

CMAS OUTDOOR WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP 2019

AUGUST 6-12 2019 ROATAN HONDURAS

Organizing the CMAS 2019 World Championship in Roatán is a great honor that entails a huge responsibility. I would especially like to thank to CMAS (Confédération Mondiale des Activités Subaquatiques) for entrusting us with this task; also to the sponsors and Roatan community for providing the necessary support for the realization of this event.

Athletes; coaches; CMAS representatives; sponsors; families; friends from all over the world, Roatán Freediving School & Training Center welcomes you to the 2019 CMAS World Championship.

Esteban Darhanpé
Event Organizer

CMAS WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP 2019

Schedule provided is subject to change depending on weather conditions and/or safety reasons.

- AUGUST 6th

OPENING CEREMONY / TECHNICAL MEETING

- AUGUST 7th

CNF COMPETITION DAY

- AUGUST 8th

CWT COMPETITION DAY

- AUGUST 9th

REST DAY

(in case of need to shift comp start)

- AUGUST 10th

CWB COMPETITION DAY

- AUGUST 11th

FIM COMPETITION DAY

AWARD CEREMONY / CLOSING PARTY

- AUGUST 12th

CHECK OUT AND DEPARTURE

EXPECTED WEATHER CONDITIONS

AUGUST 2019

Humid with a tropical climate.

AIR TEMPERATURE

25 - 30 C (77 - 86 F)

WATER TEMPERATURE

27 - 29 C (80 - 84 F)

Water temperature decreases
about 2 degrees at 100 mtrs

CURRENTS

Null to moderate.

VISIBILITY

24 - 40 meters (80 - 120 feet)

EVENT LOCATION

WEST BAY BEACH

West Bay is the beach where the event will take place. The diving platform will be located 3 minutes by boat from our headquarter, the “SAN SIMON BEACH CLUB”.



SAN SIMON BEACH CLUB

at **MAYAN PRINCESS RESORT**

This Beach Club has opened their doors to the freediving community and allowed us to use the club as the event headquarter.



At this venue, we will host the following amenities:

- Registration area and Office Space / WI-FI.
- Room for staff/helpers.
- Judges Room.
- Room for award ceremony.
- Room for Event Committee.

- Safe storage / lockers.
 - Showers and changing rooms.
 - Full bar and restaurant.
 - Lounge chairs and hammocks.
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DIVE SITE

The site proposed for the competition is 0.70 m from shore (N 16° 16' 577' - W -86° 36' 365'), located in front of West Bay Beach and within 3 minutes by boat from our headquarter at San Simon Beach Club.

Two moorings are permanently installed on a large submerged sand patch, at a depth of 189 meters (620 feet). These moorings will then anchor the competition platforms and boats for athletes, staff, spectators and media.



MARINE INFRASTRUCTURE, PLATFORMS AND TRANSPORTATIONS

- Two platforms with an competition line each (we have availability of install more competition lines if necessary).
- [Queen Victoria](#) is a newly built catamaran boat, 60 ft in length, 24 ft wide, and has two 450 lbs of horsepower engines. This comfortable boat will be anchored and offer dry space in the competition area (shade, fresh water showers, bathrooms, bar) to the athletes, staff, media and Diveye team.
- A transfer boat with a capacity of up to 20 people will be permanently available to ferry competitors, judges and staff from shore to the competition catamaran. (3 minutes boat ride).
- One additional boat will be permanently by the dive platform for the exclusive use of emergency evacuation.





SAFETY AND MEDICAL PROTOCOLS

WE WILL HAVE

- 6 Experienced, trained safety divers per competition line.
- 1 Doctor/medic on the platform per line.
- Traditional counter balance system capable of 2+m/s assisted ascent .
- 1 Safety scuba diver on site for counterbalance system backup.
- Diveye (underwater drone video coverage).
- 1 High resolution sonar per competition line.
- Emergency evacuation boat.
- 1 Fully equipped ambulance on standby at our headquarter San Simon Beach Club.
- 2 Paramedics provided by Volunteer Firefighters of Roatan.
- Medical clinic 200 meters from our headquarter San Simon Beach Club .
- Advanced medical center and decompression chamber at 15 minute drive.





WHERE WE ARE

Located in the Caribbean Sea, the island of Roatan is surrounded by crystal clear waters that are calm and warm. It is part of the Mesoamerican Barrier Reef, the second largest reef system in the world, where you can find walls that drop off to hundreds of meters only a few swim strokes away from white sandy beaches. A popular diving destination since the 70's, Roatan has all the necessary infrastructure for hosting this world-class event and to provide for the necessary comfort and safety to all participants and staff.

