



GWA WINGFOIL WORLD CUP Spain 2023

Tarifa Wing Pro 11.-14.10.2023

It is a pleasure to announce the penultimate World Cup event of the GWA WINGFOIL WORLD TOUR 2023

which will be

held in Tarifa on the Southern tip coast of Andalusia, Spain

The dates will be from the 11th to the 14th of October 2023

This is a GWA Wingfoil World Tour event and the competition is sanctioned and governed by the 2023 GWA Wingfoil World Tour Rulebook.

Registration

Entry procedure and Registration

All competitors planning to enter a GWA Wingfoil World Tour event shall pre-register through the GWA Wingfoil World Tour website or under the following direct link:

<https://app.wingfoilworldtour.com/>

or via email to tom@globalwingsportsassociation.org or by other means to be specified by the GWA Sports Commission, no later than the published closing date for entries for that specific event.

Ultimately it is the competitors' responsibility to pre-register or to apply for an entry for an event and to ensure that the application has been received timely and correctly.

According to rule 11.2, fines and/or having their next events applications cancelled may be handed out to a pre-registered and / or qualified competitor who, without advanced notice fails to show up at an event.

Complete and signed entry forms for event registration must be signed and complete online after the application of the competitor got approved by the GWA Sports committee by latest one day after the preregistration period closes. Exceptions can only be granted by the GWA Representative.

If a competitor is unable to complete registration at the published time and place in the Race Notice for reasons beyond their control, then the competitor should contact the GWA Representative with details of their delay, and must gain consent for their registration period to be extended. Evidence must be supplied to support reasons showing that the circumstances were out of the competitor's control. Failure to comply with the above will prohibit a competitor from entering the event.

All riders must preregister for the event **by 12TH September 2023**

The registration mail should contain:



- Full Name:
- Nationality:
- Date of Birth:
- Email
- Telephone/Whatsapp:

All attending riders need to have a valid membership with the GWA to be insured during the participation in the event.

Cost of entry is 80.- Euro for competing in one discipline.

Every competitor needs to hold a valid GWA membership. The GWA membership needs to be obtained before or at the same time when confirming participation for an event and can be paid during the online registration. The membership includes athletes' insurance for accident and third-party liability during the competition.

All entry fee and GWA membership payments must be made before the 22nd of September 2023 via credit card payment through the online registration tool.

Entry restrictions

Entry-fee payments must be made no later than the end of the inscription-time at the respective event. In the case that the full amount of the inscription fee is not paid by the end of the announced inscription-time, the rider will not be allowed to compete. For certain exceptions, late payments can be made in cash at the inscription at the respective event.

Cash-payments will only be accepted in Euros or USD currency!

In order to enter the event, parental consent / authorization must be received for all competitors who are under the age of 18 years old at the registration date.

Eligibility

A competitor is eligible for any GWA event if he meets the following conditions:

- He has a personal medical insurance with worldwide coverage. A valid membership card or certificate, or other satisfactory evidence of worldwide medical coverage may be requested.
- The competitor cannot hold the GWA, the GKA Event Gmbh or the event-organizer responsible for any claims for damages as a consequence of the competitor not having sufficient personal medical insurance.
- The competitor cannot hold the GWA, the GKA Event Gmbh or the event-organizer responsible for any legal liabilities and/or any claims for damages by third parties caused by the competitor.
- He holds a valid competitor's membership with the GWA Wingfoil World Tour

Membership

- Every competitor needs to hold a valid GWA membership. The duration of GWA membership is from the first to the last event of the WWT season.
- Membership fees shall be determined by the GWA at the start of the year and may be changed at any notice during the course of the year.
- At the end of the inscription-time, the rider must be able to prove a valid GWA membership. After confirmation of participation, he will receive a payment link. Payments must be made via credit card. For certain exceptions, late payments can be made in cash at the inscription at the respective event. Cash-payments will only be accepted in Euros or USD currency.



