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1 GREETINGS

Dear contestants, guests and visitors of the 2016 ICF Canoe Marathon World Championships!

At the end of the Olympic Season, the international canoeing elite will meet in the city of Brandenburg an der Havel between 16th and 18th September to compete for the long distance world championship titles. We, the Brandenburg sports enthusiasts, are proud to host these interesting and exciting championships. We look forward to welcoming the athletes, coaches and team members, who will be visiting us from numerous countries all over the world. I am convinced that the ultra-modern natural regatta course on the beautiful Lake Beetzsee is the perfect venue for a fair and exciting competition.

I would like to invite you to join us at the Canoe Marathon World Championship competition, a major sporting event which will bring together people of all cultures and nations.

Yours, sincerely

Dr. Dietmar Woidke
Patron and Prime Minister of the Federal State of Brandenburg

1 GREETINGS

The world canoe marathon elite will be guest in Brandenburg an der Havel

One year after the World Cup and immediately following the Masters World Cup the German Canoe Federation is host of the Canoe Marathon World Championships. From Sept. 16th to 18th the Beetzsee in Brandenburg/Havel with its naturally regatta course will be a meeting point of the world´s best canoe marathon athletes. Together with the local organizer, the Regattateam Brandenburg Beetzsee, we look forward to host once more this world title matches. As president of the German Canoe Federation I warmly welcome all participants and international officials in Brandenburg.
These World Championships are especially significant because they will take place in the year of Olympic Games a year of enhanced attention to our canoe sports which will stand more than else in the media focus. Let's take the chance to show the broad public the diversity of our wonderful canoeing.
First of all I would like to thank the International Canoe Federation, who entrusted us with the organization of these World Championships, as well as the city of Brandenburg/Havel, the country of Brandenburg and the local organizers. Without their support it would not be possible to host such an international high ranking event. Thanks also to all the many supporters, promoters and sponsors who take care that we will see profissionell organized competitions.
Let us join together the continuation of the canoe marathon track record. I wish you some nice days in Brandenburg. May your personal favorite will come out on top.

GERMAN CANOE FEDERATION

Yours

Thomas Konietzko
President

1 GREETINGS

Welcome by the Lord Mayor of Brandenburg an der Havel

This time Brandenburg an der Havel will see a twin-pack of top international sport in 2016, when the Canoe Marathon word elite will be fighting on the Beetzsee for the coveted titles and medals at the Masters and Para-World Cup and also at the World Championships.
We, the citizens of Brandenburg are looking forward to welcome the athletes, coaches and officials as well as representatives of the International Canoe Federation and the national associations of about 50 countries from around the world in our sports-loving city.
With the Masters and Para-World Cup and the World Championships, the long list of important international water sports events here with us will be continued.
Thanks to extensive resources that we, as a city, together with the State of Brandenburg have invested in recent years in the expansion and modernization of our traditional and natural regatta course, we can offer ideal conditions for the athletes and the organizers to organize and implement a major championships these days.
Moreover, Brandenburg an der Havel enjoys the reputation of being a cosmopolitan and friendly host city. That is what we want to demonstrate again in 2016 when we welcome participants and visitors from all over the world to the two major international canoe marathon events with us.
I invite, with a lot of pleasure, our big international canoe marathon family to us here in Brandenburg an der Havel. We are looking forward to exciting competitions and many interesting impressions.
Let us celebrate together a great unifying sport festival.

With best regards

Dr. Dietlind Tiemann
Lord Mayor

Dear Sports friends,

The organizing committee of the ICF Canoe Marathon Word Championships 2016 has the pleasure to present you the 2nd bulletin with updated informations about this major event, taking place in September.
In this document you will find informations about the race course and facilities, accommodation details, transportortation, schedule, everything to help you planning, your participation and provide a safe and fair event.

Regattateam Brandenburg Beetzsee e.V.

