







 $May \ 12^{th} - 14^{th} \ 2023$ $CORAL \ SPRINGS - FL - USA$









1. Denomination

FIT AND FINS AQUATIC SPORTS with the agreement of CMAS, CMAS AMERICA and UNDERWATER SOCIETY OF AMERICA – invite all interested Federations and Clubs to participate in the XVII CMAS Finswimming World Cup 2023 organized between 12th – 14th May of 2023 in Coral Springs FL United States of America. Fit and Fins Aquatic Sports is the organizer and unique responsible of the event.

2. Registration process

The competition is governed by CMAS Finswimming Rules, by CMAS Finswimming World Cup Rules, and by the present Specific Rules that every athlete - with his/her enrolment - affirms to know and agrees to strictly follow.

CMAS regulations can and should be read at the following link. http://www.cmas.org/finswimming/documents-of-the-finswimming-commission



Please note the following instructions regarding registration since all data of the World Cup are stored in the CMAS sport database managed by SportData. The link is https://www.sportdata.org/cmas/

1. Registration

All registration of athletes for events must be submitted <u>only through electronic way</u>. Application forms can be used only for accommodation.

a. Of rules: Each competitor can take part in a maximum of four (4) individual races and two (2) relays.



For registration the website is https://www.sportdata.org/cmas/set.php?id=6
Opening date of registration is Sunday March 5th to Friday May 5th 2023.

2. Registration Tutorial

Registration Tutorial: For registration you need an account. Users who already have registered an account in our system, please re-use your account. In this case you can also re-use all competitors, coaches, referees, and official's data. If you don't have an account yet, please register online: https://www.sportdata.org/cmas/set-online/registrate registrator main.php?active menu=registration

For event registration of your competitors, coaches, referees, and officials please follow these steps:

- Log in with your account
- Check your team data. Please check if the data is correct and up to date.
- Enter or change the data of your competitors, coaches, referees, and officials.
- In the event calendar go to the event you want to register for, click on the "Registration" button of the event you want to register.
- On the bottom of the entries site you will see the functions to make new entries Register your competitors / teams in categories, as well as your coaches, referees, and officials
- All your registrations will go first on a waiting list in order to validate them. After the payment process is finished, your registrations will be approved, and you will be notified by email.









- You can find an overview about all your registrations at "My current entries". There you can also find the amount you have to pay and the provided payment method.
- Please also check out the "Other Items" section of the event. The organizer may also provide here additional purchase items, like transport, accommodation, etc.
- If you need help, please contact the Sportdata Support Team: support@sportdata.org Please, read the attached notice with the new instructions for 2023.

In 2023, you need to enter all categories of people who will attend the competition and not only the competitors.

From now on, we will use the system to print the accreditation to access the swimming pool. For this reason, in additionally to the competitors, you need to enter all members of your club:

- Competitors
- Coaches
- Referees
- Officials (all categories).

Note: the registration out of the competitors is free of charge. No CMAS fees will be charged for the categories of Coaches, Referees and all Officials. To finish, all files recorded in the system must upload an ID photo, whatever the category.

After the deadline, the accreditations will be printed and sent to the organising committee, and you will receive them upon arrival.

3. Fees of registration

It's not necessary to buy CMAS licence to participate at World Cup.

a. CMAS Fees



For each round or Golden Final, each competitor must pay to participate CMAS fees fixed annually by CMAS.

•22 € for participation fees by each round.

Please note that the names of relays members must be entered during registration process on base of individual registration even they swim only relay and even according to the rules, the composition of relays can be changed on place before the beginning of competition.

These fees will be paid only at the end of the registration process online, by credit card or bank transfer includes SEPA.

b. Organization Fees

The procedures of all expenditures regarding the competition (accommodation fee, inscription fees etc.) are paid directly to organizing committee according to the instructions communicated below:

Inscription fees are:

- 26 US Dollars for each club
- 18 US Dollars per each relay
- 10 US Dollars per each individual distance
- The change rate Euro to US Dollar apply by Well Fargo Bank on 13/02/2023.









- Fees paid for not performed races will not be reimbursed.
- Penalties of 30 dollars for late enrolments after deadline according registration planning.
- Payment should be made by direct bank transfer.

c. Miscellaneous



- Fees paid for not performed races will not be reimbursed.
- Penalties will apply for late enrolments after deadline according to registration planning.

Bank information is confidential. It will be sent to you upon request by mail at: infowccoralsprings@gmail.com

3. Participation rules and races

1. Races and categories are as follows:

SENIOR (Cat. "A") M/W

50 m ap.

50 m sf., 100 m sf., 200 m sf., 400 m sf., 800 m sf.,

50 m bf., 100 m bf., 200 m bf. 400 m bf.

Relay: 4 x 100 m sf. 4 x 100 bf mix.

JUNIOR (Cat. "B, C, D") B/G

50 m ap.,

50 m sf., 100 m sf., 200 m sf., 400 m sf., 800 m sf.,

50 bf., 100 m bf., 200 m bf. 400 m bf.

