

TEAM LEADER MEETING

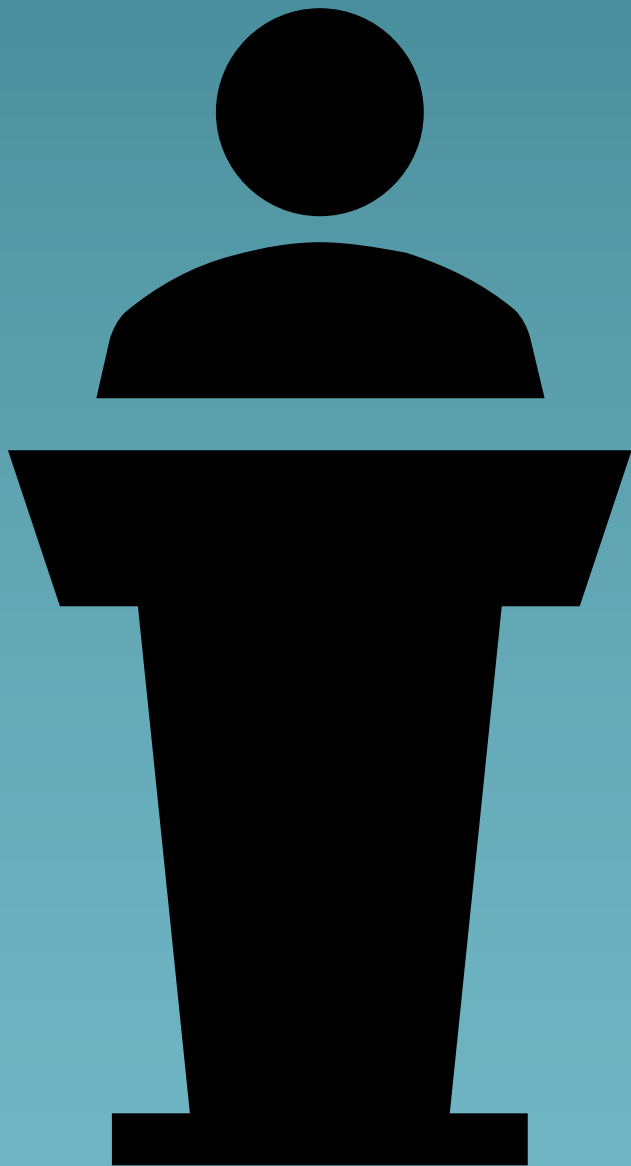
ICF Junior & U23 CSL World Championships Foix 2025





Welcome

ROLL CALL FOR NATIONAL FEDERATIONS



Jun & U23 World Championships - Foix // Roll call						
Date:				July 8 - 13		
Nation	Presence	Remarks		Nation	Presence	Remarks
1 AIN	X		29	LITHUANIA	X	
2 ALGERIA	X		30	LUXEMBOURG		
3 ANDORRA	X		31	MAURITIUS	X	
4 ARGENTINA	X		32	MEXICO	X	
5 AUSTRALIA	X		33	MOROCCO	X	
6 AUSTRIA	X		34	NETHERLANDS	X	
7 BELGIUM	X		35	NEW ZEALAND	X	
8 BRAZIL	X		36	NORWAY	X	
9 CANADA	X		37	PEOPLES REPUBLIC OF CHINA	X	
10 CHILE	X		38	PERU	X	
11 CHINESE TAIPEI	X		39	POLAND	X	
12 COLOMBIA	X		40	PORTUGAL	X	
13 CROATIA	X		41	REPUBLIC OF NORTH MACEDONIA	X	
14 CZECHIA	X		42	SERBIA	X	
15 DJIBOUTI	X		43	SLOVAKIA	X	
16 ECUADOR	X		44	SLOVENIA	X	
17 FRANCE	X		45	SOUTH AFRICA	X	
18 GERMANY	X		46	SPAIN	X	
19 GREAT BRITAIN	X		47	SWEDEN	X	
20 GREECE	X		48	SWITZERLAND	X	
21 INDIA	X		49	THAILAND	X	
22 IRELAND	X		50	TUNISIA	X	
23 ITALY	X		51	TURKIYE	X	
24 JAPAN	X		52	UGANDA	X	
25 KAZAKHSTAN	X		53	UKRAINE	X	
26 KOREA	X		54	UNITED STATES OF AMERICA	X	
27 LATVIA	X				25	
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Number of nations:	52
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Total presence:	52
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TEAM LEADER GUIDE & MEETINGS

For each event, a Team Leader guide will be published (whatsapp and web) at the nominal entries' deadline

