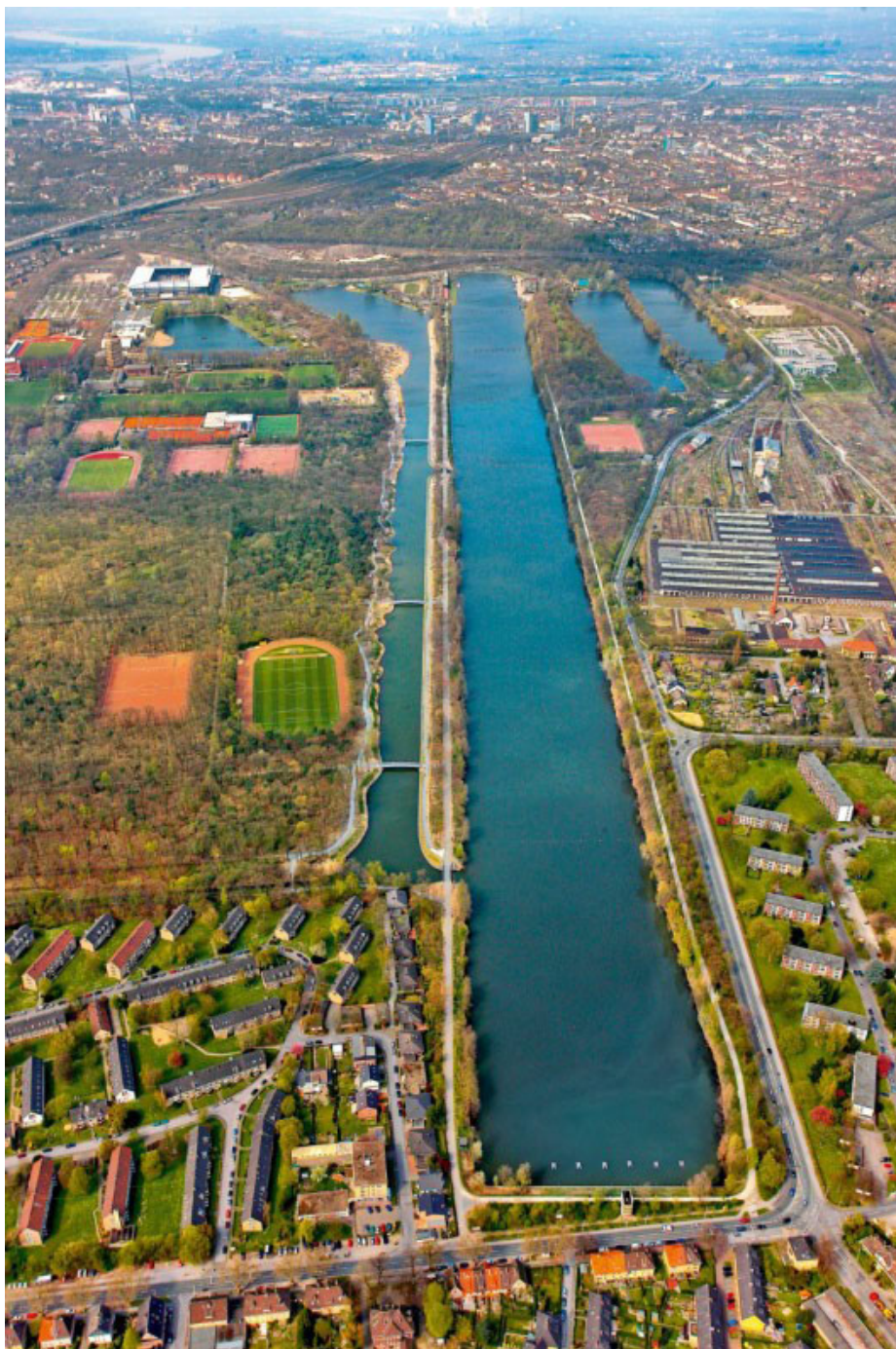




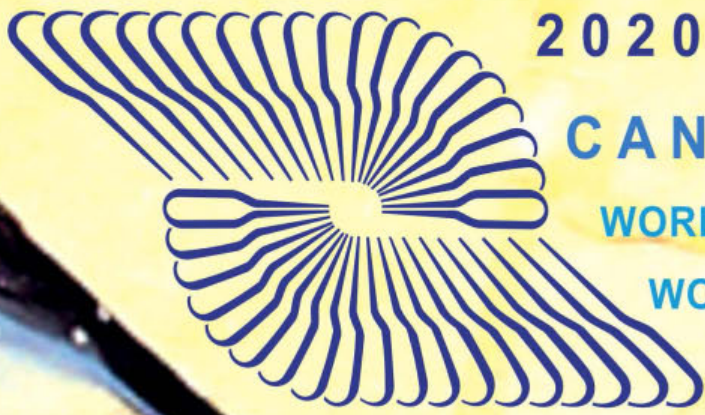
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2020 ICF CANOE SPRINT WORLD CUP & PARACANOE WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS,  
DUISBURG May 21<sup>st</sup> to May 24<sup>th</sup>

Dear friends of canoeing,

Deutscher Kanu Verband would like to invite you cordially to the

**2020 ICF CANOE SPRINT WORLD CUP  
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DUISBURG May 21<sup>st</sup> to May 24<sup>th</sup>**

taking place at the regatta course in Duisburg.

It would give us great pleasure if your nation's paracanoe and canoe sprint  
team would take part in this event.

Please find enclosed registration documents from Kanu-Regatta-Verein  
Duisburg e.V. and direct your entries to the address given in the bulletin.

Looking forward to seeing you in Duisburg

Yours sincerely  
DEUTSCHER KANU-VERBAND E.V.



Thomas Konietzko  
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We were delighted to have received a lot of praise and suggestions but also some criticism with reference to past World Cup events or even World Championships. As a result we regard introduction of further improvements as our task and obligation.

We are aware that athletes as well as all other participants and guests expect an outstanding organization and perfect competition conditions from us.

We gladly accept this challenge. But above all we are looking forward to the meeting of the canoe family on the Wedau Course in Germany's largest sports park. Together with the German Canoe Federation, the city of Duisburg, our many volunteers and the team of the Duisburg Kanu-Regatta-Verein, we will also invite you to experience our hospitality during the 2020 ICF Paracanoe World Championships, Canoe Sprint World Cup & Olympic Qualifier from May 21<sup>st</sup> to May 24<sup>th</sup>.

What we have learned in 40 years as a regatta location of international importance: We cannot meet the high expectations on our own. Only the cooperation with the ICF and yourself, representing an international federation, will prepare the center stage for athletes during the four days of competition. Nothing less is our goal: We want athletes to be able to show their best.

This first bulletin informs you about the status of the preparations, which we started right after 2019 ICF Canoe Sprint World Cup in Duisburg. It also contains all the information currently available to make your preparations for Duisburg as easy as possible. Detailed questions, which we cannot answer yet, will be answer now, will be answered with the following bulletins.

