

BULLETIN

August 6, 2024

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Attention all National Federations! We would appreciate it if you could share this bulletin with your entire Aquatic Family.

Featured Athlete:

Gordon Borde (Trinidad & Tobago SW/OW)

A legend in Masters Swimming in the Americas



We are thrilled to highlight one of the shining stars of the 2024 PanAm Aquatics Masters Championships, Gordon Borde from Trinidad and Tobago. A testament to dedication and passion, Gordon has been swimming consistently for the past 67 years. His incredible journey includes representing his country at World Masters Championships and making a significant impact in both swimming and open water events at our vibrant event in Trinidad and Tobago.

Gordon's remarkable contributions to aquatic sports over the past 24 years earned him the prestigious award for lasting impact. His commitment extends beyond personal achievements, as he has been instrumental in developing and supporting aquatics governance in Trinidad and Tobago.

Sharing his excitement about the event, Gordon remarked, "The facilities are adequate for swimming; it's not the first time that we have had something big for swimming in Trinidad and hopefully we have a lot more." He competed in the 50m, 100m,

200m, and 400m freestyle events, as well as the open water race—a discipline he has raced in and cherished throughout his life.

Reflecting on his experiences, Gordon hopes that everyone had a wonderful time and encourages people of all ages to "continue practicing and swimming." Let his story be an inspiration to us all, proving that with passion and perseverance, we can achieve great things and make a lasting impact.



NEWS

- **MALMSTEN PRO LANE LINES FOR SALE:** GREAT DEAL to buy the 11 - 50m Gold PRO (6" diameter) lanelines used at the 2023 Santiago PanAmerican Games, retails for more than US\$ 12,000.00, offered for US\$ 8,600.00 plus shipping. Contact: office@panamaquatics.com
- **AQUA extends partnership with Counsilman-Hunsaker**, the leading Aquatics Facilities consultant. The new partnership offers exciting additional services to all World Aquatics National Federations. Click on links to view the [news article](#) and [announcement](#).

PAQ EVENTS

August 18 – 22, 2024	2024 PanAm Aquatics Age group ARTISTIC SWIMMING Championships, Lima (PER)	Click here for the Summons Click here to Register Click here for Entries Click here for Accommodation Click here Payment
August 22 – 25, 2024	2024 PanAm Aquatics SWIMMING Age Group Championships San Juan (PUR)	Click here for the Summons Click here to Register Click here for Travel Details Click here for Accommodation
August 29 – 31, 2024	2024 PanAm Aquatics Open Water Championships Ponce (PUR)	Click here for the Summons Click here to Register Click here for Travel Details Click here for Accommodation
November 19 – 25, 2024	2024 PanAM Aquatics Water Polo Championships Ibagué (COL)	Click here for the Summons Click here to Register

Currently finalizing hosts for 2025 PAQ EVENTS, contact office@panamaquatics.com for more information

- Open Water Series
- Beach Water Polo Series
- U15 Water Polo Championships
- Junior Diving Championships
- High Diving Junior Championships
- Artistic Swimming Championships



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PAQ ~ AQUA Webinars & Clinics for Coaches and Technical Officials

Aug 23-24, 2024	Artistic Swimming	Coaches	Lima, Peru	ACRO with Anastasiya Petrenko	Click here to register
Aug 22-24, 2024	Swimming	Coaches	San Juan, Puerto Rico	Long-term athlete development with Orlando Moccagatta	Click here to register
Aug 26 - 28, 2024	Open Water	Coaches	San Juan, Puerto Rico	Coaches & Athletes Training Camp with David Thomas	Click here to register
Sept 12-14, 2024	Diving	Technical Officials	Lima, Peru	World Aquatics Diving Certification Course for Technical Officials Memo Program	Register with your NF Deadline: August 7
Sept 20-22, 2024	Artistic Swimming	Technical Officials	Montreal, Canada	World Aquatics Artistic Swimming Development Course for Technical Officials – Advanced Level Memo Program	Register with your NF Deadline: August 12
Oct 9-11, 2024	High Diving	Coaches	Brasilia, Brazil	Level 1 (part 1)	Click here to register
Oct 10-12, 2024	High Diving	Technical Officials	Brasilia, Brazil	World Aquatics High Diving Certification Courses for Technical Officials Memo Program	Register with your NF Deadline: August 12
Oct 17, 2024	Open Water	Coaches	Virtual	Q & A with Panel of Coaching Experts	Click here to register
Nov 15-16, 2024	Swimming	Coaches	Virtual	The Hungarian program	Session 1 Session 2
Nov 25-27, 2024	Diving	Coaches	Brasilia, Brazil	Athlete Development	Click here to register
Dec 7, 2024	High Diving	Coaches	Virtual	Level 1 (part 2)	Click here to register

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WORLD AQUATICS EVENTS

WATER POLO

U18 World Championships:

