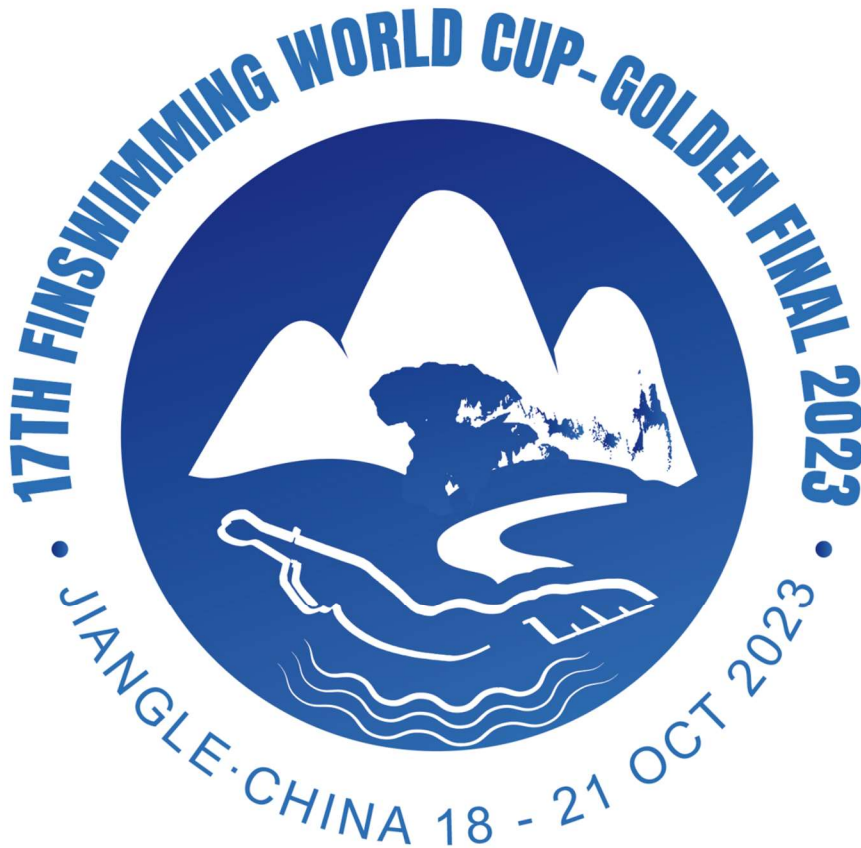


**THE 17th FINSWIMMING WORLD CUP
GOLDEN FINAL 2023**



October 18-21, 2023

Jiangle County, Sanming City, Fujian Province, China

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The CHINA WATER SKI, UNDERWATER & POWERBOAT FEDERATION warmly and sincerely invite all Federations and Clubs to participate in the XVII CMAS Finswimming World Cup Golden Final 2023 from 17th to 21st October in Jiangle, China.

1. The Host City

Jiangle County in Fujian Province is a county with splendid culture and a history of 1763 years.



2. Transportation and Accommodation

All transfer booking forms must be sent to goldenfinal2023@163.com no later than Oct. 5th, 2023.

AIRPORT	HOURS	KM	MODEL	ONE-WAY PRICE (USD/person)
Xiamen Gaoqi Airport (XMN)	4	318	MINIVAN	60
	4.5		38-seat coach	25
			48-seat coach	
			19-seat coach	
Fuzhou Changle Airport (FOC)	3.5	312	MINIVAN	60
	4.5		38-seat coach	25
			48-seat coach	
			19-seat coach	

The OC provides rooms (with 2-3 beds) in Jiangle Yuhua Tianyuan International Hotel, 3 meals and shuttle bus service to and from the arena at 125 USD / person / day from October 17 to October 21, 2023.

4-day package price: 500 USD/person (check-in on 17th, check-out on 21st.)

Extra order will at your own expense.

An update for a single room needs an extra rate of 35 USD / person / day.

All hotel booking forms must be sent to goldenfinal2023@163.com no later than Sept. 17th, 2023.



3. Competition Entry

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/>

Preliminary entry - application form is provided as attachment with these specific rules and must be filled duly (Enclosure 1 Preliminary Entry Form). All preliminary entries must be sent to goldenfinal2023@163.com not later than August 17, 2023.

Registration of athletes for events must be submitted **only through electronic way**: <https://www.sportdata.org/cmas/set.php?id=6>. **Opening date of registration is Friday September 29th.**

Each competitor can take part in a maximum of four (4) individual events and two (2) relays.

Registration Tutorial:

For registration you need an account.

Users which 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 officials' 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:

- a. Log in with your account
- b. Check your team data. Please check if the data is correct and up to date.
- c. Enter or change the data of your competitors, coaches, referees and officials.
- d. 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.
- e. On the bottom of the entries site you will see the functions to make new entries
- f. Register your competitors / teams in categories, as well as your coaches, referees and officials
- g. 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.
- h. 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.
- i. Please also check out the “Other Items” section of the event. The organizer may also provide here additional purchase items, like transport, accommodation, etc.
- j. If you need help please contact the Sport data Support Team:
support@sportdata.org

Fees of registration

It's not necessary to buy CMAS license to participate at World Cup 2023. System will take in account only Temporary license. CMAS licenses won't be checked.

