

# Cold Water Classic

## Bulletin number 1

Dear Riders,

It's a pleasure for us to announce a great event in Belgium. We hope to see you again on the water at Lakeside Paradise.

In order and with permission of the Belgium Wakeboard and Waterski Federation (KBWSF), the Flemish Wakeboard and Waterski Federation (WSV) and the International Waterski and Wakeboard Federation (IWWF), Lakeside Paradise invites you to the:

**CWWC 4-Star World Tour Stop „Cold Water Classic” 2025 On 4 – 6 April 2025 in Knokke-Heist, Belgium**  
**600 World Ranking Points**

**Cable/Location: Lakeside Paradise, Knokke-Heist, Belgium**

**Date: 4 – 6 APRIL 2025**

The championship will be a wakeboard and wakeskate contest. There will be a total of ... prizemoney.

This first bulletin should give you an overview about the upcoming event and to help you to plan your trip to Knokke-Heist, a great city at the Belgium coast.

**Free WiFi available on Lakeside Paradise**

## General information

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| <b>Organizer:</b>                    | IWWF and Lakeside Paradise<br><a href="mailto:info@cablewakeboard.net">info@cablewakeboard.net</a><br><a href="http://www.cablewakeboard.net">www.cablewakeboard.net</a>   |
| <b>Contact (local):</b>              | <a href="mailto:arno@lakesideparadise.be">arno@lakesideparadise.be</a><br>+3250 60 60 35<br><a href="http://www.lakesideparadise.be">www.lakesideparadise.be</a>   |
| <b>Cable park location:</b>          | Duinenwater 41, 8300, Knokke-Heist, Belgium<br><a href="https://www.lakesideparadise.be/info/ligging/">https://www.lakesideparadise.be/info/ligging/</a><br><a href="https://www.facebook.com/lakesideparadise/">https://www.facebook.com/lakesideparadise/</a><br><a href="https://www.instagram.com/lakeside_paradise/">https://www.instagram.com/lakeside_paradise/</a>   |
| <b>Competition type:</b>             | IWWF 4-stars International Competition<br>Part of CWWC World Ranking awarded 600 pts.<br>Freeride format, Qualification, LCQ, Semi Finales, Finales.<br>2 runs / heat.   |
| <b>Riding during public hours</b>    | On Tuesday and Wednesday there is a possibility to train (opening hours will be communicated in 2 <sup>nd</sup> bulletin / socials!).<br>Riders that pay before 01/02 get free entrance.<br>For all registered (after 01/02) riders there is a special price of 40 euro for each day.  |
| <b>Official training:</b>            | 03/04/2025 10h until 19h   |
| <b>Competition date:</b>             | 04/004 – 06/04/2025  |
| <b>Disciplines &amp; categories:</b> | Wakeboard Men & Women: Juniors, Open, Masters<br>Wakeskate Open Men & Women, Juniors<br>Seated   |
| <b>Rules:</b>                        | The competition will be carried out according to the rules of IWWF Cable Wakeboard World Council.<br><br>Please note that you have to wear a suitable helmet and a vest during the competition.<br>There will be one pick up in the first run for WAKESKATE.<br><b>Boardwax is not allowed.</b> All features are made by Unit-parketech and in good condition.<br>You will find full copy here:<br><a href="https://www.cablewakeboard.net/wp-content/uploads/2019/05/IWWF_CWWC_Rules_2019-12th-April-2019-optimized.pdf">https://www.cablewakeboard.net/wp-content/uploads/2019/05/IWWF_CWWC_Rules_2019-12th-April-2019-optimized.pdf</a> |

