



# NATIONAL & INTERNATIONAL JUDGE SEMINAR 2012

## CABLE WAKEBOARD & WAKESKATE

**TNS, Toulouse, 11-13 May 2012**

## Dear Riders & Federations

It's a pleasure for us to invite you to the **NATIONAL & INTERNATIONAL Cable Wakeboard & Wakeskate JUDGE SEMINAR**, to be held from 11th to 13th May 2012 at the TNS (Télési Nautique de Sesquières) in Toulouse (France).

This Bulletin should help you to organize your trip to France and tell you more about the event. If you have any questions feel free to contact us!

The seminar will be held by Aaron Armbrorst, 6STAR international judge. Translations in French will be supplied whenever possible.

## 1. How to get to TNS in Toulouse

TNS, the Télési Nautique de Sesquières, stands just North of Toulouse, in the South West of France

**By car:** GPS entry "Allée des Foulques" 31200 Toulouse

Take the ring road ('périphérique'), exit 33 - Sesquières and follow "Complexe de la Dune / KL"

### **Public transportation:**

Underground : closest stop (~3km) is line B, stop "LA VACHE"

Bus : line N°15 or 59, stop "Rupé"

**By plane:** Many international flights, including Easyjet, land in Toulouse Blagnac airport (TLS), a few km away from the cable.



## 2. Before traveling to France

**2.1 Visa :** France is part of the Schengen Area so most of the European travellers don't need a visa for short stays. Please check your specific country [here](#) or get information at your travel agencies or consulate.

**2.2 Identity proof :** Please make sure that you are coming with a valid ID document stating date of birth and nationality.

**2.3 Local currency :** The French currency is Euro (€).

Established credit cards (like Visa and Mastercard) are accepted in most places. You can also use them to draw cash at ATMs.

**2.4 Time difference :** Toulouse is on Central European Time (CET)

For example, 00:00 in Central Europe is 00:00 in Toulouse and 23:00 in London

**2.5 General information :** Main electricity: 220 Volt, use an Euro plug or an universal adapter.

### **2.6 Emergency telephone numbers:**

- **112:** Emergency Number (Fire / Medical / Police)
- **17:** Police
- **15:** Hospital-based Ambulance (SAMU)
- **18:** Fire and Fire Service Ambulance
- **+33:** International prefix for France

French mobile phone network is connected to the European GSM standards. Your national mobile phone will connect with the following main networks: Orange, SFR, Bouygues...

### 3. Accommodation

There are several hotels at close distance from the cable. The camping site Rupé, the hotels Première Classe and Campanile are 500-700m from the cable. The Hotel Etats-Unis and Hotel Hermes are a bit further (~3km by car, but longer by foot as the shortest path is taking the motorway).

Please add 0.9€ per day and per person for the town tax.

When making hotel reservations, please indicate that you come for the Wake Judge Seminar.

#### 1. CAMPING SITE RUPE

Camping space + 1 pers	13,5€ /night	<b>21 chemin du Pont de Rupé - 31200 Toulouse</b>
Additional Person	3,80€ /night	<b>Tel. : 05 61 700 735 Fax. : 05 61 709 317</b>
Week rate	72€ /week	<b>campinglerupe31@wanadoo.fr</b>
Car / motorbike	2,10 €	

#### 2. Hôtel 1ère classe (720m from the cable), <http://www.premiere-classe-toulouse-nord-sesquieres.fr/>

<b>1 rue du Pôle 31200 - Toulouse</b>	<b>Friday to Sunday</b>	<b>Breakfast</b>
<b>Tel: +335 61 13 10 27 Fax: +335 61 13 10 51</b>	39€/ night for Rooms 1, 2 or 3 pers	4,8€/day/pers
<a href="mailto:toulouse.sesquieres@premiereclasse.fr">toulouse.sesquieres@premiereclasse.fr</a>		

#### 3. Hôtel Campanile \*\* (700m from cable), <http://www.campanile-toulouse.fr/> To benefit from this week-end price, please mention that you are holders of a Sport licence.

<b>1 rue du Pôle 31200 - Toulouse</b>	<b>Friday to Sunday</b>	<b>Breakfast</b>
<b>Tel: +335 62 72 05 66 Fax: +335 62 72 06 42</b>	42€/ night for rooms 1 or 2 pers	9€/day/pers
<a href="mailto:manager.toulouse.sesquieres@campanile.fr">manager.toulouse.sesquieres@campanile.fr</a>	49€/ night for rooms 3 pers	

#### 4. Hôtel Hermès\*\* (~3km from cable), <http://www.hotel-hermes.com/chambres.html>

<b>49, avenue Jean Zay -Toulouse</b>	<b>Friday to Sunday</b>	<b>Breakfast</b>
<b>Tél : 05 61 47 60 47 Fax : 05 61 47 56 08</b>	39€/night for rooms for 1 or 2 pers	6€/day/pers
<a href="mailto:reception@hotel-hermes.com">reception@hotel-hermes.com</a>		