- Updates done before and straight after the Team Leader Meeting - if necessary
- Generic topics/chapters (written in black)
- **Specific topics/chapters (written in dark red)**
- The Team Leader Meetings will address the specific topics only
- Questions may be sent prior the Team Leader Meetings to the ICF technical managers





COMPETITION OFFICIALS

Role	Name
Jury Chair	Cecilia FARIAS (ICF)
Jury Member (HOC)	Maryse VISEUR (HOC)
Jury Member	Jean ZOUNGRANA (ICF)
Competition Manager	Jacques ROISIN (HOC)
Chief Official	Sue NATOLI (ICF)
Chief Judge	Siim PEETRIS (ICF)
Technical Organiser	Pierre MARTENS (HOC)
Course designer nominated by the ICF	Irati GOIKOETXEA (ICF)
Course designer nominated by the ICF	Aisling CONLAN ORANGE (ICF)

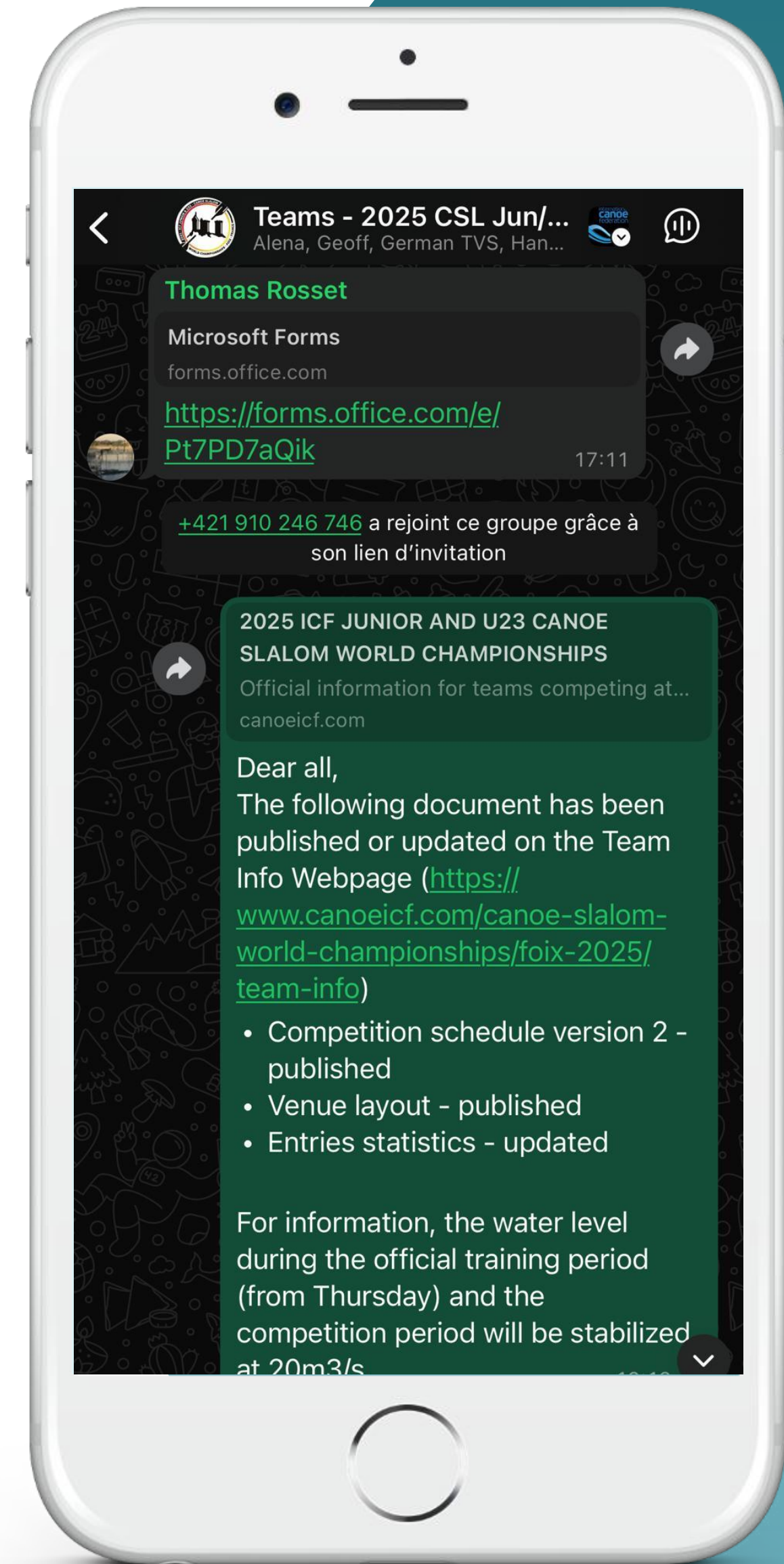
APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA

- Official communication channel
- Pre-race requirements
- Venue information
- Competition information
- Canoe & kayak events
- Kayak Cross events
- ICF topics



OFFICIAL COMMUNICATION CHANNEL

If not done yet, you can join the official communication, please scan the QR code.



