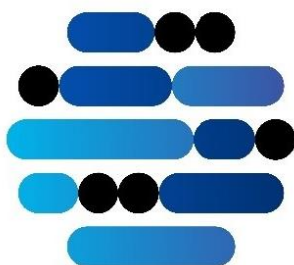




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GENERAL CONCEPT

The World Aquatics Women Water Polo World Cup 2023 season has commenced!

The second round of women's tournaments with the eight Division 1 teams taking place in the Indoor Swimming Pool of the Hellenic Army Academy, will be held in Athens, Greece on 19-21 April 2023.

The Qualification round in Division 1 is to decide about the top 6 teams, who will be entitled to play in the World Aquatics World Cup Final 2023.

Slated to take place from 23-25 June, the World Aquatics Women's Water Polo World Cup Final will see an elite eight of women's water polo powers play in Long Beach, USA.

In the city of Athens, Municipality Vari Vouliagmeni, a joint competition will be held with eight top nations participating:

Group A: Greece, Netherlands, Hungary, Australia

Group B: Spain, United States of America, Italy, China

All the games within both groups will be played between 19th – 21th April 2023.

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BLANCHARD Aurély (FRA) (NEUTRAL)

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NED Diana DUTILH

HUN Gabriella VARKONYI

World Aquatics Referees:

AUS Fiona HAIGH

ESP Marta CABANAS

USA Jennifer MC CALL

ITA Giuliana NICOLOSI

CHI Liang ZHANG

The Venue

The competition will be held in the indoor swimming pool “KYPROS” of the Hellenic Army Academy. The venue has been the host of major national and international competitions.



Capacity during the event: 600 spectators

Venue Address: Leoforos Eyelidon (Varis – Koropiou) Avenue Vari P.O. 16673 – Greece

Registration

The registration will run through the FINA GMS. All entries shall be made electronically via the World Aquatics General Management System (GMS) via the link <https://data.fina.org>. Access to the registration system should be via the logins previously supplied to your Federation. If you require any assistance of support with the registration process, please contact gms@worldaquatics.com.

A federation can enter maximum 25 players during the registration for this Event. By the Sport Entries deadline the Federation will need to specify (through the sport entry) a maximum of 18 players who will be confirmed for the competition. The remaining players potentially registered will be rejected and their participation in the competition cancelled. A team delegation can consist of 26 members plus the referee with the team.

Please keep in mind that for each game the coach has the possibility to change between the given 18 players.

Accreditation procedure

Participating national federations must complete the registration procedure to obtain the accreditation card for all their members – including athletes, coaches, staff, NF representatives and guests, etc. This process will be done online through World Aquatics GMS.

Following standard procedures, the accreditation card is personal, non-transferable, and must be always displayed in the areas requiring accreditation. The right to hold and/or use may be revoked at any time at full discretion by an official of the Organizing Committee.

Technical meeting

The Technical meeting shall take place on **18th April 2023** at 18.00 pm, in PALMYRA BEACH HOTEL, Room Riviera 123, Address: 70 Poseidonos Avenue, 16675 Glyfada, Athens, Greece

At least one team representative and the head coach are required to be present at the meeting. Transportation will be arranged accordingly.

Workshop Referees & Delegates

The Workshop for Referees and Delegates shall take place on **19th April 2023** between 09.00 – 12.00, in PALMYRA BEACH HOTEL, Address: 70 Poseidonos Avenue, 16675 Glyfada, Athens, Greece

Official website

<https://worldcup2023.koe.org.gr/>

Accommodation for teams

All participating team members will be accommodated in the following hotels. Please make your booking using the hotel booking form (appendix).

TROPICAL HOTEL ****

TEAMS: USA - HUNGARY



Address:

74 Poseidonos Avenue Alimos, Athens,
17455, Greece

Tel: +30 210 98 13 993

Distance from the pool: 15,5km approx.

Times of the meals

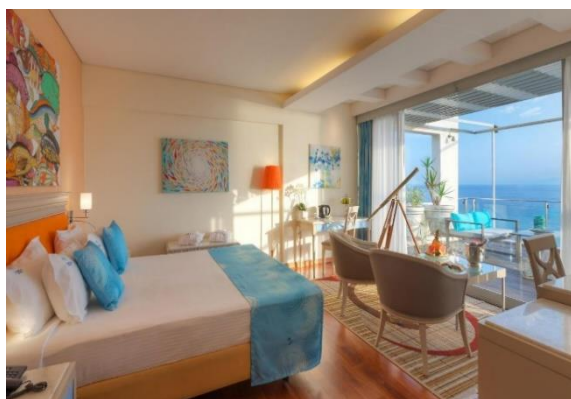
Breakfast: 07:30 – 10:30

Lunch: 12:00 – 15:00

Dinner: 19:00 – 22:00

FOUR SEASONS HOTEL ****

TEAMS: AUSTRALIA – THE NETHERLANDS



Address:

79 Posidonos Ave. 166 74 Glyfada
Athens Greece

Tel ++30 210 8942211-13

Distance from the pool: 15,5km approx.

