



OVER 35 EUROPE & FRICA WATERSKI CHAMPIONSHIPS

Kli Ravenna Italy 2-5 September 2021

Bulletin 1

IMPORTANT NOTICE

It's a priority to stay informed with trustworthy reliable information. Organizers, in conjunction with authorities and E&A Waterski Council, are monitoring closely the situation.
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We have the pleasure to invite all IWWF Europe & Africa Federations to the **2021 IWWF EUROPE OVER 35 WATERSKI CHAMPIONSHIPS**, that will be hold at **KLI WATERSKI SCHOOL - Ravenna - ITALY**, from 2 to 5 September, 2021.

Please check the deadlines and remember to send the Skier Bio, the Declaration, Waiver and Release, IWWF Athlete Consent Form and other forms you can find in the Appendix.

Don't hesitate getting in contact with us any info you need.

1. CONTACT INFO

Site: KLI WATERSKI SCHOOL
Contact person: Gandola Davide
e-mail: davidekli@hotmail.com
Phone nr.: +39 335 58 57 998
Official website: www.waterskikli.com

2. DEADLINES

Starting Tournament Date	02-09-2021
Intention to Enter & Familiarization Request	19-07-2021
Familiarization Schedule Announcement	26-07-2021
Familiarization Payment	02-08-2021
Deadline to enter skiers qualify under the Weekly Ranking List	02-08-2021
Final Familiarization Schedule	04-08-2021
Submission Team names, events, ratings, reserves	18-08-2021

3. THE SITE

Tournament site will be **KLI WATERSKI SCHOOL Ravenna , ITALY**

More info about the site and directions how to get to it by car, airplane, train, etc. can be found at the Championship website: www.waterskikli.com



4. COVID SITUATION

The IWWF Europe WSC, in consultation with the Organiser, is closely monitoring the developments linked to the global COVID-19 pandemic

In the meantime, and due to the uncertainty of international travel, we strongly encourage all participants to only book fully refundable flights and accommodation.

We are working with the local sanitary groups/clinic to make tests available, so let us know as soon as possible any needs traveling back.

For the latest information on this matter, please check information on the Italian Government website <http://www.salute.gov.it>

5. PROVISIONAL SCHEDULE

02-09-21	Preliminary Round
03-09-21	Preliminary Round
04-09-21	Final Round
05-09-21	Final Round

6. ENTRY AND ADMINISTRATION

Please refer to Byelaw 4.4.2.

Deadline to cancel the event is 30 days prior the beginning of the Championships.

All member Federations **MUST** submit their "Intention to Enter" through the online Admin system at: <https://www.waterskieurope.com/intention-to-enter> using the "Intention to Enter" form and the password which was provided to your Federation for this purpose:

Each Federation shall certify to the E&A Central Office and to the Organizing Committee, not later than **45 days** before the scheduled start of the first event, its intent to compete. Any Federation not meeting this requirement will not be allowed to compete until they pay a fine of € 200 to the E&A in accordance with E&A Additional Rules 14.12.

Intention to Compete Deadline

19-07-2021

To be accepted, the "Intention to Enter" (ITE) form must be accompanied by the entry fee payment **in full** for each athlete mentioned on the form, and must include the numbers of the skiers (team member, individuals and wild card), the events each will enter, as well as the numbers of the official reserves.

Entry Fee per competitor, regardless of the number of disciplines, is: **210.00€**

The payment must be made online through IWWF Europe website: <https://www.waterskieurope.com/intention-to-enter/>

Reference: **"2021 Over 35 WS Ch Intention to Enter"**

Don't forget to request for Familiarization time on the Official Intention to Enter form together with the number of skiers in each event requiring time.

The deadline to enter skiers qualify under the Weekly Ranking List is 30 days before the championships: **02-08-2021**

Any Federation not meeting those requirement will not be allowed to compete until the Federation pays a fine of € 10 per skier per day after the mentioned deadline to the IWWF, for each skier not officially entered.

* **If the tournament is cancelled, the entry fees will be refunded.**

** **If a country stops travel to the organizing Country, the entry fees will be refunded.**

Team or individual athletes not showing up: In the event a team or individual athletes (for whom their Federation has submitted a competition entry), fail to show up for a competition their entry fee shall still be payable in full, unless a valid written excuse is received by 12 noon of the day before the start of the competition.