OPENING CEREMONY

Where: in the city center, main square

When: **Sunday, 06 July at 18:30**

Dress Code: **nation uniform**

Car park: **Ecole élémentaire Groupe 1
Lucien Goron** - *8 boulevard Alsace-Lorraine
0900 Foix*




The road will be closed at 18:15 so you must come and park your car at the dedicated area between 17:30 and 18:00.

At the meeting point, volunteers will guide you.

Team leaders are invited to the City hall reception at 19:30.

For the athletes, reception next to the stage.

OPENING CEREMONY MAP 06/07/2025

-  ATHLETE PARADE
-  STAGE
-  MEETING POINT
-  VAUBAN BARRIERS
-  ATHLETES CAR PARK
-  PUBLIC BUVETTE
-  OFFICIALS WELCOME DRINK
-  ATHLETES WELCOME DRINK
-  ANTI-INTRUSION VEHICLE
-  DIRECTION OF TRAFFIC



PRE-RACE REQUIREMENTS

- 1 Advertising on equipment
- 2 TVS management
- 3 Entry list check

Note: all events are valid (at least 6 federations across 3 continents)



VENUE INFORMATION

Name of the course	The Rebech Whitewater Stadium
Competition course length	480 m + 190m for training
Competition course drop	4m + 1,70m
Competition course flow	20 m3/s
Water regulation on course	Dam





Opening hours

- **Venue**: from 07:00 to 20:00 from 03.07.2025 to 13.07.2025
- **Trailer parking**: from 09:00 to 12:00 and from 14:00 to 17:00

NF areas

- The NF area is near the inside tennis court.
- It is forbidden to add additional tents in the NF area.
- NF parking is located above the venue (parking P1a & P1b on the map below).



Equipment control

- **Location**: Equipment Control is located **at the end of the course**. Athletes have to exit via the stone stairs and go through the equipment control area.
- **Self-checking**: Sunday 6th from 9:00 to 19:00 and Monday 7th from 8:00 to 14:00, at the finish area
- **Timing on competition days**: open 1h before the 1st boat starts.
- **Reminder**:
 - **Canoe & Kayak events and Kayak Cross Individual**: post competition control and random checking
 - **Kayak Cross**: pre-competition checking in the pre-start area
 - **Final phases**: the athlete must go **straight to Kiss & Cry**. The boat can be left in the ITO hands in the Equipment Control tent. After the control, boat and equipment will be **stored in the finish area**. Athlete will be able to reach their equipment from the back.





EQUIPMENT
CONTROL

Anti-doping & Doping Control

- **Location**: next to press room in front of the tennis court.
- Athletes will be notified for doping control in the finish area.
- **Reminder**: passport or ID is required
- Anti-doping reminder: ADEL certificate for athletes and coaches