Relay: 4 x 100 m sf. 4 x 100 bf mix

2. Participation rules:

For all technical matters, please refer to the valid world cup Finswimming rules.

http://www.cmas.org/finswimming/documents-of-the-finswimming-commission

4. Competition place

The competition will take place at: CORAL SPRINGS AQUATIC COMPLEX - 12441 Royal Palm Blvd, Coral Springs, FL 33065 http://aquaticcomplex.com/

The swimming pool has a length of 50m, a width of 21 m and eight lanes and a depth of 1.6 m and 2.10 m. The temperature of the water is $25^{\circ}C$ (+ $1^{\circ}C$).











5. Timekeeping system

The timekeeping system will conduct time recording through electronic time and recording system.

6. Checking equipment

The judges are authorized to control swimmers' equipment at any time during the competitions.

7. Classifications

Classifications will be based on times registered by the timekeepers; results will be complied according to CMAS score and CMAS World Cup classification.

- 3.1. There will be classification for Individuals, Clubs, National Teams and Countries.
- 3.2. <u>Individual</u>: There will be, for every distance, four different individual classifications for men, women, Juniors Boys, and girls. Swimmers registered by Clubs or Nationals 'Teams are in this classification.
- 3.3. <u>Club</u>: The general classification will be made by the total amount of the individual point (men and women, junior and senior only registered by clubs). Four separate Club Classification will be made also for seniors' men, seniors' women, juniors' boys, and juniors' girls.
- 3.4. <u>National Teams</u>: The general classification will be made by the total amount of the individual point (men and women, junior and senior). Four separate National Teams Classification will be made also for men, women, juniors' boys, juniors' girls.
- 3.5. Countries Ranking:
 - 3.5.1. The Countries Ranking will be made in accordance with points 1.9 and 1.11 by the total amount of the individual points (men and women, junior and senior) of National Teams.
 - 3.5.2. If National Federation does not enrol its national team, the best two results by club in accordance with points 1.9 and 1.11 at each distance, at each category (men, woman, juniors, and seniors) will go to Countries ranking.

8. Prizes

Individual prizes: medals will be given to the first three classified athletes in every individual race and every relay.

Teams' prizes: cups for first three clubs and cups for first three National Teams.

Awarding ceremonies will take place during the competition, so the involved athletes must be at organizing staff's disposal at the right time.

During ceremonies awarded athletes must wear official uniforms of their teams.

9. Antidoping

• WADA – World Antidoping Code









- CMAS Antidoping Rules
- Athletes accept these rules as a condition of participation.

10. Responsibility

The Organizing, CMAS AMERICA, UNDERWATER SOCIETY OF AMERICA the organizing committee, CMAS, the Competition Director, Competition Officers and the Chief Judge aren't responsible for accidents or damage caused to people and personal effects before, during or after the competition. <u>All not USOA members should sign</u>, send by email or bring us before start the cup the USOA waiver (Annex)

11. Visa

If you need Visa to enter USA, please contact your US Embassy in your country and the Organizers via E-Mail infowccoralsprings@gmail.com

12. Additional Note

The schedule of the program can be modified according to the needs of the organizer's judgment. Participating teams will get all information about the changes in time.

Swimmers must be available for the Start Judge with their equipment complete at least 10 minutes before the race starts.

Organizers reserve the right to accept and insert an athlete or relay at any time at their discretion, in or outside the official classification, on the specific request of a participating club. Rules in general concerning this competition can be found on the website of CMAS, under the Finswimming Rules.

13. Enrollment

- 1. **Preliminary entry** application form is provided as attachment with these specific rules and must be filled duly (Enclosure 1 preliminary entry)
- 2. For registration of events, the website is

https://www.sportdata.org/cmas/set-online/calendar_main.php?active_menu=calendar#center_outer_middle. This is the only way to enter to participate to the World Cup and Finswimming Cup Coral Springs program.

If you need help, please contact the Sportdata Support Team: support@sportdata.org.

14. Covid-19 Preventions

In the link you can check the criteria about exception under the Proclamation and CDC's Amended Order. Requirement for Proof of COVID-19 Vaccination for Air Passengers | CDC

15. Accommodation and transportation

Deadline Apr 20th 2023 (Enclosure 2 Booking Form)









Hotel

La Quinta Inn & Suites by Wyndham Coral Springs - 3701 N University Dr, Coral Springs, FL 33065

Cost Night Room - US Dollars	Beds	Туре	People per Room
134.0	2	Queens	1 – 4

This price it's non-refundable – Non cancellable. To make the reservation you must pay to the organization will have until April 20th, and if you don't pay on this date, the reservation will be cancelled and the fees will change according to the hotel available rooms.

Include cost per night with taxes for 1 to 4 people, Self-parking, Wi-Fi in sleeping rooms. Include Breakfast – No include Lunch and Dinner. The booking and value of lodging will be directly with the organization by email.

