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EUROPEAN CHAMPIONSHIP

ADVANCE PROGRAM

EVENT NAME: UIM-ABP AQUABIKE EUROPEAN CHAMPIONSHIP–GRAND PRIX of VICHY

LOCATION: Vichy, France

DATE: September 3rd, 4th, 5th, 6th, 7th 2025

EVENT DESCRIPTION:

FFM with the authorisation of **Aquabike Promotion Ltd** and under the aegis of the **Union Internationale Motonautique**, is organizing in Vichy, France:

“UIM-ABP Aquabike Circuit European Circuit 2025”

“UIM-ABP Aquabike Endurance European Circuit 2025”

Forth round of the 2025 Circuit European Championship

Single round of the 2025 Endurance and Ski division GP4 Junior European Championship

PROVISIONAL TIME SCHEDULE (subject to changes)

WEDNESDAY 3rd September

14:00 – 19:00 Endurance Registration and Technical Scrutineering
14:00 – 19:00 Circuit Registration and Technical Scrutineering

THURSDAY 4th September

08:00 – 8:30 Endurance Registration and Technical Scrutineering

08:00 – 19:00 Circuit Registration and Technical Scrutineering

08:30 – 08:45 Riders Briefing (Endurance)

09:00 – 10:15 Pole position endurance

09:00 – 09:25 GP3 (20' based on fastest lap)

09:25 – 09:50 GP2 (20' based on fastest lap)

09:50 – 10:15 GP1 (20' based on fastest lap)

09:00 – 09:15 Riders Briefing (Circuit)

10:15 – 10:55 Free Practice

10:15 – 10:25 Runabout GP4 Ladies

10:25 – 10:35 Ski Division GP2

10:35 – 10:45 Runabout GP4

10:45 – 10:55 Ski Division Gp3 and Ski Junior GP3.3

10:55 – 11:05 Ski Division GP4 Junior

11:15 – 12:00 MOTO 1 Endurance GP1

12:00 – 12:45 MOTO 1 Endurance GP3

13:30 – 14:45 Free Practice

13:30 – 13:40 Runabout GP2

13:40 – 13:50 Ski Division GP4

13:50 – 14:00 Runabout GP4 Junior

14:00 – 14:15 Ski GP1 Ladies

14:15 – 14:30 Ski Division GP1

14:30 – 14:45 Runabout GP1

14:55 – 15:40 MOTO 1 Endurance GP2

15:40 – 16:25 MOTO 2 Endurance GP1

17:15 – 17:30 Freestyle Free Practice

FRIDAY 5th September

07:30 – 08:00 Riders Briefing

08:30 – 10:30 Pole Position

08:30 – 08:50 Runabout GP4 Ladies

08:50 – 09:10 Ski Division GP2

09:10 – 09:30 Runabout GP4

09:30 – 09:50 Ski Division GP3

09:50 – 10:10 Runabout GP2

10:10 – 10:30 Ski Division GP4

10:30 – 10:50 Ski Division GP4 Junior

10:50 – 11:35 MOTO 2 Endurance GP3

11:35 – 12:20 MOTO 2 Endurance GP2

12:20 – 13:05 MOTO 3 Endurance GP1





13:15 – 15:45	MOTO 1
13:15 – 13:40	Runabout GP4 Ladies
13:40 – 14:05	Ski Division GP2
14:05 – 14:30	Runabout GP4
14:30 – 14:55	Ski Division GP3
14:55 – 15:20	Runabout GP2
15:20 – 15:45	Ski Division GP4

15:45 – 16:35	Pole Position
15:45 – 16:10	Ski GP3.3 Junior
16:10 – 16:35	Runabout GP4 Junior

16:50 – 18:20	Pole Position
16:50 – 17:15	Ski GP1 Ladies
17:15 – 17:50	Ski Division GP1
17:50 – 18:20	Runabout GP1

18:20 – 18:40	FREESTYLE Pole Position
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SATURDAY **6th September**

07:30 – 08:00	Riders Briefing
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08:40 – 09:40	MOTO 1
08:40 – 09:00	Ski Division GP4 Junior
09:00 – 09:20	Runabout GP4 Junior
09:20 – 09:40	Ski GP3.3 Junior

09:40 – 13:20	MOTO 2
09:40 – 10:05	Ski Division GP2
10:05 – 10:30	Runabout GP4 Ladies
10:30 – 10:55	Runabout GP4
10:55 – 11:20	Ski Division GP3
11:20 – 11:45	Runabout GP2
11:45 – 12:10	Ski Division GP4
12:10 – 12:35	Ski GP3.3 Junior
12:35 – 13:00	Runabout GP4 Junior
13:00 – 13:20	Ski Division GP4 Junior

