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WORLD AQUATICS HIGH DIVING WORLD CUP FORT LAUDERDALE 2023


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26-27 MAY 2023



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501 Seabreeze Boulevard, Fort Lauderdale, FL, USA, 33316



PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

World Aquatics High Diving World Cup 2023



It gives me great pleasure to welcome the world's best high divers and their respective National Federations to the World Aquatics High Diving World Cup set to take place in Fort Lauderdale (USA) from 26-27 May 2023.

The event will see the world's best high divers compete in the state-of-the-art Fort Lauderdale Aquatic Centre following its impressive renovation. With its oceanside setting on the southeastern Florida coast, having hosted thousands of aquatics events in its 95-year history, and the only facility in the western hemisphere with 20m and 27m high diving towers, I couldn't think of a better place to showcase our athletes in the major high diving event before the World Aquatics Championships – Fukuoka 2023.

I have no doubt that this world-class venue and beautiful location will provide the ideal environment for our high divers to perform at their peak. Since the first High Diving World Cup in 2014, the competition has brought together the best international high divers and cemented itself as an important global competition on the aquatics calendar. We have seen incredible performances as athletes execute ever-higher degree of difficulty dives, which I am sure will continue this year.

Open to all national federations with more high divers than ever before, this event will play an important role in athlete qualification for this year's upcoming World Aquatics Championships.

I am sure that Fort Lauderdale will provide our athletes and spectators with a 'perfect 10' when it comes to great entertainment and hospitality. And thanks to the support of the Local Organising Committee, local authorities, volunteers and international media, the World Aquatics High Diving World Cup 2023 will represent another wave of success for this spectacular competition.

I would like to take this opportunity to express my sincere thanks to the host city and sponsors for hosting what is set to be a captivating event. To all the athletes competing, I wish you the best of luck!



Captain Husain Al-Musallam
World Aquatics President

1 GENERAL INFORMATION

USA Diving and World Aquatics are pleased to invite you to the 2023 World Aquatics High Dive World Cup, to be held 26-27 May 2023 in Fort Lauderdale, Florida, United States of America. We look forward to welcoming you to the sunny, beachside Fort Lauderdale Aquatic Center.

HOST

USA Diving
9801 Fall Creek Road #412
Indianapolis, IN 46256
[Federation Website](#)

EVENT COVERAGE

Event website will be available at worldaquatics.com and usadiving.org.




Live Results and Broadcast will be available on the Event Website for the duration of the event.

TICKETING




This event is open to spectators and visitors. All events will be ticketed. Tickets will be available for purchase through the Event Website and on-site at the venue.

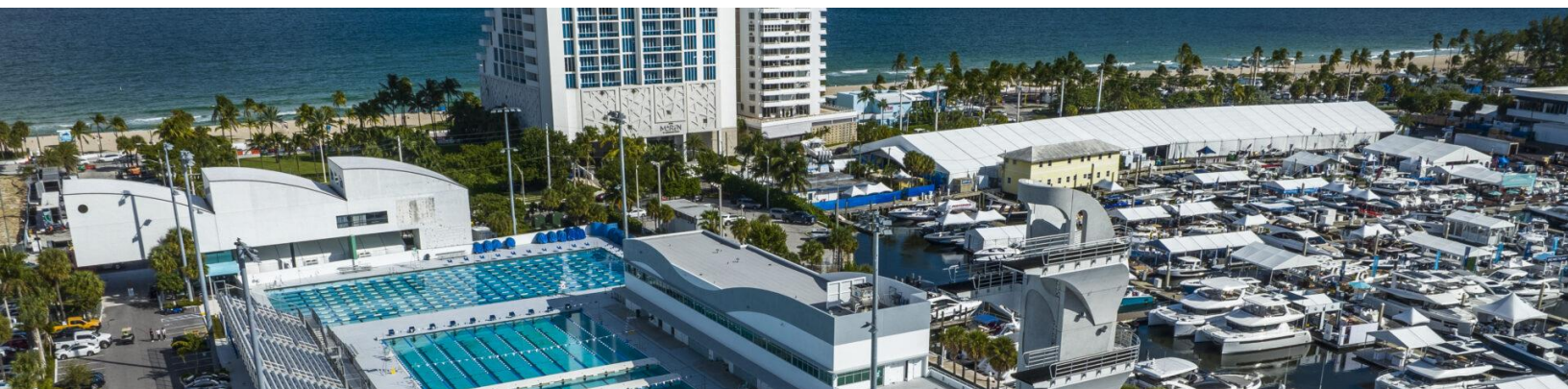
SOCIAL MEDIA

Organizing Committee (USA Diving)

 @usa_diving
 @USADiving
 @USADivingTV

World Aquatics (AQUA)

 @world_aquatics
 @WorldAquatics
 @World Aquatics



VENUE

Fort Lauderdale Aquatic Center
 501 Seabreeze Boulevard
 Fort Lauderdale, Florida, USA 33316
[Venue Website](#) [Google Maps](#)

POOL

The pool has two (2) 1-Meter springboards, three (3) 3-Meter springboards, platforms (1-Meter, 3-Meter, 5-Meter, 7.5-Meter, 10-Meter), and high dive platforms (15-Meter, 20-Meter, 24-Meter, 27-Meter).

