

# 2012 JUNIOR WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS BULLETIN 2

The Mulwala Water Ski Club in conjunction with the Australian Water Ski & Wakeboard Federation are pleased to invite you to the



2012 Junior World Water Ski Championships To be held at the Max Kirwan Lakes Mulwala, NSW, Australia Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> to Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> February 2013

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#### Site

The Tournament site comprises of two purpose built ski lakes 5km from Mulwala. Lake Dimensions: 900 x 70 meters with an average depth of 1.7m Lake Address: Max Kirwan Lakes, Tocumwal Rd, Mulwala, NSW, Australia



## Mulwala, NSW

Mulwala/Yarrawonga are twin towns located on either side of the Murray River, in the states of New South Wales and Victoria respectively. The conjoining towns are situated along the shores of Lake Mulwala. Renowned for its wonderful climate, this picturesque piece of regional New South Wales/Victoria is an "Inland Aquatic Paradise". Visitors can enjoy the stunning scenery, explore the river beaches and sample some of the many surrounding wineries in the area. There are many large multifacility sporting clubs, including the Mulwala Water Ski Club, offering Casino-style and outdoor entertainments. Popular activities include swimming, fishing, waterskiing, rowing, yachting and parasailing.

Mulwala is located approximately 265km north of the City of Melbourne.









Mulwala climate averages:				
Month	Daily minimum (°C)	Daily maximum (°C)	Number of days of rain	Monthly rainfall (mm)
January	15.5	32.1	6.0	28.4
February	15.5	31.6	5.7	39.4
March	12.2	27.6	4.2	24.5

## **Arrival Options**

There are three options

For skiers with three event bags you will need to arrive into Melbourne and drive to Mulwala which is approximately a 3.5 hour drive North of Melbourne airport.

or

Arrive into Sydney and connect with a flight to Albury and then drive to Mulwala which is approximately a 1 hour drive

or

If you do not have a three event bag you can arrive into Sydney or Melbourne and connect to Albury and then drive to Mulwala which is a 1 hour drive

WARNING : Aircraft arriving from Melbourne to Albury are too small to accept 3 event bags. Virgin Airlines do operate a service from Sydney to Albury that may accommodate 3 event bags, however there may be an extra cost of excess baggage involved.

Closest International airport is Melbourne, 265km from the site.

Please check with your travel agents before booking

By car : Mulwala is situated 265km North of Melbourne













#### **Entry Fee**

The entry fee will be \$250.00 per skier (for 1, 2 or 3 events). The price includes **for the skiers** : 4 lunch meal tickets (on competition site) & the ticket for the final banquet.

The entry fee has to be paid by credit card or TT by closing date

#### Payment

Most credit cards are well accepted in Australia: Visa, Mastercard, etc.

## FOOD & ACCOMODATION

#### Food and Refreshments

Food and refreshments will be available during the championship at the lake.

#### OFFICIAL ACCOMODATION FOR THE JURY & OFFICALS



For the Jury & Officials : Paradise palms Motel 121 Melbourne Street Mulwala NSW 2647

Jury & Officials : please fill the special document in order for us to organize your accommodation and pick up.

For officials: Pick up from Albury airport to Mulwala is organized.











## OFFICIAL ACCOMODATION FOR THE ATHLETES

Official Team accommodation will be organized by the Mulwala Water Ski Club. They have pre booked rooms for teams and families. They will reserve for you in accordance with your choice of budget. These are running out fast and need to be confirmed with Lisa urgently.

Please contact them for all your hotel Bookings : Lisa Starr; Mobile Phone : 61 409 404037 Email: <u>alamstarr@hotmail.com</u>

There are several reasonably priced places to stay. Yarrawonga / Mulwala is a very popular tourist destination and accommodation will fill quickly. Please make your reservations as soon as possible.

Bookings need to be done well in advance o secure your desired accommodation



Aerial view of Mulwala / Yarrawonga



Stunning Sunsets

#### Transportation

Transportation between Team accommodation and site will be offered to the teams. **One** departure to the lake in the morning and **one** return to the hotels at the end of the competition each day.

Transport for teams from Albury airport to the official hotels can be organized on request at cost price

#### Visa Requirements

Visas are required for the citizens of several countries. However the visa situation changes from time to time, so if in doubt, please check with your travel agent or your local Australian Embassy / Consulate











#### Doping control

In accordance with the I WWF anti-Doping Rules, drugs controls will be conducted during the competition. In entering this competition, all athletes agree to be subject to doping control.

Information about the IWWF Anti-Doping program can be found at :

<u>http://www.iwsf.com/AntiDoping/WEBpageinformation10.htm</u> where there are also links to the list of banned substances.

#### Training

Training on the championship site is available upon request prior to the official familiarization. Bookings have been filling fast and limited time is left available. Official familiarization will be from 17 to 19<sup>th</sup> February

Cost : All disciplines : A\$200.00 per hour. Training has to be paid beforehand, by a bank transfer or credit card.

#### For Reservations:

Wayne Briant: email: wbriant@gmail.com

#### OFFICIAL TOWBOAT

The Official Towboat for the Event is provided by MasterCraft. We will have 2 ProStar 197's 2013 Model 1 with 5.7Itr I lmor Engine and 1 with a 6Itr I lmor Engine Both will be equipped with the latest version of Zero Off speed control

#### Intention to Enter Form

In accordance with I WWF Rule 2.05, each Federation is required to submit an Intention to Enter the Championships.

**ATTENTION** - Intentions to Enter and Entries MUST be submitted exclusively through the online Admin system at

<u>http://www.iwsftournament.com/WorldAdmin/</u> using the password which was provided to your Federation for this purpose. If you have misplaced your password, please contact I WWF Administration at <u>iwwf@iwwfed.com</u> for assistance.

## The deadline for submitting the Intention to Enter is November 1st 2012







## Provisional timetable

Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> to Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> February 2013 Official familiarization & Accreditations

Wednesday AM 20<sup>th</sup> February 2013

- $\cdot$  General meeting with all team captains, officials and staff at the lake
- · 12.00noon Preliminary rounds
- $\cdot$  6.30pm Opening ceremony

Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> February: Preliminary rounds 7.00pm Team gathering Mulwala Water Ski Club Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> February: Preliminary rounds Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> February: Preliminary rounds & Finals Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> February: Finals 7.30pm Banquette

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