Each Federation shall submit to the E&A Central Office and to the Organizing Committee, not later than 15 days before the scheduled start of the first event, **18-08-2021**, the names of the members of its team, the events each will enter, the ratings of each skier, as well as the names of the official reserves. If the official entry forms is not received prior to the 24 hours before the start of the first event, the Federation's skier's places in the draw shall be determined by the Chief Judge without reference to their qualifying scores. There is no limit on official reserves per team.

Special Exceptions (replace existing IWWF rule)

Federations may send up to **10 additional skiers** of their choice to compete as individuals in any or all events. These are to be treated as wild card entries.

Forms:

<https://www.waterskieurope.com/intention-to-enter/>

<https://www.waterskieurope.com/entryforms/>

7. OFFICIAL FAMILIARIZATION

E&A Tournament Additional Rule 14.07 (Replaces IWWF rule 14.07)

The day immediately before each Championship will be reserved and used for Official Familiarization. This will be organized so that each competitor who has paid shall be allocated either a set number of passes and/or a certain amount of time at the discretion of the Chief Judge based on the principle that every skier shall receive an equal opportunity for familiarization.

Slalom skiers will receive – 4 passes or 6 minutes whichever is less
Tricks skiers will receive – 2 passes or 5 minutes whichever is less
Jump skiers will receive – 3 passes or 6 minutes whichever is less

Each team requesting familiarization time shall indicate on the official Intention to Enter form, familiarization is required, which must be submitted at least 60 days before the scheduled start of the event. They must indicate how many skiers in each event wish to participate. Teams who do not comply with this deadline will not be included in the familiarization schedule.

At least 45 days before the scheduled start of the event, the Organizer (in consultation with the Chief Judge, whose decision shall be final) shall announce the official familiarization schedule (including the allowed time). Time will be scheduled for competitors on a random team basis, and shall be grouped by event, i.e. slalom familiarization, trick familiarization and jump familiarization (by jump height) will be grouped together.

Any athlete whose time has not been paid for at least 30 days before the scheduled start of the event, or who is not ready to ski in accordance with the schedule, will lose their official familiarization time.

Summary table:

19-07-2021	deadline for familiarization requests.
26-07-2021	deadline for publishing familiarization schedule by Organizer
02-08-2021	deadline for familiarization payment. Slot will be confirmed through payment.
04-08-2021	final familiarization schedule

The Chief Judge shall have the discretion to change the start time of team's familiarization based on extraordinary circumstances.

The Organizer may offer additional training during any unallocated times.

The maximum cost per hour for Official familiarization will be € 240,00 (€ 4,00 per minute).

Anyone will be able to book any time remaining available following normal procedure.

The payment must be made to:

Bank: Cassa Di Risparmio di Ravenna
Account name: Sci Nautico KLI
IBAN: IT97J0627023654CC0380000684
BIC: CRRAIT2RXXX
Reference "Familiarization 2021 European Over 35"

Once payment is made, mail your proof of payment: barbara.gattone@hotmail.com

8. UNOFFICIAL TRAINING

The waterski school is open every day, Unofficial training slot can be book up to August 30

Training rates: 240€/h - Slot of 15minutes 60€

To reserve : barbara.gattone@hotmail.com

Bank details

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Account name: Sci Nautico KLI
IBAN: IT97J0627023654CC0380000684
BIC: CRRAIT2RXXX
Ref: TRAINING EUROPEAN 2021

Once payment is made, mail your proof of payment to: barbara.gattone@hotmail.com

9. OFFICIAL TOW BOATS

All official practice and tournament events will be towed by:

Brand: Nautique
Model: 200
Year: 2017
Engine: 6.2 450 HP Model: Nautique 200
Speed Control: Zero Off Version: Rev Q

10. OFFICIAL PROP AND RAMP SETTINGS

SLALOM	Prop Size		Nr. Blades	
JUMPS	Prop Size		Nr. Blades	
	Ramp Length	150		
		165		
		180		

11. OFFICIAL HOTEL

COMING SOON

12. CATERING ON SITE

Italian Food meals will be provided from the Club for the entire duration of the Event

Menu and Prices will be posted on the next bulletin

14. CEREMONIES

Opening.

The Opening Ceremony will be hosted in Major Building in Ravenna Main Square

Closing.

The Closing Ceremony will be at the Official Hotel (more info in the next bulletin)

15. JURY

Jury will be announced in bulletin 2

16. DOPING CONTROL

In accordance with IWWF, EC and AC Anti-Doping Rules, doping controls will be held during the competition. By entering this competition, all athletes agree to be subject to doping control.

