

WFDF Event Participant Agreement and Liability Waiver

Please read this document carefully - it affects your legal rights.

This agreement is to be completed by all registered NON-PLAYING PARTICIPANTS at WFDF's 2023 Major events including the: AOBUC, WJUC, WUC, WGC, WTDGC & WMUC

For the purposes of this agreement:

- "WFDF" means the World Flying Disc Federation, and includes all of its committees, member national affiliated associations and clubs; and their directors, officers, employees and volunteers;
- "LOC" means the Local Organising Committee, including all staff, officers, volunteers and officials associated with running the tournament - and includes the host WFDF member National Federation;
- "Sport" means a flying disc sport, including ultimate, guts, disc golf and individual events (including DDC and Freestyle);
- "Event" includes the specific WFDF event for which the participant is registered and any future WFDF events that the person may participate in, notwithstanding future agreements entered into;
- "Activity" means any activity associated with participation in the Event, including all competitions, preparations, social events, meetings, ceremonies and the provision of services such as accommodation, food and transport;
- "I", "Me", "My" refers to the person undersigned and all minors for whom they are a legal guardian.

Purpose

This agreement aims to make clear some, but not all, of the aspects of the Event that should be considered common knowledge for all registered participants. If I am unclear about the meaning of a particular phrase, I will seek clarification from a representative of WFDF.

By reading and understanding and signing this agreement, I agree to the provisions set forth within this document and that I am equipped with basic knowledge to help ensure my own safety and the safety of those for whom I am legally responsible.

I hereby agree to all the following conditions in consideration of WFDF & the LOC allowing me to participate in the Event:

1. I agree to read, understand and comply with the WFDF by-laws, policies, codes of conduct and the rules of the Sport. I can obtain copies of the by-laws, policies, rules and the code of conduct from the WFDF website (www.wfdf.sport).
2. I agree that, by participating in the Event, I am risking serious injury including chronic pain, permanent incapacitation, paralysis and death, particularly through contact with objects (such as discs) on or outside the playing field. I acknowledge that there have historically been deaths associated with participating in similar Events due to lightning strike, heart attack and road accident.
3. I take responsibility to ensure that athlete and participant safety is maintained at all times, and that problems are addressed or reported as they occur.
4. If I believe it is unsafe to continue to participate in any Event activity, I will remove myself from that Activity or the Event.
5. Event venues may contain defects such as uneven steps, holes, mud, rocks, broken glass and other foreign materials. I acknowledge that WFDF may not have the resources to fully inspect Event venues and facilities before each Activity and so I will ensure that facilities and venues are safe prior to undertaking duties for my role at the Event, taking mitigating action if necessary if the risks are too great.
6. I will remove myself immediately from any lightning-affected Activity and not wait for an official cancellation of the Activity.
7. I will discontinue participation in an Activity if I am affected by heat, feel dizzy, nauseous or weak, and will seek medical attention immediately.
8. I agree that I am responsible for ensuring that any property I bring to the Event is protected from loss, theft or damage.
9. I agree that either I have a right to public health cover in all of the countries and jurisdictions in which the Event will take place, or that I have taken out sufficient medical or travel insurance to cover potential medical expenses for injuries sustained during the Event, including long-term hospitalisation or permanent incapacitation. I agree that any injuries sustained during the Event may result in significant financial loss through hospitalization, long-term medical bills or being unable to work. If I choose not to obtain personal insurance against such losses it is at my own risk.
10. I am aware that the Event is run in accordance with WFDF Anti-Doping Rules and the World Anti-Doping Agency (WADA) World Anti-Doping Code ("the Code") and its international standards. I am aware as a non-player I am still subject to these rules and the Code and may be realising Anti-Doping Rule Violations of non-analytical kind with respective sanctions as per the Rules and the Code."
11. As a participant in the event I abide by the WFDF Code of Conduct on sports betting integrity for athletes, officials and event participants and declare in particular that I will not bet on my sport, that I will not share sensitive information about my sport and that I will not take part in any activities on match fixing or sports manipulation. I understand that any offence against these regulations will be sanctioned according to WFDF policies.
12. I give WFDF & the TOC permission for the free use of my name, voice, picture, likeness and provided biographical information in any broadcast, telecast, commercial recording, advertising, promotion or other account of WFDF, the Event and any Sports.

13. As a consequence from the EU General Data Protection Regulation 2018 (GDPR);
 - a. I declare that I am hereby informed on the collection of my personal data, particularly my name, first and middle names, date of birth, email contact, gender, postal address, telephone contacts, facebook account domains and all other relevant data to register for accreditation and to manage the Event appropriately.
 - b. I declare consent that these data are collected, stored and used in any other form solely for these Event purposes.
 - c. I am informed that I can withdraw this consent at any time by sending an eMail to info@wfdf.sport.
 - d. I am informed about my rights to request information about the stored data at any time and to have the data deleted, corrected, and blocked and am informed that I may execute these rights by sending an email to info@wfdf.sport.
 - e. To contact the WFDF Data Protection Unit I may send an email to info@wfdf.sport or call +49 (0) 176 / 64 19 77 02 or address my request by postal letter to WFDF, Enggasse 2a, D-55296 Harxheim, Germany.
14. I recognise that the risk of contraction of communicable diseases, including but not limited to the novel coronavirus ("COVID-19"), from Event activities is significant, and agree that I will comply with all required Centers for Disease Control and Prevention ("CDC") and LOC guidelines relating to reduction of this risk.
15. I confirm that I have not tested positive or been diagnosed for Covid-19 in the past ten (10) days and that I am free of Covid-19 symptoms, including signs of respiratory illness, fever, dry cough or any flu-like symptoms. I agree to self-isolate if any symptoms as described above appear while I am at the Event and to notify by phone the Event Covid Officer immediately if symptoms appear. I agree I must obtain and provide proof of a negative test result by an approved official before participating in the Event after testing positive or after the appearance of symptoms while at the event or within 10 days prior to the Event.
16. I agree that my information may be passed on to any governmental or health agency for the purposes of contact tracing in relation to Covid-19 up to 30 days post Event under governmental or public authority.

I KNOWINGLY AND FREELY ASSUME ALL EVENT RISKS, both known and unknown, for myself and on behalf of my heirs, assigns, personal representatives and next of kin. I hereby release and agree to hold harmless WFDF and the LOC, their staff, officers, officials, sponsors, advertisers, affiliated clubs, their respective administrators, directors, agents, coaches, and other employees of the organization, other participants, and, if applicable owners and lessees of premises used to conduct the Event, all of which are hereinafter referred to as "releasees". Even if arising from the negligence of the releasees or others, I assume full responsibility for my participation and with respect to all and any injury, disability, death or loss or damage to person or property, whether arising from the negligence of the releasees or otherwise, to the fullest extent permitted by law, I will indemnify, save and hold harmless the above named releasees of, from and against any loss, cost, expense, damage or liability that such releasees may incur as a result of, arising from or in connection with such claims, including without limitation my attorney's fees, other costs or expenses of litigation.