14:30 – 16:00	MOTO 1
14:30 – 15:00	Ski GP1 Ladies
15:00 – 15:30	Ski Division GP1
15:30 – 16:00	Runabout GP1

16:15 – 17:00	MOTO 3 Endurance GP3
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17:00 – 17:45	MOTO 3 Endurance GP2
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17:45 – 18:30	MOTO 4 Endurance GP1
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18:30 – 19:00	Freestyle MOTO 1
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SUNDAY **7th September**

08:00 – 08:30	Riders Briefing
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09:00 – 10:05	MOTO 3
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09:00 – 09:20 Runabout GP4 Junior
09:20 – 09:40 Ski GP3.3 Junior
09:40 – 10:05 Ski Division GP4 Junior

10:10 – 10:55 MOTO 4 Endurance GP2

11:00 – 13:00 MOTO 2

11:00 – 11:30 Ski GP1 Ladies
11:30 – 12:00 Ski Division GP1
12:00 – 12:30 Runabout GP1
12:30 – 13:00 Freestyle

13:10 – 16:05 MOTO 3

13:10 – 13:30 Runabout GP4 Ladies
13:30 – 13:55 Ski Division GP2
13:55 – 14:20 Runabout GP4
14:20 – 14:45 Ski Division GP3
14:45 – 15:10 Runabout GP2
15:10 – 15:35 Ski Division GP4
15:35 – 16:05 Ski GP1 Ladies

16:15 – 16:05 MOTO 3

16:15 – 16:45 Runabout GP1
16:45 – 17:15 Ski Division GP1

17:30 – 18:30 MOTO 5 Endurance GP1

19:00 Prize Giving Ceremony

CATEGORIES ALLOWED

Under UIM AQUABIKE RULES 2025. For full rules access, please visit:

[https://www.uim.sport/Documents/Document/2025%20Aquabike%20Rulebook%20-%20published%20on%2020.12.24%20-%20e-reader,%20tablet,%20smartphone%20\(A6%20format\).pdf](https://www.uim.sport/Documents/Document/2025%20Aquabike%20Rulebook%20-%20published%20on%2020.12.24%20-%20e-reader,%20tablet,%20smartphone%20(A6%20format).pdf)

European Championship Racing Categories

Ski Division: GP1, GP2, GP3, GP4, Ski Ladies GP1, Ski Juniors GP3.3, GP3.2, GP4
Runabout: GP1, GP2, GP4, Runabout Junior GP4, Runabout Ladies GP4
Freestyle

Endurance European Championship Racing Categories

Runabout GP1, GP2, GP3

AQUABIKE SUPERLICENSE

UIM World Championship is open to ALL riders holding a valid AB Superlicense.
To apply or for any further information please contact UIM directly.

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At the race site the Race Secretariat can only issue 'single event' Superlicense. However, in order to do so, the rider must have a valid licence delivered by a National Authority recognized by UIM and following the UIM activities in Aquabike racing.

The 'single event' European Superlicense fee (Rule 203.02.04) is 25€.

INSURANCE

All riders must have a valid Insurance Policy that covers:

- Civil Responsibility – 12.000.000€. Daily civil responsibility insurance is available to purchase on FFM website at 90€ per rider.
- Personal Insurance
- Indemnity Insurance – optional

ALLOWANCES

Paddock

Located in Palais du lac – Centre Omnisports Vichy 03700 BELLERIVE / ALLIER France

Racing Bibs

Dorsals will be provided by the organisers. No other racing Bibs are allowed.

Tents

Tents might be available upon request. Costs will apply.

For any information regarding how to get there, accommodation, dining, etc. please refer to the website: <https://vichymonamour.com>

REGISTRATION

Riders can register at the below link: <https://www.helloasso.com/associations/o-sports/evenements/gp-of-vichy>

After registering, each rider will receive all the information regarding the event.

For any issue: jetcross.inscriptions@gmail.com

To register onsite, each rider must present:

- National License issued by a National Authority recognized by UIM
- Continental Super-License (a daily continental superlicense can be purchased on site for 25€ for European)
- Civil Responsibility Insurance
- Technical Inspection Form

For all riders the registration fee will be 200€ per category.

Online registration are available until 2nd of September. From September 3rd only onsite registration will be accepted.

For Freestyle and Junior categories, registration is free.

IMPORTANT: Registration payment will only be available on-site during registration at the race secretariat.



INSPECTION

Technical Inspection shall be according to UIM rules.

It is the Team's responsibility to report to the inspection area allowing adequate time for both pre- and post-race inspection and registration based on announced time schedule.

