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IWWF International Officials Seminar Cable wakeboard & wakeskate

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Dear riders & federations,

It's a pleasure for us to invite you to the **2017 IWWF International Officials Seminar (Cable wakeboard & wakeskate)** to be held on the 28th and 29th of september at Goodlife Cablepark in Meer (Hoogstraten), Belgium. This Bulletin should help you to organize your trip and will tell you more about the event. If you have any questions feel free to contact us or come and visit us at the park.

We hope te see you soon!

The Goodlife Cablepark Team

1. About the seminar & federations

The Judge seminar will be carried out according to the CWWC World Rules 2017. A full copy of the rules is online available at: www.cablewakeboard.net (direct link here)

The seminar will be open to all registrants above 10 years who are speaking proper English. Until the Age of 16 you can only get 1STAR. To become 2 STAR you have to be over 16. 3STAR Level and higher you can get by the Age of 18 years and older. 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 or www.iwwfed.com or www.iwwfed.com or

2. Registration

You need to register for the seminar at 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 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 9h00 on Thursday, September 28^{th} and end on Friday September 29^{th} latest at 18h00.

Please provide us with your arrival and departure times. Just send an email with your flight / driving details to: hello@goodlifecablepark.be so we know when you will be arriving.

The deadline to join the seminar is **MONDAY NIGHT, SEPTEMBER 25th**.

3. The Seminar - Practical

The seminar will take 2 days (Thursday & Friday).

IMPORTANT! ==> On Saturday and Sunday there will be a 3 Star National competition where you can already gain experience and help out.

(Belgian National Wakeboard & Wakeskate Chamionships - All categories)

Costs (Entry fee, to be paid in advance): 120 €

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Costs are including Seminar Room, Organisation, Free Water during the Seminar.

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, 2017
 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** <u>varna@cablewakeboard.net</u>
- Local organisation, accommodation, etc.: <u>hello@goodlifecablepark.be</u>
- Phone: +32 (0) 3 502 43 44 (ask for Bram)

4. Location Goodlife Cablepark

Goodlife Cablepark is very easy to find. Use the following instructions or address for stressless trip to the Goodlife.

ADDRESS: Goodlife Cablepark

Recreatiedomein "De Mosten"

Hoogeind 74b

2321 Meer (Hoogstraten), Belgium

BY CAR: Goodlife Cablepark is situated in the most north point of Belgium, close to highway **E19 between Antwerp**

and Breda (Netherlands). Our facility is easy to access by car. Take <u>EXIT 1A</u> (Transportzone Meer) and FOLLOW THE SIGNS.

PARKING: We have a big car parking next to the cablepark.

Flags and signs wil guide you to the parking.

5. Accommodation

We don't have accommodation on site yet.

There will be possibilities for tents, campers or vans on site, close to the cablepark.

If needed we can arrange a hotel or B&B for you. Also pick-up and drop-offs are no problem. Just send us an e-mail and we will ask around for a good price.

^{*} more details about this topic later.

6. Traveling To Belgium

VISA

Belgium 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 or get information at your travel agencies or consulate.

IDENTITY PROOF

Please make sure that you are coming with a valid ID document stating date of birth and nationality.

LOCAL CURRENCY

The Belgian 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.

TIME DIFFERENCE

Hoogstraten and the rest of Belgium is on Central European Time (CET)

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

GENERAL INFORMATION

Main electricity: 230V, use an Euro plug or an universal adapter to use your own electricity supply.

EMERGENCY NUMBER

- 112: Emergency Number (Fire / Medical / Police)

GENERAL

Use prefix +32 before all Belgian phone numbers to dial in.

Belgian mobile phone network is connected to the European GSM standards. Your national mobile phone will connect with the following main networks: Mobistar, Proximus, ...

7. Contact

If you have any questions relating to the **2017 IWWF International Officials Seminar (Cable wakeboard & wakeskate)**, you can contact or visit us at the following location.

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