We are very much looking forward to the usual good cooperation and to your support. Please help us by submitting all necessary information within the respective time frames. Your support will enable us to provide the settings for your athletes to achieve the best possible results.

If you have any questions after reading the Bulletin, please do not hesitate to contact us.

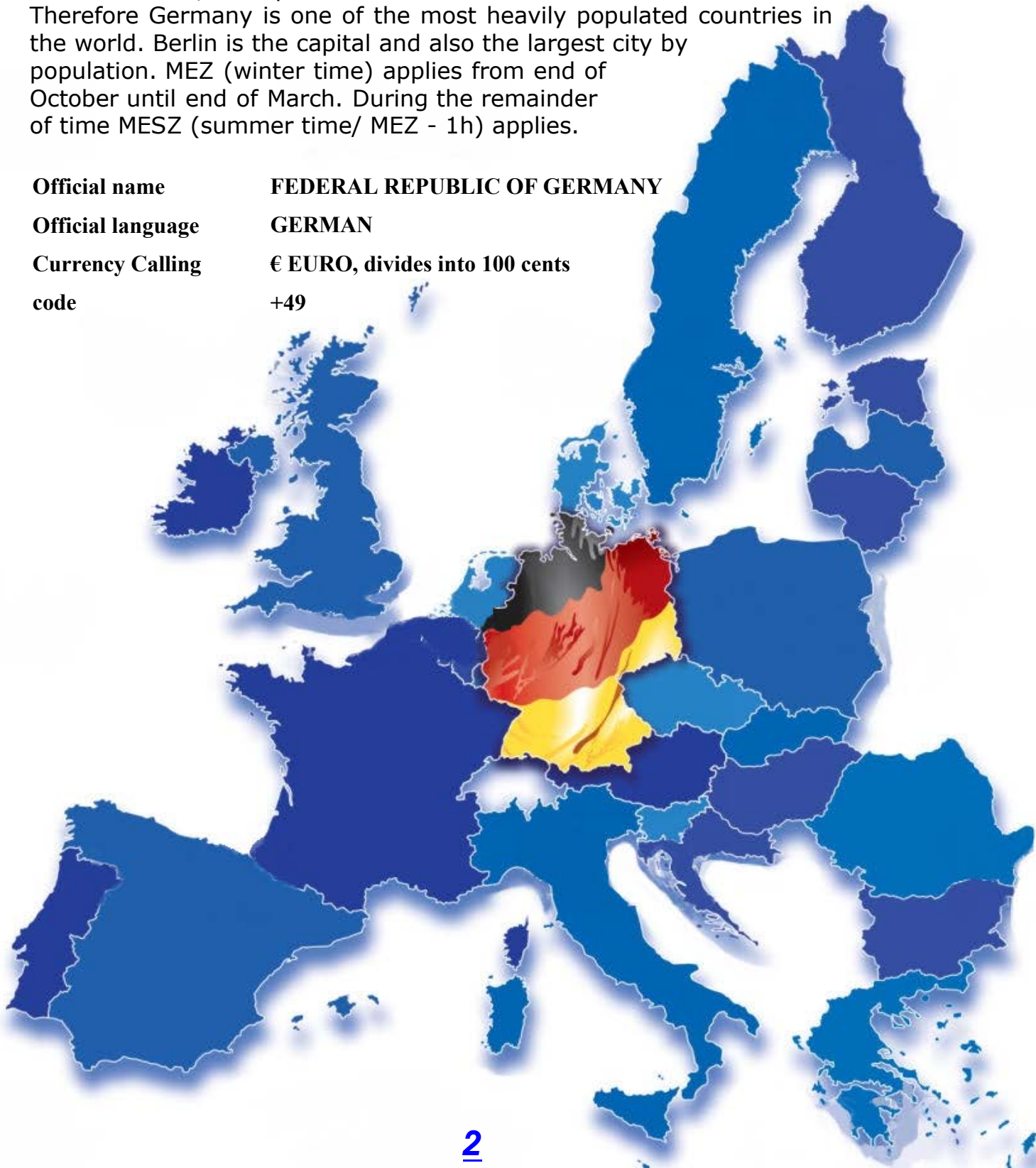
Duisburg looks forward to hearing from you.

## GENERAL INFORMATION OF GERMANY

Germany is a western European country, stretching from the beaches of the North Sea and Baltic Sea to the Alps on the southern border. Since reunification in 1990 Germany has approx. 82.5 M inhabitants and covers an area of 357,386 square km.

Therefore Germany is one of the most heavily populated countries in the world. Berlin is the capital and also the largest city by population. MEZ (winter time) applies from end of October until end of March. During the remainder of time MESZ (summer time/ MEZ - 1h) applies.

<b>Official name</b>	<b>FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF GERMANY</b>
<b>Official language</b>	<b>GERMAN</b>
<b>Currency Calling code</b>	<b>€ EURO, divides into 100 cents</b>
<b>code</b>	<b>+49</b>



## GENERAL INFORMATION OF DUISBURG

Status: Major centre on the Lower Rhine

Population: 502,000; Area: 232.82 square kilometres

Sports clubs: 500; Membership: 110,000

Attractions: Inner Harbour district, Zoo, Landschaftspark North, museums, opera house, City-Palais centre with casino, Forum shopping centre

Duisburg is situated at the heart of the Rhine-Ruhr region, the third-largest conurbation in Europe, optimal road, rail, water and air connections make Duisburg the ideal place for business, sport and culture. The city at the confluence of the Rhine and the Ruhr is Europe's leading steel location and "duisport" is the continent's largest inland port.

A cosmopolitan trading city and port, Duisburg is simply full of life with its Inner Harbour district (an attractive waterside leisure area) and its regenerated city centre which boasts the *Forum* shopping centre and the *City-Palais*, a shopping centre, casino and many more attractions. Some 12,000 young people from Germany and beyond study on the Duisburg Campus.

The city has also become home to many immigrants and is proud of its partnering links with China, France, Great Britain, Honduras, Lithuania, Russia, Togo and Turkey. Numerous festivals, concerts and exhibitions with top-class artistes fill the cultural events calendar all year round.

As the host of the 1989 Universiade, the World Games 2005, the 1983 Rowing World Championships and the 1979, 1987, 1995, 2007, 2013 World Championship in Canoe Sprint and the 2016 Paracanoe World Championships, the city has internationally acknowledged experience and its Sportpark Duisburg is an event Centre renown worldwide.