Paddock crews will be responsible for assisting in weighing and in all inspection procedures. The organisation, its members, race sponsors and crane/forklift owners or operators accept no responsibility for injury, damage or any loss incurred while operating cranes or other equipment (whether weighing, lifting or other), at race site.

PIT PROCEDURES

Access to pit area will only be allowed to the persons and vehicles holding the official ABP paddock passes (seasonal or one event).

Trailers/dollies must have Jet Ski's numbers and/or rider's name on the tongue for identification.

Teams shall maintain flow patterns through the pit area, and shall not go against traffic.

There shall be no smoking or open flames at the wet or dry pit area at any time.

No alcohol is allowed in the pit area and drinking of alcohol is forbidden for team members during event hours.

FINISH

The chequered flag signals the finish of the race.

The top three finishers must proceed immediately to the podium for the award presentation. For the prize giving riders must wear their wet suit, racing gear, racing helmet and the official ABP racing bib. This presentation is the provisional classification and is subject to revision after examining all relevant evidences and technical inspection.

The top 5 finishers must bring their jet skis to the inspection area immediately after the final event. As the top 3 riders will be on the podium, team managers may accompany their jet skis to the inspection area on their behalf.

Immediately after the race the top three finishers must be available for the press conference and TV interviews.

GENERAL

Officials, staff, participants, their crews, families and sponsors will be subject to disciplinary action for their conduct in connection with all UIM ABP events at all times. Penalties may be assessed to the owner and/or rider for unsportsmanlike conduct of their crew members, families and sponsors, as well as to the offenders themselves.

Unsportsmanlike conduct includes, but is not limited to, the following:

- Verbal abuse of participants, crew members, family members, sponsors, officials or staff
- Physical violence
- Threats



- Public obscene language
- Public statements or actions with a negative impact on the sport and or UIM/ABP
- Refusal to obey an order from a race official
- etc.

Penalties, as decided by the AB Daily Management and/or AB Committee, for unsportsmanlike conduct will be assessed by the UIM officials, the officer of the day or the UIM protest judge.

Any rider, crew member or official who is injured must report to the first aid centre for examination.

Riders participate in the race at their own responsibility and must have the necessary accident and life insurance.

Registration may be refused to any rider with outstanding financial issues with the UIM, ABP or the Local Organising Committee.

PENALTY FEES

All penalty fees assessed during the event must be paid prior to participation in any subsequent Session.

Penalty fees cannot be subject to protests or appeals.

DURING EVENT ACTIVITIES

The participation of riders and team manager is compulsory to all the activities (Registration, Briefing, Prize giving podium) scheduled on the Official event timetable, unless differently specified by ABP.

• Registration or tech inspection (pre race) after specified time	200 EUR
• Late at riders briefing	100 EUR
• Not present at riders briefing	200 EUR
• Smoking in the paddock (electronic cigarettes included)	150 EUR
• Late at star line	100 EUR
• Not attending compulsory functions (Press conference/Prize giving podium)	500 EUR

On the podium, all riders must wear their wetsuit, racing gear, including the racing bib, and carry the racing helmet. The racing bib must be worn for all pre- and post-podium interviews.

Each rider is responsible for any damage caused by him or his team member in the race area.



TECHNICAL INSPECTION FORM

UIM-ABP AQUABIKE EUROPEAN CIRCUIT CHAMPIONSHIP UIM-ABP AQUABIKE WORLD JUNIORS CIRCUIT CHAMPIONSHIP

Grand Prix of Vichy
September 3rd – 7th 2025

RIDER

Family Name:

First Name:

Date of birth:

Requested Racing Number:

Nationality:

National License Number/Country:

Watercraft Brand:

Hull number:

EUROPEAN RACING CATEGORIES



Ski Divion **GP1**



Ski Ladies **GP1**



Ski Division **GP2**



Runabout **GP1**



Freestyle



Runabout **GP2**



Runabout **GP4**



Ski Divison **GP3**



Ski Division **GP4**



Runabout Ladies **GP4**



Runabout Junior **GP4**



Ski Juniors **GP3.2**



Ski Juniors **GP3.3**



Ski Juniors **GP4**

EUROPEAN ENDURANCE CATEGORIES



Runabout **GP1**



Runabout **GP2**



Runabout **GP3**

CHECK OF WATERCRAFT



Ignition / Cutting of the engine



Protecting Helmet



Shape of the Watercraft



Life Jacket



Protections

Dorsals will be provided by the organisers No other dorsals are allowed.