Enquiry Desk

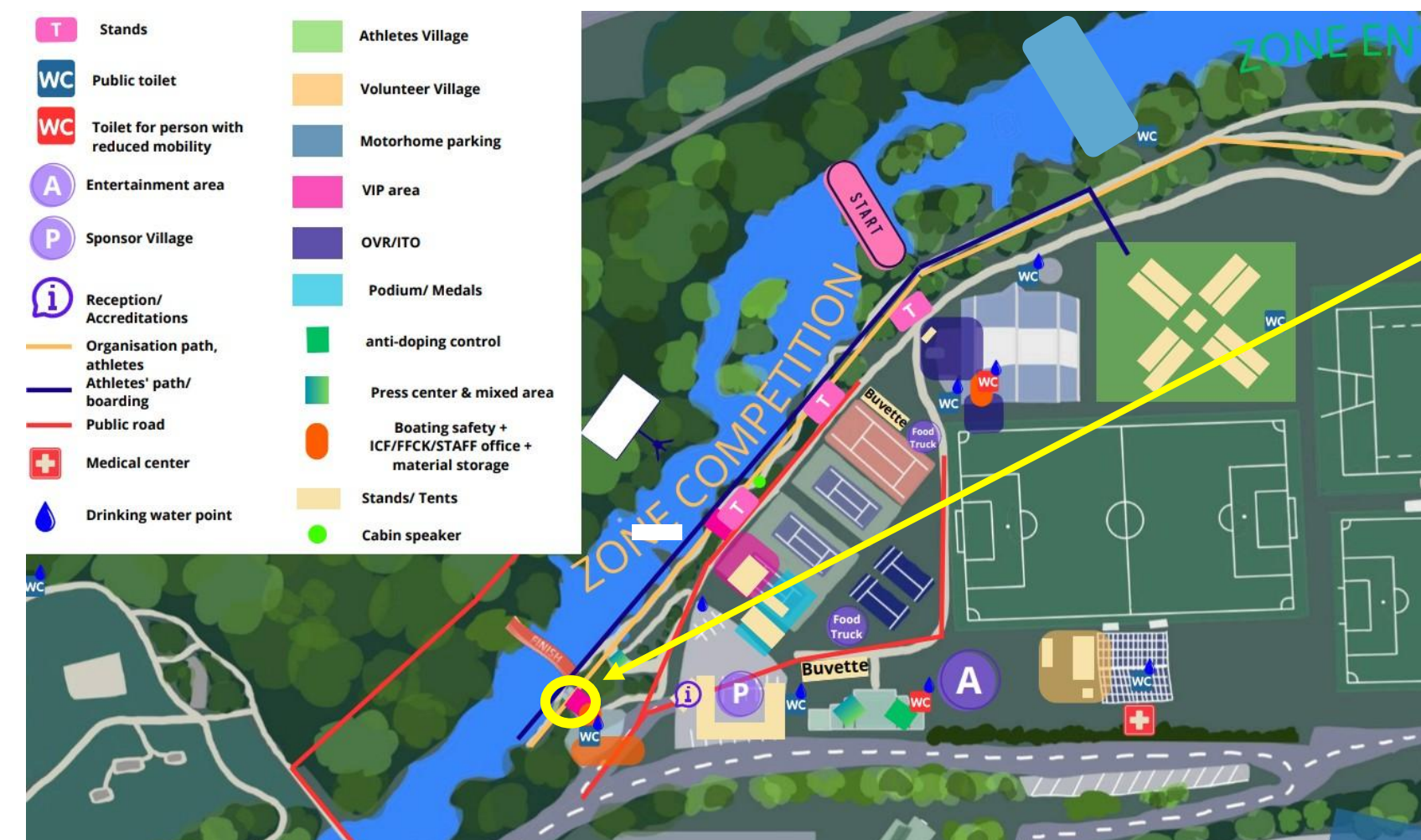
- Location: on the inside tennis court



ENQUIRY
DESK

Kiss & Cry

- **Location**: at the bottom of the course – under the porch
- For **Canoe and Kayak Finals (Individual & Teams)**:
 - Provisional **top 3** at the Kiss and Cry
 - With bib and competition gear
- For **Kayak Cross Individual**:
 - Provisional top 3 at the Kiss and Cry only **for the last 10 athletes**
 - With bib and competition gear (warm clothes accepted)