2 EVENT PROGRAM (PROVISIONAL INCLUDE ALL MAPS)

DAY	TIME	TIME
Tuesday 13th September	08:30 - 18:00	Masters single classes
Wednesday 14th September	08:30 - 18:00	Masters double classes
Thursday 15thSeptember	14:00 18:00	Team Leaders Meeting Openingceremony
Friday 16th September	09:00 09:05 09:10	K1 Women Jun 18.3 km C1 Women 18.3 km C1 Women Jun 14.4 km
	11:30 11:33 13:45	K1 Women u23 22.2 km C1 Men Juniors 18.3 km Medals 1st session
	14:45 14:48 17:00	K1 Men u23 26.1 km C1 Men u23 22.2 km Medals 2nd and 3rd session
Saturday 17th September	09:00 09:03	K1 Men Jun 22.2 km K2 Women Junior 18.3 km
	11:30 11:35 14:00	K1 Women 26.1 km C1 Men 26.1 km Medals 1st session
	14:45 17:00	K1 Men 30.0 km Medals 2nd and 3rd session
Sunday 18th September	09:00 09:05	K2 Men Juniors 22.2 km C2 Men Juniors 18.3 km
	11:30	K2 Women 26.1 km
	11:33 13:45	C2 Men 26.1 km Medals 1st session
	14:30 16:45	K2 Men 30.0 km Medals 2nd & 3rd session and closing ceremony

3 HOTEL RESERVATION BOARD AND LODGING

Hotels	Availability	Per person and day	
Category I	yes	double room	€ 115,-
		single room	€ 145,-
Category II	yes	double room	€ 95,-
		single room	€ 125,-
Category III	yes	double room	€ 85,-
		single room	€ 115,-
Category IV	yes	double room	€ 85,-
		single room	€ 90,-
Camp Place	yes	per person tent electricity (220V) mobil home	€ 5,- € 5.- € 4,- € 6,-

Please send the accommodation form to orgbuero@canoe-marathon.de

Please keep in mind that because of limited availability of hotel rooms in various categories reservations will be accepted on a 'first-come, first-served' basis which means your team will be redirected to a different category than initially requested if there is not enough space left in the required category.

The Organizing Committee does not take responsibility for any extra service of the hotel, like minibar, telephone, parking, etc. These costs are to be paid directly to the hotel. In case your team would cause any damage to the rooms, you have to pay for it on the spot or else our federation will send you the invoice for the cost of the damage afterwards.

Check-in time is 14:00. The rooms are to be vacated before 11:00 AM on the day of departure.
(Upon request, the hotels will provide storage rooms for an additional fee.)

4 PARTICIPATION FEE

Participation Fee *(WITHOUT accommodation and catering)*

All competitors, coaches and team staff members have to pay a participation fee of EUR 32/person/day from the day of your arrival, which includes the following services:

→ accreditation
→ right of common and operational costs of the venue
→ medical care at the course
→ security service in the competitors area
→ fully comprehensive insurance of the event
→ special seats for the Opening Ceremony
→ access pass and parking for one trailer and one accredited vehicle (up to 3,5t)
→ mineral water during the competition days (16.09. – 18.09.16)

The Organizing Committee cannot be held responsible for the quality and price of individually reserved accommodation.

Participation Fee *(participation with accommodation and catering)*

Participation fee is to be paid for the length of your team's stay,w when the services (listed below) are provided.

The participation fee includes the following services:

→ accreditation
→ accommodation in the selected category
→ three meals per day
→ shuttle bus service connecting the regatta course and the official hotels
→ right of common and operational costs of the venue
→ medical care at the course
→ security service at the competitors area
→ fully comprehensive insurance of the event
→ special seats for the Opening Ceremony
→ access pass and parking for one trailer and one accredited vehicle (up to 3,5t)
→ mineral water during the competition days

4 AIRPORT TRANSFER

The Participation Fee does not include the transfer from the airport to and from Brandenburg.

For teams bigger than 3 persons arriving together at the same time we offer the transfer between Berlin – Brandenburg – Berlin for 40 EUR/person bidirectional. Individuals and teams of 3 or less requiring transfer should contact the Organizing Committee for a custom price.

Please contact us if you like to arrive earlier.

