

## **ICF Canoe Marathon 2024**

# WORLD CUP

**Brandenburg an der Havel - Germany** 





















# 2024 ICF CANOE MARATHON WORLD CUP – BRANDENBURG (GERMANY) 1<sup>TH</sup> – 2ND JUNE, 2024 SHORT AND LONG DISTANCE

### Bulletin 1



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### 2 GREETINGS

# 2.1 WORDS OF WELCOME BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE GERMAN CANOE FEDERATION

Welcome to the 2024 ICF Canoe Marathon World Cup in Brandenburg an der Havel!

The world elite in canoe marathon will visit Brandenburg once again. From June 1st to 2nd, 2024, the Beetzsee in Brandenburg an der Havel with its natural regatta course will be the meeting place for the world best athletes in canoe marathon. As President of the German Canoe Federation,



I cordially would like to invite all athletes, coaches and trainers as well as all officials from the international federations to Brandenburg an der Havel.

The organizers of the Brandenburg Beetzsee regatta team approved many times that they are competent in organizing perfect competitions, including the Canoe Marathon World Championships in 2016. And now, eight years later, we are delighted that in the run-up to the Olympic Games in Paris we can show the public how exciting and inspiring canoe marathon racing competitions can be.

I would like to thank all the volunteers of the Brandenburg Beetzsee regatta team, but also the responsible persons of the city of Brandenburg an der Havel and the Government of the State of Brandenburg and the sponsors who make this event possible in the first place through their support.

I hope that this year's ICF Marathon Racing World Cup will run smoothly in good water and weather conditions and that all participants will be able to deliver their best possible performance.

**GERMAN CANOE FEDERATION** 

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Jens Perlwitz

President



















### 2.2 WORDS OF WELCOME BY THE LORD MAYOR OF THE CITY OF BRANDENBURG AN DER HAVEL

Dear members of the international canoe marathon family,

Brandenburg's water sports enthusiasts are already looking forward to the World Cup at the beginning of June 2024.

After the successful Canoe Marathon World Championships in 2016, Brandenburg an der Havel



will be the venue for this interesting international top-class sporting event for the fourth time.

We, the people of Brandenburg, are very much looking forward to welcoming the athletes, coaches and support staff as well as representatives of the International Canoe Federation and the national associations to our sports-loving city.

Thanks to extensive funding in recent years, which we as a city have invested, together with the state of Brandenburg, in the expansion and modernization of our traditional natural regatta course, we are now able to offer ideal conditions for the organization and staging of major championships to organizers and athletes. In addition, the city of Brandenburg an der Havel enjoys a reputation as a cosmopolitan and friendly host, which we want to prove in 2024 once again.

I am convinced that the highly experienced, volunteer members of our Brandenburg organization team will once again do their utmost to ensure that athletes from all over the world will find optimal and fair competition conditions at the 2024 Canoe Marathon World Cup on Lake Beetzsee and that you, our guests, will have a pleasant stay in Brandenburg an der Havel.

On behalf of the people of Brandenburg, I would like to extend a very warm welcome to you already

Lord Mayor

Steffen Scheller



















# 2.3 WORDS OF WELCOME BY THE CHAIRMAN OF THE ORGANISING COMMITTEE

Dear friends of canoe marathons,

As early as 2008 and several times since then, the world's elite of canoe marathon sports were guests on the probably unique natural regatta course in Brandenburg an der Havel, located on the beautiful Beetzsee. And so, we as Regattateam Brandenburg Beetzsee e.V. are proud to have the trust of the International Canoe Federation and the German Canoe Association to host the 2024 ICF World Cup Canoe Marathon in Brandenburg an der Havel. Our team is



already working intensively to offer all participants optimal competition conditions and at the same time to offer a few unforgettable days in Brandenburg an der Havel, the city on the river. Since the last marathon event, the conditions on the regatta course have been continuously improved and so we are looking forward to working with new technical developments during the 2024 World Cup as well. Dear friends of the canoe marathon, we look forward to welcoming you again in 2024 on the regatta course at Lake Beetzsee and in the sports-loving city of Brandenburg an der Havel.