DRYLAND

Limited dryland equipment will be available. Three (3) panel mats and one (1) 8-inch crash mat will be available on-deck for stretching and flipping.

WEATHER IN FT. LAUDERDALE IN LATE MAY

Weather in Fort Lauderdale in late May is generally sunny and temperate, with an average temperature of 80°F (27°C).

Please plan accordingly for lots of sun and sporadic storms.



HIGH 85°F (30°C) **LOW** 72°F (22°C)



6.5 inches (165mm) 10 Days of Rain



Average wind forecast for May is 9.5 mph (15 kmh)



LOCAL ORGANIZING COMMITTEE

Please direct all inquiries, requests, and communications to olivi@usadiving.org.

Event Coordinator

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+41 21 310 47 10**AQUA DELEGATES**

THDC (Technical High Dive Committee) Representatives will be announced in due time.

WELCOME AND ACCREDITATION

There will be welcome information available at both the host hotel and the venue.
Accreditations will be distributed upon arrival to the hotel if payment has been received by the Host Committee.

2 IMPORTANT DEADLINES

DEADLINE		DATE
Visa Invitation Letter Request by email to LOC	LINK	As soon as Possible
Preliminary Accommodation Form to LOC	LINK	As soon as Possible
Video Link for THDC Safe to Compete Panel	LINK	19 April 2023
Final Accommodation Form to LOC	LINK	26 April 2023
Final Registration and Sport Entries in GMS	LINK	26 April 2023
Flight Details in GMS	LINK	10 May 2023
Earliest Arrival		23 May 2023
Official Training Dates		24-25 May 2023
Technical Meeting		25 May 2023
Athlete Celebration and Welcome		26 May 2023
Competition Dates		26-27 May 2023
Latest Departure		28 May 2023

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REGISTRATION AND ENTRY PROCESS

All nominations and sport entries shall be made electronically by the Federation via the AQUA [General Management System](#) (GMS) by the deadline of 26 April 2023, 23:59 GMT.

Access to your registration system should be via the logins previously supplied to your Federation. If you require any assistance with the registration process, please contact gms@worldaquatics.com.

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TRAVEL INFORMATION

AIRPORT

All arrivals and departures must occur to and from Fort Lauderdale-Hollywood International Airport (FLL). Please look for USA Diving staff when arriving in Fort Lauderdale.

Please be aware that transportation to and from the airport will only be coordinated if your flight information is entered correctly in the GMS by 10 May 2023.

VISA PROCESS

Citizens of certain countries and territories need Visas to enter or travel in the United States.

Upon request sent to oliviav@usadiving.org, USA Diving will provide visa assistance by issuing a formal Invitation Letter.

To see if you need a Visa to enter the United States, please visit: <https://travel.state.gov/content/travel/en/us-visas/tourism-visit/visa-waiver-program.html>

Please be aware that due to current circumstances, we expect the visa process to take much longer than in the past, and we encourage you to begin this process as early as possible to avoid issues obtaining visas and travel delays.

Please contact us immediately if you require visa assistance.

COVID-19 PROTOCOLS AND TESTING

Non-U.S. Citizens and non-U.S. Immigrants MUST show proof of being [fully vaccinated](#) with the primary series of an [accepted COVID-19 vaccine](#) before you board your flight to the United States. Only limited [exceptions](#) apply. No PCR test is required for entry.

Click [HERE](#) for the most up-to-date information regarding international travel to and from the USA. You can use the Travel Assessment "Get Started" button at this link to help understand the requirements for entry into the United States.

5 PARTICIPATION

The competition is open to every World Aquatics Member Federation (except for suspended Member Federations) with the following conditions of Entry:

- Up to four (4) entries per Member Federation for each Events.
- A maximum of 30 athletes per gender will be accepted.
- To participate, the high divers must have competed at a previous World Aquatics Event or Red Bull Cliff Diving World Series.
- If a Member Federation wants to register new high divers who have never competed at a World Aquatics High Diving Event or at the Red Bull Cliff Diving World Series, the Member Federation must send a link to videos where the 'World Aquatics Technical High Diving Committee Safe to Compete Panel' can review and approve accordingly. The videos need to be sent to highdiving@worldaquatics.com by April 19th, 2023.
- The host may enter additional divers to compete for a maximum of 5 per gender.

Qualification for the World Aquatics Championships – Fukuoka 2023

The World Aquatics High Diving World Cup – Fort Lauderdale 2023 will serve as a direct qualification for the World Aquatics Championships – Fukuoka 2023. The top 24 women and top 24 men high divers from the final ranking, with a maximum of 3 per gender per Member Federation, will qualify for the World Aquatics Championships – Fukuoka 2023.