5 ENTRIES AND OTHER INFORMATION

All entries, including athletes, coaches, officials and other staff, and other reservations, like boat rental, press forms, must be submitted by e-mail to the organization.

Deadline for preliminary hotel bookings:.....01.06.2016

Deadline for boat rental.....01.06.2016

Deadline for preliminary travel information:..... 21.08.2016

Deadline for preliminary entries : 10.07.2016

Deadline for final hotel reservation: 10.07.2016

Deadline for numerical entries:.....02.08.2016

Deadline for final travel information:..... 23.08.2016

Deadline for nominal entries:..... 23.08.2016

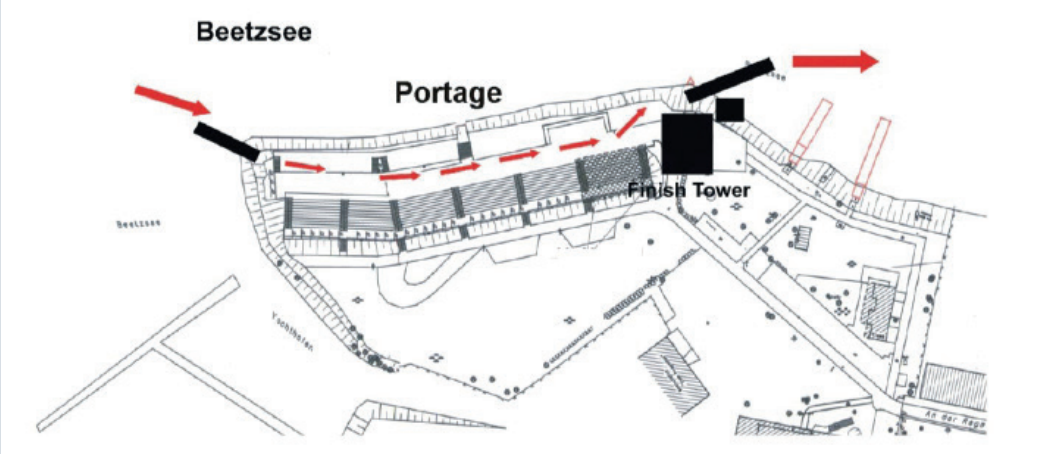
6 FORMS ONLINE

→ Numerical/nominal entries ISIS https://icf.msl.es/icf/main.jsp
→ Accreditation ISIS https://icf.msl.es/icf/main.jsp
→ Boat rental www.canoe-marathon.de
→ Hotel reservation www.canoe-marathon. de
→ http://team.canoe-marathon. (Username and password below request)

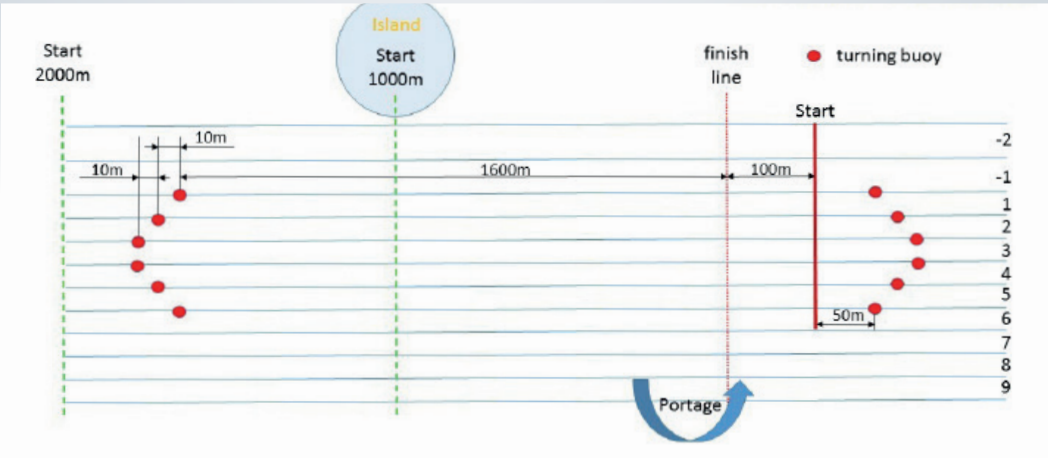
7 THE REGATTA VENUE (PROVISIONAL INCLUDE ALL MAPS)