With best regards

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Uwe Steinhäuser

Chairman of the Organising Committee

2024 ICF Canoe Marathon World Cup in Brandenburg an der Havel / Germany



















### 3 GENERAL INFORMATION

### 3.1 BRANDENBURG AN DER HAVEL - THE CITY ON THE RIVER

Brandenburg an der Havel, a city in the state of Brandenburg, Germany. Town and country have the same name. This has its origins in the country's more than 1,000-year history. In Brandenburg an der Havel, the Mark Brandenburg was founded. The three historic town centres are impressive testimonies of history. Crisscrossed by the water arms of the Havel and embedded in Europe's largest inland water sports area, the city with its maritime flair looks like Venice in many places.

If you want to go on a journey through history and always be close to the Havel and its lakes, Brandenburg an der Havel is the right place for you. The water area offers the best conditions for bathing fun and water sports activities of all kinds, from rafting to stand-up paddling. Cyclists and hikers will also find well-developed routes with a view of the water in the excursion region around the city.

### RAMBLES THROUGH LITTLE VENICE

There are only a few cities in Germany that can look back on such a long and varied history as Brandenburg an der Havel. There are three historic city centres, the New Town, the Old Town and the Cathedral Island. On a tour, you can experience the outstanding ensemble of medieval and, above all, Gothic architecture.

### **EXCITING JOURNEY THROUGH HISTORY**

From the New Town Market with St. Catherine's Church and the Mill Gate Tower, the route leads to the Dominsel, the founding place of the Mark Brandenburg with the imposing Cathedral of St. Peter and Paul. The circular route continues to the St. Gotthard Church, an outstanding example of a Reformation church.



















### 3.2 GENERAL INFORMATION'S

Venue: Regatta Course, Brandenburg an der Havel, Germany

Date: 01.06. - 02.06.2024

### 3.3 TRAVEL INFORMATION

The airport Berlin-Brandenburg International (BER) is about 90 km away and it takes one hour by bus and highway.

It is also possible to travel to Brandenburg via railway. It takes about one hour from the main station in Berlin.

As to be seen in the map, the motorways A2, A10 are not far from the city centre of Brandenburg.



For travel information about Brandenburg, please visit: <a href="www.erlebnis-brandenburg.de">www.erlebnis-brandenburg.de</a>

















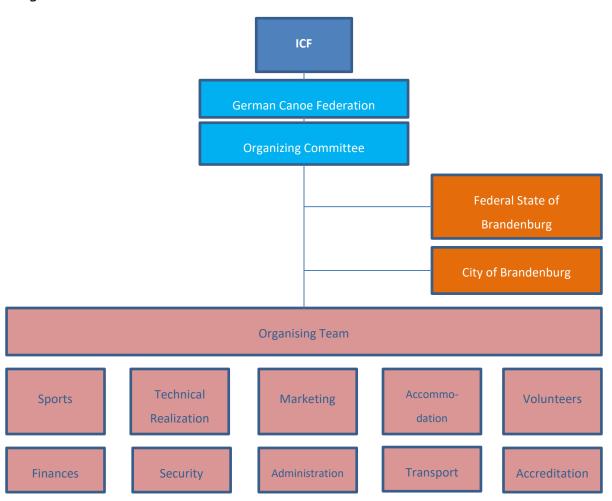


### 3.4 WEATHER

The climate in the city of Brandenburg is temperate. This is influenced from the east by the continental climate and from the west by the Atlantic maritime climate. The significant precipitation is spread over the whole year. There are no pronounced dry months. The average annual precipitation for Havelsee is 539 mm. The driest month is February with an average of 32 mm, while the average rainfall is in June with 64 mm. The average annual temperature is 9.1 °C. The warmest month in comparison is July with an average of 18.4 °C. In January, the coldest month of the year, the average temperature is -0.2 °C.

### 4 ORGANIZING COMMITTEE

The structure of the Organization is defined as shown in the following diagram:





















### 5 COMPETITION INFORMATION

### 5.1 DATES & PROGRAM

2024 ICF Canoe Marathon World Cup – Brandenburg an der Havel will be held on June 1 - 2 at the Lake Beetzsee in Brandenburg an der Havel.