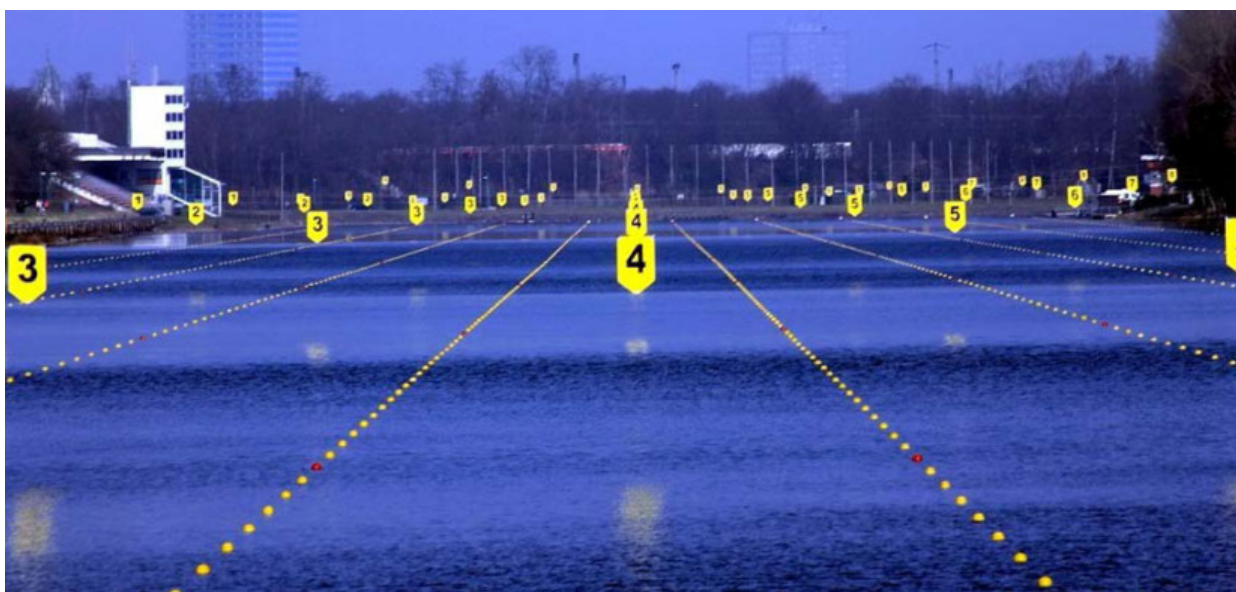


## COURSE

### Description of competition venue and sports infrastructure

Regatta course Duisburg is located at the heart of *Sportpark* Duisburg, within 3 km from the City Centre, embedded within the Neudorf and Wedau area. Besides the regatta course, the *Sportpark* Duisburg comprises the football stadium "MSV-Arena", an athletics stadium, an indoor pool, the centre of excellence of the West German Football Association, a large provision of accommodation, a cantina, two sports halls, the home of Hockey and Tennis club "Raffelberg" with a number of hockey and tennis courts. It also provides football pitches for two more sports clubs, club houses for 3 swimming clubs with separate pools, club facilities of two canoe clubs, the club house of Duisburg Rowing club, a waterski complex and a rope course.

The regatta course is 2250 metres long with a width of between 125 to 135 metres. The general direction of the course is South to North. The course does provide a minimum water depth of 7 meters. Ballooning of the course follows the rules of the "Albano-System". A parallel canal of 30 metres width is provided to the West of the course with links into the main regatta course at 1100 metres and 1800 metres.



The regatta building with 6 boat storage halls, changing rooms, gymnastics hall and toilet facilities is situated on the eastern bank in the finish area. Additionally there are 2 large boat ports for boat storage.

The Federal and State centre of excellence for canoeing is adjacent to this building. This provides accommodation, meeting room, sanitation, 5 additional boat storage halls, workshop and the office of the regatta course manager.

# REGATTABAHN DUISBURG

Next in row is a pavilion which is used as a service point where drinks and snacks are available. It is also base for the 44 sqm video wall which allows spectators to watch race action and results. The open space between the pavilion and the rescue station with the motor boat marina can be used for additional grandstands. In front of these buildings are extensive pontoons allowing to launch canoes and bring them ashore.

We have always invested in modernizing the venue Regatta Course to be fit for the future and to meet the demands of a modern venue. From August 2016 the buildings at the east side of the course were redeveloped, renovated and extended at costs of about 8,7 million €. Significance was given to energy efficiency in order to contribute to climate change targets by reducing the output of carbon dioxide as well as barrier free access. Hereby we especially would like to offer a future proof venue for para canoeists meeting their demands (e.g. having additional changing rooms, showers and an elevator on the outside).



The western bank of the course accommodates the regatta house with the finish tower and the main grandstand. The regatta house also provides office space for regatta organisers. The front of this building is the location for victory ceremonies. The open space next to the regatta house gives sufficient space for a marquee accommodating weight scales for boats. There is also sufficient space for information stalls for VIPs, guests of honour and visitors. The rear of the building with its triangular green, surrounded by a tarmacated track, is the ideal location for a large catering marquee, additional boat storage and boat service, for the TV facility, for a press and media centre and other structures.

The entire regatta course is surrounded by large trees and is therefore protected from winds. The course can be used even in bad weather conditions and offers almost equal chances on all 9 tracks.



## WEATHER

The average temperature in May/June is 19.8 C. The frequency of storms in this month according to German environment agency is about 5%. This site is not prone to adverse weather conditions during the proposed dates.

Wind conditions are favourable in the summer months specifically, and in general, are not a concern as the venue is surrounded by trees and is not a lake system that is susceptible to wind effects. Main wind direction in June is West/Southwest with a speed of 8.6 to max. 30.1 km/h.

Temperature	May/June
Daily Average (C)	19,8
Daily Maximum (C)	26,1
Daily Minimum (C)	11,5

Water temperature	May/June
Daily Average (C)	18,6



# DUISBURG METEOROLOGICAL HISTORY

Date	2014						2015						2016								
	SUNSHINE DURATION	WIND	Temperature			PRECIPITATION	HUMIDITY	SUNSHINE DURATION	WIND	Temperature			PRECIPITATION	HUMIDITY	SUNSHINE DURATION	WIND	Temperature			PRECIPITATION	HUMIDITY
			low	high	avg					low	high	avg					low	high	avg		
	hour	m/s	°C			mm	%	hour	m/s	°C			mm	%	hour	m/s	°C			mm	%
15. 05.	0,8	7,6	1,3	12,7	8,3	0,0	79,3	1,1	10,6	6,9	15,8	12,5	6,2	83,5	3,4	13,5	5,0	13,3	8,8	0,5	62,8
16. 05.	12,0	8,3	3,4	18,2	11,7	0,0	69,6	0,0	7,2	9,5	17,6	12,7	20,2	89,4	2,5	7,9	6,1	13,4	9,6	0,0	64,9
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18. 05.	12,3	4,8	5,2	22,9	14,7	0,0	67,5	3,3	6,7	8,2	15,5	10,8	0,0	81,5	1,1	12,7	11,5	19,6	14,8	0,9	65,7
19. 05.	14,0	9,3	8,0	25,5	18,2	0,0	58,5	13,6	10,2	7,1	21,0	13,7	0,4	75,4	5,5	7,2	8,4	18,8	13,5	0,0	71,3
20. 05.	6,7	9,7	14,2	27,5	21,0	0,0	51,8	0,0	6,1	10,7	14,8	12,3	3,6	84,6	1,3	11,3	9,1	19,0	14,1	0,0	74,0
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15. 06.	5,8	8,9	12,0	21,0	16,2	0,0	66,7	8,4	15,7	11,9	20,6	16,1	0,0	62,6	2,0	12,7	11,2	18,6	14,7	8,7	85,1



