



# **IV IWWF 2019 Latin American Wakeboard & Wakeskate Championships**

**October 02 - 06, 2019**

**Eco Resort Refúgio Cheiro de Mato  
Mairiporã, São Paulo, Brazil**

## **Bulletin 1**

The CBEAW - Brazilian Water Ski & Wakeboard Confederation and the COLAEN - Latin American Waterski Confederation are pleased to invite all the federations and their federated members to the **IV IWWF Latin American Wakeboard & Wakeskate Championships** to be held in São Paulo from 02 to 06 of October 2019 at the Eco Resort Refugio Cheiro de Mato in Mariporã, São Paulo, that will be carried out under the supervision and rules of the IWWF.

### **1. LOCATION / PLACE OF COMPETITION**

Eco Resort Refugio Cheiro de Mato - Mairiporã - São Paulo.

Located at the Mairiporã artificial dam 40 km away from São Paulo and 50 km away from São Paulo International Airport (GRU)

**AIRPORT** - Athletes should make travel arrangements to arrive at the São Paulo International Airport (GRU) in Guarulhos, São Paulo.

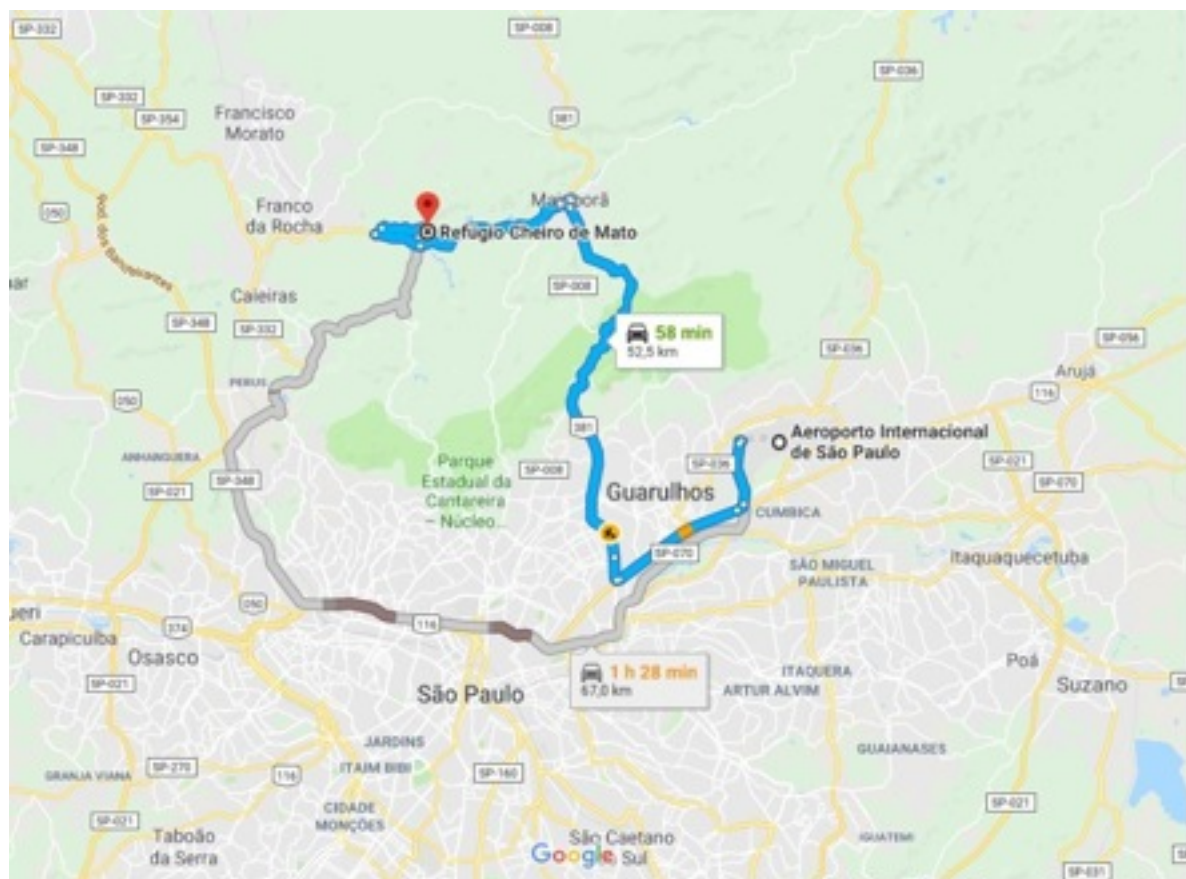
Teams must organize the transport to the hotel/ competition site. As reference, an “Uber” travel costs around Usd 25/30,00 and takes 40/50 minutes in regular traffic hours.

**RENT-A-CAR** - Alternatively, participants may choose to use any of the major rent-a-car companies that are available in São Paulo International Airport.