- Prizes/Ranking:** 600 point for world ranking  
Money for open and masters; gifts for juniors
- Equipment storage:** There will be a locked facility at Lakeside Paradise, where you can store your board and equipment overnight.  
No liability will be accepted by the event organizers for any damage or loss of property.
- Registration details:** The competition is registered as a part of CWWC World Rankings.
- Riders must have IWWF license from their National federations. Riders register via IWWF website on the competition home page.
- Local Registration at Lakeside Paradise is on Thursday 04 April 2025 at 10:00 – 18:00
- For early local registration please contact us:  
[arno@lakesideparadise.be](mailto:arno@lakesideparadise.be)
- Please update your iwwf profile, we order competition shirts based on your profile.
- Entry fee:** 100€ per rider and category. Entry fee for second discipline is 60€.
- Early Brid: Pay before 01/02 and get 12 hours free training.**  
**→ send an email to [arno@lakesideparadise.be](mailto:arno@lakesideparadise.be) to confirm.**
- The entry fee must be paid latest 10 days prior to the competition, else the participant has to pay a delay fee of additional 50.00 €**
- Entry fee can be paid by wire transfer before 24/03/25 on account:
- NAME: Lakeside Paradise  
IBAN: BE13 0016 6520 2939  
SWIFT/BIC: GEBABEBB  
**with title: CWC, name of rider, nationality**  
**Please email the copy of transfer made to [arno@lakesideparadise.be](mailto:arno@lakesideparadise.be)**
- Entry fee includes:** 1 diner BBQ  
Official competition t-shirt  
Entry Saturday party

## Accommodation options

**Camping:**

**Boudewijn Hotel**

**Ibis Hotel:**

**Free WiFi available at Lakeside Paradise**

**For accommodation, please contact us in advance for reservation.**

**The capacity of offered hotels may be limited.**

**For any other options of accommodation contact us at [arno@lakesideparadise.be](mailto:arno@lakesideparadise.be)**

# Transport options

## By Plane

Nearest airports:

Oostende-Brugge (OST) – 45 minutes drive by car to the cable park. When arrived in Oostende you can take the train to Knokke. From the train station to the cable park it is 10 minutes walking.

Brussels Zaventem (BRU) – 1h 20 minutes drive by car to the cable park. When arrived in Zaventem you can also take the train at the airport to Knokke. From the train station to the cable park it is 10 minutes walking

Brussels Charleroi (CRL) – 2h drive by car to the cable park. When arrived at the airport you can also take the train. The train station is 10 minutes by bus from the airport.

## By Train

If you come by train you take the train to Knokke station. When arrived in Knokke it is a 10 minutes walk to the cable park. We can provide a shuttle service to the cable park for 5 euro.

There are also a various amount of trains that arrive in Brussels from all over Europe. All information and possibilities via NMBS:

<https://www.b-europe.com/NL>

## By Car

Via Brussel / Ghent you take the E40 to Bruges. There you take the A11 to Knokke. If you come via Antwerp take the E43 to Knokke.

## Schedule

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|------------------------------------|---|
| Monday 31 <sup>st</sup> of March   | Public riding (opening hours will be communicated)    |
| Thursday 1 <sup>st</sup> of April  | Public riding (opening hours will be communicated)    |
| Wednesday 2 <sup>nd</sup> of April | Public riding (opening hours will be communicated)    |
| Thursday 3 <sup>th</sup> of April  | Official Training ( the day will be divided in slots) |
| Friday 4 <sup>th</sup> of April    | Competition day 1                                     |
| Saturday 5 <sup>th</sup> of April  | Competition day 2                                     |
| Sunday 6 <sup>th</sup> of April    | Competition day 3                                     |

Riders training times may be adjusted based on the number of present riders.  
Riders trainings are reserved for registered riders only and are provided free of charge.  
Final schedule will be provided one week before the competition.  
There will be boat pick-ups during event & Training but **ONLY FOR SEATED CATEGORY!**

## Cableway information

|                     |                       |
|---------------------|-----------------------|
| Type:               | Alta... built in 2012 |
| Overall length:     | 720m                  |
| Carriers:           | 8                     |
| Pylons:             | 5                     |
| Height of cable:    | 10,5m                 |
| Length of tow rope: | 18m                   |
| Features:           | 21                    |

COMPETITION SET-UP WILL BE COMUNICATED THROUGH  
SOCIALS.

MAKE SURE TO CHECK @LAKESIDEPARADISE INSTAGRAM!

## Useful information

Belgium is a member of the European Union, Schengen agreement and Eurozone.

For other Schengen agreement member countries, the entry does not require any specific permit.

A valid EU personal ID or Passport are sufficient for travel to Belgium.

Some countries outside the European Union may be subject to visa requirements. For more information please consult the information provided by Ministry of Foreign Affairs:

<https://diplomatie.belgium.be/nl>

The currency in Belgium is EURO.