The list of banned substances can be accessed on the following link:

https://www.wada-ama.org/sites/default/files/resources/files/2021list_en.pdf

Information about the IWWF Anti-Doping program, the current IWWF AD Rules and links to the list of banned substances can be accessed on iwwfed.com in the "Athletes" drop down menu on the homepage, under the Anti-Doping tab.

<https://iwwf.sport/athletes/anti-doping/>

17. LOCAL CURRENCY

The local currency in Italy is euros. At most local stores and restaurants you can pay with all the major credit cards.

18. FLAGS AND ANTHEMS

Each team must bring an additional flag of their country.
(Size approximately 100x150cm)

All teams are also requested to bring a CD (or MP3) of their national anthem you will greatly help us if you send it to barbara.gattone@hotmail.com



19. TRANSPORTATION

Shuttle bus will be available from the Official Hotel to the ski site

20. PARKING AND SKI STORAGE

Will be provide from the Club

21. HOW TO ENTER THE COUNTRY

A valid Identity Card or Passport is required to enter Italy. All non-Schengen countries residents should contact the Hellenic Embassy or Consulate in their country, for more information on entering Italy. Also, due to the pandemic, a PCR test might be obligatory 72 hours before entering in the country.



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SKIER BIO

PERSONAL INFO

Name _____
Country / Team _____
Age _____ Category _____

BEST RANKING POSITION

Slalom	World	_____	Tricks	World	_____	Jumps	World	_____
	Europe	_____		Europe	_____		Europe	_____

PERSONAL BEST

Slalom	_____	type year
Tricks	_____	type year
Jumps	_____	type year

MAIN WINS / TITLES

SPONSORS

HOBBIES

OTHERS

DECLARATION, WAIVER AND RELEASE FORM

For, and in consideration of, the International Waterski & Wakeboard Federation (the IWWF) and KLI WATERSKI SCHOOL (the Organizer) accepting my application, and permitting me, to participate and compete in the 2021 Europe & Africa Over 35 Waterski Championship (the Championships), I, the undersigned, for and behalf of myself, my heirs, executors and administrators, do hereby irrevocably and unconditionally warrant, represent and undertake to the IWWF and the Organizer as follows:

Any and all information provided and/or disclosed by, or on behalf of, myself to the IWWF and the Organizer (including any directors, officers, employees, volunteer and other representatives thereof) for the purpose of considering and evaluating my application for participation and competition in the Championships is true, correct and accurate;

I have fully read and understood the rules and regulations of participation and competition in the Championships (a copy of which has been made available to me) and I do hereby covenant with, and undertake to, the IWWF and the Organizer to at all times fully comply with and abide by, the same;

I am in good physical and mental health and I am physical capable of competing and participating, and fully competent to participate and compete, as a competitor in the Championships and that i have not been certified and/or advised otherwise by any qualified medical practitioner;

I do hereby authorize any and all physicians, paramedics and other medical personnel and practitioners procured by, or on behalf of, the IWWF and the Organizer to administer first aid treatment, or any medical treatment, surgery or transportation in the event of any illness, accident or injury suffered and/or sustained by me at any time during my participation and competition in the Championships (or any part thereof) and hereby indemnify, and shall keep fully and effectively indemnified, the IWWF and the Organizer (including all directors, officers, employees, volunteer and other representatives thereof) upon demand from and against any and all claims, liabilities, demands, costs and expenses of whatsoever nature incurred and/or suffered by the same (or any of them) and arising from, and/or in connection with, the procurement and administration of such medical treatment and transportation in relation to any such illness accident or injury suffered and/or sustained by me;

I acknowledge, agree and confirm that participating and/or competing as a competitor in the Championships (or any part thereof) involves inherent risks and dangers of accidents, personal and bodily injury and property loss or damage and that by signing and completing this Declaration, Waiver and Release Form, I fully understand and have considered and evaluated the nature, scope and extent of the risks involved, and voluntarily and freely choose to assume these risks;

I hereby grant to the IWWF and the Organizer (including its lawful successors and assigns) the sole and exclusive right and licence, in perpetuity and throughout the world and without any compensation whatsoever to me, to use, reproduce, publish and/or exploit, my name, nickname, likeness, image, logos, get-ups, initials, voice, slogan and signatures developed from time to time, reputation, graphical representation, electronic, animated or computer generated representation and any other representation (in any medium whatsoever) right of association, biographical information and other indicia and any other right of property in my performances, in any media whatsoever, for any purposes whatsoever relating to, and/or in connection with, the IWWF and/or the Championships (or any part thereof) and I shall do all such things (including, without limitation, the execution of appropriate legal documentation) as the IWWF and the Organizer may, from time to time, require to give legal and binding effect to the aforementioned grant of rights;