**TRANSFER HOTEL-SITE-HOTEL** - Not necessary, the event will take place inside the hotel.

## 2. MAP

São Paulo International Airport x Eco Resort Refúgio Cheiro de Mato, distance 53km



## 3. WEATHER



In Mairiporã, the month of October is characterized by an average high temperature of 26°C and an average low temperature of 16°C. The climate is moderate and all riders will enjoy the very little probability of rain.

#### 4. CURRENCY

The Brazilian local currency is REAL (BRL).  
On April 09, 2019 the exchange rate for USD 1,00 is BRL 3,90  
Visa, American Express and MasterCard are accepted almost everywhere

#### 5. VISAS

The participants in the 2019 Latin American Championships coming from countries that require VISA to visit Brazil, will be able to have an invitation letter issued by the Brazilian Confederation attesting that they will be attending the event. It is important to mention that the VISA must be obtained in the Embassy or Brazilian Consulate BEFORE the departure from the country of residence, so we suggest you to carry out the process with anticipation.

Check list of countries with VISA requirements here :  
<http://www.portalconsular.itamaraty.gov.br/vistos-para-viajar-ao-brasil>

#### 6. ORGANIZER

**ABW - Brazilian Wakeboard Association**

[www.abw.com.br](http://www.abw.com.br)

[contato@abw.com.br](mailto:contato@abw.com.br)

On behalf of : CBEAW - Brazilian Waterski and Wakeboard Confederation

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## 7. INTENT TO PARTICIPATE - IMPORTANT

The federations must send a letter of “Intent to participate”, to Daniel Garcia at the e-mail [garciawake.com@gmail.com](mailto:garciawake.com@gmail.com) before August 2, 2019.

A model/example of this letter can be found at the end of this bulletin.

## 8. REGISTRATION

Registration for the event will cost USD 200,00 per participant and will have to be paid at the site BEFORE the event starts on October 03, 2019.

The final RIDER´S LIST who will participate must be sent **NO LATER** than **September 18, 2019**.

For the late submission of the registration (rider´s list) a penalty fee of USD 10,00 per day per rider will be applied.

## 9. TRAINING

There will be an unofficial familiarization on October 02 after 13:00 at a cost of USD 30,00 per rider (~10 minutes) and must be paid in cash before the start of the training. The time of this training must be scheduled by e-mail with Daniel Garcia ([garciawake.com@gmail.com](mailto:garciawake.com@gmail.com))

**OFFICIAL TRAINING** - October 03 - According to the 2019 rule book, chapter 3.7 Time slots for official training must be requested by email to Daniel Garcia ([garciawake.com@gmail.com](mailto:garciawake.com@gmail.com)). Time slots will be given on a first asked, first served basis. The cost will be USD 40,00 per rider. Only one time slot will be available per rider, at a time that is suitable to them. Time slots are of 10 minutes, which mean 2 full passes on the course or 3 falls, whichever occurs first. Training should be paid in cash before the start, directly to the organization.

## 10. OFFICIAL TOWBOAT



To be determined.

## 11. TENTATIVE EVENT PROGRAM

Wednesday October 02, 2019	Arrival of Delegations (suggested) Judges Meeting Team Captains Meeting
Thursday October 03, 2019	Official training Opening Ceremony
Friday October 04, 2019	First day of competition (Qualification rounds and LCQs)
Saturday October 05, 2019	Second day of competition (Semi-Finals and Finals) Medals Ceremony Dinner, Party
Sunday October 06, 2019	Hotel daily ends at 14:00 Departure of Delegations

(\*) A more detailed program will be released after the Intention to Enter deadline.

## 12. JUDGES

To be selected among the Panam panel of certified judges, according to the IWWF rules.

Organization will provide accommodation and food for the judges.

A percentage of the registration fee will be used to assist technical officials on their travel costs.

### 13. ACCOMMODATION

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www.refugiocheirodemato.com.br





Room Type	Room Price/Day (REAL - BRL)	Room Price/Day (USD*) (09/04/19)
Single	R\$ 650,00	(*) USD \$ 166,00
Double (+ 1 chld 10y)	R\$ 968,00	(*) USD \$ 248,00
Triple (+ 1 chld 10y)	R\$ 1.230,00	(*) USD \$ 315,00

Rate includes 4 meals : Breakfast, Lunch, Afternoon Snack and Dinner

Check in : 16:00 (Includes Dinner)

Check out : 14:00 (Includes Lunch)

Prices for non guests :

Day use : BRL 320,00 / USD 82,00

Meals : BRL 160,00 / USD 41,00

(\*) Prices are settled in Real. USD prices may vary according to currency fluctuation

Reservations :

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Address : Estrada Armando Barbosa de Almeida, 8000 Mairiporã - São Paulo  
07600-000

**IMPORTANT** : Special prices for the participants of the IV IWWF Latin American Wakeboard Championships. At the time of booking, please inform that you are part of the Wakeboard event and ask for the special prices.

