



WAKEBOARD

EUROPEAN & AFRICAN BECKUM/GERMANY

CHAMPIONSHIPS 2019

21st IWWF European & African Cablewakeboard & Wakeskate Youth & Senior Championships 2019

**10th - 15th of September 2019
TwinCable Beckum - Germany**

Bulletin 1

The German Waterski & Wakeboard Federation and the TwinCable Beckum herewith invite all Members Federations of the IWWF E&A Nations to the IWWF Europe and African Cable Wakeboard & Wakeskate Youth & Senior Championships which will be held in Beckum 10th of September to 15th of September 2019.

LOCATION

Beckum is a town in the northern part of North Rhine-Westphalia, Germany. It is about 20 km (12 miles) north-east of Hamm and 35 km (22 miles) south-east of Münster. It gives its name to the nearby Beckum Hills.



COMPETITION SITE

TwinCable Beckum isn't just a cable park. It boasts a nice beach area with the biggest Aquapark in Germany, 2 X 5 Tower Rixen Cableways, a Rixen Little Bro, 2 restaurants and 3 nice bars in the area giving you all the power you need to complete the day. In the evening one of the biggest outdoor PA system in region and a special sunset feeling for a nice Party during the night.

We guarantee you as an athlete and also as an spectator an unforgettable and amazing event on and off the water.

ORGANIZER

The local organizer is the company Wassersport Beckum GmbH in cooperation with the local club Cable Crew Beckum e.V.. Both are located at the cable park and the event manager is Cedric Scholz with the following contact:

Name: Cedric Scholz
Position: Sportevent manager
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Phone: + 49 (0)2521 8256599
Website: www.twincable-beckum.de

To get all latest information about the event and the cable park we recommend to join the Facebook event.

CABLE SYSTEM

The competition cable will be held on cable A which is a 790m counter clockwise cable with 9 carriers. It was build in 2013 by Rixen Seilbahnen with 5 11m high pylons.

During the whole competition cable B will still be running in public hours. Cable B is a 700m clockwise cable. The 5 pylons are about 13m high and gives you a really good pull for inverted tricks.

The Little Bro is just open for beginners and can't be used during the event.

THE COURSE AND SETUP

The official course with all features and final setup will be published in Bulletin 2. All features are high quality and made by Rixen and Wakestation. Proposal for the setup will be discussed during the IWWF World Championships in Argentina. Please contact German team captain Aaron Armbrorst to be part of this discussion.

OFFICIAL HOTELS

The complete list with official hotels and how to book will be published in Bulletin 2. Due Early March.

HOW TO REACH THE SITE

There are plenty of ways to reach Beckum in a easy and fast way:

By plane:

The nearest airport is Dortmund, which is located 20 minutes away from Beckum. Other options can be Paderborn and Osnabrück/Münster which are 30 minutes from Beckum. Düsseldorf International airport can be reached in 1,5 hours depending on the traffic. On all airports we can organize a shuttle service for arrival and departure. The price is depending on the number of people and airport. For more information and bookings please contact Cedric Scholz.

By train:

Neubeckum is the train station located 10 minutes from the cable park. Be careful with the schedule of German trains and their connection trains. A pickup from the train station can be organized.

By car:

Enjoy the freedom on German highways with no speed limits. There are plenty of rental car companies at the airport which has big, small and really fast cars. It's recommended to take full insurance on all rental cars. Please don't drink and drive! The limit is 0,5 alcohol level.

WEATHER

What will the weather be like in Germany during your visit? Germany's weather is unpredictable and it is always a good idea to wear layers. Discover if you should pack an umbrella (*Regenschirm*) or a bathing suit (*Badeanzug*) or both.

CURRENCY

In Germany, "cash is king" is more than just a saying. It is the way life works. Expect to become very familiar with ATMs and euros as you travel through this fascinating country.

At the cable park you can pay in cash in Euro, PayPal, Apple Pay and all common credit & Debit cards.

VISA REQUIREMENTS

German visitors arriving at an airport from a foreign country need a passport. EU nationals do not need a visa, others may need one depending on length, frequency and purpose of their stays.

EU-Nationals

EU nationals do not require a visa to enter the Federal Republic of Germany.

