



**CWWC Tour Final
Sukay Park World Trophy 2009**

2nd till 4th of October

**Bursa
Turkey**

Bulletin No 1



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**Dear wakeboarders,
friends of board sports,**

It's a pleasure for us to invite you to the

Sukay Park World Trophy & CWWC Tour Final 2009

Date: 02th till 04th October 2009

Venue: Bursa / Turkey

This first Bulletin should help you to organize your trip to Turkey and to get to know more about the event. If you have any questions feel free to contact us! You find the contacts at the last page.

1. Location

Bursa is Turkey's fourth largest city and is located in northwestern of the country. It is one of the most industrialized and culturally charged metropolitan centers. Beautiful parks and gardens, forests and the mountain Uludağ with its famous ski resort characterize the town.



The cableway is the first one in Turkey which was opened in April 2008 and was the place of the 2008 European Championships.

Cable

built by: Rixen

Masts: 5

Height: 10,5 m

Length: 486 m

Obstacles

We will offer detailed description of the course and obstacles in bulletin 2.

2. Before traveling to Turkey

2.1. Visa

Make your visa application in person and one month before you proceed to Turkey to avoid any inconvenience.

We point out that you will get binding information at your appropriate travel agencies or consulate. Please note that nearly every country has got different visa requirements.

2.2 Identity card

Before traveling to Turkey you need to have a current identity card. It is recommended to bring a passport along.

Please confer with your federation to assure yourself.

2.3. Further entry requirements

Advice for traveling by car:

It is a duty to own a third party liability insurance. Further you need a passport when you enter Turkey by car. The Turkish custom will hand out a standard form that fixes the date of your departure. You should avoid an excess of the date of your departure.

Please stick to the rule that you are not allowed to consume alcohol before you drive by car.

Speed limits:

Within built-up area: 50 km/h

Country road: 90 km/h

Motorway: 130 km/h

Helpful translations of traffic signs:

Dikkat = attention

Dur = stop

Park Yapılmaz = no parking

Yavas = drive slowly

Tamirat = road works

Hastane = hospital

Sehir Merkezi = centre

Health:

The ministry of foreign affairs recommends to check your status of inoculation (tetanus, diphtheria, hepatitis a, polio). It is recommended to own an international travel insurance.

Water: tap water is clean but it contains many minerals; many foreign people have got a health intolerance against it. It is recommended to drink regular mineral water (bottles).

2.4. Local currency

Please note that you have to change money.

The Turkish currency is Turkish lira.

For example:

1 Euro = 2,135 lira (exchange rate from 25.08.2009)

It is recommended to exchange money in cash. In bigger cities or holiday centres you are able to pay by credit card. Established credit cards (like Visa, Euro and Master) are accepted. In most cases you will get cash by using your EC card or credit card.

2.5 Time difference

Please note that Bursa is on Eastern European Time (EET)

For example: it is 00:00 in Central Europe – it is 01:00 in Bursa

2.6 General information

Mains electricity:

220 volt

We recommend to use an Euro plug or an universal adapter.

Emergency telephone numbers:

Fire department call 110

Police call 115

Ambulance call 112

International prefix for Turkey is +90

Turkish network is connected to the European GSM standards.

By using your national mobile phone you will be connected with following networks:

Turkcell, Telsim, Vodafone-Turkey or Avea

3. How to get to Bursa**3.1. By car:****From Istanbul**

You start in the direction of ferry harbour "Istanbul Port". Take the ferry "Mudanya-Istanbul" in the direction of ferry harbour Mudanya (transfer by ferry ca. 3 hours). You start in Mudanya in D575 in the direction of Bursa.

Total distance: not specified because of transfer by ferry

Total travel time: 3:30 hours

From Izmir

You start in D300 in the direction of Bornova. At km 10 please follow D565 in the direction of Manisa. At km 40 turn right onto D565 in the direction of Akhisar.

At km 230 turn right onto D573 in the direction of Bursa.

Total distance: 330 km

Total travel time: 6:30 hours

3.2. By plane:

International flights will enter Turkey in Istanbul (Atatürk International).

We will place an information counter for your disposal where the shuttle will start.

For further information please visit the website of Istanbul Airport

www.ataturkairport.com

4. Accommodation, Shuttles and flight tickets.

The local agency provided us with a special website featuring a hotel and flight booking form for this event. The site will be available within the next days on cablewakeboard.net and makes it easy for you to book your hotel, flight and the shuttles all in one place.

When choosing your hotel you can also book the shuttle from airport to hotel and back for 90 Euros in total. (includes costs for ferry). Not all shuttle options will be available online, which makes it important for us to know your arrival details to organize the shuttles.