## 14. ENTRY REQUIREMENTS AND TEAM NOMINATIONS

It is the sole responsibility of IWWF-affiliated National Federations to select and enter their riders. No individual entries will be accepted. Federation entries only. Each Federation may select its team in any manner it desires. However, each team member must be a citizen or applying for citizenship of the country that the Federation represents. In case of doubt as to the nationality of a competitor, the Chief Judge and Chief Calculator normally will refer to his/her passport.

If a rider does not have a passport from the country he/she is representing, he/she must prove residence in the country for at least five years and membership in an affiliated club of the Federation. Each Federation shall certify that all members of its team meet these qualifications.

Prior to competing, a competitor must sign a participation contract and understand the nature of the sport and its special risks, particularly in the format. It is the responsibility of the competitor to register with the designated registration person and show proof of Federation membership before riding. Competitors must disclose to the event organizer any special medical conditions, including but not limited to, injuries in the past or present or other pre-existing medical conditions.

### TEAM SCORING:

Please read points 2.7.6, 3.8 and 3.9 on the 2019 World Rulebook.

## 15. LIABILITY

The organizer Committee and Colaen will not be liable for any loss or damage to equipment or personal property, and injuries to athletes, officials, judges, official volunteers, and other persons attending official or unofficial programmers during the event.

Athletes are required to purchase and show proof of personal accident insurance prior to entry.

The insurance policy must provide coverage internationally. The organizer will not be responsible for any injury sustained, at any time, by any athlete from his participation in these events.

The costs incurred for medical treatment and hospitalization in private hospitals in Brazil are high. Adequate personal medical insurance coverage is necessary.

Certificate of medical insurance coverage/full payment is required before medical treatment/hospitalization takes place.



All riders have to sign a liability form, and riders under 18 need their parents to sign as well. Each Team Captain has to give Liability forms of all his athletes at the Registration.

## 16. DOPING CONTROL

In accordance with the IWWF Anti-Doping Rules, doping controls may be conducted during the competition. By entering this competition, all athletes agree to be subject to doping control. Information about the IWWF Anti-Doping program, the current IWWF AD Rules and links to the list of banned substances can be accessed on the following link :

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

All riders must have their passports with them at any time during the competition. Please note, if you are randomly chosen for drug testing, and fail to identify yourself with your passport, or fail to take the test for any other reason, it will result with an immediate disqualification.

## 17. CATEGORIES 2019

### **U14 - 14 and Under (Boys)**

14 years old and under - if you are 14 years or under on December 31st in the current year the event is held

### **U14 - 14 and Under (Girls)**

14 years old and under - if you are 14 years or under on December 31st in the current year the event is held

### **U18 - 18 years and Under (Junior Men)**

18 years and under - if you are 18 years or under on December 31st in the current year the event is held

### **U18 - 18 years and Under (Junior Women)**

18 years and under - if you are 18 years or under on December 31st in the current year the event is held

### **O30 - 30 Years and Over (Master Men)**

30 years or older on December 31st in the current year the event is held

### **O30 - 30 Years and Over (Master Women)**



30 years or older on December 31st in the current year the event is held

**O40 - 40 Years and Over (Veteran Men)**

40 years or older on December 31st in the current year the event is held

**O40 - 40 Years and Over (Veteran Women)**

40 years or older on December 31st in the current year the event is held

**Open Division (Open Men)**

No age restriction

**Open Division (Open Women)**

No age restriction

**Wakeskate Open Men Division**

No age restriction

**Wakeskate Open Women Division**

No age restriction

## 18. RULES

According to the IWWF Wakeboard Boat Rules 2019.

PLEASE READ IT CAREFULLY :

<http://iwwf.sport/wp-content/uploads/2019/03/IWWFWakeboardBoatRules2019.pdf>

We hope to see you all in São Paulo.

ABW - Brazilian Wakeboard Association



CBEAW - Brazilian Water Ski & Wakeboard Confederation



### INTENTION TO ENTER

The \_\_\_\_\_ FEDERATION will attend the IV IWWF 2019 LATIN AMERICAN Wakeboard & Wakeskate Championships in São Paulo.

We expect our team to consist of:

U14 Boys \_\_\_\_\_ U18 Jr. Men \_\_\_\_\_

U14 Girls \_\_\_\_\_ U18 Jr. Women \_\_\_\_\_

Open Men \_\_\_\_\_ O30 Men \_\_\_\_\_

Open Women \_\_\_\_\_ O30 Women \_\_\_\_\_

O40 Men \_\_\_\_\_ O40 Women \_\_\_\_\_

Wakesk8 Open Men \_\_\_\_\_ Wakesk8 Open Ladies \_\_\_\_\_

Please note to open a division, a number of 3 countries represented are required.

Team Captain \_\_\_\_\_ Team Manager/Coach \_\_\_\_\_

For further information please contact \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_ Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Please return this form no later than August 2th 2019 to

[garciawake.com@gmail.com](mailto:garciawake.com@gmail.com)

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