



2024 ICF Canoe Slalom World Ranking Competitions
and
13TH Asian Canoe Slalom Championships
Senior, U23 and U18

March 5-9, 2024

Pattaya-Rayong, Thailand

Bulletin No.1



PRESIDENT GREETINGS,



Dear Canoe Friends,

It is our pleasure to invite all beloved athletes to the 2024 ICF Canoe Slalom World Ranking Competition and the 13th Asian Canoe Slalom Championships at our “Royal Thai Navy Rowing and Canoeing Training Center, Pattaya-Rayong, Thailand, during March 5 – 10, 2024.

As the President of ACC, I plan to host these championships every year, focusing on providing the opportunity to ACC’s young athletes to show their capabilities and how much development they have gained so far.

As the President of RCAT, I sincerely welcome all athletes from all corners of Asia for competition. The participating teams will have good opportunity to challenge themselves, and we hope that athletes from all around Asia enjoy competing here.

RCAT is committed to successfully organize these championships and it will be an honor to have you as part of it.

Looking forward to seeing you.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, consisting of stylized initials followed by a period.

Admiral Chainarong Charoenruk,

President of ACC and RCAT.



INTRODUCTION

The year 2024 of Paris Olympic Games brings good vibes throughout the sports community worldwide. All NFs are, no doubt, in full swing seriously preparing their national teams for best success in the games. Busy as it is, but one thing that cannot be neglected is continuous plans to develop the younger generation. The process is time consuming and the success can only be guaranteed by enduring and persistent dedication requiring physical, mental, and financial strength. NFs must join hands together to make it evident toward long term concrete plan.

As part of the continuous growth of the canoe slalom discipline, we are proud to deliver the 13th Asian Canoe Slalom Championships in Rayong province. The event is designed to be compact and a all-in-one shot making it worthwhile for your team. The event consists of two parts organized in a lengthy period:

- A) competition for all age groups – Senior, U23 and U18 events will compete in different field of plays suitable for their abilities to win medals in the Asian Canoe Slalom Championships platform while gaining points for their ICF ranks in classic canoe slalom events.
- B) ICF Slalom Training Camp for the Asian Region is the education program for canoe slalom coaches and the development program for young Asian athletes. The program is supported by ICF and IOC.

We wholeheartedly welcome all Asian members to enthusiastically join the event, to share the valuable moments together and to elevate our athletic abilities close to the Olympic platform.



TECHNICAL OFFICIALS

Jury Panel	Svetlana Kulikova	ACC
	Li Xin	ACC
	Li Hongman	ACC
Chief Official	Dr. Sakchai Atibodhi	ACC
Chief Judge		
Video Judges	Paween Wiyaporn	IJCSL (THA)
	Thanapol Chumkokamon	NTO
Course Designer	Nico Noel	IJCSL (THA)
Gate Judges	Winai Ukkarasa	IJCSL (THA)
	Charoenrat Khunthongthai	IJCSL (THA)
	Peema Theerawattanaphan	IJCSL (THA)
	Nuengruthai Tuntiyawongsa	IJCSL (THA)
	Thanakorn Chaiyapong	IJCSL (THA)
	Nattapol Chantarangul	NTO
	Wichian Thongbai	NTO
	Decha Dechanoppong	NTO
	Anuchsara Srichart	NTO
Chief of Scoring	Thanasorn Jaitrong	NTO
Start judge	Adirek Tantiyawongsa	NTO
Finish judge	Tawee Booncharoen	NTO
Equipment Controller	Boonta Sajjakhet	NTO

KEY DATES

Competitions:

	For all events
Entries date	
Numerical entries (the latest date)	1 February 2024
Nominal entries (the latest date)	23 February 2024
Official training dates	29 February – 4 March 2024
Team Leader Meeting	1 March 2024
Competition dates	5 – 9 March 2024
Remark: All entries must be registered through the ICF's SDP platform which will be activated soon	

ICF Slalom Training Camp for the Asian Region:

Application date	Now until 31 st December 2023
Application form	https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSd9r2bQ-JOOugJLcRLJ64x7L86cJA09-zHQJcU0rS4mUyW6A/viewform
Duration	14 days



ICF Slalom Training Camp for the Asian Region

Rayong, Thailand
 Training Camp: 24 February to 10 March 2024
 Including: competition: 5 - 10 March 2024



- To train young generation of Asian Slalom paddlers for the next Olympic cycle
- This Slalom Training camp will last a bit more than **2 weeks**, at the Rayong excellence center in Thailand, followed by the Asian Canoe Slalom Championships.
- NFs are requested to apply for **1 male athletes and 1 female**, both **under 20-year-old**, with a coach
- **No fee for participating** to the training camp, accommodation and food on site will be covered by ICF
- Some NFs are eligible to receive support from IOC Olympic Solidarity for their flights. The ICF will automatically inform IOC if they apply for the camp:
 - Cambodia, Hong Kong, Indonesia, Iraq, Kingdom of Saudi Arabia, Mongolia, Myanmar, Nepal, Pakistan, Philippines, Sri Lanka, Thailand, Vietnam