# DUISBURG METEOROLOGICAL HISTORY

Date	2017							2018							2019						
	SUNSHINE DURATION	WIND	Temperature			PRECIPITATION	HUMIDITY	SUNSHINE DURATION	WIND	Temperature			PRECIPITATION	HUMIDITY	SUNSHINE DURATION	WIND	Temperature			PRECIPITATION	HUMIDITY
			low	high	avg					low	high	avg					low	high	avg		
	hour	m/s	°C			mm	%	hour	m/s	°C			mm	%	hour	m/s	°C			mm	%
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20. 05.	8,6	10,3	4,5	15,6	10,9	0,2	65,3	13,0	12,3	5,1	25,1	16,5	0,0	62,9	8,9	9,9	7,8	18,2	13,1	0,0	64,6
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26. 05.	1,6	9,7	9,0	15,6	11,7	0,0	64,5	13,2	8,2	13,7	29,2	22,3	0,0	62,0	15,0	9,3	10,2	27,4	19,9	0,0	58,1
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## AIRPORT, RAIL AND ROADS TO THE VENUE/CITY

### Airport

Duesseldorf International (DUS), Germany's third largest airport is approx. 25 minutes away and provides good quality links to international air traffic and consequently to all major airports around the world.



### Train & Bus

"Duisburg Central" station is one of the largest railway stations in Germany. It is the most important passenger station serving the City and interchange between a number of major railway lines. It provides access to all Intercity Express, Intercity, Regional Express and regional lines and also to the Rhine-Ruhr S-train system. "Duisburg Central" is situated only 5 minutes away by car from the regatta track.

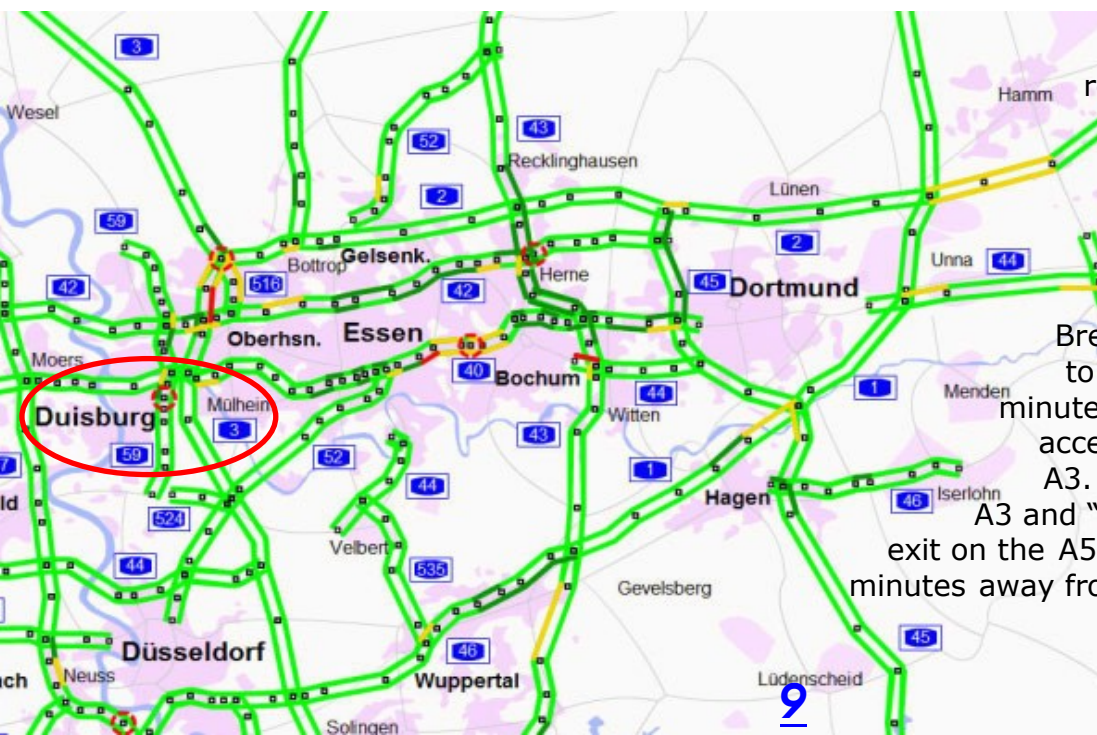
S-train station "Duisburg-Schlenk" is the station giving spectators from the region direct access. S-train line S1 provides a direct link to Duesseldorf am Rhein and major cities in the Rhein-Ruhr area (Muelheim, Essen, Gelsenkirchen, Bochum, Dortmund etc.).

Duisburg Central is also stop to a number of bus routes, connecting Duisburg with other German Cities and Eastern Europe.

### Motorways

Duisburg can be reached by motorway from all directions. Duisburg-Kaiserberg interchange at the crossing of A40 and A3 is only 5 minutes away.

Breitscheid interchange to the South is only 10 minutes away and provides access to A52, A556 and A3. "Wedau" exit on the A3 and "Sportpark Duisburg" exit on the A59 are situated only 2 minutes away from the regatta track.





## ORGANIZING COMMITTEE

**Head of the organisation**

Jürgen Joachim

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**Head of boaters**

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**Head of accommodation**

Jürgen Joachim





## PROGRAMME

**VENUE:** Regatta Course Duisburg,  
Kruppstraße 30 b, Germany

**DATE:** May 21<sup>st</sup> to May 24<sup>th</sup>

## PROVISIONAL LIST OF EVENTS

### ***Paracanoe***

WOMEN:

200m VL-1; VL-2; VL-3

200m KL-1; KL-2; KL-3

MEN:

200m VL-1; VL-2; VL-3

200m KL-1; KL-2; KL-3

### ***Olympic Qualifier***

WOMEN:

K1 200m; 500m

C1 200m

MEN:

K1 200m; 1000m

C1 1000m

### ***World Cup***

WOMEN:

K1 200m; 500m; 1000m; 5000m

K2 200m; 500m

K4 500m

C1 200m; 500m; 5000m

C2 200m; 500m

MEN:

K1 200m; 500m; 1000m; 5000m

K2 500m; 1000m

K4 500m

C1 500m; 1000m; 5000m

C2 500m; 1000m

MIXED:

K2 200m; C2 200m

## COMPETITION PROGRAMME

<b>May 15<sup>th</sup> - 20<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Access period starts Official training times</b> <i>(minimum 07:00 - 16:00)</i>
<b>May 17<sup>th</sup> - 19<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Classification Paracanoe</b>
<b>May 20<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Opening Ceremony</b> <b>Paracanoe World Championships</b>
<b>May 21<sup>st</sup> - 24<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Competition days</b>

### Preliminary competition schedule

***End of the competition on Sunday Evening***





## **DESCRIPTION OF COMPETITION VENUE AND SPORTS INFRASTRUCTURE**

### **Athletes Area Characteristics**

The athletes area is located to the East of the regatta course, comprising changing facilities with 6 boat storage halls, the Federal and State Centre of Excellence with 5 boat storage halls, the 2 new boat ports and the tea pavilion.