Non-EU nationals

Generally speaking, all other foreigners require a visa for stays in Germany. A visa is not required for semi-annual visits of up to 90 days each for nationals of those countries for which the European Community has abolished the visa requirement.

INTENTION TO ENTER

All member Federations have to submit their Intention to Enter for the 2019 European and African Cable Wakeboard & Wakeskate Youth & Senior Championships on line via the E&A Cablewakeboard Council: www.cablewakeboard.net. competition page.

The DEADLINE for your FEDERATIONS INTENTION TO ENTER is 12th July 2019

For ANY LATE INTENTION TO ENTER registration, €200 penalty will be charged in respect of the E&A Federation rules to all late Federations.

ENTRY FORMS

All member Federations have to submit their **Entry Form for the 2019 European and African Cable Wakeboard & Wakeskate Championships** online via the E&A Cablewakeboard Council: www.cablewakeboard.net. VIA the competition PAGE

For any late entry form registration

LATE ENTRY DEADLINE is 28th AUGUST 2019, 10€ per rider, per day will be charged as a penalty in respect of E&A Federation rules.

ENTRY FEE

Entry fees are set by the IWWF E&A Confederation and are as follows:

+30 and +40: 180€
U19 and U15: 140€

The entry fee can be paid in cash in Euro on site during registration or can be transferred on the following account:

Wassersport Beckum GmbH
IBAN: DE17 4125 0035 0000 0685 77
BIC/SWIFT: WELADED1BEK

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

It is the sole responsibility of IWWF-affiliated National Federations to select and enter their riders. Please have the minimum point requirements in mind (see CWWC World Rules 2017 §3.2.) Detailed rules for entry can be found at www.cablewakeboard.net or <http://www.cablewakeboard.net/en/council-zone-documents.html>

For any questions regarding licenses and registration please contact office@cablewakeboard.net.

PLEASE NOTE: ALL RIDERS HAVE TO BE ON THE COMPETITION SITE ON 10th September IN THE MORNING TO REGISTER ON TIME AND PRESENT THE PASSPORTS FOR NATIONALITY AND AGE VERIFICATION.

NOMINATION FOR E&A CHAMPIONSHIPS

Each National Federation selects its team and decides on allowing individual entries. If you are not sure of how it works in your country or how to find the nearest club or federation, please contact office@cablewakeboard.net and we will provide information for you.

Exceptions: Riders from countries that don't have a Wakeboard/Waterski Federation affiliated to IWWF are allowed to register for the Championships themselves. Please contact us and we will help you to arrange the insurance policy and permission for individual entry.

In addition to your official nomination and entry done by Federations, every rider needs to register and join the competition at www.cablewakeboard.net individually.

LIABILITY

The organizer Committee and E&A will not be liable for any loss or damage to equipment or personal property, and injuries to athletes, officials, judges, official volunteers, and other persons attending official or unofficial programmers during the event. Athletes are required to purchase and show proof of personal accident insurance prior to entry. The insurance policy must provide coverage internationally.

The organizer will not be responsible for any injury sustained, at any time, by any athlete from his participation in these events.

Any costs incurred for medical treatment and hospitalisation in Germany are high. Adequate personal medical insurance coverage is necessary. Certificate of medical insurance coverage/full payment is required before medical treatment/hospitalisation takes place.

All riders have to sign a liability form, and riders under 18 need their parents to sign as well. Each Team Captain has to give Liability forms of all his athletes at the Registration. Liability form is ready for download at: **CWWC liability form / CWWC liability form - under 18**

DOPING CONTROL

In accordance with the IWWF Anti-Doping Rules, drug controls will be conducted during the competitions. In entering this competition, all athletes agree to be subject to doping control.

Information about the IWWF Anti-doping programme and links to the list of banned substances can be found at:

<http://www.iwsf.com/AntiDoping/WEBpageinformation10.htm>

All riders must have their passports with them at any time during the competition. Please note, if you are randomly chosen for drug testing, and fail to identify yourself with your passport, or fail to take the test for any other reason, it will result with an immediate disqualification.

All riders, and if underage their parents, have to sign the Anti-Doping Form, ready for download at:

<https://www.cablewakeboard.net/userfiles/IWWF%20Anti-Doping%20Agreement%20Cable%20Wakeboard.pdf>

Each Team Captain has to give all Anti-doping forms of all his athletes at the Registration.