- The cost of the GWA membership is 80 € for competing in one event and 160 € per year (to be paid 80 € at the first event entered and 80 € at the second event entered. The total amount of 160 € can also be paid in once at the first event for the complete year. Membership fees are excluding event fees.)
- The GWA membership fee for Local / National Wildcard holders is reduced to 20 € for competing in one event and 100 € per year (to be paid 20 € at the first event entered when receiving a wildcard and 80 € at the second event entered).
- The membership includes athletes' insurance for accident and third-party liability during the competition. Benefits are only provided in accordance with the current ERAG insurance policy. The GWA Wingfoil World Tour, the GKA Event GmbH, the Global Wingsports Association cannot held liable for any legal and/or financial liability, losses, damages, which might occur from the participation in the competition/event.

Entry allocation

There is a maximum number of 28 male competitors and 28 female competitors entering this event in the Surf-Freestyle discipline.

If the number of preregistered riders exceeds 28, the GWA Sports Commission will select the GWA Wildcards based on their participation and results in other international and national events as well as their wingfoil merits.

When sending video applications, the athlete needs to upload 4 trick videos through the GWA Riders App. Here is the direct link:

<https://app.wingfoilworldtour.com/>

The GWA will publish the GWA wildcard allocation latest on 24th September 2023, two days after the end of preregistration.

CATEGORY	GWA Surf-Freestyle & FreeFly-Slalom	
	28 Surf-Freestyle Riders	48 FreeFly-Slalom Riders
Seeding List	1-16	1-35
GWA QS	17-20	36-40
GWA Wildcards	21-22	41-44
Video Wildcards	23-26	N/A
Organiser Wildcards	27-28	45-48

Seeding

The seeding list for the entry allocation and for the elimination ladder is the current 2023 World Tour Rankins.



GWA Wingfoil World Tour 2023
World Ranking
Surf-Freestyle Men



Surf-Freestyle

2023 Rank #	First Name	Surname
1	Christopher Jr.	MacDonald
2	Alan	Fedit
3	Malo	Guénoilé
4	Axel	Gerard
5	Bastien	Escofet
6	Xavier	Corr
7	Ancor	Sosa
8	Francesco	Cappuzzo
9	Jerome	Cloetens
10	Balz	Müller
11	Noe	Cuyala
12	Benjamin	May
13	Riccardo	Zorzi
14	Lilian	Juppet
15	Clément	Hamon
16	Giulio	Gasperini
17	Titouan	Galea
18	Luca	Vuillermet
19	Vinnicius	Martins
20	Jeremiah	Mcdonald
21	Oscar	Lecclair
22	Chucho	Nonnot
23	Camille	Bouyer
24	Lasse	Harbacek
25	Max	Robinson
26	Stefan	Spießberger
27	Sebastiano	Zorzi
28	Solenn	Gall
29	Julien	Bouyer
30	Liam	Dunkerbeck
30	Benjamin	Castencould
32	Tom	Auber
33	Hugo	Wigglesworth
33	Cash	Berzolla
33	Anthony	Eppen
36	Nathan	Berger
37	Luca	Gasperini
38	Gollito	Estredo
39	Valentin	Lux
40	Nagai	Puntivero
40	Jannik	Salmonn
40	Sil	Romeijn
43	Wesley	Brito
43	Mathis	Ghio
43	Nicolas	Akgazciyan
43	Sam	Esteve
47	Clément	Colmas
47	Zane	Schweitzer
47	Aidan	Nicholas
47	Callum	Robertson
47	Mateo	Eli
47	Basri	Halim
47	Kylie	Taylor
47	Josh	Collins
47	Kiran	Verma
47	Alvaro	Bon
47	Toby	Wigglesworth
47	Simon	Croft
47	Thomas	Robertson
47	Kosta	Gladiadis
61	Luc	Lohier
62	Fabian	Muhmenthaler

GWA Wingfoil World Tour 2023
World Ranking
Surf-Freestyle Women

2023 Rank #	First Name	Surname
1	Nia	Suardiaz
2	Bowien	VanDerLinden
3	Orane	Ceris
4	Viola	Lippitsch
5	Sofia	Marchetti
6	Kylie	Belloeuvre
7	Charlotte	Baruzzi
8	Isabel	Trivino
9	Maria	Behrens
10	Agata	Blach
11	Mar	De Arce
12	Laura	Mayer
13	Elena	Moreno
14	Paula	Novotna
15	Lucia	Trivino
16	Aimee	Bright
17	Camilla	Montironi
18	Cristelle	Baud
19	Tatiana	Grant
20	Eva	Wyss
21	Katarzyna	Trautman
22	Flora	Artzner
23	Christina	Koenig
23	Sonia	LeBouteiller



Disciplines

There will be one official World Cup disciplines in this GWA Wingfoil World Tour event.

