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June 2023

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Thury-Harcourt-Le-Hom
Suisse Normande


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INTRODUCTION

Dear national federations, dear canoe polo friends,

The European Canoe Association entrusts to the French Canoe Federation, the city of Thury-Harcourt – Le-Hom and the Kayak Club of Thury-Harcourt for the organization of the 2023 ECA Canoe Polo European Cup.

We thank the European Canoe Association to have chosen the city of Thury-Harcourt – Le-Hom as the organizer of this competition, and it is with a great pleasure that we will receive this event on 24th and 25th June 2023.

The Organising Committee and all volunteers have a know-how parking the quality of competition and wishes that this sporting event remains an unforgettable one for every canoe polo amateurs.

We wish to everybody to cross a nice instant during this sport meeting.

Anne-Cécile Choffel

President – Kayak Club of Thury-Harcourt

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GENERAL INFORMATION

KEY DATES

16 th April 2023	Deadline for nominal entries (and meal reservation)
23 rd April 2023	Confirmation of entries by Organising Committee
25 th May 2023	Deadline for visa (invitation letter)
June 2023	Timetable to the teams and federations
24 th June 2023	Competition day 1
25 th June 2023	Competition day 2

THURY-HARCOURT – LE-HOM AND ITS SURROUNDINGS

Tourism region in the heart of Normandy, the Suisse Normande owes its name to its rugged terrain. The weather and geology have shaped this territory which is one of the oldest mountain ranges in Europe. The diversity of the landscape with its deep valleys, steep slopes, gorges, white water, and forests suggests many outdoor activities and discovery.

Villas and castles punctuate verdant countryside where there are many charming villages nestled in the hollow of valleys or nestled on the hillside.





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HOW TO GO TO THURY-HARCOURT – LE-HOM

Map:



By plane:

You can land off at the following airports and take a shuttle to join Thury-Harcourt:

AIRPORT	DISTANCE	TIME
Paris Charles de Gaulle	280 km	3h
Beauvais	240 km	3h
Airport de Deauville - Normandy	80 km	1h
Caen Carpiquet	40 km	30 min

By train:

If you come by train, please visit the website: www.voyages-sncf.com

You can access to Thury-Harcourt:

- From Flers
- From Caen

By car:

Please visit the website: www.viamichelin.fr

Thury-Harcourt is located

- 260 km from Paris
- 245 km from Beauvais
- 30 km from Caen

By boat:

You can also reach Caen by boat and take a shuttle to join Thury-Harcourt:

- Caen - Ouistreham Harbour (45 minutes)

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ACCOMMODATION

NAME	LOCATION	DISTANCE FROM SITE	CAPACITY
GROUP ACCOMMODATION			
Ferme des Epis	Ouffières	10 minutes by car	90 beds
Centre de Pleine Nature - Capaventure	Clécy	10 minutes by car	220 beds
Relais du Grandcamp	Clécy	10 minutes by car	47 beds
Gîte du Golf de Cantelou	Clécy	10 minutes by car	17 beds
Ferme du Vey – 1st house	Le Vey	10 minutes by car	20 beds
Ferme du Vey – 2nd house	Le Vey	10 minutes by car	24 beds
Gîte de la Cour	Campanré Valcongrain	10 minutes by car	36 beds
Gîte des 4 saisons	Clinchamps sur Orne	20 minutes by car	85 beds
Hotel IBIS	Falaise	30 minutes by car	47 beds
Hotel IBIS	Breteville sur Odon	30 minutes by car	40 beds
Hotel MERCURE	Caen	40 minutes by car	40 beds
CAMPINGS			
Camping du Traspy	Thury-Harcourt	On site	36 beds
Camping des rochers des parcs	Clécy	10 minutes by car	44 beds

GROUP ACCOMMODATION ON-SITE – « Centre d'hébergement du Traspy » :

48 beds. *In the accommodation, sheets are included.* Booking: contact@thurypleinair.fr

For more information, please contact the tourist office "Suisse Normande Tourisme" by phone at 02.31.79.70.45 or on their website: <http://www.suisse-normande-tourisme.com/>

CATERING

Meals are reserved by nation. Lunch costs 15 euros per person, including a starter, a hot main course, cheese, and a dessert. You must book the number of meals per nation **before April 16**. On-site public catering will also be offered by the organizing committee.

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SPORT INFORMATION

PROVISIONAL PROGRAM

Friday 23 th June	Accreditation, Equipment control, Team leaders meeting, ITO meeting
Saturday 24 th June	Competition day 1
Sunday 25 th June	Competition day 2, Podium

REGISTRATION

Please complete the online entry form before **16th April 2023** at the following link:
<https://forms.gle/GQUZhKSa6QbaSmnf6>

CANCELLATION TERMS

For any cancellation, money already paid to the Organising Committee won't be retrievable.

HOW TO PAY ?

