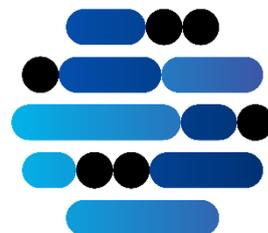


SUSTAINABILITY



WORLD AQUATICS OPEN WATER SWIMMING WORLD CUP

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1. THE COMPETITION

The Open Water World Cup includes the 10K and 3K events and the Spanish Open Water Championship includes the 10K, 7.5K, 5K, 3K and 4x750m mixed relay.

VENUE: Santa Eulalia del Rio, Ibiza

DATE: May 25 to 27, 2025

SCHEDULE:

	Thursday, 24 April	Friday, 25 April	Saturday, 26 April	Sunday, 27 April
AM	09:00 - 12:00 COMPETITION VENUE TRAINING	07:00 Check-in 09:00-11:00 10K Women 12:00-14:00 10K Men 14:30 Ceremony Awards	07:00 Check-in 09:00-10:00 Knock-Out Women 11:00-12:00 Knock Out Men 12:30 Ceremony Awards 13:00-14:15 Knock Out Junior-1 / Youth 14:45 Ceremony Awards	07:00 Check-in 09:00-10:00 5K Women 11:00-12:00 5K Men 12:30 Ceremony Awards 13:00-14:30 Mixed Relay 4x750 15:00 Ceremony Awards
PM	-	15:00 Check-in 17:00-19:00 7,5K Junior-1 Men / Women 19:30 Ceremony Awards	15:00 Check-in Máster 17:00 - 19:30 3K Men / Women 20:00 Ceremony Awards	-

ORGANIZING ENTITY: Royal Spanish Swimming Federation. CIF. Q2878029D

ROUNDS

Individual races and relays: Start and finish CNSE Sailing Club Santa Eulària.

From the organization of the OW Ibiza World Cup, we are committed to our event to have "Zero Impact" and for this we will develop several measures that we detail below.

In 1987, the Brundtland Report defined sustainable development as "development that meets the needs of present generations without compromising the ability of future generations to meet their own needs.

A sporting event can have a negative impact, such as increased waste, high consumption of energy, water and food, generation of air, noise and light pollution, increased risk of fires, accidents, degradation of the environment, etc.

With this protocol and the consequent action of the entire organization, we intend and commit ourselves to:

1. Real reduction of negative social and environmental impacts.
2. To add human and environmental value to the event.
3. Support and reactivate the local economy and employment.
4. Improve or change our relationship with the planet for participants, suppliers and sponsors.
5. To give a good image of the event, brand and municipality.
6. Reinforce and unify environmental objectives with institutions, sponsors and participants.
7. Create emotional ties with the event, organization, institutions and environment.
8. To inspire innovation and technological creativity in management with eco-solutions.
9. To show and demonstrate that there is another way of doing sports competitions with real commitment and responsibility.

Making an event sustainable is easier than it seems, it just requires planning and commitment, assessing and adopting the appropriate measures to reduce or eliminate the negative environmental and social impact.

1. Placement of litter garbage cans throughout the site.
2. Use of biodegradable material for provisioning.
3. Water distribution through dispensers.
4. To distribute healthy and environmentally and health responsible food.
5. Protect animal and plant habitat.
6. To sensitize the attendees, not only participants, about respect for their environment.

Aspects on which the "Zero Impact" protocol is based:

1. Waste.
2. Water and energy.
3. Mobility.
4. Food.
5. Protection of the environment.
6. Communication.
7. Evaluation.

2. WASTE

1. Reduce, Reuse and Recycle.
2. Minimize waste.
3. After the refreshment, the bottles will be collected and returned to the team as far as possible for future use.

3. WATER

1. The toilets will be chemical, and the company will be in charge of waste treatment.
2. Water dispensers will be available to reduce plastic packaging.

4. MOBILITY

1. Attendance by public transportation will be encouraged.
2. Access to the parking lot next to the Hotel Aguas de Ibiza will be encouraged.

5. FOOD

1. The products offered by the organization to the swimmers will be purchased in Santa Eulalia, reducing the carbon footprint.
2. Information on accommodations, restaurants and activities will be provided to promote local tourism.

6. ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

1. The event will have enough containers so that everyone can deposit their waste in them, as well as staff that will inform and collaborate to make this happen.

7. START AND FINISH AREA

1. There will be a checkroom, where athletes can leave their belongings and everything they need for the competition.
2. The organization will provide 100% biodegradable bottles or cups, water dispensers and

isotonic drinks.

3. The athlete who enters the last call room with any type of bottle or plastic gels, must deposit it in the plastic garbage can located in that area.

8. COMPETITION AREA

1. For safety reasons, the number of motorboats required to ensure compliance with the "Zero Risk" Protocol will be used.
2. For the master's race, the monitoring staff will be in canoes.
3. Athletes who use gels during the race, will be instructed to do so in the refreshment area to collect the waste, and in case of using them in another area, it will be recommended to keep the remains in the swimsuit to be able to deposit them in the corresponding bucket.

9. COMMUNICATION

1. There will be signage and collaborators, with previous training, to inform all attendees of the recycling points, waste differentiation and if necessary to collect what may be left by carelessness.

10. EVALUATION

Once the event is over, the results and the impact on the municipality, marina and beach will be evaluated in order to improve as much as possible in future editions.

11. GREEN SPORT FLAG

The R.F.E.N. and ADESP (Spanish Association of Spanish Sport) consider it of interest to carry out actions aimed at environmental awareness and protection, especially in competitions and activities that are part of the calendar and that, within its normal development, may adopt measures that are considered desirable for the conservation or improvement of the environment.

11.1 Environmental protection requirements

SUPPORT FROM ADMINISTRATIONS

- Support to administrations for collaboration with environmental initiatives.

EVENT ORGANIZATION

- It has a person in charge and/or subscribes to a manual of good environmental practices.
- Recycled, environmentally friendly or biodegradable materials are used.

WASTE MANAGEMENT

- It has supports for recycling.
- Reuse materials from previous events.
- Commitment to collect waste at the end of the competition to be taken to recycling plants once the competition is over.

RESPONSIBLE MOBILITY

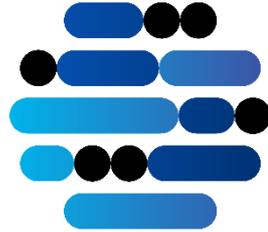
- Preferential parking reservation for high occupancy vehicles.

EVENT OFFICE

- Commitment to reducing paper consumption in the Office.
- Existence of recycling garbage cans in the event administration.
- Commitment to water consumption in sustainable containers.

ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

- Commitment to respect and protection of the natural environment.
- Commitment to the cleanliness and hygiene of the environment and/or premises and its dependencies.



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