- **Surf-Freestyle**

Divisions:

- Pro Men (Surf-Freestyle): Any age (minimum 10 years old in the year of competition)
- Pro Women (Surf-Freestyle): Any age (minimum 10 years old in the year of competition)

There is a minimum number of **4 competitors needed** to run a separate division, otherwise all male and female competitors will run together in one division.

Competitors younger than **14 years need to request a special permission** from the GWA Sports Committee to be able to enter the event.

Important Info

- All riders need to wear a helmet during competition!
- Competitors have to wear the official lycra at all times when proceeding to the water – also during training.
- Each rider will get one competition riders' vest at the registration. Each rider is responsible for his competition riders' vests. In case of loss a replacement is not possible!
- Competitors shall wear the event advertising lycra vest supplied by the Event Organizer over all other clothing, including harness on the water at all times during the event and one (1) board sticker to be placed on the top and on the bottom of the board.
- All competitors are required to abide by the advertising rules as laid out in the Rule Book. Competitors breaching these rules may be warned in writing for the first offence and may incur a fine at the second offence of not more than \$ 500 for each violation.
- All rider meetings and opening/closing ceremonies in the schedule are mandatory to all riders. Please be on time and ready.
- The Riders ID-Strap authorizes you to enter the equipment storage tent. You will receive the Riders ID-Strap personally and only at the registration.
- Riders are not permitted to publicly associate their names in non-authorized parties/autograph sessions.
- There will be a social event-calendar for each side event that all riders have to join via social media and share.
- Please use these media hash tags for all social media posts: @wingfoilworldtour #wingfoilworldtour #globalwingsports #gwawingfoil #wingfoil #wingsurf #wingsurfing #gwa #gwatarifa #tarifa

Equipment storage

There will be secure storage for all riders' equipment at the equipment storage tent from Tuesday, the 10th of October until Sunday, the 15th of October 2023. Access only allowed with valid Rider/Caddy ID-Straps.

Travel info

Airports:

- Malaga (AGP): 2 hours by car
- Jerez (XRY): 1 hour 30min by car
- Seville (SVQ): 2 hour 30min by car
- Gibraltar (GIB): 45min by car



By Car:

There are plenty of affordable car rental agencies operating mainly in Malaga and also the other Spanish airports.

The event address of the GWA Tarifa Wing Pro 2023:

Bibo Beach House Tarifa

N-340, km. 76, 6,

11380 Casas De Porro

Cadiz

<https://grupodanigarcia.com/bibo/tarifa/>

Organiser Contact:

Wet Tarifa S.L.

Jaime Herraiz

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Location map:



Travel documents and Visa:

Every rider is responsible to inform him/herself about visa and travel regulations from your his/her country and what documents are needed. If you need any specific document from the World Tour or event organiser or a visa invitation, please email: liam@globalwingsportsassociation.org

Accommodation for competitors:

<https://www.dunastarifa.com/>

The top 8 riders will have free accommodation at Dunas Tarifa. For other riders Dunas will offer 20% off the daily rate. Please contact HOLA@DUNASTARIFA.COM to book.



When emailing Dunas please quote you are booking due to the 'GWA World Cup Wing Pro' and provide the following details below, they will then be able to assist with your enquiry.

NAME
LAST NAME
EMAIL ADDRESS
CONTACT PHONE NUMBER
NUMBER OF PERSONS
CHECK IN DATE
CHECK OUT DATE

Hotel Dunas is very close to the competition area and having opened in August 2023 have great facilities. You can take a look at Dunas here.

<https://www.dunastarifa.com/gallery/>
<https://www.dunastarifa.com/>
<https://www.facebook.com/profile.php?id=100093493167545>

Below are a few terms and conditions.

- The guest can cancel the reservation free of charge up to 5 days before the arrival date. The client will have to pay the total price of the reservation if he/she cancels during the 5 days before the arrival date.
- No payment in advance is required.
- Breakfast buffet included
- No smoking on the site
- No reservations for parties or bachelor/bachelorette parties that may cause noise after 00H are allowed.
- Pets are not allowed
- Check in 15h
- Check out 12h
- Free parking on the site.