KISS & CRY

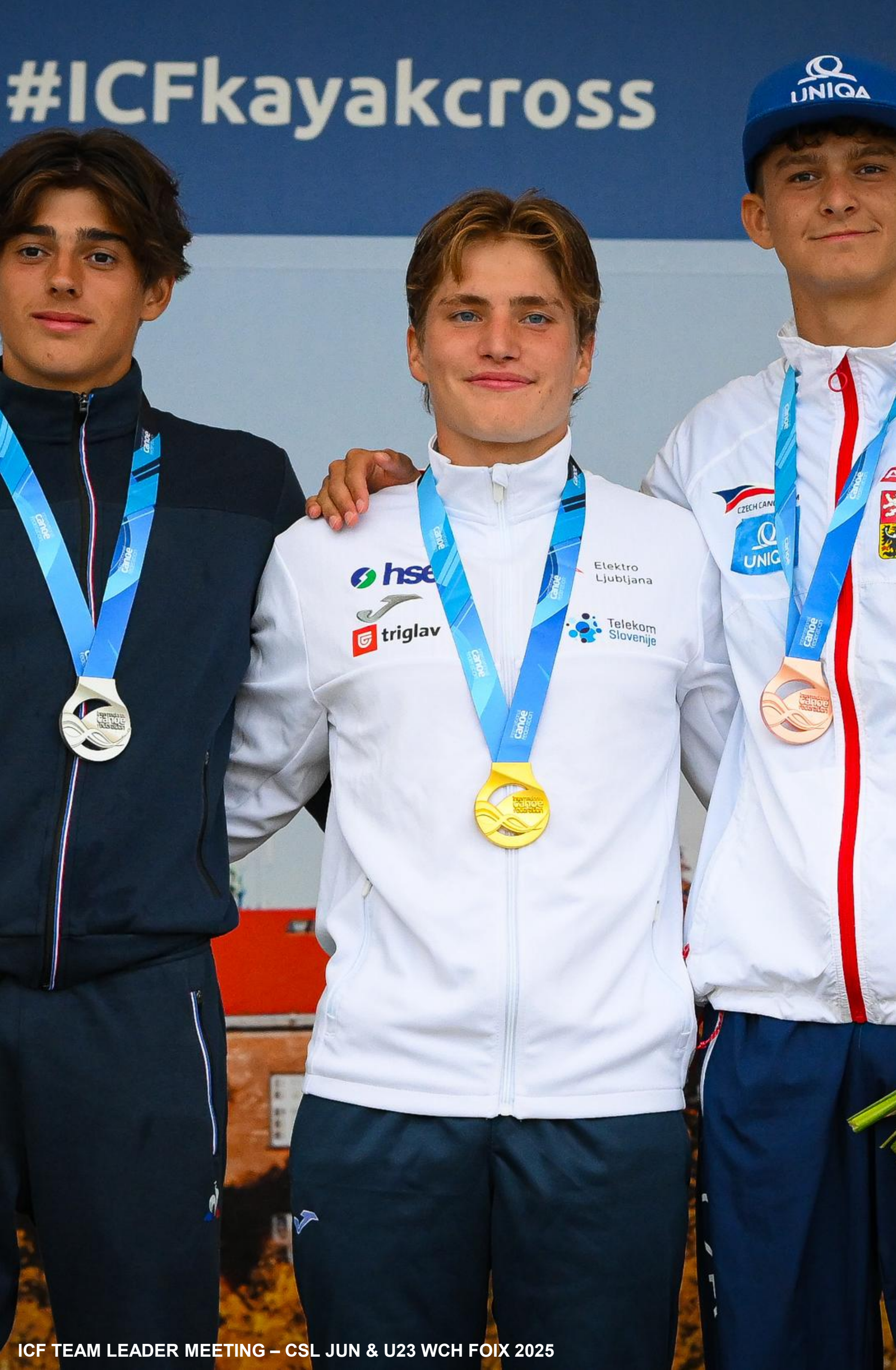


Medal ceremonies

- **Location:** in the partner village, next to the padel courts
- **Schedule:** see competition schedule
 - For **canoe, kayak and kayak cross events:** after each session of final
 - For **Kayak Cross Individual:** all ceremonies at the end of the session.
- **Kayak Cross & Kayak Cross Individual: in competition gear**



PODIUM



Kayak Cross Individual - Tie

Kayak Cross Individual:

"in reference to the rule 17.6.4, seeking agreement to award a tie when two or more boats are equal"

Vote: If there is a tie, do we award a medal to both athletes as per the canoe slalom rules 10.18.2?



In favour



Not in favour

COMPETITION INFORMATION

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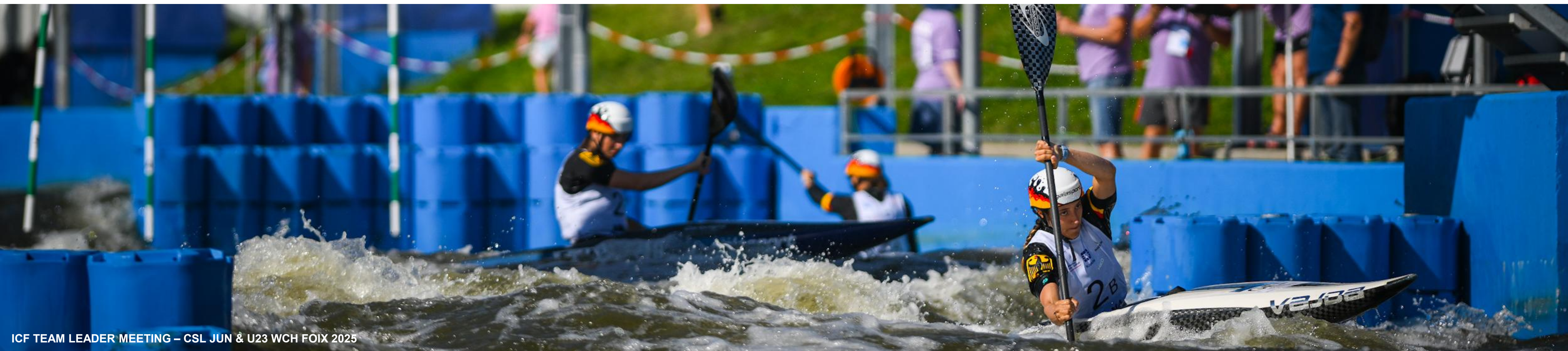
Official training schedule

- Canoe slalom training sessions start on **Thursday 3rd** until **Monday 7th**. (Monday training is confirmed)
- Kayak Cross training sessions take place on **Saturday 05th**, on **Saturday 12th** and **Sunday 13th** (confirmed)
- Exact timings and updates are available on the [online official training schedule](#).