Official language in Belgium are Dutch and French, English is spoken commonly for tourism.

For driving, there is zero tolerance for alcohol. Speed limits are 50 km/h in town, 70 km/h outside the town and 120 km/h on the highway.

Minimum drinking age is 18.

In case of emergency call 112.

Time zone in Belgium is Central European Time (UTC+1).

Main electricity voltage is 230V. Socket is standard Euro plug.

Weather during the competition is expected to be cold with temperatures at or around 10-15 degrees. Water temperature is expected to be around 7 degrees.

## Safety

All riders must wear an approved life vest and a helmet in the course at all times. All participants ride at their own risk.

Following is the Declaration, Waiver and Release form that is required for each rider. Riders younger than 18 years are required to provide the Declaration of Parent / Guardian



# Declaration, Waiver and Release Form

For, and in consideration of, the International Waterski & Wakeboard Federation (the IWWF) accepting my application, and permitting me, to :

participate and compete in the International registered cable wakeboard event (the International event), I, the undersigned, for and on behalf of myself, my heirs, executors and administrators, do hereby irrevocably and unconditionally warrant, represent and undertake to the IWWF as follows

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

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

I am in good physical and mental health and I am physically capable of competing and participating, and fully competent to participate and compete, as a competitor in the International event 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 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 International event (or any part thereof) and hereby indemnify, and shall keep fully and effectively indemnified, the IWWF (including all officers, employees and 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 International event (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 (including its lawful successors and assigns) the sole and exclusive right and license, 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 or property in my performances, in any media whatsoever, for any purposes whatsoever relating to, and/or in connection with,

the IWWF and/or the International event (or any part thereof) and I shall do all such things (including, without limitation, the execution of appropriate legal documentation) as the IWWF 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 reserves the right, at its sole and absolute discretion, to disqualify me from participation and/or competition in the International event (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 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.

I hereby release, hold harmless, protect, indemnify and forever discharge the IWWF (including its officers, employees and representatives), the International event and all commercial partners thereof, from and against any and all claims, demands, liabilities, costs and expenses of any nature whatsoever, whether direct or consequential, suffered and/or incurred by the IWWF (including its officers, employees and representatives), the International event 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 International event (or any part thereof).

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 and that I have had the opportunity to discuss the same with my parent / guardian and that I agree to be bound by the said terms and conditions of the above agreement with the IWWF.

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## Declaration of Parent / Guardian

(Applicable only if the Competitor is, on the date of signing the Declaration, Waiver and Release Form, under the age of 18 years)

I, the undersigned, am the parent / guardian\*  
of (the Competitor) and I do hereby irrevocably and unconditionally:

1. warrant, represent and undertake to the IWWF that I have read and fully understood the terms and conditions of the Declaration, Waiver and Release Form and have discussed with, and explained such terms and conditions to, the Competitor and I agree to, and will cause the Competitor to fully abide by, and comply with, all of the terms and conditions of the Declaration, Waiver and Release Form; and
2. covenant with, and undertake to, the IWWF not to take, nor permit to be taken, any action(s) nor omit to do anything that would assist or cause the Competitor to invalidate, renounce, negate, revoke or disclaim any part of the Declaration, Waiver and Release Form, and
3. warrant, represent and undertake to the IWWF that by signing the Declaration, Waiver and Release Form, neither the Competitor and/or myself is/are in breach of any other arrangement(s) (whether contractual or otherwise) with any third party, and
4. agree to be liable for, and will indemnify the IWWF (including its officers, employees and representatives), the International event and all commercial partners thereof from and against, any and all claims, demands, liability, loss, damages, costs, and expenses of any nature whatsoever, whether direct or consequential, suffered and/or incurred by the IWWF, the International event and all commercial partners thereof, whether direct or consequential, any arising from, and/or in connection with:

(a) any breach of any of the warranties, representations and/or undertakings given by the Competitor in the Declaration, Waiver and Release Form; and/or

(b) the Competitor's participation and/or competition in the International event (or any part thereof).

Signature

Name of Parent / Guardian\*: Date:

Signed in the presence of: Witness:

Name:

Address:

Occupation:

\* Delete as appropriate