OFFICIAL TEAM TRAINING AND TEAM BOOKINGS

Official team training for teams is on 12th of September. Each country will have the training times calculated by number of riders. The final schedule by country will be published on 11th of September in the evening (after the registrations are done).

Federations can also book rental hours for teams online on 9-11th of September from 8AM to 4PM.

For the rental hours, we will follow these rules:

- Each country has 6 credits to book 6 different time frames.
- Each time frame is 30 minutes and has no limit of entries.
- You can use all 6 credits on Saturday, but only 4 on Sunday and 2 on Monday.
- The deadline for booking is 6pm on the day before 13 hours before the first time frame of the next day start.
- Any booking will be open to all the riders from this country.
- Price for 30 minutes is 100 €, divided by number of riders in each time frame and charged to Federations accordingly.
- We kindly ask you to make the payment at the registration on site for your number of riders and time used.

ALL Rider and Team Captain Meetings will happen at the Cable, times will be advised at the start of the event.

OFFICIAL'S SEMINAR

There will be an international Officials' Seminar from Monday 9th till Wednesday 11th September. It's possible to take part at the competition and the Seminar.

The seminar takes 2,5 days and includes lunches and coffee breaks from Monday till Wednesday. Registration will be online on cablewakeboard.net

Costs (Entry fee): 75 EUR per person

PRELIMINARY SCHEDULE

Monday 9th of September 2019

Private rental hours by Nations	08:00	16:00
Public riding	16:00	20:00
Officials Seminar Day 1	09:00	17:00
Judging Clinic	09:00	17:00

Tuesday 10th of September 2019

Private rental hours by Nations	08:00	16:00
Public riding	16:00	20:00
Officials Seminar Day 2	09:00	17:00
Judging Clinic	09:00	17:00

Wednesday 11th of September 2019

Private rental hours by Nations	08:00	16:00
Public riding	16:00	20:00
Officials Seminar Day 3	09:00	17:00
Judging Clinic	09:00	17:00
Team Registration	10:00	18:00
Team Captains Meeting	19:00	19:30
Riders Meeting	19:30	20:30

Thursday 12th of September 2019

Official practice	08:00	16:00
Team Captains Meeting	16:00	16:30
Opening Ceremony	18:00	19:00
Strandgeflüster Session (Opening Party)	19:00	23:00
Officials and Friends riding	19:00	20:00

Friday 13th of September 2019

Qualifications Veteran Ladies (O40)	08:00	
Qualifications Veteran Men (O40)		
Qualifications Master Ladies (O30)		
Qualifications Master Men (O30)		
Qualifications Girls (U15)		
Qualifications Boys (U15)		
Qualifications Junior Ladies (U19)		
Qualifications Junior Men (U19)		

Team Captains Meeting	19:00	19:30
Strandgeflüster Party	22:00	05:00
Highjump Contest	22:00	23:00

Saturday 14th of September 2019

Qualifications WSK Junior Ladies (U19)	08:00	
Qualifications WSK Junior Men (U19)		
Quarter Final Master Men		
Quarter Final Boys		
Quarter Final Junior Men		
Semi-Final Master Men		
Semi Final Boys		
Semi-Final Junior Men		
Final WSK Junior Ladies (U19)		
Final WSK Junior Men (U19)		
Team Captains Meeting	19:00	19:30
Prize giving ceremony	19:30	20:00

Sunday 15th of September 2019

Official practice Finalists	09:00	11:30
Final Veteran Ladies (O40)	12:00	12:30
Final Veteran Men (O40)	12:30	13:00
Final Master Ladies (O30)	13:00	13:30
Final Master Men (O30)	13:30	14:00
Final Girls (U15)	14:00	14:30
Final Boys (U15)	14:30	15:00
Final Junior Ladies (U19)	15:00	15:30
Final Junior Men (U19)	15:30	16:00
Prize giving ceremony	16:00	16:30
Closing Ceremony	16:30	17:00

FEDERATIONS ARE ADVISED NOT TO BOOK FLIGHTS HOME UNTIL AFTER 14:00 OF MONDAY 16th SEPTEMBER AT THE EARLIEST IN CASE WE NEED SAFETY TIME FOR FINALS