Description of the Regatta Venue:

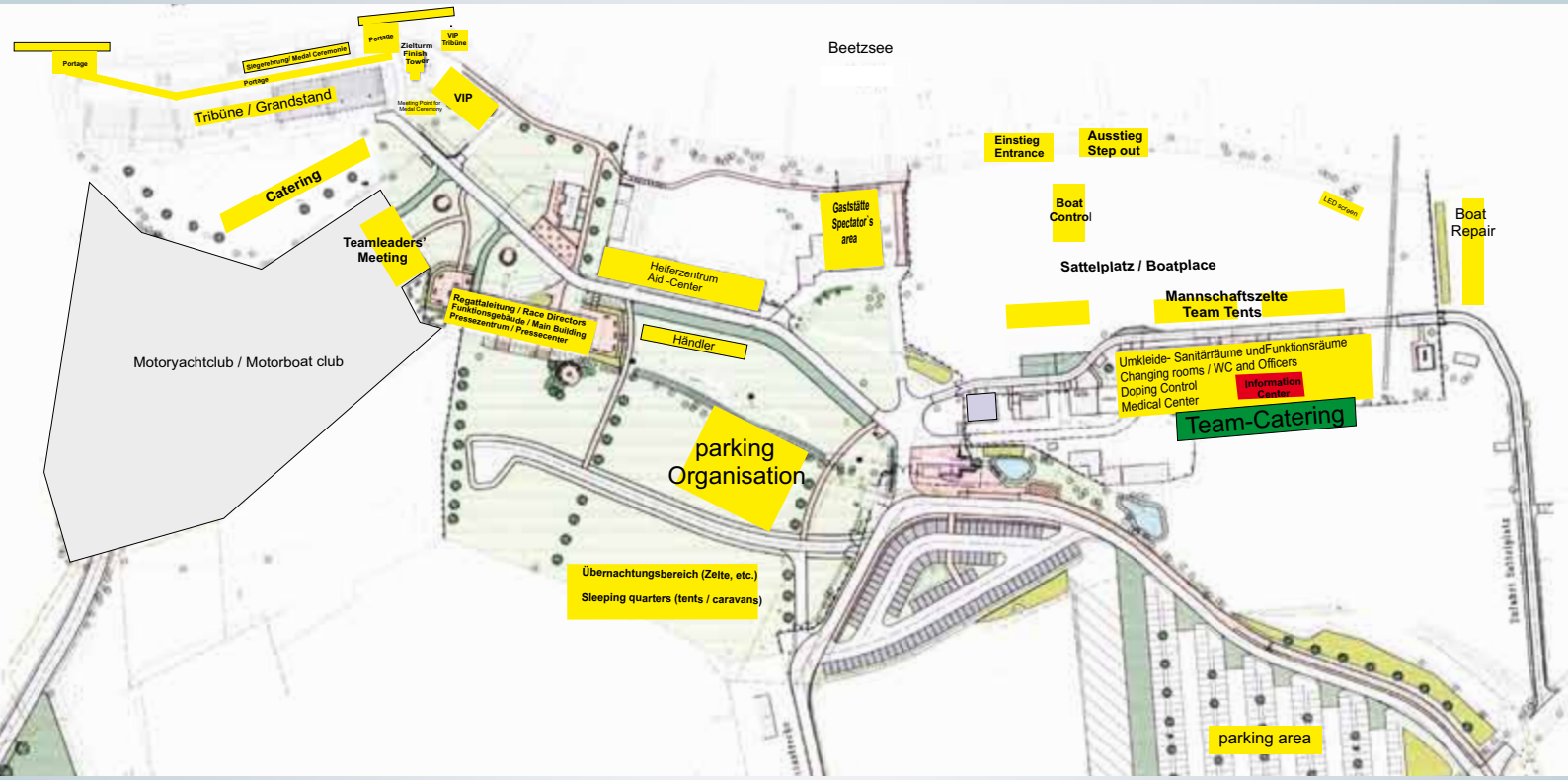
→ The regatta venue in Brandenburg an der Havel is situated at the lake Beetzsee. It is a fully developed venue especially for canoe sprint and rowing. Also for marathon the same course will be used. That´s why you can find lanes in the pictures of the course. For the marathon races there are no buoys between the lanes.