Place and date: Rider's Signature:



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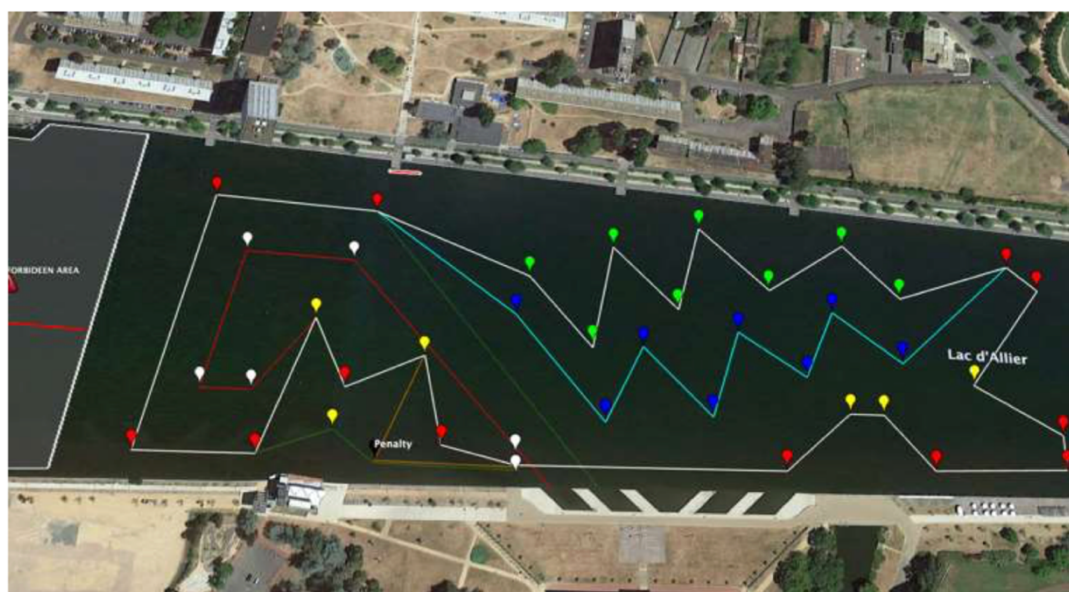
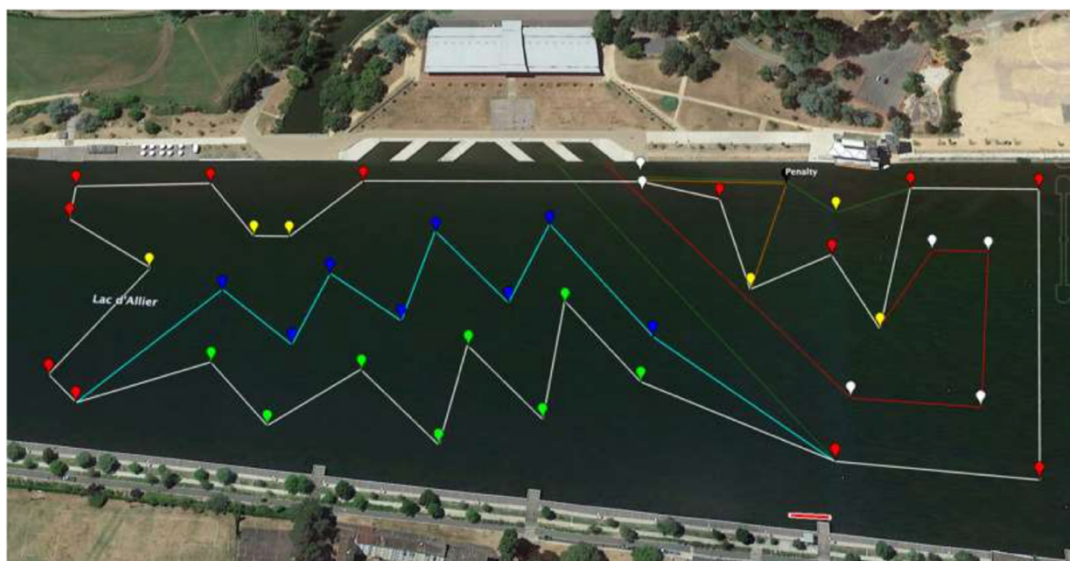
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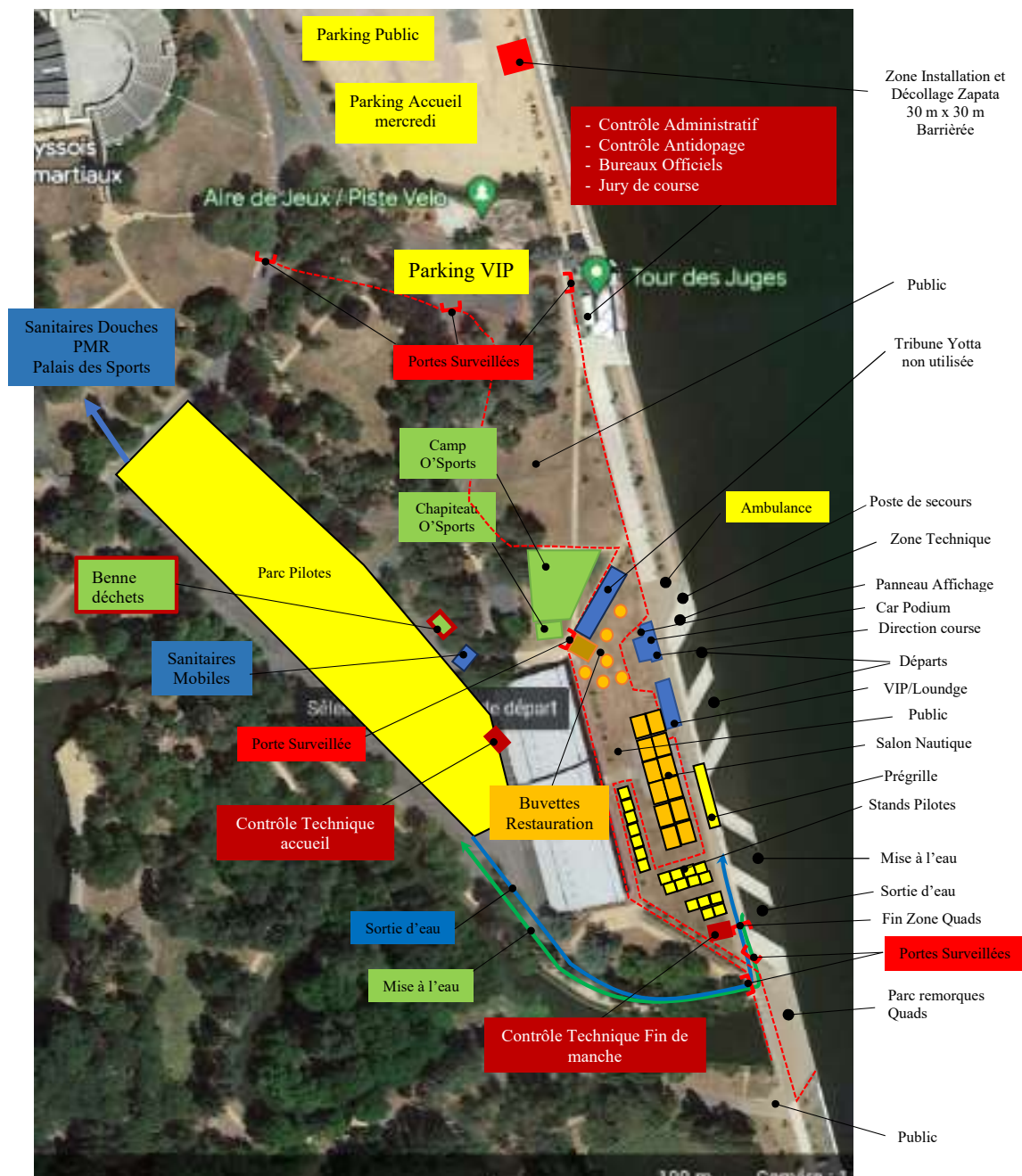
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ENDURANCE PROVISIONAL RACE COURSE



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PARKING/PADDOCK AREA

Opening Hours:

- Tuesday: 2:00 PM to 8:00 PM
- Wednesday and Thursday: 9:00 AM to 8:00 PM

Upon arrival, please park in the welcome parking area (overnight stay possible for those arriving after 8:00 PM). We will come and guide you to your designated spot.

Each registered machine is allocated a space of 8 m x 6 m.

Please inform us of any grouping preferences **before August 20, 2025**.

Pilot Stands:

You may set up your pilot stand on the lawn near the launch areas.

Please reserve your space.

Catering:

- Meals available at the site's self-service cafeteria (please book upon arrival)
- Pilot catering available (pasta, meat – please book upon arrival)
- Fast food available at the refreshment bar

Testing at the Arvernes Damona Water Area – Etang des Vaures

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- Possibility to test machines 15 minutes from the race site
- Welcome available starting **August 29, 2025**
- Accommodation available for day and night in motorhomes
- On-site catering available
- Machine testing
- Friendly and high-quality reception

Please reserve before your arrival.