Event parking:

There will be free parking for athletes at Bibo Beach Club with a special parking pass.

Weather:

The average minimum temperature in Tarifa during October is 16.8°C (62.24°F). Expect very pleasant temperatures during the day with the average maximum daytime temperature around 20.7°C.

The average sea water temperature in Tarifa during October is 21.2° so a wetsuit or some sort of neoprene would be useful.

Sunrise is approximately 08.30h and sunset is 19.45h.

Wind direction and Spot info

- Levante: Easterly winds blowing 20-40 knots side shore at Valdevaqueros
- Poniente: Westerly winds blowing around 12-25 knots cross onshore at Valdevaqueros.

You can find the best online wind forecasts on Windguru and Windy.



Event Schedule

Wednesday 11th October 2023

08.30-10.00: Inscription @ Race Office

11.00: Riders Meeting

12.00-19.00: Competition

19.00: Opening Ceremony

Thursday 12th October 2023

10.00: Skippers Meeting

11.00-19.00: competition

Friday 13th October 2023

10.00: Skippers Meeting

11.00-19.00: competition

Saturday 14th October 2023

10.00: Skippers Meeting

11.00-18.00: competition

19.00: Prize Giving

Be aware that times of competition can change and will depend on weather conditions. Skippers Meeting for the following day will always be communicated at the end of the previous day!

Equipment

- Only hydrofoils are eligible for use in competition. There are not any restrictions on the size, length and width of the quiver
- The leading edge from the wing must be inflatable.
- Footstraps, pads and wax are allowed.
- The use of a safety leash to secure the wing is mandatory.
- The use of a helmet is mandatory.
- The use of a board leash could be mandatory depending on the conditions. It will be announced by the Race Director and posted in the Official Notice Board at least thirty (30) minutes before the start of the heat.

Prize money – Surf Freestyle & FreeFly-Slalom

The prizemoney for the GWA Wingfoil World Cup 2023 in TARIFA will be **10.000 Euro**.

Prize money distribution

The full amount of the advertised prize money shall be payable when a valid result stands as specified in the relevant subsections of the GWA Rulebook.

The WWT, the GWA and/or the event organiser have got the right to subtract the competitors' individual withhold-tax from the prizemoney to be paid out. The WWT, the GWA and/or the event organiser have got the right to pay the individual withhold-tax on behalf of the competitor to the national tax- authorities of the country in which the event takes place. The WWT, the GWA and/or the event organiser shall give



all necessary information and documents of the tax-payment made to the competitor for his personal disposal.

Ten per cent (10%) of the available prize money (1.000 Euro. at this event) will be allocated to the overall ranking.

The prize money distribution per event between genders will be done equally until 4th position. After that, the prize money will be distributed between genders based on the number of participants. The prize money distribution of each discipline for a valid and completed WWT event is specified in the relevant subsections of this Rulebook.

Prize Split – Surf Freestyle

- The prize money distribution for a valid and completed WWT event will be done according to the following:
- If there is 16 or more competitors in one gender and less than 16 competitors in the other gender then the prize split will be as followed:
- 40% of total prize money are split between Top 4 women
- 40% of total prize money are split between Top 4 men
- 20% of total prize money are split between Positions 5-8 of the gender with more than 16 competitors (4 riders in equal 5th place)
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Gender with 16 or more		Gender with less than 16	
position	percentage (%)	position	percentage (%)
1	15	1	15
2	10	2	10
3	8	3	8
4	7	4	7
Total 1- 4	40	Total 1- 4	40
5	5		
5	5		
5	5		
5	5		
Total 5-8	20		

- If there are 16 or more competitors in both genders the prize split will be as followed:
- 50% of total prize money are split between Top 8 women
- 50% of total prize money are split between Top 8 men

16 or more women		16 or more men	
position	percentage (%)	position	percentage (%)



1	14	1	14
2	9	2	9
3	7	3	7
4	6	4	6
5	3,5	5	3,5
5	3,5	5	3,5
5	3,5	5	3,5
5	3,5	5	3,5
Total	50	Total	50