#### 5. Hôtel des Etats Unis \*\* (~3km from cable), [www.hotel-etatsunis.fr](http://www.hotel-etatsunis.fr)

<b>230 avenue des Etats Unis 31200 - Toulouse</b>	<b>Friday to Sunday, breakfast included</b>
<b>Tél: +335 61 47 50 14 Fax: +335 51 57 38 56</b>	58€/night for rooms 1pers 76€/night for rooms 2 pers
<a href="mailto:hotel.etatsunis@free.fr">hotel.etatsunis@free.fr</a>	114€/ night for rooms 3 pers

## 4. Conditions

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The Judge seminar will be carried out according to the CWWC World Rules 2012. A full copy of the rules is online available at: [www.cablewakeboard.net](http://www.cablewakeboard.net) (direct link [here](#))

The seminar will be open to all registrants above 16 years old but only 1STAR and 2 STAR levels are open for participants under 18 years old.

### **How it works ?**

The International Waterski and Wakeboard Federation (IWWF) was founded in 1946. IWWF is recognized by the International Olympic Committee (IOC) as official partner since 1967. Wakeboarding is part of the World Games (Non Olympic Games patronized by IOC) since 2005. Since 2011 Wakeboard is on the Shortlist for addition to the Olympic Games 2020 !

The IWWF is the world leader in waterskiing and wakeboarding with more than 90 member nations, hundreds of clubs and thousands of members. Together with agencies and local federations, the IWWF organizes Nationals Championships, European and World Championships, the IWWF World Cup and World Trophy, and hundreds of internationals competitions all over the world.

The IWWF Cable Wakeboard World Council (CWWC) is a rider formed, voluntary non-profit working council. CWWC organizes and promotes wakeboard, helping organizers to create and run competitions, developing the Cable Wakeboard World Rules, formats, judging criteria's and educating judges. The CWWC is recognised for running the sport part of events under fair conditions for all riders, fair and fast judging, perfect "just in time" timetables, live & online results, and results interfaces for live streaming or live TV Productions. For more information and upcoming events please look at [www.iwwfed.com](http://www.iwwfed.com) or [www.cablewakeboard.net](http://www.cablewakeboard.net)

## 5. Registration

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You need to register for the seminar at [www.cablewakeboard.net](http://www.cablewakeboard.net)

If this is your first international event, first go to 'registration' and create a profile. Once you have a profile, 'login' and go to 'My competition' where you can join the "FFSNW Officials seminar".

**All participants should be members of their respective country's IWWF affiliated Federation with a valid 'Official/Competitor' wakeboard license.**

A detailed timetable will be provided later to all registrants. The seminar will start at 14h on Friday, May 11th and end at 17h on Sunday May 13th.

Please provide us with your arrival and departure times. Just send an email with your flight / driving details to: [carolemarmonier@hotmail.com](mailto:carolemarmonier@hotmail.com) (and copy to [f.chocun@ffsnw.fr](mailto:f.chocun@ffsnw.fr))

The deadline to join the seminar is **Friday, 4th May**. However, we advise everyone to book the accommodation as soon as possible because of the limited availability in the hotels.

## 6. Officials' Seminar

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The seminar takes 2,5 days (Friday afternoon, Saturday and Sunday).

Costs (Entry fee, to be paid in cash on site): 60 €

**For French people with valid FFSNW competitor licences, this price will be reduced to 20€**

### Seminar Contents:

- Introduction: Why is it important to become an Official? IWWF Structures; Officials' levels
- Organizing a competition: Crew for the competition
- Before the competition: Chief judge duties, Safety, Time table, Heat system
- During the competition: Judging system, Trick lists, Grabs, Slider, Tricks Short cuts, Overview of the rules, 2012 Changes to the rules, Protests, Video analysis
- Scoring the Competition: Scoring System and Program
- After the competition: Results, Paperwork
- Practical exercises: Videos, Theoretical & Practical Examination, individual evaluation, announcement of results

You don't have to print the documents, printed copies will be handed to you during the program, but please study and prepare them so we can devote more time to the video sessions and practice.

Please inform us about your participation **as soon as possible**.

If you need help, please feel free to contact us!!!

For questions about :

- International licenses and registration, contact **Varna Laco** [varna@cablewakeboard.net](mailto:varna@cablewakeboard.net)
- FFSNW licences, local organization, accommodation, etc.: [carolemarmonier@hotmail.com](mailto:carolemarmonier@hotmail.com)  
Tel: +33687057842

See you in Toulouse !