- Women's September 15 - 22, 2024 in China [click here](#) for the bulletin.
- Qualified Countries from the Americas:
USA, BRA, CAN, ARG, MEX

OPEN WATER SWIMMING:

World Cup Series:

1. Hong Kong October 26-27, 2024 [click here](#)
2. Israel, tbd [click here](#)

ARTISTIC SWIMMING:

SWIMMING:

World Cup Series:

1. Shanghai, China October 18-20, 2024, [click here](#)
2. Incheon, Republic of Korea October 24-26, 2024 [click here](#)
3. Singapore, October 31- November 2, 2024 [click here](#)

2024 World (25m) Championships Budapest

- December 10 – 15, 2024
- Qualification period August 17, 2023 - November 17, 2024
- Information [click here](#)
- [Application for Qualifying Events](#)
- [Qualifying events](#)
- [Qualification procedures](#)
- Application for Technical Officials: [Guidelines](#); [Application form](#)

DIVING

World Aquatics Junior Diving Championships 2024

- Rio de Janeiro, Brazil November 24 – December 1, 2024
- Information Bulletin [HERE](#)
- Preliminary Entry Form [HERE](#) (by 19 Sep 2024)
- Judges Nominations Form [HERE](#) (by 19 Sep 2024)
- Final GMS registrations & Sport Entries [HERE](#) (by 19 Oct 2024)
- Final Accommodation Form [HERE](#) (by 19 Oct 2024)

Recognized Events:

1. 2nd Malaysia Open Diving Championships, Kuala Lumpur November 1-4, 2024 [click here](#)





HIGH DIVING

Competitions:

1. Brasilia, Brazil October 11 – 13, High Diving Cup [click here](#)
 - a. Information Bulletin **HDWC Brasilia** 2024 [HERE](#)
 - b. World Aquatics High Diving World Cup 2024 Rules and Regulations [HERE](#)
 - c. Preliminary Accommodation Form [HERE](#) (August 23)
 - d. Final entries, registrations, and final accommodation Form ([HERE](#)) (September 6)
 - e. Flight details (September 13)
 - f. Event Contact: saltosbrasil@cbso.org.br
2. Brasilia, Brazil, October 11 – 13, High Diving Junior World Championships [click here](#)
 - a. Information Bulletin **JHDC Brasilia** 2024 [HERE](#)
 - b. Preliminary Accommodation Form [HERE](#) (August 23)
 - c. Final entries, registrations, and final accommodation Form ([HERE](#)) (September 6)
 - d. Flight details (September 13)
 - e. Event Contact: saltosbrasil@cbso.org.br

OTHER COMPETITIONS IN THE REGION

DIVING 2024 Pacific Cup in Lima, Peru September 12 – 15, 2024. Click here for the summons

SWIMMING 2024 TYR Giants Open October 10 – 13, 2024 in Aruba. (Waiting confirmation to be AQUA Qualifier for World 25m Budapest) [Click here](#) for registration information

SWIMMING Puerto Rico International Open October 9 – 12, 2024 (AQUA Qualifier for World 25m Budapest). [Click here](#) for the summons.

OPEN WATER: XVIII Open wáter Pacific Cup, August 5 -10, 2024 in Salinas, Ecuador. [Summons](#)

ISHOF Coaches and Swimmers Clinics: October 4-6, 2024 at the International Swimming Hall of Fame in Fort Lauderdale, Florida, USA. Information: swimclinic.com

DIVING & HIGH DIVING Diving Plongeon Canada & Fort Lauderdale Diving Club host the [2024 International Winter Festival Invitational](#) in Fort Lauderdale, Florida, USA, December 11-15. [Preliminary entry form](#)

RESOURCES FOR ATHLETES

- [AQUA Athletes Committee Toolkit](#) and all relative information for National Federations. For those that attended the webinar, kindly respond to this [survey](#) to provide your feedback.





- International Testing Agency Webinar of “Things you need to know for 2024”.
 - Webinar summary [click here.](#)
 - ITA’s YouTube Page [click here.](#)
 - 2024 WADA Prohibited List Article “What you need to know” [click here.](#)

List of prohibited Substances and Methods published by WADA for 2024 [Click here](#)

- List the [PAQ website](#) for all previous webinars and **UNDERWATER CHATS** Athletes Series

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The Swimming events at the Paris Olympics have concluded with World Records set in 2 out of the 4 races during the final session by PanAm Aquatics athletes from the United States of America. Now the equipment has been switched and the final week of Water Polo is underway at La Defense Arena.

6-8 Sports:

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Stay ahead of the competition with exclusive access to an 8-part series by Olympian @maggie.steffens as she prepares for the Paris Olympics this summer. Plus, get a tailored workout plan for JO athletes by @waterpolostrong. Don't miss out—boost your performance and join the elite today!

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