Times of the meals

Breakfast: 07:00 – 10:00

Lunch: 12:30 – 15:00

Dinner: 19:00 – 22:00

GALAXY HOTEL ****

TEAMS: ITALY – SPAIN



Address:

39 Posidonos Ave. & Kalamakiou
Str.Alimos (Kalamaki), 17455

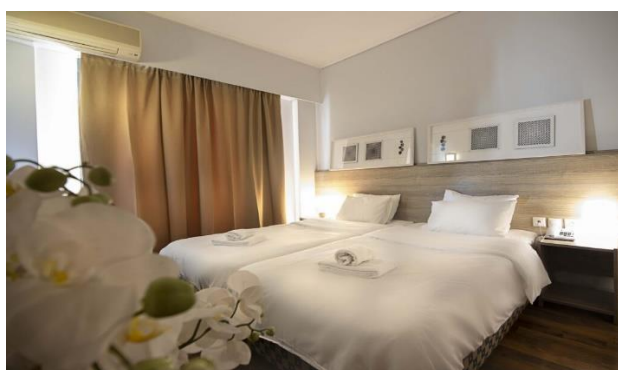
Tel: +30 210 98 53 138

Distance from the pool: 17,6km approx.

Breakfast: 07:00 – 10:00
Lunch: 12:30 – 15:00
Dinner: 19:00 – 22:00

PALACE HOTEL ****

TEAMS: CHINA - GREECE



Address:

Leof. Poseidonos 4, Glifada 166 75

Tel: +30 210 2108943496

Distance from the pool: 9,7km approx.

Times of the meals
Breakfast: 07:00 – 10:00
Lunch: 12:30 – 15:30
Dinner: 19:00 – 22:00

Please note:

- * During lunch and dinner only the following drinks are included:
mineral water, coffee, tea, orange juice or apple juice. Other drinks at your own cost.
- * Meeting room available upon request, at your own cost.

The standard check-in time is 15:00h and check-out time is 12:00h. Option of late check-out is subject to availability and extra costs are to be paid by the requesting federation.

Meals will be served at designated restaurant areas for team members participating in the competition. Teams must communicate all special requests (allergies, vegetarian etc.) with their hotel booking.

Technical Officials' Accommodation

Technical Officials and World Aquatics delegates will be accommodated in

PALMYRA BEACH HOTEL**.**



Address:

4, Iatrou Liougka St & 70, Possidonos Avenue, Glyfada 166 75, Athens Greece

Tel. (+30 210) 89.81.183
Distance from the pool: 15,5km approx.

Times of the meals
Breakfast: 07:30 – 10:00
Lunch: 13:00 – 15:00
Dinner: 19:00 – 21:00

Make sure to inform the LOC your travel plans on d.kasiouris@koe.org.gr

Transportation

The official airport is **Athens, El. Venizelos International Airport**. The approximate bus driving time from the airport to the official hotel is 30 min.

Transportation to and from the official airport is provided free of charge to all team members.

Local transportation for the official matches and training sessions will be provided to all participating teams from their arrival until departure.

The detailed planning of training and match transfers will be communicated to each participating team prior to arrival. The approximate bus driving time from the official hotel to the venue is 20 min. approx..

Requests to change or cancel transportation must be communicated at least 24hrs in advance with the responsible LOC representative.

Please submit your Team travel details via the World Aquatics GMS as soon as and inform us by e-mail: d.kasiours@koe.org.gr

Medical & Doping

Medical services will be at the disposal at the venue during the whole competition.

Athletes can be requested to take a doping test at any time during the competition. A number of tests and types of samples and analyses are at the sole discretion of the World Aquatics and/or International Testing Agency.

If a certain player has been determined to do the test, he will be escorted by the doping chaperones to the Medical & Doping designated areas at the venue.

Media coverage

All matches will be covered in a multi-camera Full HD video production.

Live streaming of all matches (subject to geo-blocking policy) will be provided via the World Aquatics YouTube platform available

Tickets

on the official website of the competition <https://worldcup2023.koe.org.gr/> you may order for paid invitations to watch the games through google forms:

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSdqlqaOQA1Si_YvtWBMqi1VBYNLXZT246dxPWDsxQmYEvFmNg/viewform