- If there are less than 16 competitors in both genders the prize split will be as followed:
- 50% of total prize money are split between Top 4 women
- 50% of total prize money are split between Top 4 men

Less than 16 women		Less than 16 men	
position	percentage (%)	position	percentage (%)
1	19	1	19
2	14	2	14
3	10	3	10
4	7	4	7
Total	50	Total	50

Surf-Freestyle Discipline

The Elimination procedure shall be:

- Competitors' names shall be entered on the appropriate elimination ladder according to the event seeding and the heat distribution table below.
- Competitors with no ranking will be distributed in the WWT ladder according to the name drawing that shall be done by the Race Director at the first day mandatory meeting for all competitors before the competition starts.
- "Byes," if any, shall be positioned so that they are allocated to the most highly ranked competitors.
- Competitors shall ride one against one, or in groups of up to 4. The declared winners shall advance on the elimination ladder. Once a round is started, the format shall stay the same until that round is



completed.

Elimination Ladders – Surf Freestyle

The elimination ladder used for the WWT Surf-Freestyle events shall be a 28 Dingle and 12 Dingle elimination.

ROUND #1	ROUND #2	ROUND #3	ROUND #4	ROUND #5	ROUND #6	SEMI-FINALS	FINALS
Seed HEAT #1 28 22 10	Seed HEAT #2 27 23 19	Seed HEAT #3 26 24 20	Seed HEAT #4 25 21 18	Seed HEAT #5 24 20 17	Seed HEAT #6 23 19 16	Seed HEAT #7 22 18 15	Seed HEAT #8 21 17 14
Seed HEAT #9 20 16 13	Seed HEAT #10 19 15 12	Seed HEAT #11 18 14 11	Seed HEAT #12 17 13 10	Seed HEAT #13 16 12 9	Seed HEAT #14 15 11 8	Seed HEAT #15 14 10 7	Seed HEAT #16 13 9 6
Seed HEAT #17 12 8 5	Seed HEAT #18 11 7 4	Seed HEAT #19 10 6 3	Seed HEAT #20 9 5 2	Seed HEAT #21 8 4 1	Seed HEAT #22 7 3 0	Seed HEAT #23 6 2 -1	Seed HEAT #24 5 1 -2
Seed HEAT #25 4 0 -3	Seed HEAT #26 3 -1 -4	Seed HEAT #27 2 -2 -5	Seed HEAT #28 1 -3 -6	Seed HEAT #29 0 -4 -7	Seed HEAT #30 -1 -5 -8	Seed HEAT #31 -2 -6 -9	Seed HEAT #32 -3 -7 -10
Seed HEAT #33 -4 -7 -10	Seed HEAT #34 -5 -8 -11	Seed HEAT #35 -6 -9 -12	Seed HEAT #36 -7 -10 -13	Seed HEAT #37 -8 -11 -14	Seed HEAT #38 -9 -12 -15	Seed HEAT #39 -10 -13 -16	Seed HEAT #40 -11 -14 -17
Seed HEAT #41 -12 -15 -18	Seed HEAT #42 -13 -16 -19	Seed HEAT #43 -14 -17 -20	Seed HEAT #44 -15 -18 -21	Seed HEAT #45 -16 -19 -22	Seed HEAT #46 -17 -20 -23	Seed HEAT #47 -18 -21 -24	Seed HEAT #48 -19 -22 -25
Seed HEAT #49 -20 -23 -26	Seed HEAT #50 -21 -24 -27	Seed HEAT #51 -22 -25 -28	Seed HEAT #52 -23 -26 -29	Seed HEAT #53 -24 -27 -30	Seed HEAT #54 -25 -28 -31	Seed HEAT #55 -26 -29 -32	Seed HEAT #56 -27 -30 -33
Seed HEAT #57 -28 -31 -34	Seed HEAT #58 -29 -32 -35	Seed HEAT #59 -30 -33 -36	Seed HEAT #60 -31 -34 -37	Seed HEAT #61 -32 -35 -38	Seed HEAT #62 -33 -36 -39	Seed HEAT #63 -34 -37 -40	Seed HEAT #64 -35 -38 -41
