

2022 Para Dance Sport Mainhatten Cup

20.08.-21.8.2022

1. Organiser:

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2. Venue:

**Saalbau Griesheim
Schwarzerlenweg 57
65933 Frankfurt
Germany**

3. Dates:

Arrival dates	19.08.2022
International Classification	19.08.2022
Technical Meeting	19.08.2022
Competition dates	20./21.08.2022
Closing Ceremony	21.08.2022
Departures	22.08.2022

4. Preliminary Program:

The Provisional timetable and events program is attached to this information package
The program will be finalised after the final entries revision.

5. Competition duration:

The competition duration is 2 days plus 1 additional day for International Classification prior to the start of the competition..

6. International Classification:

International Classification will be conducted on 19.08.2022. Detailed classification schedule will follow after the revision of the final entries by World Para Dance Sport Office. All athletes that will be classified must have arrived on time prior the classification process. They must be in the possession of the Para Dance Sport Medical Diagnostic Form and supportive medical document in case wifi is not available (available on the WPDS website <https://www.paralympic.org/dance-sport> on the Downloads and Forms section), wheelchair used during competition and straps, if any.

7. Final Entry Deadline:

31.07.2022: deadline for Final Entry

8. Liability:

All delegation members must have appropriate accident and health insurance accepted in order to compete. No medical insurance will be provided to any of the participants. All participants are responsible for obtaining their own medical insurance (including Repatriation Coverage) and will be responsible for any medical expenses resulting from participation in the event.

The LOC will provide only basic medical services in the venue

9. Eligibility:

Dance couple must consist of a male and a female partner. All wheelchair users must fulfil minimum disability criteria. Couples entries must be submitted by their National Paralympic Committees or authorized Federation by the NPC.

Russian und Belarussian couples are not allowed

10. Judging system and Results:

The "old" judging system will be used for the conventional events.

Only athletes who have been licensed by WPDS (including partners) will be taken in consideration for inclusion in the World Rankings.

Licensing process available at <http://ipc-wheelchairdancesport.org/Downloads/>

11. Ranking:

The minimum number of participating countries per event must be 3.

In case of not reaching the minimum quota of 3 countries in the event, there are two choices:

a) The event is cancelled with no competition at all, or

b) The couple/athlete will be given the option of competing with a higher class (the event will not get specific medals, however in case the athletes reach the podium in the higher class, medals shall be normally awarded).

The placement points will be carried to their specific ranking.

12. Entries, Music and Registration Process:

All entered athletes in the International competition (approved by WPDS) must be registered by World Para Dance Sport by the final entries deadlines. World Para Dance Sport may reject athletes' entries not meeting this criterion.

All athletes must be entered by their respective NPCs or authorized organizations by the NPC and accepted by World Para Dance Sport.

Couples must sign the "Amateur Declaration Statement" in the competition entry form.

Team leaders must bring the music for freestyles on USB key to the team leader meeting on Friday late afternoon (time to be confirmed) in the hotel (19.08.2022). Or music can be submitted via email upfront to the LOC in mp3 format until 15.08.2022

For World Para Dance Sport approved international competitions there is no limit in the number of couples per NPC per event per class.

Late entries: WPDS Office must be informed about every late entry. All respective information must be reviewed on the 'case by case' basis and the entry may be accepted/rejected by the WPDS Office.

Replacements: WPDS Office must be informed about every replacement. Replacements of athletes may be accepted due to injury or medical reasons. All respective medical information regarding the athlete who is to be replaced must be sent to WPDS Office by the respective NPC for further consideration regarding its acceptance/rejection.

All the registration process for the competition is as follows:

31.07.2022: deadline for Final Entry by Name and provisions of details per persons for accreditation.

All Documents must be sent to the two following addresses:

Organising Committee / Wheelchair Dance Sport Association

Wheelchair Dance Sport

Rheinstrasse 30

63225 Langen

Germany

E-mail: mainhattencup@web.de

World Para Dance Sport:

Adenauerallee 212-214, 53113 Bonn, Germany

Fax: +49 228 2097209

E-mail: Info@WorldParaDanceSport.org

13. Entry Fee:

€ 15 per person per day to pay on the day

14. Rules and Regulations:

The competition will be conducted under the World Para Dance Sport Rules and Regulations and World Para Dance Sport Classification Rules and Regulations.

15. Accommodation:

Premier Best Western Hotel Friedberger Warte
Homburger Landstraße 4
60389 Frankfurt
Germany
Tel.: 0049 69 768064-500
Fax.: 0049 69 768064 555
Email: reservierung.frankfurt@ibhotels.de

Hotel registration only through hotel, see papers attached.

Any registration is valid only with credit card OR when paying full hotel costs in advance (see separate details from hotel).

For entries after 31.07.2022: the Organizing Committee is not responsible for providing transport or accommodation.

16. Transport:

Transport from airport to the hotels will be organised by the LOC for accredited persons only. Also local transport by shuttle service between hotels and competition venue will be available for accredited delegates. Transfer costs are **60 euro** per person (airport to the hotel, hotel to the venue, venue to the hotel and from the hotel back to the airport).

18. Entry Forms:

The Entry Forms for individuals are sent together with this Information Package.

19. Visas

In case your delegation needs to get Visa, please contact the LOC. Please also check passport expiration date. Passport needs to be valid 6 month after the last day of the competition.

20. Doping

Doping is forbidden in accordance with the IPC Anti-Doping Code.

21. Therapeutic use exemption

It is an athlete's responsibility to ensure that any medication or method they take to treat an illness or medical condition is not prohibited according to the World Anti-Doping Agency (WADA) Prohibited List.

Athletes may have to take a medication that is on the WADA Prohibited List to treat an acute or chronic illness or medical condition. Before doing so, they must apply for a TUE and be given an approval for the particular medication and/or method. Athletes should consult with their NPC team physician to guide them through this process. All TUEs will be managed as per the WADA International Standard for TUEs (ISTUE) and entered into ADAMS (a secure online database). NPCs are encouraged to:

- Be proactive in assisting their athletes in verifying the status of their medications
 - Identify, along with the athlete's physician, therapeutic use alternatives to prohibited medications or methods, if appropriate
 - Submit legible and complete TUE application forms in a timely manner
- The most common reason a TUE is denied is because of lack of proper medical documentation. Athletes and NPC medical staff are encouraged to ensure documentation related to all medical treatment such as proper diagnoses and treatment plans are included.

22. Corona

Mainhattan Cup will be held according to the German rules for sport events in August. We will inform the teams closer to the event about the news.

As a host we are able to add some points if needed.