Fees: 150 € per team and 250 € extra per missing Referee

The fees must be paid by bank transfer (SWIFT) according to the following conditions

- 100 % of fees when final registration is done
- Payment deadline: 16th April 2023
- Put the team's name in the comment (category and nation)

Bank details

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 23 RUE PASTEUR
 14310 VILLERS BOCAGE

Intitulé du compte **THURY PLEIN AIR**
THURY HARCOURT
 22 IMP DES LAVANDIERES
 14220 LE HOM

Please be aware that possible fees resulting from bank transfer will not be taken in charge by the organising committee.



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DO YOU NEED A VISA?

To know if you need a visa, please visit the following website: <http://www.diplomatie.gouv.fr>

If you do not manage to obtain a visa

The national federation must send as soon as possible the nominative lists of people who need visas and this following information:

- Name
- First Name
- Gender
- Email
- Phone number
- Passport number
- Date of birth
- Arrival date
- Departure date
- Accommodation details

The French Canoe Federation will help you

We will send an official invitation letter for your team to the French Consulate with necessary information. A copy of this letter will be sent to your national federation.

Contact for visa: events@ffck.org

LAWS AND REGULATION

The enforceable regulation for the ECA Canoe Polo European Cup will be the same as for ICF World Championships. Please visit the Internet website: www.canoeicf.com

In particular case of a sport event organized in France:

- Evin law 91-32 on 10th January 1991

This law forbids advertising for all alcoholic beverages (any level of alcohol including beer) and tobacco inside a sports arena. No advertising on the tracksuits, boats, paddles ...

- Sport code
- Protection of athlete health, law 99-223 on 23rd March 1999

Specific doping regulations on French territory.

For any further information about these laws, please visit the website: www.legifrance.gouv.fr

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1. Organisation

- The ECA will nominate a maximum of 3 tournaments from hosting federations to organize the European Cup. These federations send the announcement to all European Federations at least 4 months in advance of the competition and shall publish the announcement on the ECA website.
- Entry in the European Cup is allowed for national teams.
- Applications to host the European Cup must come from the National Federation on behalf of the organizing club to the ECA with a copy to the ECA Canoe Polo Technical Delegate (ECA CPTD) and be received by the ECA before 1st October of the year before the European Cup to be hosted.

2. Date of competition

- The Competitions take part for one year. The date for the competitions will be posted on the ECA website and the ICF Canoe Polo Calendar.

3. National Representation

- Each European Federation is allowed to nominate one national team in the Class Women, Men, U21 Men and U 21 Women.
- The European Cup will be played if there is an entry of minimum 5 Teams in each class.
- Also "B"-teams and non-EU-Teams are allowed to enter.

4. Invitations and Entries

- Invitations are issued to each National Federation to enter their Team representatives.
- These entry forms must be returned by the closing date with the appropriate entry fee for the teams who will represent their federation.
- All entries to the hosting federation must come from each National Federation with the appropriate Federation stamp and signed by their National Canoe Polo Chairperson.
- Teams not fulfilling these requirements will have their entry forms returned and will be deemed ineligible to participate.
- A copy of all entries must be sent to the ECA CPTD.

5. Player Eligibility

- The players eligibility sees ICF Rules Chapter I Point 3
- A player may compete in more than one category in all tournaments of the European Cup
- Mixed teams are not permitted
- A player must have the minimum age of 15 years
- Each participating federation must provide one qualified ICF Referee for each category (Men, Women, U21 Men & U21 Women) a federation competes.



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Notes:

1. If a federation cannot provide a referee or referees, they can still participate but only if they pay a fee of 250 € per referee together with the entry fee to the organisation of each tournament in which the Referee is missing. This money must be used for referee affairs.
2. The Referee only needs to be ICF qualified. They do not have to be from the participating federation.
3. In certain circumstances a federation will be allowed to bring a qualified ICF Referee who is also playing at the tournament. This will need to be preauthorised by the organisers of the competition and chief referee.

6. Accreditation of players

- a. Players must present their passport and insurance card at the accreditation for each competition.
- b. Players who fail to do so will be declared ineligible for the competition

7. Competition Rules

- a. The competition runs under the ICF Canoe Polo Rules. <https://www.canoeicf.com/rules>

8. Entry Fee

- a. The entry fee per team (also "B" Teams and teams from out of Europe) for each tournament is 150€ paid with the entry fees to each tournament.
- b. Teams only can be accredited if the entry fee is paid.

9. Results

- a. A full set of results must be sent per Email to the ECA CPTD and must be published in the web
- b. All the money for the prize money of each tournament must be published in the web and must be transferred to the ECA CPTD

10. Technical Delegate

- a. The ECA will nominate a Technical Delegate who will control the running of the competition on behalf of the ECA
- b. Each host federation will cover the travel and accommodation cost for a technical visit and the competition.