Seed HEAT #65 -36 -39 -42	Seed HEAT #66 -37 -40 -43	Seed HEAT #67 -38 -41 -44	Seed HEAT #68 -39 -42 -45	Seed HEAT #69 -40 -43 -46	Seed HEAT #70 -41 -44 -47	Seed HEAT #71 -42 -45 -48	Seed HEAT #72 -43 -46 -49
Seed HEAT #73 -44 -47 -50	Seed HEAT #74 -45 -48 -51	Seed HEAT #75 -46 -49 -52	Seed HEAT #76 -47 -50 -53	Seed HEAT #77 -48 -51 -54	Seed HEAT #78 -49 -52 -55	Seed HEAT #79 -50 -53 -56	Seed HEAT #80 -51 -54 -57
Seed HEAT #81 -52 -55 -58	Seed HEAT #82 -53 -56 -59	Seed HEAT #83 -54 -57 -60	Seed HEAT #84 -55 -58 -61	Seed HEAT #85 -56 -59 -62	Seed HEAT #86 -57 -60 -63	Seed HEAT #87 -58 -61 -64	Seed HEAT #88 -59 -62 -65
Seed HEAT #89 -60 -63 -66	Seed HEAT #90 -61 -64 -67	Seed HEAT #91 -62 -65 -68	Seed HEAT #92 -63 -66 -69	Seed HEAT #93 -64 -67 -70	Seed HEAT #94 -65 -68 -71	Seed HEAT #95 -66 -69 -72	Seed HEAT #96 -67 -70 -73
Seed HEAT #97 -68 -71 -74	Seed HEAT #98 -69 -72 -75	Seed HEAT #99 -70 -73 -76	Seed HEAT #100 -71 -74 -77	Seed HEAT #101 -72 -75 -78	Seed HEAT #102 -73 -76 -79	Seed HEAT #103 -74 -77 -80	Seed HEAT #104 -75 -78 -81
Seed HEAT #105 -76 -79 -82	Seed HEAT #106 -77 -80 -83	Seed HEAT #107 -78 -81 -84	Seed HEAT #108 -79 -82 -85	Seed HEAT #109 -80 -83 -86	Seed HEAT #110 -81 -84 -87	Seed HEAT #111 -82 -85 -88	Seed HEAT #112 -83 -86 -89
Seed HEAT #113 -84 -87 -90	Seed HEAT #114 -85 -88 -91	Seed HEAT #115 -86 -89 -92	Seed HEAT #116 -87 -90 -93	Seed HEAT #117 -88 -91 -94	Seed HEAT #118 -89 -92 -95	Seed HEAT #119 -90 -93 -96	Seed HEAT #120 -91 -94 -97
Seed HEAT #121 -92 -95 -98	Seed HEAT #122 -93 -96 -99	Seed HEAT #123 -94 -97 -100	Seed HEAT #124 -95 -98 -101	Seed HEAT #125 -96 -99 -102	Seed HEAT #126 -97 -100 -103	Seed HEAT #127 -98 -101 -104	Seed HEAT #128 -99 -102 -105
Seed HEAT #129 -100 -103 -106	Seed HEAT #130 -101 -104 -107	Seed HEAT #131 -102 -105 -108	Seed HEAT #132 -103 -106 -109	Seed HEAT #133 -104 -107 -110	Seed HEAT #134 -105 -108 -111	Seed HEAT #135 -106 -109 -112	Seed HEAT #136 -107 -110 -113
Seed HEAT #137 -108 -111 -114	Seed HEAT #138 -109 -112 -115	Seed HEAT #139 -110 -113 -116	Seed HEAT #140 -111 -114 -117	Seed HEAT #141 -112 -115 -118	Seed HEAT #142 -113 -116 -119	Seed HEAT #143 -114 -117 -120	Seed HEAT #144 -115 -118 -121
Seed HEAT #145 -116 -119 -122	Seed HEAT #146 -117 -120 -123	Seed HEAT #147 -118 -121 -124	Seed HEAT #148 -119 -122 -125	Seed HEAT #149 -120 -123 -126	Seed HEAT #150 -121 -124 -127	Seed HEAT #151 -122 -125 -128	Seed HEAT #152 -123 -126 -129
Seed HEAT #153 -124 -127 -130	Seed HEAT #154 -125 -128 -131	Seed HEAT #155 -126 -129 -132	Seed HEAT #156 -127 -130 -133	Seed HEAT #157 -128 -131 -134	Seed HEAT #158 -129 -132 -135	Seed HEAT #159 -130 -133 -136	Seed HEAT #160 -131 -134 -137
Seed HEAT #161 -132 -135 -138	Seed HEAT #162 -133 -136 -139	Seed HEAT #163 -134 -137 -140	Seed HEAT #164 -135 -138 -141	Seed HEAT #165 -136 -139 -142	Seed HEAT #166 -137 -140 -143	Seed HEAT #167 -138 -141 -144	Seed HEAT #168 -139 -142 -145