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, only by credit card.

Miscellaneous

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

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:

- 24 USD for each club;
 - 17 USD per each relay;
 - 9 USD per each individual distance;
- Fees paid for not performed races will not be reimbursed.
- Late enrolments are not accepted because registration is managed by CMAS system during registration planning.
- Payment should be made by direct bank transfer.

Bank information's confidential. Thus, it will be sent to you on request by mail at: cnunderwater@163.com

Each team can reserve **1 to 4-liter gas cylinders**: \$5 per bottle. Training during official hosting days are free of charge.

Please note that all transactions (hotel, airport pick-up, equipment rental, extra training, etc.) are required to make to the following bank account no later than Oct. 18, 2023, in US dollars ONLY.

Transfer details

Name of Bank: Industrial and Commercial Bank of China Sanming Branch

China SWIFT code: ICBKCNBJFJN

Account No.: 1404042119341004074

Beneficiary name: Fujian Jiangle County Yuhua Hotel co.LTD

Address: No.1,Binhe North Road,Guyong Town,Jiangle County

4. Competition Events

SENIOR(Cat."A") M/W	JUNIOR (Cat."B") B/G
50 m AP, 100 m IM. 50 m SF, 100 m SF, 200 m SF, 400 m SF, 800 m SF Relay: 4 x 100 m SF, Relay: 4 x 100 m BF mixed 50 m BF.100 m BF.200 m BF.400 m BF	50 m AP,100 m IM 50 m SF,100 m SF, 200 m SF, 400 m SF, 800 m SF Relay: 4 x 100 m SF, Relay: 4 x 100 m BF mixed 50m BF,100 m BF, 200 m BF, 400 m BF

5. Rules

CMAS Finswimming rules version 2023/01 will apply.
<http://www.cmas.org/fifinswimming/documents-of-the-fifinswimming-commission>

6. Venue

All events will be held in Jiangle Sports Center. The swimming pool, certified by CMAS, is 50m long, 25m wide and 2m deep with 8 lanes. The arena can hold up to 2000 spectators.



7. Classifications

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

There will be classification for Individuals, Clubs, National Teams and Countries.

Individual: 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.

Club: 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.

National Teams: 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, girls.

Countries Ranking:

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.

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. Prize

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

Teams prizes: trophies for top three clubs and top three National Teams.

Award ceremonies will take place during the competition, so the involved athletes must wear official uniforms of their teams at organizing staff's disposal at the right time.

To prepare for Award Ceremony, each team must bring **3** national flags (180cm x 120cm) and one CD of the national anthem.

9. Responsibility

The Organizing federation, 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.

10. Visa

For Visa application issue, please contact CHINA WATER SKI, UNDERWATER & POWERBOAT FEDERATION (cnunderwater@163.com) no later than August 10th, 2023. All documents should enter Chinese Embassy 50 days prior to your entry in China.



11. Schedule

17/10 Arrival

18/10 Training / Technical meeting / Welcoming party

19/10 Opening ceremony / Competition

20/10 Competition / closing ceremony / Party

21/10 Departure

18 th	
11:00	Technical Meeting (Meeting Room in arena)
12:00 - 19:00	Documents submission
12:00 - 20:00	Equipment Control
17:00 - 20:00	Official Training

19 th		
7:45 - 8:45	Warm-up	
9:00 - 9:30	Opening Ceremony	
	50 AP	Senior
	50 AP	Junior
	50 BF	Senior
	50 BF	Junior
	800 SF	Senior
	800 SF	Junior
	Awarding Ceremony	
15:00 - 16:00	warm-up	
16:15	200 SF	Senior
	200 SF	Junior
	400 BF	Senior
	400 BF	Junior
	Awarding Ceremony	
	100 IM	Senior
	100 IM	Junior
	4x100 BF	Mix Relay
	Awarding Ceremony	

20 th		
7:45 - 8:45	Warm-up	
9:00	100 SF	Senior
	100 SF	Junior
	100 BF	Senior
	Awarding Ceremony	
	100 BF	Junior
	400 SF	Senior
	400 SF	Junior
	Awarding Ceremony	
14:00 - 15:00	Warm-up	
15:15	50 SF	Senior
	50 SF	Junior
	200 BF	Senior
	200 BF	Junior
	Awarding Ceremony	
	4 x 100 SF	Senior
	4 x 100 SF	Junior
	Awarding Ceremony	
	Party	

12. Arrival Before Official Hosting

Teams that arrive before official hosting date must contact organizer goldenfinal2023@163.com no later than September 17th, providing all arriving details.

Outside official training hours, the training fee is 8 dollars / person / hour, and the maximum number of swimmers in each lane is 10.

Shuttle bus fee is 5 dollars / person / day.