→ [Apply by clicking here](#)
by 31th December the latest

COMPETITION COURSES

Competition Fields	FOP1	FOP2
Course Length	200m (from @0m-@200m)	200 m (from @140m - @340m)
Water flow	8m ³ per sec	8m ³ per sec
Difficulties	Grade 3	Grade 2

EVENTS

INDIVIDUAL EVENTS				
Canoe Slalom (CSL) under the ICF Ranking Competitions and Asian Championships	FOP1 ICF Ranking races for all competitors and Asian Championships for Senior	Senior <u>Men:</u> C1 and K1 <u>Women:</u> C1 and K1	U23 <u>Men:</u> C1 and K1 <u>Women:</u> C1 and K1	U18 <u>Men:</u> C1 and K1 <u>Women:</u> C1 and K1
	FOP2 ICF Ranking races for all competitors and Asian Championships for U23 and U18	<u>Men:</u> C1 and K1 <u>Women:</u> C1 and K1	<u>Men:</u> C1 and K1 <u>Women:</u> C1 and K1	<u>Men:</u> C1 and K1 <u>Women:</u> C1 and K1
Speed Slalom (SSL) under the Asian Championships	FOP1 Asian Championships for Senior	<u>Men:</u> C1 and K1 <u>Women:</u> C1 and K1		
	FOP2 Asian Championships for U23 and U18		<u>Men:</u> C1 and K1 <u>Women:</u> C1 and K1	<u>Men:</u> C1 and K1 <u>Women:</u> C1 and K1
Entries	Max. 6 boats per event per NF in all individual events			
Remarks	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Athletes must compete in the events according to their age groups 2. Athletes may participate in more than one individual event. 3. To establish validity of any events, there must have at least three entries from different NFS 4. Competitions under the Asian Canoe Slalom Championships are reserved for ACC current member countries in Asia. However, competitors from other areas can compete for their ranks. 5. As a customary rule of the Asian Canoe Slalom Championships, we adhere to the principle of “one medal one NF’s flag on the podium” 6. No medals will be presented to winners in the ICF Ranking Competitions 			

EVENTS (cont.)

TEAM EVENTS under the Asian Canoe Slalom Championships				
Competition Course	FOP2			Entries allowed
Age Groups	Senior	U23	U18	
	<u>Men:</u> C1 and K1 <u>Women:</u> C1 and K1	<u>Men:</u> C1 and K1 <u>Women:</u> C1 and K1	<u>Men:</u> C1 and K1 <u>Women:</u> C1 and K1	One team per event per NF
Remarks:	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Younger athletes can compete in higher age groups but not vice versa. 2. Team may only be comprised of athletes who are participating in individual events. 3. Athletes may not participate in more than two team events. 4. To establish validity of any events, there must have at least 3-teams entry in that event. 5. If there are not enough athletes to establish validity of a team race in any events, that event will be cancelled. 6. Team Events are not under the ICF Ranking Competitions. 			

COMPETITION FORMAT

Individual events:

- a) All Speed Slalom (SSL) events, there is one final run.
- b) All Canoe Slalom (CSL) events, there are one heat and one final runs.

Team events: There is one run.

The competition is run in accordance with the ICF's Canoe Slalom Rules 2023 version 2 (<https://www.canoeicf.com/rules#slalom:~:text=ICF%20Canoe%20Slalom%20Rules%202023%20%2D%20Version%20%20published%20on%2010/07/2023>) and can be adapted upon the host's discretion

AGE GROUPS

- a) U18 is from their 15th birthyear until their 18th birthyear.
- b) U23 is from their 19th birthyear until their 23th birthyear.
- c) Senior is from their 24th birthyear.

As proof of age, all athletes' passports need to be sent to the email (to be designated in the next bulletin) on the 24th February 2024 the latest and they must be presented at the venue to check again.



PROVISIONAL SCHEDULES

	DAY 1 - Day 5 (29 Feb-4 Mar): Official Training
06:00-18:00	Official Training in Groups
	DAY 2 (1 Mar): Team Leaders Meeting
15:00	Team Leaders Meeting
	DAY 6 (5 Mar): FOP2 - Team Events
10:30-15:00	Team Events Day (Senior, U23 and U18)
	DAY 7 (6 Mar): FOP2 - Speed Slalom (SSL)
09:00-15:00	Speed Slalom Day (U23 and U18)
	DAY 8 (7 Mar): FOP2 - Canoe Slalom (CSL)
08:00-16:00	Canoe Slalom Day (Senior, U23 and U18)
	Day 9 (8 Mar): FOP1 - Speed Slalom (SSL)
11:30-15:30	Speed Slalom Day (Senior)
	Day 10 (9 Mar): FOP1 - Canoe Slalom (CSL)
08:00-16:00	Canoe Slalom Day (Senior, U23 and U18)

We will keep you posted for more information in the next bulletin.