3.5 Milles of the Aquatic Complex. 12 minutes in car.





TRANSPORTATION:

The organization recommend that each Team rent's a car in Fort Lauderdale International Airport, is the best option since you arrive and departure.

Other option is the use of UBER or LIFT, you need the APP.

Please send an email to the organization for any question. infowccoralsprings@gmail.com

The Fort Lauderdale-Hollywood International Airport is 21 miles from the Coral Springs.









Please, contact organizing committee on this mail address <u>infowccoralsprings@gmail.com</u> to receive the bank account information to make payment by transfer.

For any participating clubs wish to arrive earlier to have training session a full board services are offered, paying the pro-rata charge as indicated above.

Swimming pool lanes are charged separately.

<u>Important Note:</u> Payment will be made by bank transfer (rooms and registrations fee), this transfer should be informed in detail to the organizers at <u>infowccoralsprings@gmail.com</u>

If you team members (Athletes, Coaches, Delegate and Judges) need Visa, please send an email to infowccoralsprings@gmail.com, to send you the form to provide the information to make the invitation.

16. Deadlines

Preliminary Entry

Enclosure 1: preliminary entry

No later than May 5th of 2023 and sent to email address: infowccoralsprings@gmail.com

Registration entries

For registration of events, go to the website is:

 $\underline{https://www.sportdata.org/cmas/set-online/calendar_main.php?active_menu=calendar\#center_outer_middle}$

Dates of operation: March 5th to May 5th, 2023.

Accommodation and Transportation

Enclosure 2: Booking Form

No later than Apr 20th 2023, and sent to email address: infowccoralsprings@gmail.com









17. Schedule

Note: The competition program and schedule are subject to change according to CMAS. Organizers also reserve the right of any change to the scheduled program.

SWIMMING POOL COMPETITION SCHEDULE											
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Friday May 12th 2022	Training time					Swimming pool					
	Check Equipment - Office				10:00 - 15:30		Swimming pool				
	Tecnichal Meeting with team leaders					A £4	All Documents By Email				
	Morning session			Afternoon session							
	0:-	Warm Up	7:15 - 8:30		Warm Up		14:50 - 15:50				
	Ор	en Ceremony	8:35		Start		16:00				
	Start		9:00		42 200 CF		Mon Cat A				
	1	50 Apnea	Men Women	Cat. A	13	200 SF 200 SF	Men Women	Cat. A			
	2	50 Apnea		Cat. A	14						
	3	50 Apnea	Boys Girls	Cat. B + C+ D Cat. B + C+ D	15 16	200 SF 200 SF	Boys Girls	Cat. B + C+ D			
Saturday May 13th 2022	-	50 Apnea 50 BF	Men	Cat. B + C+ D	17	400 BF		Cat. B + C+ D			
	5	50 BF	Women	Cat. A	18	400 BF	Men Women	Cat. A			
	6 7	50 BF	Boys	Cat. A C+ D	10		Ceremon				
	8	50 BF	Girls	Cat. B + C+ D	19	400 BF	Boys	Cat. B + C+ D			
	9	800 SF	Men	Cat. B + C+ D	20	400 BF	Girls	Cat. B + C+ D			
		800 SF	Women	Cat. A			Mix	Cat. A			
		800 SF	Boys	Cat. A		4 x 100 BF Relay	Mix	Cat. B + C+ D			
		800 SF	Girls	Cat. B + C+ D	Award Ceremony						
	Award Ceremony			Award Ceremony							
	Morning session			Afternoon session							
				0 - 8:40	Warm Up 14:50 - 15:50						
		•		9:00	Start 16:00						
	25	100 SF	Men	Cat. A	37	50 SF	Men	Cat. A			
	26	100 SF	Women	Cat. A	38	50 SF	Women				
	27	100 SF	Boys	Cat. B + C+ D	39	50 SF	Boys	Cat. B + C+ D			
	28	100 SF	Girls	Cat. B + C+ D	40	50 SF	Girls	Cat. B + C+ D			
Complete	29	100 BF	Men	Cat. A	41	200 BF	Men	Cat. A			
Sunday May 14th 2022	30	100 BF	Women	Cat. A	42	200 BF	Women	Cat. A			
	31	100 BF	Boys	Cat. B + C+ D	43	200 BF	Boys	Cat. B + C+ D			
	32	100 BF	Girls	Cat. B + C+ D	44	200 BF	Girls	Cat. B + C + D			
	Award Ceremony			Award Ceremony							
	33	400 SF	Men	Cat. A	45	4 x 100 SF Relay	Men	Cat. A			
	34	400 SF	Women	Cat. A	46	4 x 100 SF Relay	Women	Cat. A			
	35	400 SF	Boys	Cat. B + C+ D	47	4 x 100 SF Relay	Boys	Cat. B + C+ D			
	36	400 SF	Girls	Cat. B + C+ D	48	4 x 100 SF Relay	Girls	Cat. B + C+ D			
	Award Ceremony			Award Ceremony							