I irrevocably acknowledge, agree and confirm that the IWWF and the Organizer reserves the right, at its sole and absolute discretion, to disqualify me from participation and/or competition in the Championships (or any part thereof) if I am in breach of any of the warranties, representations and/or undertakings set out in this Declaration, Waiver and Release Form and/or for any reason whatsoever the IWWF and the Organizer considers just and proper, and in the event of any such disqualification, I shall not be entitled to any compensation of any nature whatsoever from the IWWF and the Organizer;

I hereby release, hold harmless, protect, indemnify and forever discharge the IWWF and the Organizer (including its officers, employees, volunteer and other representatives) the Championships and all commercial partners thereof, from and against any and all claims, demands, liabilities, losses, damages, costs and expenses of any nature whatsoever, whether direct or consequential, suffered and/or incurred by me, the IWWF and the Organizer (including its officers, employees, volunteer and other representatives) the Championships and/or all commercial partners thereof and arising from, and/or in connection with any breach of any of the warranties, representations and/or undertakings given by me as set out hereunder; and/or my participation and/or competition in the Championships (or any part thereof), including, without limitation any and all claims, demands, liabilities, losses, damages, costs and expenses arising from the negligence of the IWWF, the Organizer and/or any commercial partner thereof and/or their any of their respective directors, officers, employees and volunteer and other representatives.

If any provision of this Declaration, Waiver and Release Form should be invalid, illegal or unenforceable in any respect, the validity, legality or enforceability of the remaining provisions contained herein shall not in any way be affected or impaired thereby.

DECLARATION

I, _____ (the Competitor), do hereby declare that I have read and fully understood the terms and conditions of this Declaration, Waiver and Release Form. I agree to be bound by the said terms and conditions of the above agreement with the IWWF and the Organizer.

Signature _____ Date _____ / _____ / 2020

IWWF ATHLETE CONSENT FORM

2021 EUROPE & AFRICA OVER 35 WATERSKI CHAMPIONSHIP

As a member of a National Federation affiliated to the International Waterski & Wakeboard Federation and a participant in an event authorized or recognized by the International Waterski & Wakeboard Federation, I hereby declare as follows:

1. I acknowledge that I am bound by, and confirm that I shall comply with, all of the provisions of the IWWF Anti-Doping Rules (as amended from time to time), the World Anti-Doping Code (the "Code") and the International Standards issued by the World Anti-Doping Agency, as amended from time to time, and published on WADA's website.
2. I consent and agree to the creation of my profile in the WADA Doping Control Clearing House ("ADAMS"), as requested under the Code to which IWWF is a Signatory, and/or any other authorized National Anti-Doping Organization's similar system for the sharing of information, and to the entry in my Doping Control, Whereabouts and Therapeutic Use Exemptions related data in such systems.

I agree that during the Event and for up to ninety (90) days thereafter as may be needed for follow up testing, I will be subject to blood and/or urine testing for any substance or method on the World Anti-Doping Agency ("WADA") Prohibited List:

https://www.wada-ama.org/sites/default/files/resources/files/2021list_en.pdf

3. I acknowledge the authority of IWWF [and its member National Federations and/or National Anti-Doping Organizations] under the IWWF Anti-Doping Rules to enforce, to manage results under, and to impose sanctions in accordance with the IWWF Anti-Doping Rules.
4. I acknowledge and agree that any dispute arising out of a decision made pursuant to the IWWF Anti-Doping Rules, after exhaustion of the process expressly provided for in the IWWF Anti-Doping Rules, may be appealed exclusively as provided in Article [13] of the IWWF Anti-Doping Rules to an appellate body for final and binding arbitration, which in the case of International-Level Athletes is the Court of Arbitration for Sport (CAS).
5. I acknowledge and agree that the decisions of the arbitral appellate body referenced above shall be final and enforceable, and that I will not bring any claim, arbitration, lawsuit or litigation in any other court or tribunal.

I have read and understand the present declaration.

Date

Print Name (Last Name, First Name)

Date of Birth (Day/Month/Year)

Signature (or, if a minor, signature of legal guardian).