World Aquatics reserves the rights to invite wild cards as necessary. Such decision will be made and communicated in due course.

Upon completion of the qualification competition, if the maximum quota of 24 athletes in an event is not reached, the additional spots may be filled by the 4th highest ranked athlete (based on the World Aquatics High Diving World Cup – Fort Lauderdale 2023 event ranking) from a given federation who has achieved the qualification standard (230 points for men, 185 points for women).

6 HIGH DIVING RULES

The 2023 World Aquatics High Dive World Cup will be conducted under AQUA high diving competition rules. Click [HERE](#) to see the World Aquatics High Dive rules.

The 2023 World Aquatics High Dive World Cup will contest one Men's 27-Meter event, and one Women's 20-Meter event. Please refer to the Rules and Regulations for further information on each of the events.

7 JUDGES

World Aquatics will nominate the technical officials.

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TENTATIVE SCHEDULE

23 MAY
Arrival Day
24 MAY
Official Training Day 1
25 MAY
Official Training Day 2
26 MAY
Competition Day 1

Women's	Men's
Round 1: Required Dive (Max DD 2.6)	Round 1: Required Dive (Max DD 2.8)
Round 2: Optional Dive (No DD Limit)	Round 2: Optional Dive (No DD Limit)

Athlete Recognition and Welcome Concert
27 MAY
Competition Day 2

Women's	Men's
Round 3: Intermediate Dive (Max DD 3.4)	Round 3: Intermediate Dive (Max DD 3.6)
Round 4: Optional Dive* (No DD Limit)	Round 4: Optional Dive* (No DD Limit)
<i>*Reverse Order of Placement After Round 3</i>	

28 MAY
Departure Day

**Please note that schedule may be subject to change based on numbers, weather, and broadcast requirements.*

9 ACCOMMODATIONS AND MEALS

Full board hospitality will begin with dinner on 23 May 2023 and will end with breakfast on 28 May 2023.

Click [HERE](#) for the Preliminary Accommodation Form.

Click [HERE](#) for the Final Accommodation Form.

Prices include hotel accommodations, transportation to and from the airport (FLL), and meal's during the team's stay. Hotel accommodations are provided by the Courtyard Marriott at Fort Lauderdale Beach with either a two double/queen beds option or a one king bed option. Three meals will be provided each day, starting with lunch on the arrival day and ending with breakfast on the departure day. All fees are USD.

HOST HOTEL

Courtyard by Marriott Fort Lauderdale Beach
 440 Seabreeze Boulevard
 Fort Lauderdale, FL 33316
[Hotel Website](#)

Distance from FLL	7.8 Miles (12.5 Kilometers)
Distance from Venue	341 Feet (0.1 Kilometer) *Walking Distance
Rate – Single Occupancy	400.00 USD / per person / per night
Rate – Double Occupancy	250.00 USD / per person / per night

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TRANSPORTATION

Free transportation to and from the Fort Lauderdale-Hollywood International Airport (FLL) will be provided upon arrival and for departure to athletes, coaches, and team staff who have booked their accommodations through the LOC with the official host hotel.

Transportation between the pool and hotel will not be provided, as the facility is within walking distance from the host hotel.

Please be sure to enter **ACCURATE** travel information in the AQUA GMS by the prescribed deadline. The Organizing Committee will arrange transportation according to the flight details entered in the system.

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PAYMENT SCHEDULE

Payment to the Organizing Committee will be due as follows:

50% of the Overall Payment: 26 April 2023
(Invoice will be sent upon booking)

Remaining Balance: 5 May 2023

Any cancellations after 28 April 2023 are subject to pay the first two days of participation costs.

SEND WIRES TO:

SWIFT: FTBMUS44

ABA (Optional) 1: 084000026

Bank Name: First Horizon Bank

Address: 165 Madison Avenue, Memphis, TN, 38103, USA

FOR CREDIT TO:

Account #: 220000485898

Customer Name: The National Bank of Indianapolis

Address: 107 N. Pennsylvania, Indianapolis, IN 46204

Phone: +1(317)261-9000

Reference: Company – USA Diving Inc. Acct # - 1355270 Acct Name – Operations 5270

NBol Client name and account number must be on the reference line

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MEDICAL SERVICES

On-site medical services will be available to all participants from 24 May through 27 May 2023. Safety divers will be present at practices and competitions at all times. In case of an emergency, EMS will send patients to a nearby hospital depending on the injury or illness.

More information regarding medical services will be provided at a later date.

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DOPING CONTROL

Doping control procedures will be in place at the competition.

High divers are responsible for bringing government-issued photo identification (or a high-resolution copy of identification) in case of selection for doping control.

High divers are responsible for any medication or supplement they are taking. Athletes under 18 must have a chaperone from their team accompany them during the doping test.

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