Competition schedule

- The course is closed following **end of official training (Monday 7th 14:00)** until the end of the competition except for the **kayak cross training slots on Saturday 12th and Sunday 13th**.
- The **competition schedule version 3** will be available on the dedicated **ICF event Team Info webpage** on **Sunday 06th of July by 10am** and spread on the WhatsApp Group.



Demonstration runs – Heats, Semi/Finals, Team events

MONDAY, 07th OF JULY 2025

CANOE and KAYAK COURSE CONSTRUCTION					
14:00:00	15:00:00	Course construction - Semi & Finals			01:00:00
15:00:00	15:30:00	Course Tuning with demonstration runners - Semi & Finals			00:30:00
15:30:00	16:00:00	Course construction - Heats			00:30:00
16:00:00	16:45:00	Course Tuning with demonstration runners - Heats			00:45:00
16:45:00	16:53:00	Course review with technical manager (Heats & Semi/Finals)			00:08:00
16:53:00	17:00:00	Course approval (Heats & Semi/Finals)			00:07:00
		Interval			00:10:00
17:10:00	17:18:00	Heats - Full length demo run & rehearsal	8	00:01:00	00:08:00
		Interval			00:20:00
17:38:00	17:46:00	Teams - Full length demo run & rehearsal	4	00:02:00	00:08:00
		Interval			00:14:00
18:00:00	18:05:00	Water OFF			00:05:00

Course distribution & course approval

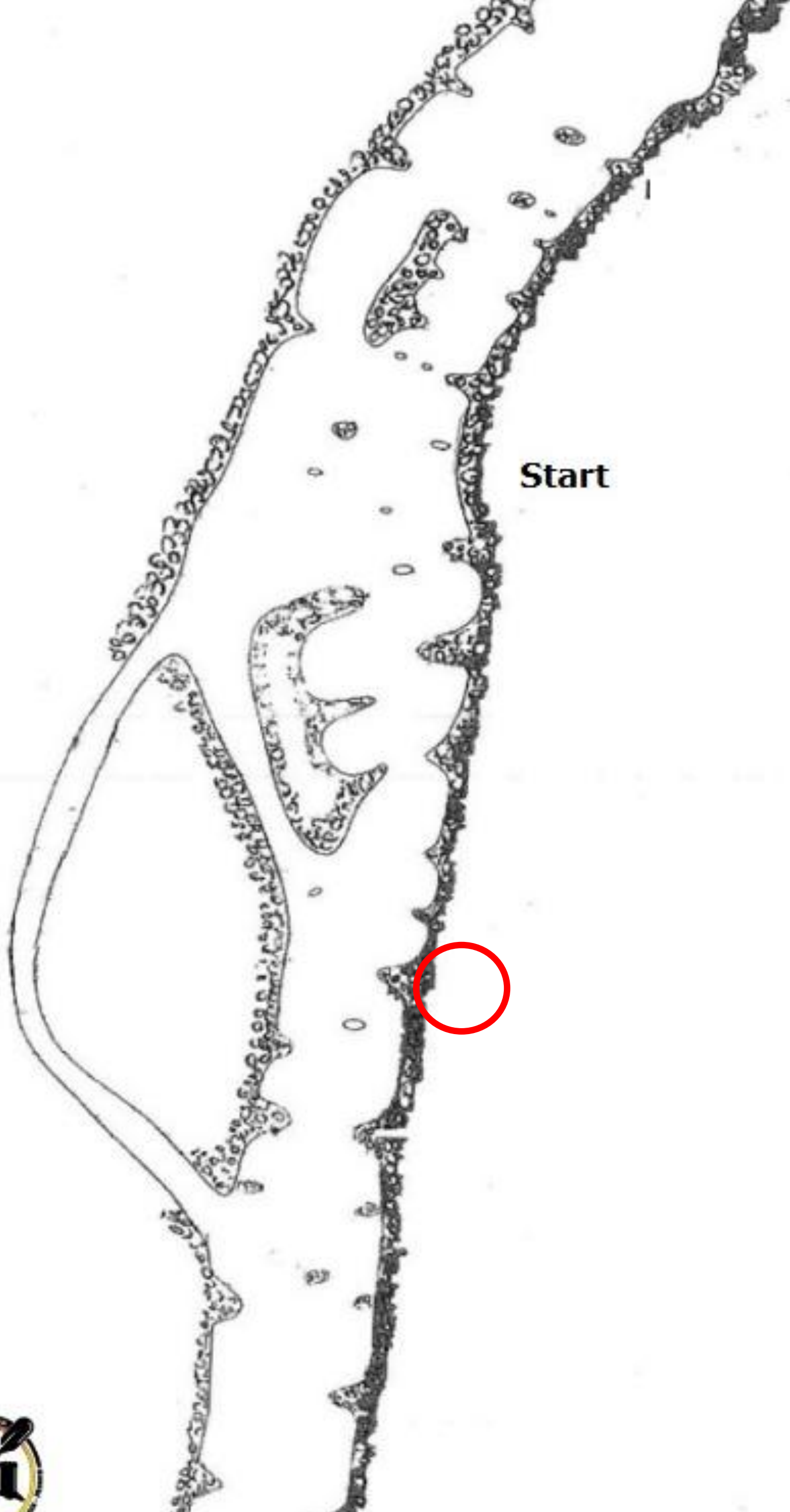
Course distribution:

