



Mistrovství světa v Raftingu
World Rafting Championships



2012 Youth & Masters World Rafting Championships
River Vltava
Ceske Budejovice, Czech Republic

The Czech Boaters Union (SVOČR) cordially invites all IRF member federations to send their selected Youth and Masters teams to the 2012 Youth & Masters World Rafting Championship in the Czech Republic. The Youth event will be only be the second of its kind, whereas the Masters World Rafting Championships will be the very first race at this level in the history of rafting.

- Dates: August 23th - 28th, 2012
- River: Vltava
- Location: Ceske Budejovice (Sprint, H2H & Slalom)
Vyšší Brod (Downriver, Vltava river)
- Organizer: Czech Boaters Union (SVOČR)
- Categories: R4 men Youth and Master / R4 women Youth and Master
(The number of teams from one country will be open)
- Disciplines: Sprint, H2H, Slalom, Downriver
- Difficulty: Class 2-3 (Sprint, H2H & Slalom)
Class 1-2- (Downriver)
- Rafts & Eqpt: Gumotex Colorado (all other equipment needs to be brought by teams)
- Race rules: We'll be racing as per the IRF rules.
- Entry fee: will be announced later
- Accommodation: Ceske Budejovice - everyone can set up his/her own tent in the race course compound, all facilities are there
Vyšší Brod – also in campsite
- Transport: Ceske Budejovice - Prague: 155 km
Ceske Budejovice - Vienna: 195 km
Lipno nad Vltavou - Prague: 210 km
Lipno nad Vltavou - Vienna: 235 km
- Registration: The last date of registration is to be announced later. Any kind of information can be received through e-mail: libor.peska@seznam.cz
- Race course: The sprint&slalom races will be held on an easy, but potentially very technical artificial slalom course in Ceske Budejovice (Ceske Vrbne), a location of numerous Czech Cup series races in the past, as well as a location of several Euro Cups. A complete reconstruction of the race course will be completed by the end of 2011.
Model of new course:
<http://www.youtube.com/user/kubapruher#p/u/6/2zTSCrf9JGg>
The photos from reconstruction:
<http://www.slalom.cz/slc114-stav-modernizace-slalomove-trate-11-9-2011>
The downriver race will be held in Vyssi Brod, Vltava river



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Further: The sprint & slalom races will be organized within the scope of one of the regular Czech Cup series events (i.e. other than the championships teams will also take part), but naturally most attention will be given to the World Championships race. The World Championships race will be given a separate time frame, but the course will be the same.

Note: The concurrent Czech Cup Series event is open to anybody, so even teams getting ready for the subsequent ERC can take part in this race, meet good competition and check their form ahead of the ERC.

Schedule:
Thursday August 23th: arrival teams
Friday August 24st: training day + accreditation
Saturday August 25st: Sprint + H2H
Sunday August 26st: Slalom
Monday August 27st: move to Vyssi Brod, training of downriver
Tuesday August 28st: Downriver R4

Formalities: List of states whose citizens are required to have visa to enter the Czech Republic:
(Relevant assistance with acquiring the visa can be provided.)

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| • AFGHANISTAN | • KAZAKHSTAN | • PHILIPPINES |
| • ALGERIA | • KENYA | • QATAR |
| • ANGOLA | • KIRIBATI | • RUSSIA |
| • ARMENIA | • KOSOVO | • RWANDA |
| • AZERBAIJAN | • KUWAIT | • SAINT LUCIA |
| • BAHRAIN | • KYRGYZSTAN | • SAINT VINCENT AND
THE GRENADINES |
| • BANGLADESH | • LAOS | • SAMOA |
| • BELARUS | • LEBANON | • SAO TOME AND
PRINCIPE |
| • BELIZE | • LESOTHO | • SAUDI ARABIA |
| • BENIN | • LIBERIA | • SENEGAL |
| • BHUTAN | • LIBYA | • SIERRA LEONE |
| • BOLIVIA | • MADAGASCAR | • SOLOMON ISLANDS |
| • BOTSWANA | • MALAWI | • SOMALIA |
| • BURKINA FASO | • MALDIVES | • SOUTH AFRICA |
| • BURUNDI | • MALI | • SRI LANKA |
| • CAMBODIA | • MARSHALL ISLAND | • SUDAN |
| • CAMERON | • MAURITANIA | • SURINAM |
| • CAPE VERDE | • MICRONESIA | • SWAZILAND |
| • CENTRAL AFRICAN
REPUBLIC | • MOLDOVA | • SYRIA |
| • CHAD | • MONGOLIA | • TAJIKISTAN |
| • CHINA | • MOROCCO | • TANZANIA |
| • COLOMBIA | • MOZAMBIQUE | • THAILAND |
| • COMOROS | • MYANMAR | • TOGO |
| • CONGO-BRAZZAVILLE | • NAMIBIA | • TONGA |
| • CUBA | • NAURU | • TRINIDAD AND
TOBAGO |
| • DEMOCRATIC
REPUBLIC OF CONGO | • NEPAL | • TUNISIA |
| • DJIBOUTI | • NIGER | • TURKEY |
| • DOMINICA | • NIGERIA | • TURKMENISTAN |
| • DOMINICAN | • NORTH KOREA | |
| | • OMAN | |
| | • PAKISTAN | |



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- REPUBLIC
- EASTERN TIMOR
- ECUADOR
- EGYPT
- EQUATORIAL GUINEA
- ERITREA
- ETHIOPIA
- FIJI
- GABON
- GAMBIA
- GEORGIA
- GHANA
- GRENADA
- GUYANA
- GUINEA
- GUINEA-BISSAU
- HAITI
- INDIA
- INDONESIA
- IRAN
- IRAQ
- IVORY COAST
- JAMAICA
- JORDAN
- PALAU
- PALESTINIAN NATIONAL AUTHORITY
- PAPUA-NEW GUINEA
- PERU
- TUVALU
- UGANDA
- UKRAINE
- UNITED ARAB EMIRATES
- UZBEKISTAN
- VANUATU
- VIETNAM
- YEMEN
- ZAMBIA
- ZIMBABWE