The whole complex stretches along the finish area for 150 m to one side of the finish line and 100m to the other. Therefore athletes have unrestricted view of the final stages of every race. This area is secured by fencing and surrounded by high trees. This area offers limited space creating the requirement to store boats outside the dedicated storage facilities. For this purpose marquees fitted with boat racks will be provided on the open spaces surrounding the buildings. Boat storage halls will be fitted with additional furniture and provide suitable seating on the key side to the front of the storage hall covered by canopies.

### **Services for Athletes**

Catering for athletes will be provided in the tea pavilion (60 seats at tables). The full extent of the services available at the venue will include:

- onsite hot and cold food and beverage
- changing and shower areas
- wireless internet for the athletes
- boat and paddle storage and repair

The area for merchants and vendors for athletes will be situated within a compound at the link canal to Lake Berta.

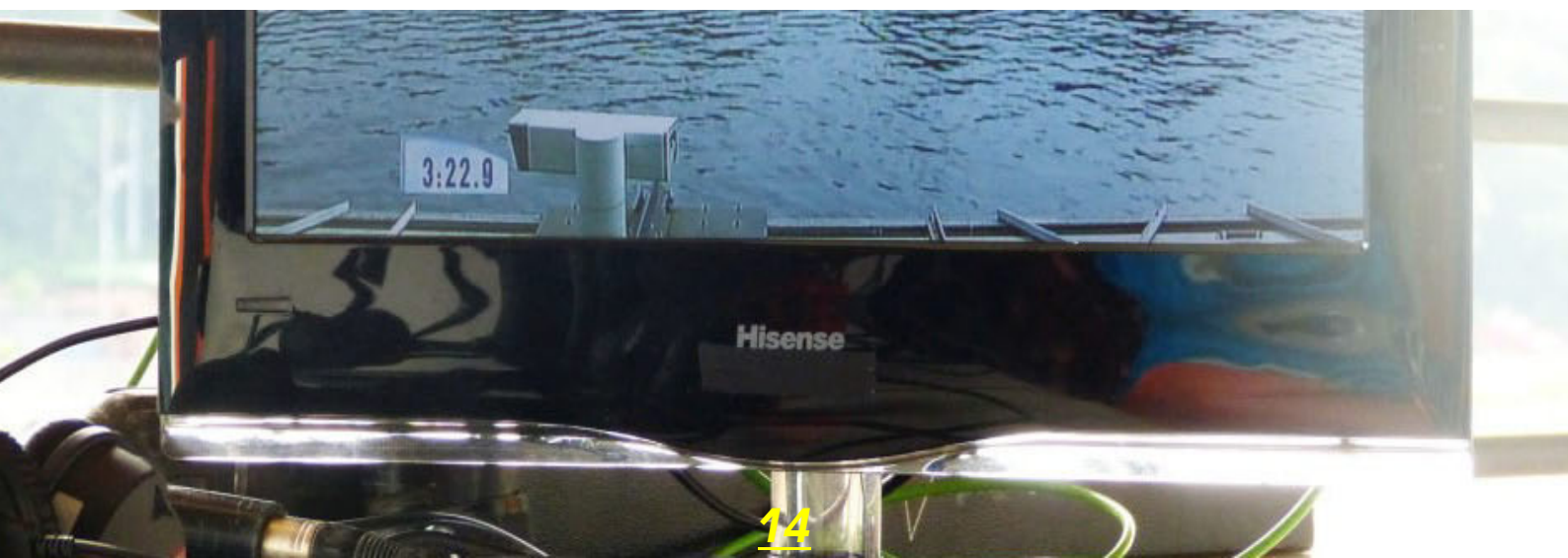
### **Technical Aspects of the Course**

The Regatta course Duisburg is a category A course according to certification by ICF. All requirements of the ICF Organisers Manual are met.