- **Kayak Cross course map:** available on the ICF event Team Info webpage.
- **Canoe slalom course map (Heats, Semi/Finals & Team events):** will be published and spread on the WhatsApp group on **Monday 07.07.2025 at 14:00**.

Course approval:

Feedback to be reported to the ICF Technical Manager (Manon BOCQUET):

- Heats / Semi & Finals course maps: on **Monday 07.07.2025 from 16:45 to 16:53** on river left, below the Sport Presentation cabin (red circle)



Bib distribution

Training bibs:

- All training bibs need to be given back at the same time after last training, on Monday 7th.

CSL competition bibs:

- **Competition bibs**: will be available at the **Team Leaders tent from 14:00 on Monday 7th of July**.
- Athletes may keep their Canoe Slalom Individual bibs and Athletes who are competing in Kayak Cross only may also keep their Kayak Cross bibs.

Kayak Cross bibs:

- For **Kayak Cross Individual (KCI)**, bibs will be available at the Team Leaders tent **from 16:30 on Friday 11th July**. A deposit of 50€ (only by cash) needs to be paid.
- The KCI bibs will be collected in the mixed zone area once the athlete completes his race.
- For **Elimination phases**, the **numbered and colored bibs** will be distributed **individually at the start area**. All bibs need to be returned at the same time after the race in exchange of your deposit.



CANOE & KAYAK EVENTS

Pre-start procedure

There will be a clock, attached on the Kayak Cross platform, facing upstream showing race time and the next athletes to start.