→ Fig. 1: Portage



→ Fig. 2: Long Lap



→ Fig. 3: Regatta Venue of Brandenburg an der Havel

8 CEREMONY

8.1 Opening Ceremony

Thursday September 16th 18:00 -20:00 hours

The opening ceremony of the World Championships will be held at the havel in the center of the city of Brandenburg.
More information can be found in the team leader handbook

8.2 Nations‘ Diners

Each Nations‘ Diner will take place on Saturday, 17. 09.16
Each team will receive two free invitations within the team leaders handbook
Transport will be provided to and from the hotels

8.3 Closing Ceremony

Sunday, September 18th

9 ORGANISING COMMITTEE

President ..... Michael Kenzler
Vice-President ..... Uwe Steinhäuser
Executive Director ..... Klaus-Dieter Preuss
Technical Organiser ..... Uwe Steinhäuser

TECHNICAL STAFF
Competition Coordinator ..... Sven Lange
Installations Coordinator ..... Uwe Philipp
Operations Coordinator ..... Ingo Naber
Media Centre ..... Oliver Strubel
Race course ..... Michael Tümmler
Catamarans (press/rescue) ..... Arvid Baier
Catering ..... Klaus-Dieter Preuss
Team Services ..... Reinhard Ross
Accreditation ..... Jana Nicolai
Protocol and Victory Ceremony ..... Anne Preuss
Commentators ..... Martin Lubig
..... Jim Rossiter
Technology ..... Rene Fischer
Volunteers ..... Daniel Herdlitschke
Accommodation ..... Sylvio Donner
Transport ..... Klaus Spielmann
Medical Services ..... Steffen Pauli

10 VISA

Participants from countries, for which the possession of a Visa is required, upon request, will receive a confirmation letter from the German Canoe Federation, once their participation is confirmed.
All participants from non "Schengen Treaty" State Members are kindly requested to contact to the local German Embassy or representative for any clarification.
Be aware that visa applications may take some time to process.
For further information, visit the official web site of the German Ministry of Foreign Affairs:
http://www.auswaertiges-amt.de/EN/Startseite_node.html

11 INSURANCE

All participants are strongly advised to have appropriate medical insurance from their respective countries.

12 SECURITY

All The security service for the ICF Canoe Marathon World Championships will work from 11.09.2016 – 18.09.2016. This device will guarantee the security in all areas and facilities of the event.

13 MEDICAL SERVICES

A medical service will be available at the Regatta Course and will have all necessary equipment to care for all possible emergencies: first aid equipment, ambulance, from 16.09.2016 to 18.09.2016 everyone requiring medical assistence.

14 BOAT RENTAL

The Organizing Committee cooperates with external partners for boat rental. They manage the boat rental directly with the national federations. Please send your requests for boat rental as soon as possible directly to our partners. Please note the there are only a limited number of marathon boats for rental purpose.

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We have arranged for you the following prices:

K-1/ C-1: 100€ / for the whole event
K-2/ C-2: 100€ / for the whole event

Deadline for boat rental is
22.05.2016

Please note that you have to pay a security deposit in cash when receiving the rental boat/s at the regatta course. The security deposit is 200 Euros for single boats and 300 Euros for double boats. The security deposit will be fully refunded (minus anything that missing or damaged) when you return them intact.

Next information

The next bulletin is the Team Leaders Handbook, which will be published on 8th of septemper.
The website will be frequently updated, so don't forget to look at the website.

We are looking forward meeting you in Brandenburg.

With sporting regards
Organizing Committee 2016 ICF Canoe Marathon World Championships Brandenburg an der Havel

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