Following shuttle times are available:

(If your arrival or departure times differs from the below mentioned shuttle times and you need an extra shuttle please let us know: travel@cablewakeboard.net)

Istanbul Airport - Hotel

28. - 30.09. 09:00 / 15:00

01.10. 15:00

Hotel - Istanbul Airport

05.10. 06:00 / 12:00 / 15:00

If you arrive on a different date please let us know as soon as possible.

The shuttles from the hotel to the cable and back are free of charge. If you booked a hotel not on the form we can not guarantee a shuttle from hotel to cable. Please let us know if you have booked a hotel on your own and did not use the online form.

You can also use the form to book your flights, however you can choose to book the flight on your own.

In any case, please provide us with your arrival and departure times to make organization easier for us.

Just send an email with your flight details to travel@cablewakeboard.net

5. "Nice to have" for the riders

- Free drinks and food (breakfast at your hotel)
- Free riding at the cable
- Special riders area
- Board supervision
- Sponsored extra friends-passes to buy
- Competition T-Shirt
- Shuttle Service from hotel to cable and back.

You are able to buy friends-passes for your parents or accompanists during your registration at location for 60 Euros. These cover the meals and access to rider's area for three days.

6. Entry Fee

Juniors	100, - US Dollar/person
Open & Masters	150, - US Dollar/person

The entry fee must be paid cash latest when you register at the competition venue.

6.2. Registration & Entry

In order to enter the competition you need to be registered on cablewakeboard.net. To do so please visit <http://myzone.cablewakeboard.net>

If you do not have a rider's profile, please set yours up and make sure to join the competition. Please make sure your rider's profile is complete because it will be used as information for media, moderation and the live stream.

You find detailed how-to's on setting up a profile and joining competitions on our website. <http://www.cablewakeboard.net/news/93.html>

Deadline for online registration is Thursday, 1st October 18:00 (CET). The earlier you do it though, the earlier we can provide you with a detailed timetable and use this information for communication and promotional purposes. The sooner we know you're coming the sooner we can tell the world that you're coming.

Registration on-site will be on Thursday and for late comers on Friday morning.

7. Prize Money

Junior and Open Categories will be rewarded with a cashprize.

Sukay Park World Trophy:	50.000 US Dollar
CWWC Tour Overall:	14:000 US Dollar
CWWC World Ranking:	40:000 US Dollar

The detailed prize money breakdown will be published soon on cablewakeboard.net and in the 2nd bulletin.

8. Conditions

The Sukay Park World Trophy & CWWC Tour Final will be carried out according to the CWWC Tour Rules 2009 in addition to the IWWF Cable Wakeboard World Rules 2009. Please note that you have to wear a suitable helmet and vest in the wakeboard course. A full copy of the rules are online available at:

www.cablewakeboard.net

9. Categories

Junior Men & Junior Ladies: 1990 or later

Open Men & Open Ladies: No age restriction

Masters Men : 1978 or before

10. License

All riders should be members of their respective country's IWWF affiliated Federation with a valid international wakeboard licence.

If you are not sure how it works in your country, how to find the nearest club or the federation contact, please contact us and we'll provide information for you.

Exceptions:

Riders from countries that don't have a Wakeboard/Waterski Federation affiliated to IWWF can register for the competition. If this is the case please contact us and we'll help you to arrange the insurance policy and a permission for individual entry.

11. Athletes Registration

On-site registration will be on Thursday, 1st October from 15:00 - 20:00 local time. A late comer registration will be open on Friday 2nd October from 10:00 - 12:00 local time. Please bring along your passport or ID in order to identify yourself.

12. Doping control

In accordance with the IWWF Anti-Doping Policy, random drug testing may be conducted on any of the competition days. All riders must have their passports with them at all times during the competition. Please note, if you are randomly chosen for drug testing, and fail to identify yourself with your passport, or fail to take the test for any other reason, it will result with an immediate disqualification. IWWF complies with WADA Anti-Doping Policy. Please visit www.wada-ama.org for more information on prohibited substances and TUE.

For more detailed information regarding the new rules visit:

<http://www.iwsf.com/AntiDoping/WEBpageinformation.htm>

13. Training

Official training: Friday 2nd October

14. Timetable (provisional)

Thursday, October 1st

Registration

Friday, October 2nd

Late comer's registration

Rider's Meeting

Training

Possible start of first qualification rounds in the evening depending on number of entries.

Saturday, October 3rd

Rider's Meeting

Qualifications for all categories

LCQ, Semi-finals

Sunday, October 4th

Semi-finals

Finals - Live Stream

Prize Giving Ceremony

Looking forward to ride with you.

Please inform us about your participation as soon as possible.

If you need help, please feel free to contact us!!!

IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS PLEASE CONTACT:

For questions about licenses and registration:

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If you have questions about the event, the organisation, accommodation, etc.:

travel@cablewakeboard.net

See you in Bursa!