CANOE & KAYAK EVENTS

Start procedure

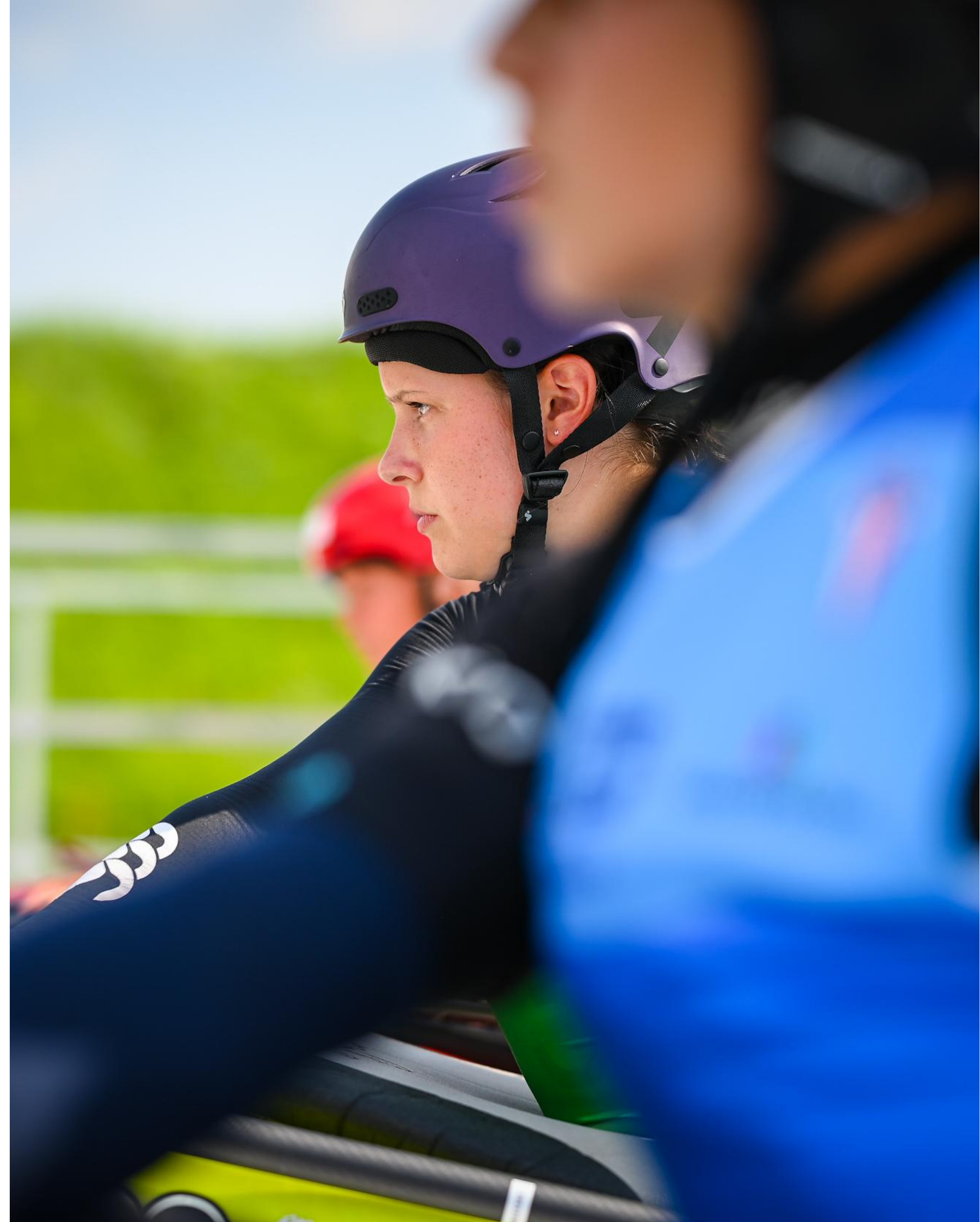
- The starting boat must be in front of the partners' panel, in front of the kayak cross start platform (blue square).
- The beam line is between the rock and river left (red line).
- Athletes may move to the start position once the previous athlete has broken the beam but must be at the start position 15 seconds before their start.



KAYAK CROSS EVENTS

Pre-start procedure

- Athletes need to go through equipment control in the white tents, upstream the kayak cross ramp.
- Access to start ramp will be from the left bank.



KAYAK CROSS EVENTS

Start procedure

➤ Kayak Cross Individual

- Athletes must start from **lane 3** on the platform (second lane from downstream) side.
- The start interval is 50 seconds; athletes should get in their boat directly on the platform.

➤ Elimination phases

- Athletes should be settled in the start position on the ramp **90 seconds before their start time**.
- They should then listen to the sports presentation where they will be introduced to spectators.



KAYAK CROSS EVENTS

Roll zone

The athlete must complete a **360 degrees roll within the designated area** – between the two downstream gates and the hanging red and yellow flags.



CANOE & KAYAK EVENTS

KAYAK CROSS EVENTS

Finish procedure

- The finish beam is marked by **two orange flags** on the bank.
- **Same finish line for canoe & kayak events and kayak cross events.**
- All athletes must exit via the stone stairs at the bottom of the course to pass through equipment control, kiss and cry and mixed zone.
- After the finish line the Athlete needs to remain upstream of the bridge,



ICF TOPICS

- Athletes' Commission
- Sport Equipment survey
- 2026 Calendar for ICF ranking
- Kayak Cross at LA28

ATHLETES' COMMISSION

- Are you interested in helping to share the future of your sport and represent the interests of your fellow athletes?
- Inform your National Federation to submit your nomination
- Deadline: July 14
- Voting: Athletes will cast their votes during the World Championships in Penrith
- Election: Two Slalom athletes (1 male and 1 female)
- Terms in Office: 2025-2029



SPORT EQUIPMENT SURVEY

Please share and fill the
[“Sport Equipment survey”](#)

ICF Canoe Slalom Equipment
Survey Athletes & Coaches



2026 Calendar for ICF ranking

If your national federation wants to organize a ICF ranking event next year, you can apply directly on the [ICF website](#).

Application deadline: 1st of September 2025

Kayak Cross at LA28 Olympics

Whilst the Sport program for LA28 is not yet officially announced the ICF expect it to be the same as for Paris 2024.

Kayak Cross is well integrated into LA28 Olympic program



Penrith World Championships

- **Development camp**

Applications for the development camp in Penrith are open. Information has been sent to all the NFs by email (members@canoeicf.sport) on June 20th, 2025.

Application does not mean selection.

Applications are open for 2 athletes per NF respecting gender equity

Application deadline: 22nd of July 2025

THANK YOU

ENJOY THE COMPETITION