Seed HEAT #169 -140 -143 -146	Seed HEAT #170 -141 -144 -147	Seed HEAT #171 -142 -145 -148	Seed HEAT #172 -143 -146 -149	Seed HEAT #173 -144 -147 -150	Seed HEAT #174 -145 -148 -151	Seed HEAT #175 -146 -149 -152	Seed HEAT #176 -147 -150 -153
Seed HEAT #177 -148 -151 -154	Seed HEAT #178 -149 -152 -155	Seed HEAT #179 -150 -153 -156	Seed HEAT #180 -151 -154 -157	Seed HEAT #181 -152 -155 -158	Seed HEAT #182 -153 -156 -159	Seed HEAT #183 -154 -157 -160	Seed HEAT #184 -155 -158 -161
Seed HEAT #185 -156 -159 -162	Seed HEAT #186 -157 -160 -163	Seed HEAT #187 -158 -161 -164	Seed HEAT #188 -159 -162 -165	Seed HEAT #189 -160 -163 -166	Seed HEAT #190 -161 -164 -167	Seed HEAT #191 -162 -165 -168	Seed HEAT #192 -163 -166 -169
Seed HEAT #193 -164 -167 -170	Seed HEAT #194 -165 -168 -171	Seed HEAT #195 -166 -169 -172	Seed HEAT #196 -167 -170 -173	Seed HEAT #197 -168 -171 -174	Seed HEAT #198 -169 -172 -175	Seed HEAT #199 -170 -173 -176	Seed HEAT #200 -171 -174 -177
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- Judging Criteria are applied to score individual waves or tricks performed.
- The maximum of attempts per wave or trick will be up to the Head Judge. A notice must be made on the Official Notice Board 30 minutes before the heat starts.
- One or two panels of judges, each panel comprising an odd number of judges, no less than three (3) in number, shall score each heat. When there are five (5) judges, the highest and the lowest scores per wave or scoring category will be withdrawn and the average scores of the other three (3) judges will be counted as the final wave or category score.
- If a judge misses a wave or a trick they should place an "M" and that score will be given points equal to the average to the nearest thousandth of a point (0.005 to be rounded upward) of the other judges' scores.
- The judges shall award each competitor's wave or trick or judging category points on a scale from 0.1 to 10.0, broken into one-hundredths increments (e.g 6.444).
- Each individual score is rounded to the nearest hundredths place. The rounded scores are added to calculate the final score.
- The scores of the respective competitors shall be tabulated together to determine the winner: highest points wins.
- The weight given to waves, tricks and judging categories will be announced by the Head Judge and in the Official Notice Board at least thirty (30) minutes before the start of the heat.
- If a competitor lands the trick wet and doesn't lose the board, the judges will still give some credit to the trick. It's at the discretion of each judge to consider if it's a crash or a wet landing and to consider how much credit they will give to the trick, based on the commitment, technical difficulty, height, and time spent going up to the board.
- The credit given to wet trick landings is directly related to the risk factor involved in the execution of the trick. For tricks with a high degree of risk factor, judges won't deduct points for a wet landing.