### PROVISIONAL SCHEDULE

Date	Activities		
May 31	Teamleaders Meeting, Opening Ceremony		
June 1	Short Distance		
	K1 men and women (seniors and juniors)		
	C1 men and women (seniors and juniors)		
	Relay Races		
	More details in bulletin 2		
	Nations Dinner		
June 2	Long distance		
	K1 women and men juniors		
	C1 women and men juniors		
	K1 women and men seniors		
	C1 women and men seniors		

### 5.2 VENUE

The marathon race of the World Cup will take place on the lake Beetzsee in Brandenburg an der Havel.

The start and finish line and the portage will be in the same area. There will be two turning points all marked with 6 small red buoys. The start will be a held using an automatic start system.

All around the course the depth of the water will be at least 3 metres.



















A 80 metres portage is placed on the bank of the lake near the finish line. The portage areas are clearly shown by guide ropes and marked with red and yellow marks at the disembarkation and embarkation places. The disembarkation will be on pontoons and the embarkation also from pontoons.

### 5.3 ROUTE LENGTH FIRST DAY (ONLY SINGLE CLASSES)

All races 3 laps and 2 portages. (total 3,6 km)

### 5.4 ROUTE LENGTH SECOND DAY

For all races no portage during the first lap.

class	no. of Laps	no. of Portages	total distance in km
Men K1 seniors	8	7	29,8
Women K1 seniors	7	6	26,2
Men C1 seniors	6	5	22,6
Women C1 seniors	4	3	15,4
Men K1 juniors	6	5	22,6
Women K1 juniors	5	4	19,0
Men C1 juniors	4	3	15,4
Women C1 juniors	3	2	11,8

### 5.5 RULES

Races will be held according to the ICF rules.



















### 6 DEADLINES, ENTRIES & REGISTRATION

1. All team entries (numerical and nominal) must be made online through SDP system from ICF. Please note that there is no limit on the number of entries in each class/category, but all must be registered through ICF/SDP.

### Link: http://icf.msl.es

2. Entries can only be submitted by the National Federation through the online entries system SDP by the specified closing date (midnight European time / European summer time GMT +1 or GMT +2). Anyone having issues accessing the system should email sdp@canoeicf.com and specify their NF and the specific issue encountered, in advance of the closing date for entries.

If there is any problem concerning the entries, please contact Ruud Heijselaar from Canoe Marathon Committee of ICF at

### ruud.heijselaar@canoeicf.com

The entries system will be online and available during the following dates:

Numerical entries until April 17th, 2024

Nominal entries until May 21th, 2024

Hotel Reservation until March 31th, 2024

Final travel information Form April 30th 2024

### 7 PARTICIPATION FEE

Each participant is charged a participation fee of EUR 25 per day, which includes the following services:

- Accreditation
- Medical Care at the Course
- Participation in the Opening Ceremony
- Security Service at the Course
- Organization Fee
- Drinking Water during competition days



















- Transport to hotel and course included
- Access to the competition venues for the purpose of training and other activities.
- Boat storage
- Free Wi-Fi at the competition venues
- Per Teams parking for one trailer, one accredited vehicle or one container, for Boats, paddle and team equipment
- The entry fee is calculated from the time of the arrival of the sports team, until the team leaves.

Days of travelling are one day.

### 8 ACCOMMODATION

The teams will be accommodated in hotels in Brandenburg an der Havel. There is a camping site directly available at the regatta venue. When you send your entries, you can choose which type of accommodation you prefer.

Breakfast is available in all types of accommodations. If teams stay overnight at the camping site, breakfast is also served on the regatta course. Lunch and dinner are available for all teams on the regatta course.

A shuttle bus service between the regatta course and the official hotels will be available between 31.05.2024 and 02.06.2024.

The Organizing Committee is not responsibility for any additional service provided by the hotel, such as minibar, telephone, parking, etc. These costs are to be paid directly to the hotel. If your team causes damage to the rooms, you must pay for it on site or the OC will send you an invoice for the cost of the damage.

Check-in time is 14:00. The rooms are to be vacated before 11:00 a.m. on the day of departure. (Upon request, the hotels will provide storage space at an extra charge



















### 8.1 ACCOMMODATION BOOKINGS FOR THE TEAMS

Our partner is at your disposal to book your accommodation. You can book all the details in an online system. From 03.01.2024 all teams can register at <a href="https://canoeinfo.com/en/c/canoe-marathon-worldcup2024">https://canoeinfo.com/en/c/canoe-marathon-worldcup2024</a>

to book their accommodation, meals and airport transfer online.

