

Bulletin 1

Event Name: Sino-Asean Belt & Road Wakeboard Festival 2023

Venue: Qixing Lake Water Sports Park
Wuxuan County, Laibin City, Guangxi, China
** the event venue is 1&1/2 hours drive away from the airport*

Competition Date: Saturday, 30th December 2023

Official Familiarisation Date: Friday, 29th December 2023
(this will be the only Official Familiarization day)

VISA Requirements Click [here](#)

Athletes' Official Arrival Date: Thursday, 28th December 2023

Nearest Airport: Liuzhou Bailian Airport (LZH)

Athletes' Official Departure Date: Sunday, 31st December 2023

Temperature: 14° / 7°

Currency: Chinese Yuan (RMB)

Entry Requirements:

- Open to Athletes residing in Asia
- Only the first 12 x Men and first 12 x Women riders will be accepted
- Must hold a valid [IWWF License](#) for the year 2023
- All Athletes must enter the event using the [IWWF EMS](#) – see **ANNEX 2** for instructions

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| Organiser: | Water Sports Administration of China Guangxi Sport Bureau Municipal Government of Laibin |
| National Governing Body: | Chinese Waterski, Underwater and Powerboat Association (CSUPF) |
| Event Director: | Emin (鄂敏-北京) Tel: +86 13911173322 E-Mail: emin3322@163.com |
| Sanctioning Body: | IWWF Asia E-Mail: asia@iwwf.sport |
| IWWF Asian Wakeboard Council Member | Lee Junyi Tel: +65 8128 7082 E-Mail: T_v_r99@hotmail.com |
| Discipline: | Wakeboard |
| Categories: | Open Men Open Women |
| Official Tow Boat: | Nautique G23 |
| Rules | IWWF Asian Wakeboard Rules |
| Entry Fee: | 600 RMB (USD85.00) per athlete |
| Entry Deadline: | 18 th December 2023 <i>*places are limited</i> |
| Unofficial Training: | There will be NO days allocated for Unofficial Training |
| What is Provided for Athletes: | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Access to a RMB150,000 (USD20,000) Cash Purse - See ANNEX 1 • Complimentary Hotel Accommodation (maximum 4 nights (twin share only with another Athlete; earliest check in Wednesday 28th December 2023 and latest check-out Monday, 31st December 2023) • 3 x Meals per day on Official Familiarisation & Competition Days • Airport Transfers from Liuzhou Bailian Airport (LZH) to the official hotel • Venue Transfers • Official Familiarisation on Friday, 29th December! 2023 |

What is Not Provided for Athletes:

- Airfares
- Personal Accident Insurance
- Entry Fee

Official Hotel:

- Athletes:
Wuxuan Yuda International Hotel
Jixing Road, Dongxin District, Wuxuan County, Guangxi, China
 - 85 km away from Liuzhou Bailian Airport (LZH)
 - 2.7 km from the event venue
- Judges:
Qi Hu Hotel International Hotel

***Hotel Rates**

To be Advised in Bulletin 2

(for additional rooms, if you want to stay alone or share with another person other than another Athlete or require additional nights)

Hotel Check-In / Check-Out Times

Check In: earliest 28th December at 12:00 pm / Check-Out: latest 31st December 2023 by 12:00 pm without additional room charges.

***Ceremonies To Attend:**

All Athletes are required to attend the following ceremonies:

- Opening Ceremony
- Prize-Giving
- Closing Ceremony

** Prize money may be forfeited if an Athlete does not attend without a valid reason*

Insurance

Athletes should take out private travel/accident insurance besides their health insurance. Accident insurance should include all accidents arising during wakeboard competitions and applicable overseas/internationally. Your travel insurer should be able to include this as an extra endorsement if you do not have existing coverage. *Athletes will be required to sign a waiver upon registering and provide evidence of personal accident insurance (minimum 500,000 RMB / USD70,000 coverage) before they are permitted to participate in Official Familiarisation and compete.*



**ANNEX 1
CASH PURSE BREAKDOWN**

Medals will be presented to the top 3 winners of each event.
 The total prize money for top 8 winners of each event is
 RMB150,000 (USD20,000)
 A certificate will be presented for the rest of the participants.

| RMB150,000 Cash Purse Payable in Chinese Yuan (RMB) | | | | | | | | |
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| Event | 1st | 2nd | 3rd | 4th | 5th | 6th | 7th | 8th |
| Men's Wakeboard | 20,000 | 16,000 | 13,000 | 7,000 | 6,000 | 5,000 | 4,000 | 4,000 |
| Women's Wakeboard | 20,000 | 16,000 | 13,000 | 7,000 | 6,000 | 5,000 | 4,000 | 4,000 |

ANNEX 2

EMS REGISTRATION

a. Entry Conditions & Administration

All athletes must submit their entries by being registered by their respective [Federations](#) in IWWF's [Event Management System \(EMS\)](#).

b. [IWWF's Event Management System \(EMS\)](#)

IWWF's EMS will be used by the organisers to manage the event. Athletes should request their respective [Federations](#) to register them in the EMS accordingly.

Example of an athlete's profile on IWWF's EMS: [JAEMJAN Padiwat](#)

c. Registration of Athletes Using EMS

Each Open athlete must register to compete in **SINO-ASEAN BELT AND ROAD WAKEBOARD FESTIVAL 2023** using IWWF's EMS no later than 18th December 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 by cash before being permitted to compete if residing outside China and by WeChat if residing in China.

The procedure to register for **SINO-ASEAN BELT AND ROAD WAKEBOARD FESTIVAL 2023** 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: **China**

Note: Code <[24CHN005](#)> to compete in **Wakeboard**

2. Select your category and click on "**Submit Participation**" button.

Refer [here](#) for video tutorial.

Please contact the following should you encounter any issues registering for the event:

Lee Junyi

E-mail: t_v_r99@hotmail.com

d. ATHLETE INFORMATION FOR COMMENTATOR & MEDIA

Please request your athletes to 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

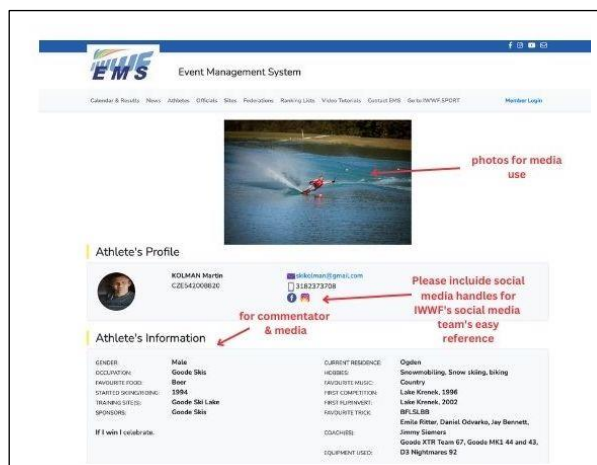
EMS USERS, i.e. they must be

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](#)



Further details to be advised in Bulletin No. 2