competition Venue**

- By MTR To Tai Po Market Station, transit a taxi to the Entrance at Tai Kwai Street, Tai Po Waterfront Park (大埔海濱公園大貴街入口). (\$30)
- Call a taxi at (852) 5566-9997
- Call a van at GoGoVan: (852) 3590-3399; Total Recall Transportation Centre: (852) 2398-6666.

# Athlete information for commentator & Media

Please log into IWWF's EMS to fill in / update their profiles (accomplishments, sponsors, social media handles, other interesting information in the optional fields, etc. so the event commentator has information easily accesible to communicate to spectators present at the event venue and online via live stream. Athletes should also upload their photos for the media.

IMPORTANT: To be able to complete/populate their profiles, the Athletes must be EMS USERS, i.e. they must be invited by their respective Federations to become EMS users and have accepted this invitation.

Athletes should contact their respective Federations if they are not active / confirmed EMS users. Example – click here

#### Note

#### Before the competition:

- All entries to be confirmed upon receipt of payment.
- Entry fee is not refundable once application is accepted, except in the event of cancellation.
- All judges' decisions are final.
- Event categories and schedules may be adjusted at the Organiser's discretion depending on weather, time and participant numbers.
- All overseas riders must provide evidence of personal accident insurance for the competition & send a copy of the cover note to hkwsa@hkolympic.org 7days before the event. Participation in the event will not be permitted without adequate cover.
- All riders must attend the judging briefing; otherwise they may not be allowed to ride.
- Team registration for the Open (other than for overseas teams) should ideally be supported by a HKCWA registered coach. Results may be taken into consideration in the HKCWA annual coaching awards. Team Entry Fee is \$1000.
- By participating in the event riders agree that the HKCWA may publish their name and image(s) in any material including official results and rankings and press releases without restraint.

#### During the competition & at the competition venue:

- No one is allowed to climb over the fence.
- No one can enter the water, except when it is their turn to compete. The pier at Tai Po Waterfront















- Park is for access only. No vessels should moor alongside other than competition boats.
- No smoking, alcohol or dogs/cats (pets) are allowed at the LCSD venue. Violation of the above will
  result in disqualification from the competition immediately and riders (both individual and team) will
  not be eligible to receive awards.
- Please pay attention and read thoroughly the Hong Kong Regulations Chapter 132 BC PLEASURE GROUNDS REGULATION beforehand.
- English: <a href="http://www.hklii.hk/eng/hk/legis/reg/132BC/cur.html">http://www.hklii.hk/eng/hk/legis/reg/132BC/cur.html</a>
- 中文: http://www.hklii.hk/chi/hk/legis/reg/132BC/cur.html
- The Hong Kong, China Waterski Association Ltd., Tai Po Waterfront Park and the Leisure and Cultural Services Department are not liable for any loss or damage to yourself or your belongings. It is your responsibility to safeguard the welfare of any child you bring to the tournament.
- Please respect the instructions given by staff of Tai Po Waterfront Park and HKCWA organisers.
   We do not wish to jeopardise future access to this excellent site.
- The organiser and judges have the right to make appropriate adjustments to the categories entered by competitors.
- If a participant is under 18, their parent / guardian must sign their entry form.
- Please keep the site clean at all times.
- There will be a member of the HKCWA on duty at all times, please ask if you have any queries.

## Bad weather arrangement

In case of bad weather, please refer to the following tables for various arrangements for different types of weather condition. The fall back dates for rearrangement will be next available day within one week (8-11 Jul 2024).

Tro	Tropical Cyclone Warning							
	Weather Condition	Time	Categories yet to be held					
1.	If Thunderstorm Warning or Amber Rainstorm Signal or Typhoon Signal No. 1 is hoisted	n/a	Remain unchanged.					
2.	If: Red Rainstorm Warning Signal	During the competition	Depends on water condition					
3.	or Black Rainstorm Warning Signal or	At 7 am	Morning Categories will be immediately suspended					
4.	Typhoon Signal No. 3 or above remain hoisted	At 11 am	The remaining of categories will be rescheduled/cancelled. (Refund arrangement TBC)					
5.	If the signal or warning is lowered or cancelled before	At 11am	The remaining of categories will resume (as below revised rundown) 2 hours after the announcement declared by the Hong Kong Observatory					

For weather information please kindly visit Hong Kong Observatory website <a href="http://www.hko.gov.hk/">http://www.hko.gov.hk/</a>

#### Contacts

- Tel: +852 25048168; +852 56466174 Email: hkwsa@hkolympic.org
- Website: <a href="http://waterski.org.hk">http://waterski.org.hk</a> Instagram: hkcwa
- Official Hashtags: #wakefesthk2024 #hkcwa #hongkongchinawaterskiassociation #iwwf #Asiayachting #Nautique #wakeboard #wakesurf #iamhkwakerider #hkcwaevent #RedBullHK #GivesYouWings #spiceskate @asiayachting @nautiqueboatshk @RedBullHK @spiceskate

### Nautique IWWF Asia Wakefest Hong Kong 2024 Hotel Reservation Form Regal Riverside Hotel – Official Hotel

Federation		
Name and Signature_		
Designation		

Hotel Name: Regal Riverside Hotel

Address: 34-36 Tai Chung Kiu Road, Shatin, Hong Kong

Room Price (checking in on Thursday, 4 Jul 2024 and checking out on Monday, 8 Jul 2024)

Type of Room (Superior Room ) Twin Room	Price per night	Special Price for Athletes assigned by your Federation	Special Price with  Breakfast
Single or Double Room (Single occupancy)	HK\$660	HK\$495/night/athlete	Extra HK\$100/pax/day
Double (Share with other Athlete)	HK\$660	HK\$330/night/2athletes (=HK\$165/night/athlete)	Extra HK\$100/pax/day

#### Please fill in the below table

Type	Guest Name(s)*	With	Check	Check	No. of	You Pay
		<u>Breakfast</u>	in Date	out Date	<u>Nights</u>	<u>HK\$</u>
Twin Room(Single Occupancy)		Yes/No				
Twin Room/ Double(Single		Yes/No				
Occupancy) /						
Guest 1						
Guest 2		Yes/No				

<sup>\*</sup>Please provide 2 names for "Double room – shared"

#### TO BE SENT NO LATER THAN 21 Jun 2024 TO

Hong Kong, China Waterski Association - hkwsa@hkolympic.org

**PAYMENT IS TO MADE ON REGISTRATION (1st Event Day)**