The costs for additional team members depend on the chosen category.

Category Camping at the regatta venue: see below

Breakfast can be booked separately.

### 8.2 CAMPING SITE FEES (INCL. 19% VAT) PER DAY

Participants/athletes/tent: 16,00 € (flat rate for whole event)

Team Tent: 17,00 € incl. electricity per day

Car on campground: 10,00 € per day

Power Supply: 4,00 € incl. electricity per day

Caravan/mobile home: 12,00 € incl. electricity per day

### 8.3 FULL BOARD AT THE VENUE

We also offer a full board service at the regatta venue. There is a special dining area situated directly in the athlete's area. Prices are given below:

Breakfast: 8,00€ per person and day

Lunch: 13,00€ per person and day

Dinner: 11,00€ per person and per day

### 8.4 HOTELS/NAMES

### **HOTEL RESERVATION BOARD AND LODGING:**

 1st Category
 Single:
 130,00€
 Double:
 160,00€

 2st Category
 Single:
 110,00€
 Double:
 135,00€

 3st Category
 Single:
 70,00€
 Double:
 85,00€

All prices per room, per night and including breakfast.



















### **Deadline:**

Hotel Reservation no later than March 31,2024. However, earlier booking secures your preferred hotel category.

Cancellation policies. After March 31, you will be charged 100% of your booking. Payment 50% by booking time. The remaining will be due by March 30, 2024.

### 8.5 TERMS OF PAYMENT

50% of all the above-mentioned fee shall be paid to the Organizing Committee before 31.03.2024 and the remaining 50% before 30.04.2024

All fees in connection with bank transfer need to be paid by the sender. Please make payments for the fee incurred by the whole team during their entire stay. You are kindly requested to print the bank remittance and take it with you when check in. Your reservation will be successful when we receive the advance payment.

When your entry fee is fully charged, the organizing committees will send an electronic confirmation notice.

### 8.6 CANCELLATION

- 100% refund if cancelled before 30.03.2024
- 50% refund if cancelled between 31.03.2024 and 30.04.2024
- No refund if cancelled after 01.05.2024

### 8.7 CATERING

Breakfast and will be always served at chosen hotel.

You can book additional meals on the regatta course or separately at the selected hotels. The organizing committee will be happy to help you with this.



















### 9 TRANSPORT SERVICES

For teams larger than 6 persons arriving together at the same time we offer the transfer, between Airport Berlin – Brandenburg – Berlin for 60 EUR/person bidirectional. Individuals and teams of 6 or less requiring transfer should contact the Organizing Committee for a custom price.

Please contact us if you like to arrive earlier.

### 10 OTHER INFORMATION

### 10.1 VISA INFORMATION

Participants from countries, for which the possession of a Visa is required, upon request, will receive a confirmation letter from the German Canoe Federation, once their participation is confirmed.

All participants from non "Schengen Treaty" State Members are kindly requested to contact to the local German Embassy or representative for any clarification.

Be aware that visa applications may take some time to process.

For further information, visit the official web site of the German Ministry of Foreign Affairs:

http://www.auswaertiges-amt.de/EN/Startseite\_node.html

### 10.2INSURANCE & MEDICAL CARE

All participants are strongly advised to have appropriate medical insurance from their respective countries.

A First Aid and Emergency Medical Service will be available at the course. A Hospital nearby the venue will be on standby to cover the needs during the event. All situation of hospital services provided in our public health care service must be paid directly by the athlete or by the National Federation.



















### 10.3BOAT RENTAL &CONTAINERS

The official rental service for this event will be provided by ICF's partners.

All information will be published in the second bulletin.

It will be not possible to borrow or rent boats from the local organisation.

### 10.4ANTI-DOPING CONTROL

The doping control will be provided according to the ICF standards.

### 10.5SIDE EVENTS

All information's will be published in Bulletin 2.

### 10.6 NEXT INFORMATION'S

Next Information's you may find in Bulletin 2 which will be published until the of march 2024.

### 10.7 PAYMENT TO THE ACCOUNT

Regattateam Brandenburg Beetzsee e.V.

**Brandenburger Bank** 

IBAN: DE33 1606 2073 0305 8811 45

**BIC: GENODEF1BRB** 

### 10.8 CONTACT INFORMATION

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