



# 1<sup>st</sup> AQUATHLON INTERNATIONAL COMPETITIONS

6<sup>th</sup> > 10<sup>th</sup> November 2008 • Russia • SOCHI

## OFFICIAL INVITATION

Dear Mrs/Mr President, dear sport friends,

Russian Underwater Federation and International Aquathlon Association are pleasure to invite your teams to participate in the **1<sup>st</sup> CMAS Aquathlon International Competitions** to be held in Sochi (Russia) from 6<sup>th</sup> to 10<sup>th</sup> November 2008.

Herewith you may find all information reading the competition as well as all the forms necessary for your participation.

We shall be very honoured to welcome you soon in Sochi, the capital of 2014 Winter Olympic Games.

Sincerely yours,

Moscow, 02<sup>nd</sup> September 2008

**ANNA ARZHANOVA**  
*RUF President*



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## Particular regulations

### 1 – DENOMINATION:

- Russian Underwater Federation with the CMAS agreement will organise during the days 6<sup>th</sup> – 10<sup>th</sup> of November 2008 **1<sup>st</sup> CMAS AQUATHLON INTERNATIONAL COMPETITIONS**.

### 2 – ORGANIZATION:

- The competition is ruled by the CMAS Aquathlon International Rules and by this Particular Rules that every athlete, with his/her enrolment, affirms to know and to agree.

### 3 – PARTICIPANTS:

- Each team (club) can enrol a maximum of two swimmers for each category.
- Each club must be associated by a National Federation recognized by C.M.A.S.
- Number of clubs from each country is not limited.

### 4 – CATEGORIES:

Men	- up to 70kg - 70kg up to 85kg - 85kg and above
Women	- up to 65 kg - 65kg up to 80kg - 80kg and above

### 5 – COMPETITION FIELD:

- The competition will take place in the “Iskra” Swimming pool, Sochi (Krasnodarsky kray on the coast of Black sea, has the International airport).
- Indoor swimming pool, depth 5 m.
- The temperature of water in the swimming pool is 27 °C.

### 6 – ENTRY DATE:

- Preliminary entry form: **25<sup>th</sup> September 2008** (enclosure 1)
- Final entry form: **10<sup>th</sup> October 2008** (enclosure 2)

### 7 – APPLICATION FORM:

- The Preliminary and final enclosed form must be receive at the following e-mails:  
[ruf@ruf.ru](mailto:ruf@ruf.ru), [ruf@ruf.com.ru](mailto:ruf@ruf.com.ru), [aquathlon@aquathlon-int.org](mailto:aquathlon@aquathlon-int.org) – Tel/Fax: + 7(495)9955922

### 8 – CHECK DOCUMENTS AND EQUIPMENTS:

- The judges will check all the participant’s documents and weights 6<sup>th</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup> November 2008 at the hotel.

### 9 – CLASSIFICATIONS:

- The classifications follow the rules of CMAS.

### 10 – PRIZES:

- Medals will be given to the first, second and third classified in every individual category.
- The ceremony will take place during the competition, so the interest athletes should be at organizing staff disposal at the right time. The organizing committee will take all the prizes assigned to swimmers that aren’t present at their prize giving. During the ceremony the interested athletes must wear the official uniform of their team.

### 11 – ACCOMMODATION:

- Organizing Committee propose an accommodation opportunity during the days of the competition:



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Euro 30€ per person / per day (double room).  
The price include: Full board accommodation. Gala dinner.  
>> **Deadline of enrolment: 10<sup>th</sup> October 2008** <<

**Transfer Airport-Hotel-Airport 90 euro per team** (not more 12 persons).

## 12 – COMPETITION FEE:

- The participant fee to join the competition are the following:
  - 60€ per athlete.

**The Organising committee invites 2 persons from each country free of charge. We will provide full board accommodation and local transportation for 3 days in Sochi.**

## 13 – VARIOUS :

- Protest fee follows the rules of CMAS.
- Organizers reserve the right for any change in the programme.

## Programme

### **6<sup>th</sup> of November**

Arriving of teams, checking of documents, payment of participant fee  
Training possibility

### **7<sup>th</sup> of November**

Arriving of teams, checking of documents, payment of participant fee  
Excursion  
Training possibility  
Meeting of Team leaders  
Meeting of Judges

### **8<sup>th</sup> of November**

Opening Ceremony.  
Heats for all categories.

### **9<sup>th</sup> of November**

Finals for all categories.  
Awarding Ceremony. Closing Ceremony. Gala dinner.

### **10<sup>th</sup> of November**

Departure of the teams.

Note: The competition programm is subject to change according to CMAS



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## Preliminary Entry

National Federation	
Country	
Name of Club	
Address	
Phone	
Fax	
Email	

Athletes Men		Accompanying person Men	
Athletes Women		Accompanying person Women	
<b>Athletes TOTAL</b>		<b>Accompanying Person TOTAL</b>	

<b>HOTEL BOOKING</b>	Hotel	Date of Arrival	Date of Departure
	Number of rooms		
single			
2-3 beds			

We arrive by

	place	time	n. flight/train
Train			
Plane			
Own Car			

We need transfer (Y/N)	
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Date, \_\_\_\_\_ 2008

Signature & Stamp

**Please send the form not later than 25.09.2007 to the**

E-mail: [ruf@ruf.com.ru](mailto:ruf@ruf.com.ru)  
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FINAL DECLARATION OF PARTICIPANT

Country: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Club: \_\_\_\_\_

Surname	First Name	Weight category	M	W

Officials: \_\_\_\_\_ persons

Arrival time at Adler (Sochi) airport: \_\_\_\_\_

Flight №: \_\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_\_ 2008

Departure time: at \_\_\_\_\_ Flight №: \_\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_\_ 2008

Do you need transfer Yes/No \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

**Please send the form not later than 10.10.2007 to the**

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