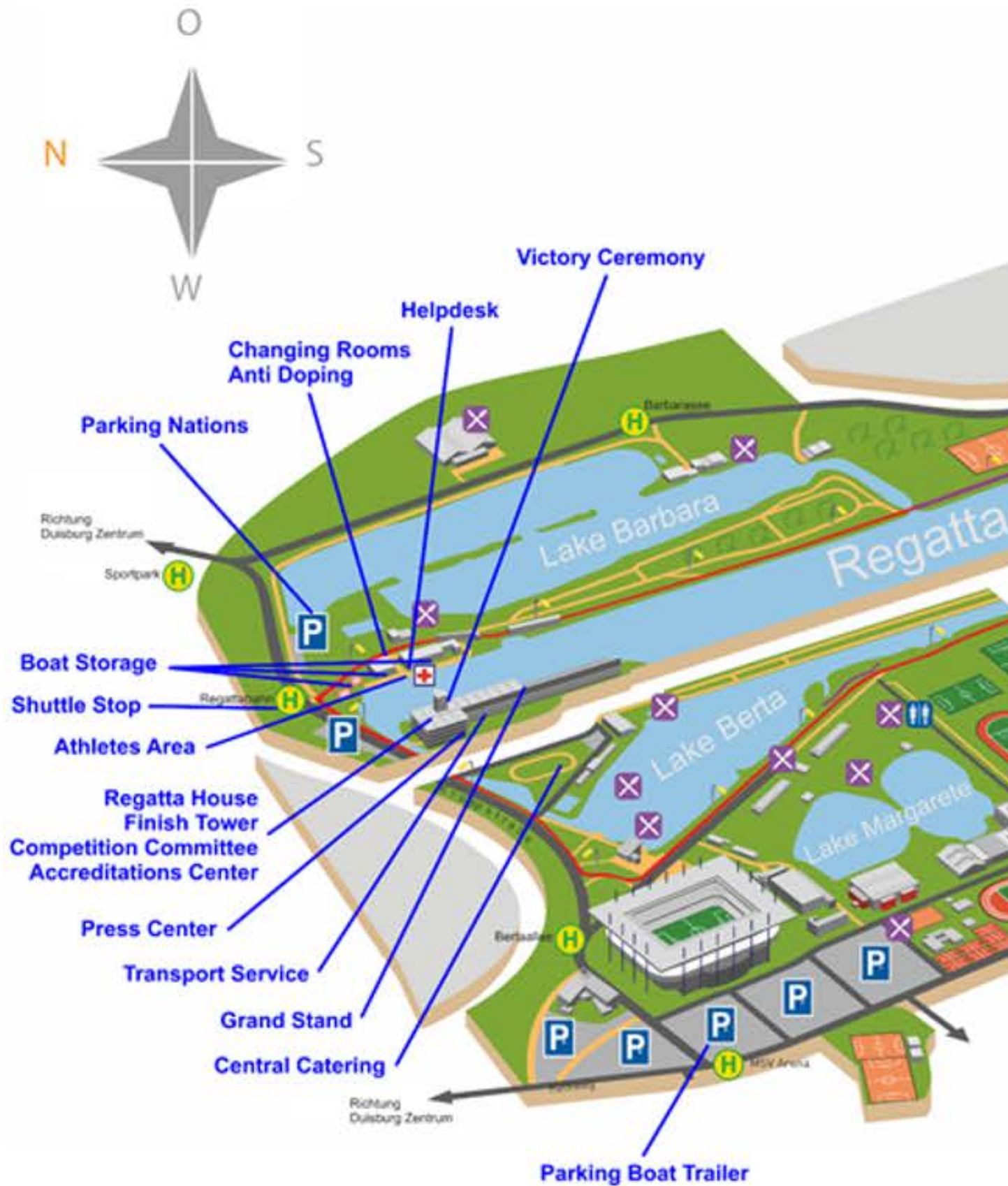


## TECHNICAL DATES REGATTA COURSE DUISBURG

<b>Length:</b>	2.250 meters
<b>Width:</b>	125 - 135 meters
<b>Depth:</b>	7 meters at all 9 lanes
<b>Course direction:</b>	North - South
<b>Predominant wind direction:</b>	West / South-West
<b>Buoying of the course</b>	Albano-System
<b>Automatic starting system:</b>	200 m, 500 m, 1.000 m (IMAS-Starting system)
<b>Video-control-system:</b>	200 m, 500 m, 1.000 m (IMAS)
<b>Finishing line:</b>	2 photo finish cameras (IMAS)  Electronic time keeping system  Electronic data system for results  Electronic intermediate timing . . . . . . 750 m, 500 m and 250 m (IMAS)  Video board 44 m <sup>2</sup>  Tarmac camera lane from 1.000 m to finish line  Fiber optic cable network
<b>Stands:</b>	2.468 seats available, 580 sheltered seats  Standing room for 5.000 persons
<b>Technical Improvements</b>	IMAS-Regatta-Software



# MAP OF REGATTA COURSE DUISBURG



Regattabahn Duisburg

## ENTRIES

### Please find attached our forms.

You are kindly requested to return them as follows:

Provisional Entry	(form A + PA)	until the 2 <sup>nd</sup> March 2020
Provisional Hotelreservation	(form A1 + PA1)	until the 2 <sup>nd</sup> March 2020
Obligatory Hotelreservation	(form A2 + PA2)	until the 30 <sup>th</sup> March 2020
Numerical Entry *		until the 6 <sup>th</sup> April 2020
Final Travel Info – Arrival Final	(form D1 + PD1)	until the 20 <sup>th</sup> April 2020
Travel Info - Departure	(form D2 + PD2)	until the 20 <sup>th</sup> April 2020
Roominglist	(form A4 + PA4)	until the 4 <sup>th</sup> May 2020
Nominal Entry * (Paracanoe)		until the 7 <sup>th</sup> May 2020
Nominal Entry * (World Cup & Olympic qualifier)		until the 11 <sup>th</sup> May 2020
Boat Rental	(form A3 + PA3)	<u>manufacturers directly</u>

All forms will be available at our website [www.kanuduisburg.de](http://www.kanuduisburg.de), too.

In order to be able to plan boat storage, would you please let us know until the 04<sup>th</sup> May 2020, how many boats you are intending to have on site during the event?

The organising committee will only confirm the provisional and the final hotel booking. In case of any amendments, these will not be confirmed and invoiced other than in the event of exceeding the total hotel capacity.

\* Numerical and Nominal entries have to be made **ONLY** online via ICF SDP (ISIS) system

<https://icf.msl.es/icf/main.jsp>

### Contact:

Postal address:

**Kanu-Regatta-Verein Duisburg e.V.**  
**Kruppstraße 30 b**  
**D - 47055 Duisburg**

**Fax: +49 203 33 84 93**

**E-Mail: [info@kanuduisburg.de](mailto:info@kanuduisburg.de)**





# Hallo Duisburg!

## ACCOMMODATION

Bookings for the official hotels at the following conditions can be made through the organising office of the 2020 ICF PARACANOE WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS, CANOE SPRINT WORLD CUP & OLYMPIC QUALIFIER DUISBURG.

**We only accept changes regarding the accommodations on the pre-printed forms.**

No.	Category	<u>Single room</u> per person per day	<u>Double / Twin room</u> per person per day	<u>Triple room</u> per person per day
1	A Category Hotels **** - Hotel Conti - Hotel Mercure - Hotel Wyndham - Hotel Plaza - Hotel Milser	€ 155,00	€ 125,00	-
2	B Category Hotels *** and **** - <i>Ferrotel (no Triple)</i> - IntercityHotel	€ 150,00	€ 122,50	€ 120,00
3	C Category Hotels ** and *** - <i>Hotel Mirage</i> - <i>Hotel Regent</i>	€ 145,00	€ 117,50	€ 107,50
4	D Category Hotels ** - B & B Hotel	€ 135,00	€ 107,50	€ 105,00
5	E Category Hotels ** - Hotel Ibis Hauptbahnhof (no Triple) - <i>Rheinischer Hof</i> - <i>Hotel Sittardsberg</i>	€ 125,00	€ 102,50	€ 100,00
6	F Category Hotels ** - Hotel Ibis Budget	€ 120,00	€ 100,00	-

Hotels with **black** lettering are disabled friendly  
Hotels with **red** lettering are **not** disabled friendly

