

ICF PARACANOE for 2019

TALENT IDENTIFICATION PROGRAM

The ICF will run a Paracanoe Talent ID camp prior to the Poznan World Cup and the Szeged World Championships.

The camps will focus on priorities for development within Paracanoe. In order to build participant numbers for the Tokyo 2020 Paralympic Games, five spaces are reserved for women paracanoe athletes who are eligible for the VL2 category. Applicants must meet the following criteria:

- must not have competed in the 2018 World Championships
- be classified as a VL2 athlete, or
- have submitted classification documents to the Head of Classification to assess and preliminary assess a VL2 category
- endorsement by the athlete's National Federation.
- [Application Form](#) can be found on the [ICF Paracanoe Page](#)
- submit application to Jean-Christophe GONNEAUD by March 30: jgonneaud@ffck.org

The camp prior to the Poznan World Cup will be in Hungary at the Dunavarsy Training Centre near Budapest from May 13 to 17 and will include travel to Poznan. All on-site local expenses for accommodation, board and local airport pickup are covered by the Hungarian Canoe Federation. ICF Paracanoe will offer financial support up to €700 toward travel and competition costs in Poznan. Any additional costs are the responsibility of the National Federation.

NOTE: Official athlete classification will occur at the Poznan World Cup and the World Championships. The World Championships in August are the first qualifying event for the Tokyo 2020 Paralympic Games. To be eligible to qualify an athlete position for a National Paralympic Committee, the athlete must have an eligible Status of "Confirmed" or "Review with Fixed Date" with the date after the Tokyo 2020 Paralympic Games.

A separate announcement will be made for the selection process to the TID Camp to precede the World Championships in Szeged in August.