HOW TO GET TO ROATAN

The island is served by the Juan Manuel Gálvez Roatan International Airport which has direct international flights from Miami, Dallas, Atlanta, and Houston (2 hours flight connection) via American Airlines, Delta Airlines, United Airlines and Avianca Airlines respectively, as well as domestic connections for international flights arriving into mainland Honduran cities including the capital Tegucigalpa, San Pedro Sula and San Salvador, El Salvador (30 minutes flight).

Canadian carriers Sunwing Airlines (via Toronto) and WestJet also serve the Island with direct charter flights.

Air Europa offers flights from Madrid to San Pedro every Thursday which can connect the same day to Roatan.

Roatan is also serviced by the Galaxy Wave express Catamaran ferry with two daily trips to and from La Ceiba.

LODGING

Athletes are free to choose accommodation in accordance to their preferences and budget. Resorts, Hotels, Inns and rental houses in **West Bay** and **West End** will offer special prices. **Roatan Freediving** gives thanks to its resorts sponsors for their collaboration and encourages all athletes and spectators to review available offers for accommodation during the event days and previous weeks.

You can contact **Sara** to get help finding the best option for you at wonderlandoriginaltravels.com

WEST BAY BEACH



10% discount.

Discount code: CMASWC2019.

Valid from July 1st - August 15th.

Contact us directly for longer term/monthly discounts also if you are looking for other athletes interested in sharing a house.

WEST END

West End Town is a mere 10 minutes away from West Bay, by taxi boat or car (that run continuously until dark)



REGISTRATION

All athletes participating at a CMAS WC must have a sport license valid for the current year. Please check with your National Federation if they made National registration for the Championship and ordered licences.

Each National Federation will be able to select twelve athletes (6 women and 6 men). Athletes interested in registering should contact their respective CMAS National Federation.

If the athletes belong to a country that does not have a CMAS National Federation, all inquiries should be made to the [CMAS Freediving Commission](#) to order an Individual Super licence.

If the athlete belongs to the country that will not send a team to Roatan, all inquiries should be made to the [CMAS Freediving Commission](#) in order to find the solution for participation.

2019 CMAS WC REGISTRATION FEE

ONE DISCIPLINE

US\$300

TWO DISCIPLINES

US\$550

THREE DISCIPLINES

US\$750

FOUR DISCIPLINES

US\$850

PREVIOUS TRAINING FEE

SINGLE SESSION

US\$30

PACK 5 SESSIONS

US\$125

PACK 15 SESSIONS

US\$300

CONDITIONS FOR REGISTRATION

Before starting to train until August 5, athletes have to register at Roatan Freediving School & Training Center from 8:30 hs to 12:00hs (Main Street of West End. Splash Inn Resort).

The deadline to complete the registration is August 6th from 14:00 hs to 16:30 hs at San Simon Beach Club, located in West Bay.

At the time of registration all athletes must:

- Present medical certificate in English.
 - Sign Liability release (will be provided by Roatan Freediving at the time of registration).
 - Present valid passport.
 - Present proof of current medical insurance.
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REFUND CONDITIONS:

In case of disclaimer to compete by the athlete before Jun 1st, the organizer will reinstate the fee deducting money transfer cost.

No fee refunds will be made after Jun 1st.

No refunds will be made due to suspension (partial or total) of the competition due to bad weather, or causes of force majeure that may harm the safety of athletes and / or staff.

PAYMENT METHOD:

INFORMATION FOR INTERNATIONAL BANK TRANSFERS:

OPTION 1:

Intermediary bank:

Name: CITIBANK N.A.

Address: 111 Wall Street, New York, New York 10043

Swift: CITIUS33
ABA 021000089

Beneficiary bank:

Name: BAC HONDURAS

Address: Blvd Suyapa frente Emisoras Unidas, Tegucigalpa, Honduras C.A

BAC Honduras account at Citibank: 36022113

Swift: BMILHNTE

Final beneficiary:

Account Number: 727768901

Name: Esteban Darhanpé

Address: Ships Inn, Sandy Bay, Roatan, Bay Islands, Honduras

The payment concept must be informed.

OPTION 2:

Intermediary bank:

Name: COMMERZBANK

Swift: COBADEFF

ABA N/A

Account Number: 400874905300 (American dollars)

Beneficiary bank:

Name: BANCO LAFISE HONDURAS SA

ABA: N/A

Swift: BCCEHNTE

Final beneficiary:

Account Number: 225604000384 (American dollars)

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