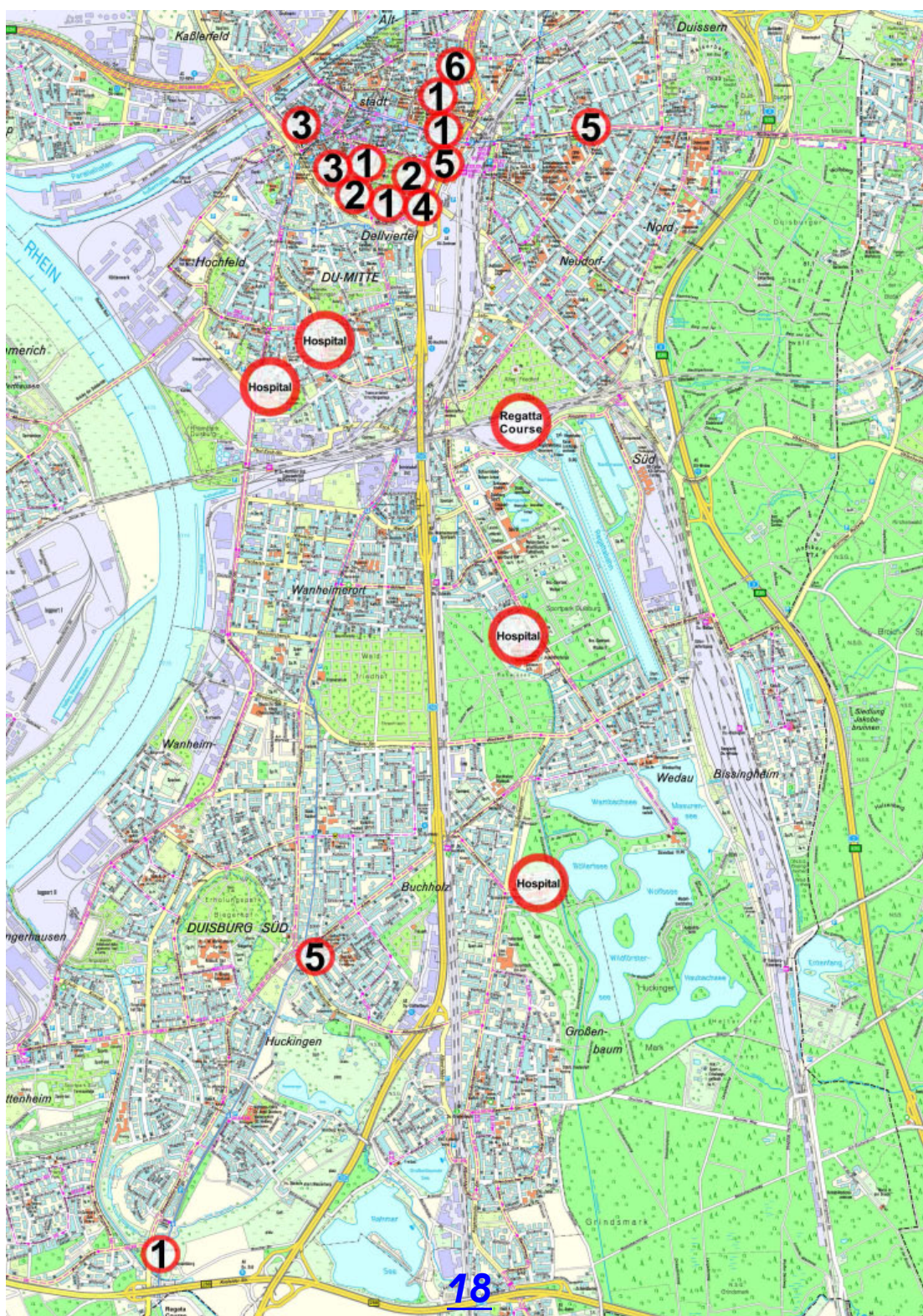
We will award the hotel rooms in the categories after the date of receipt of applications.



We would like to point out that none of the offered hotels is located further than 8,5 km from the regatta course

***Sportschule & Jugendherberge are unfortunately once again not available in 2020 due to a Trainingscamp of German Football Association.***

Upon arrival the hotels may request a deposit of € 50,00 per person directly from the individual to cover for eventual damage or any extra service. The hotel will refund the deposit on departure minus the actual cost incurred.





## THE ACCOMMODATION PACKAGE FEE INCLUDES THE FOLLOWING SERVICES

- Accommodation
- Participation fee
- Three meals per day
- Bus transfer from **Düsseldorf International (DUS) airport** or from **Duisburg Hbf** central rail station to the venue (or Hotel) on your day of arrival and return journey on the day of departure *from 15<sup>th</sup> May to 25<sup>th</sup> May 2020*
- Transfer by shuttle bus between regatta course and official Hotels *from 15<sup>th</sup> May to 24<sup>th</sup> May 2020*
- Fee for the use of the regatta course and its facilities
- Medical care at the course
- Security service at the course
- Fully comprehensive insurance of the event
- Vehicle permit and parking permit for one boat trailer and one vehicle for every delegation (*the boat trailer will be parked after unloading in a safe area close to the regatta course; parking spaces for the delegations' vehicles will be provided next to the athletes' area*)
- The supply of mineral water free of charge at specific supply points at the regatta course during the days of competition

In case accommodation is booked directly by yourself and NOT through the Organising Committee you are still required to pay a participation fee of € 30,00 per person/per day from 15<sup>th</sup> May to 25<sup>th</sup> May 2020.

This fee includes the following services:

- Accreditation fee
- Bus transfer from **Düsseldorf International (DUS) airport** or from **Duisburg Hbf** central rail station to the venue on your day of arrival and return journey on the day of departure *from 15<sup>th</sup> May to 25<sup>th</sup> May 2020*
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## CATERING

We will offer *central catering* for lunch and dinner at the course in a large catering marquee, which is going to be on the grassed area near the entrance to the regatta offices, *from 15<sup>th</sup> May to 24<sup>th</sup> May 2020*.

*First meal will be lunch at the day of arrival and last meal will be breakfast at the day of departure.*

## TERM OF PAYMENT

Accommodation package fee or participation fee are to be paid in the following instalments:

- **50 %** should be credited until **16<sup>th</sup> March 2020** to the organising committee.
- The final payment of **50%** is due until **13<sup>th</sup> April 2020**.

**Bank:** **Sparkasse Duisburg**  
**Königstraße 23 - 25, 47051 Duisburg, Germany**

**BIC CODE:** **DUIS DE33 XXX**

**IBAN:** **DE63 3505 0000 0200 1198 16**

*Account-No.:* *200 119 816 (BLZ: 350 500 00)*

**Beneficiary:** **Kanu-Regatta-Verein Duisburg e.V.**

**Address:** **Kruppstraße 30 b, 47055 Duisburg, Germany**

Invoiced amounts have to be paid in full without the deduction of transaction fees. Please ensure transaction fees are covered by yourself. It is your responsibility to pay these extras when transferring money into our bank account.

The booking shall be provisional until the first instalment has been credited to our bank account, hence the Organising Committee reserving the right to alter or cancel reservations until receipt of full amounts due. Once the first instalment has been credited, reservations will be confirmed. An updated pro forma invoice will be sent by the Organising Committee verifying which payments have been credited to our bank account.



## **ACCEPTED METHODS OF PAYMENT DURING ACCREDITATION AT THE REGATTA COURSE**

Cash (Euros) payment **only**.

## **CANCELLATION TERMS**

Should you cancel your booking, a charge applies to the equivalent of any loss suffered by the Organising Committee as itemised below. The amount of any cancellation fee will be calculated as a percent of the accommodation package fee according to the following period of notice given:

**No forfeit if cancelled until 30<sup>th</sup> March 2020**

**50% forfeit if cancelled until 12<sup>th</sup> April 2020**

**100% forfeit if cancelled after 12<sup>th</sup> April 2020**



## TRANSPORT OF ATHLETES AND OFFICIALS DURING COMPETITION

The HOC will be running a transport service with busses, vans and cars during the World Cup led by an experienced transport manager.