A trick is a crash only if the majority of the judges consider it as a crash. If the minority of the judges consider a trick as a crash, those crashes will be withdrawn and the judges will reconsider the trick in the other scoring categories.

- A crash will be considered when:
- a competitor finishes the trick by pulling the leash to get the wing back.
- when landing a trick, a competitor is capsized, losing control of the board or wing.
- a competitor lands a jump but loses the wing.
- a competitor lands a jump but crashes the wing into water and completely stops.

Judges may give credit to a landed trick that is not a crash when:

a competitor lands a jump and crashes the wing into the water, but manages to relaunch it and keep riding without completely stopping.

The credit given to such a trick is directly related to the risk factor and technicality involved in the execution of the trick.

It's at the discretion of each judge to consider how much credit they will give to the trick.

Overall Impression Scoring procedure

An overall impression score may be used in addition to the trick scores counting towards the final heat result. Criteria of variety, "wow" factor, smoothness, innovation, tricks landed vs crashes, and commitment impact the Overall Impression score. The points awarded to the Overall Impression score counting towards the final result per competitor during a heat will be announced by the Head Judge and posted in the Official Notice Board at least thirty (30) minutes before the start of the heat.



Judging Criteria

Judging criteria for the waves

Judging Criteria are applied to score individual waves ridden. Each judge analyses the following major elements when scoring a wave:

- (i) Degree of difficulty of the manoeuvres performed.
- (ii) Commitment in the manoeuvres performed and the risk taken to perform them.
- (iii) Variety and combination of manoeuvres within the same wave.
- (iv) Speed and power.
- (v) Flow and linking of manoeuvres.
- (vi) Size of the waves ridden, directly linked to the degree of difficulty of manoeuvres performed in each wave.
- (vii) Innovative and progressive manoeuvres.

It's important to note that the emphasis of certain elements is contingent upon the location and the conditions on the day, as well as changes of conditions during the day.

Competitors must combine the major key elements in order to be awarded scores in the excellent range

The following scale may be used to describe a wave ridden that is scored:

- 0 – 1.9 = Poor;
- 2.0 – 3.9 = Fair;
- 4.0 – 5.9 = Average;
- 6.0 – 7.9 = Good;
- 8.0 – 10.0 = Excellent.

Judging criteria for Freestyle tricks

(i) *Height and amplitude* – The combination of height and amplitude of the tricks completed during the heat. As the wind conditions increase, this aspect will exponentially become more and more into consideration, but only when the height and amplitude are achieved along with risk factor and technical difficulty.

(ii) *Technical Difficulty* – The technical difficulty of tricks completed during the heat.

(iii) *Power* – The power during the execution of the tricks. Power will be considered as a combination of speed into the trick to pop and speed out during the landing, height and amplitude during the trick.

(iv) *Risk factor* – The risk factor is directly linked to the power, height, amplitude and technical difficulty of the jump, but also to the commitment of the competitor and physical challenge during the execution, duration of the critical moment, and energy on the execution.

(v) *Smoothness* – Smoothness and fluidity during the execution and landing of tricks completed during the heat.

(vi) *Innovation* – Tricks that have never been landed in competition before.

Innovation factor

Extra coefficient for Innovation

Scores for innovative manoeuvres will be multiplied by a coefficient value depending on the level of difficulty to help incentivize innovations to be performed. After the average score comes up on the system, the Head judge will multiply it by the relative value for innovation tricks.

There are two extra coefficient values:

- The inverted manoeuvres will be multiplied by x 1.3
- The flat manoeuvres will be multiplied by x 1.2



Rulebook

The "GWA Wingfoil World Tour Rulebook 2023" can be accessed here -
<https://wingfoilworldtour.com/rulebooks/2023/GWA%20Rulebook%202023.pdf>

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As a competitor, I agree to respect the racing rules and in particular:

- to display visibly the sailing-number attributed to me.
- to wear the official event-competition-lycra at all times when proceeding to the water (also during training) as well as during interviews, official presentations and on podium.
- to wear a life jacket and safety helmet during the competition,
- to follow the recommendations and/or instructions provided by the crew.
- to place board stickers (GWA Wingfoil World Tour & Event sponsor) on the top and on the bottom of the board at all time during the event (competitions, interviews, media conferences, award ceremony...).
- to take note that all rider meetings, opening/closing ceremonies and media conferences requested by the Event Organizer are mandatory to all riders. I assure that I'll be on time and ready.
- I'm aware that a non-observance of this rule will incur a fine of up to 500 USD. Any competitor finishing in the top 3 positions who fails to attend the awards ceremony on time - without being justified by a force of major circumstance - will incur a fine equal to their earned prize money for the event. Furthermore fine can incur an additional penalty of up to 1.000 USD and suspension for the next event.

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