

The IWWF Show Ski Committee is looking for a site for the 2014 World Water Ski Show Tournament.

The time frame is late August to mid-September 2014. Please send bids to Sherman Schraft, chair. SSchraft@comcast.net

The absolute deadline to have bids to me is November 30, 2012.

Please include what the local organizing committee will supply to the teams attending the tournament. (boats, barges, skis, ropes, etc.)

Sanction fee will be \$5,000. US.

Below is the recommended Show site selection Criteria.

Show Site Selection Recommended Criteria

I. Spectators

A. Seating - 18" is the standard measure for bleacher seating for spectators.

30" W x 36"L is the standard measure for lawn chair seating for spectators.

1. Enough seating should be available for a minimum of 1000 people in the immediate show course area.
2. Additional seating for a minimum of 500 people.
3. 1600 square feet of shelter is needed along with tables and chairs for spectators looking for a break from the sun.
 - a. A combination of shelter areas excluding the limited access area(s) is acceptable.
4. Seating access for disabled to include at least one shaded area and flat surfaces for wheelchair confined viewers.

A. Parking to accommodate a minimum of 300 vehicles with additional parking and shuttle service to accommodate a minimum of 200 additional vehicles.

1. Parking within 5/8 mile constitutes on site.

B. Restrooms

1. A minimum of 12 toilets with 2 hand washing stations need to be made available for spectators.
 - a. These must be cleaned and pumped daily, if needed.
 - b. Toilets should be located within 100 yards of seating.
2. Disabled toilets should be located on a flat smooth surface within 50 yards of their seating.
 - a. Provide hand-washing stations to accommodate the cleansing of hands for before and after using toilets (wheels tend to get the hands very dirty).

II. Skiers

A. Tournament controlled water area

(<----- 1,600 -----><--- 300'---><----- 1,600'--->)

1. Show course - minimum 300 feet long in conjunction with the beach.
2. Beach - minimum 300 feet long sandy beach, 5 feet wide walkway on either side of main payoff stage.
3. Payoff stage should be a minimum of 8 feet deep and 60 feet long.
4. Width of body of water at its' narrowest point in show course is a minimum of 330 feet.
5. Distance of available usable water length, from each end of the show course to each respective end of the tournament-controlled water, (end zones) is a minimum of 1600 feet.
6. Distance of available, unobstructed usable air length, from each end of the show course, to each

respective end of the tournament-controlled water (end zones) is a minimum of 1000. feet of air space.

7. Water depth at jump is a minimum of 2 meters (per USA-WS/NSSA recommendation).

8. Performance platform (size and location per rule 9.08).

9. Minimum of two auxiliary performance platforms/docks, at least one located at or beyond each end of the show course.

10. Jump (per rule 9.03).

11. Water quality - Meets local water quality standards for full body submersion.

12. Water conditions

a. Maximum 5 knots average current speed is acceptable for safety.

b. Maximum of 6 inches of wave chop, wind speeds averaging 10 knots.

c. Weeds must be cut to a minimum of 4 feet below water surface.

13. Buoys

a. Per individual rules and rule 9.03-6.

b. Danger and course outline.

c. Show site outer buoys as indicated in Rule 3.05.

B. Skiers area

1. A minimum of 3 pre-staging areas is mandatory.

2. Each pre-staging area must be a minimum 16 feet wide and a minimum of 1200 sq. ft.

3. Minimum Size of staging area must be 1200 sq. ft. and provide an 80' lane from shore.

4. A minimum of 70 parking spots for equipment vehicles is necessary with ample room for movement.

5. Changing area (tent) is required with a minimum of 400 square feet divided into men's and women's areas.

6. Two toilets must be available in skiers area.

7. 30 gallons of drinking water and a hose must be available to each competing team.

8. Sound system (per rule 9.09).

9. Equipment vehicle parking for teams in the staging and pre-staging areas.

C. Boat launch

1. Accessibility

2. Minimum of 20 feet wide.

3. 10 trailer - tow-vehicle stalls available.

4. Launch must be made of a hard paved surface.

5. Located within a reasonable distance of show site.

6. Toilet(s) must be available in this immediate area.

D. Safety

1. Tournament Safety Boat location, staffing, and equipment (per SCR 9.04 & 11.04), and (OWSSSM 5.00-5.05).

2. Ambulance and qualified personnel on site (minimum per rule 11.03).

3. Hospital - maximum normal transport time of 15 minutes to a staffed comprehensive Emergency Department with a FACEP Board Certified physician (or equivalent) on d@ during the competition periods.

4. Contact with EMS/rescue/diver team - on site/radio/telephone (must have a second means of communication available).

5. First aid equipment (see appendix IV of the OWSSSM).

6. Distance of tournament controlled water must be closed off to all local traffic during competition and adjacent waters must be slow, no-wake during competition.

7. Police and/or security on duty from Thursday night through end of the Tournament (24 hour).

III. Tournament Officials Needs

A. Parking for 30 vehicles minimum.

B. VIP area, tent and seating area to fit minimum 60 people with a minimum of 400 square feet of shelter

area.

C. Minimum of two toilets.

D. Towers.

1. Judges area to fit the number of Judges and Secretaries comfortably and separately (with shade).

2. Designated "club in competition" video tower.

3. USA-WS video/viewing tower (or equivalent).

4. Media video/viewing tower (or equivalent).

E. Area for staging marshal/timer, chief judge, safety director with table and umbrella/shade.

F. Scorer's trailer to include A/C, computer system with printer, supplies, and a copy machine

1. Supplies using the WWSF Tournament LOC supply list as a guide

G. Electrical needs

1. Power for "club in competition", USA-WS, and media towers.

2. Power for competing team for sound and show (per rule 9.09).

IV. Vendor Area

A. Space and location (per LOC/USA-WS/NSSA agreement).

B. 110 volt electrical.

C. Tables and chairs for vendor requests (per LOC/USA-WS/NSSA agreement).

V. Lodging

A. A minimum of 500 rooms available within 40 Minutes at posted travel speeds.

B. List camping facilities if they are available.

We will be using Rule **IV. Optional Tournament Formats**

1. The IWWF Show Committee may choose to limit the size of the teams to 35 people total with up to 5 alternates (for illness or injury). This must be stated in the Tournament announcement.

2. The IWWF Show Committee may choose to limit the number of acts and the total time for each show. This must be stated in the Tournament announcement.

The host will provide 3 tow boats (1 must be a twin rig with at least 2 200hp motors) and 1 safety boat. All teams will use these boats.