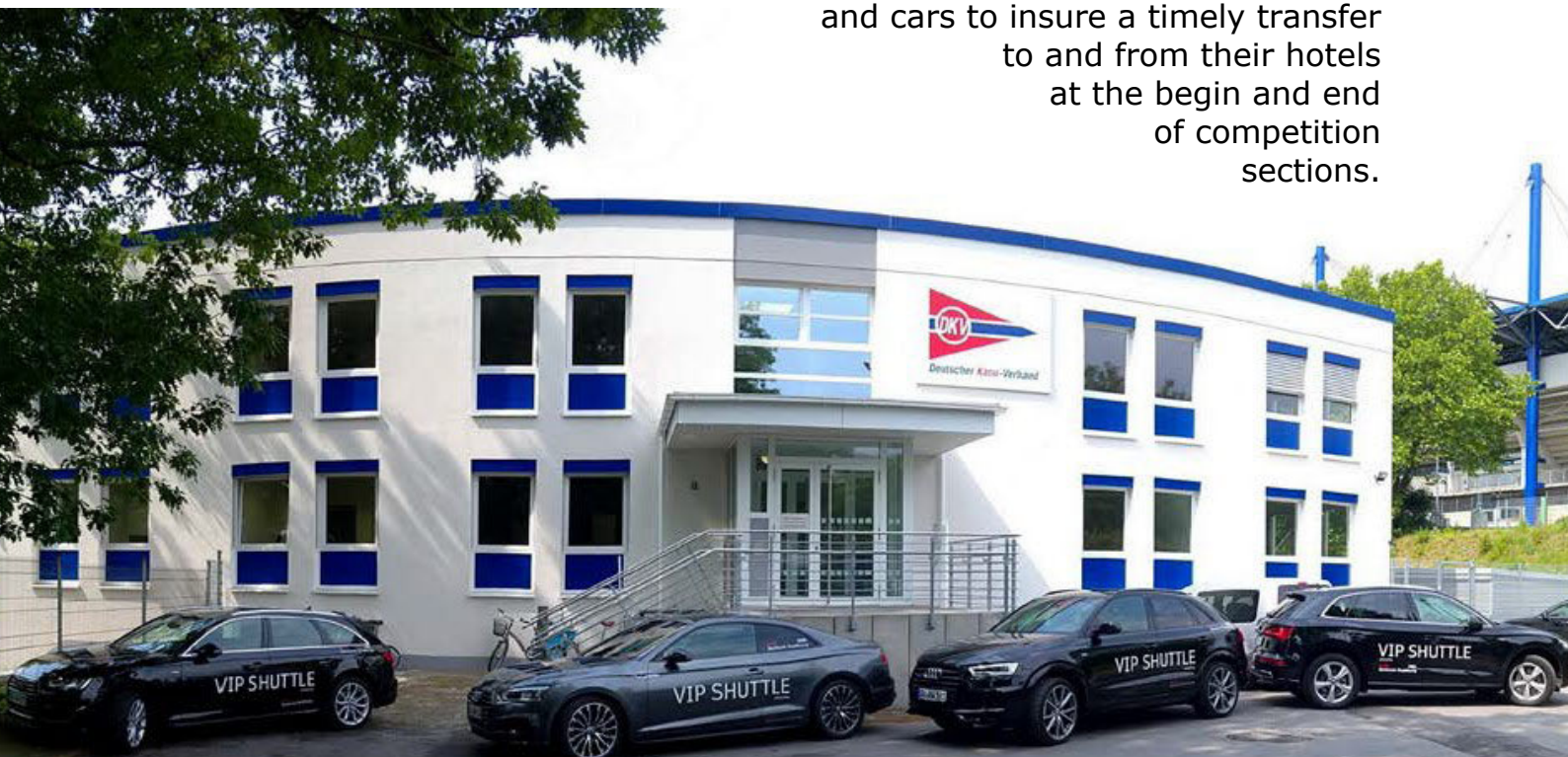
Relations between Regatta course and hotels will be served constantly by a scheduled bus service organised in different bus lines.

This shuttle service will be free to accredited participants.

It will be available on training days with shorter intervals during race days to insure all participants will reach the regatta course on time.



Jury and officials will be provided with a individual transport service with vans and cars to insure a timely transfer to and from their hotels at the begin and end of competition sections.



## MEDICAL INSURANCE

We have to ask all participants of the 2020 ICF PARACANOE WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS, CANOE SPRINT WORLD CUP & OLYMPIC QUALIFIER DUISBURG to take out a medical insurance policy in their respective home country. All cost in excess of the normal first aid, ambulance and physiotherapeutic services are to be covered by this medical insurance policy. The organising committee will not cover any expenses in connection with hospital or dental treatment

## MEDICAL CARE

We provide a First Aid station within the athletes area staffed by an experienced regatta surgeon and a team of experienced medics to deal with cases of emergency. An ambulance will be parked outside the Centre of Excellence.

The municipal hospital of Duisburg is situated to the West of the regatta course in approx. Distance of 2 km. An ambulance and emergency unit is situated during the time of the event. It takes 3 minutes for an ambulance to reach the hospital. The HOC will brief the hospital prior to the World Cup on event times.

## VISA

All participants are kindly requested to contact the German Embassy or Consulate in their home country. Be aware that visa applications may take some time to process. Please send requests for supporting documents to your visa application to the organising committee without any delay once specified by the German Embassy or Consulate. We will then contact the German Embassy in your home country directly.

## RENT A BICYCLE

In the Sportpark Duisburg there are two possibilities to rent bicycles within a radius of 500m to the regatta course.

[www.revierrad.de](http://www.revierrad.de)

Detailed information you will find here:

[www.metropolradruhr.de/de/duisburg/](http://www.metropolradruhr.de/de/duisburg/)





## BOAT RENTAL

We have an agreement with major boat manufacturers (Nelo, Vajda, Plastex, Outriggercanoe) that the requested rental will be provided by them during the event.

***If you are interested please contact these manufacturers directly:***

### **NELO** rental

E-Mail: [nelo@nelo.eu](mailto:nelo@nelo.eu)  
Web: [www.nelorental.com](http://www.nelorental.com)

### **VAJDA** CANOES & KAYAKS

E-Mail: [canoe@vajdagroup.com](mailto:canoe@vajdagroup.com)  
Web: [www.vajdagroup.com](http://www.vajdagroup.com)

### **PLASTEX**

E-Mail: [plastex@plastexboats.com](mailto:plastex@plastexboats.com)  
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The rental fee depends on price list of each boat manufacturer.

If requested you can announce your requirements

***by using the attached form or on an individual way.***

