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MESSAGE FROM ORGANIZING COMMITTEE



Tadeusz Wróblewski
President of
Polish Canoe Federation

Dear Sport Friends,
After an extremely difficult season of 2020, when we could not compete, with a great pleasure I invite You again to Poznań.
I am sure, that on Malta Regatta Course, young athletes of Europe will soon present their talents and sporting skills.
As it was in previous years, we will deliver the highest organizational and professional level of competition and exellent climate during the championships.
On behalf of the authorities of Poznań, who support our sport so strongly for so many years, as well as the Organising Committee, with its Head-Ireneusz Pracharczyk, I invite You all to the capital city of Wielkopolska.

Dear Friends,
It is great honour to be General Director of the Organizing Committee of 2021 ECA Junior & U23 Canoe Sprint European Championships.
As a Organizer I would like to ensure the best condition for sports competitive and staying in Poznan.
Malta Regatta Course has been hosting top rank events for many times and brings everyone great sports emotion. I do believe 2021 ECA Junior & U23 Canoe Sprint European Championships brings spectacular achievements and unforgetible impression to all.
I kindly invite you to Poznan.



Ireneusz Pracharczyk
General Director
of the Organizing Committee



Agata Dziamska
Director of the OC



Dorota Błażczak
Team Information, Accreditation and Food Service



Jolanta Rzepka
Director for Judges and contact with ECA

POZNAN



The fifth largest city in Poland, is situated in the western part of the country on the Warta River. The region is called Wielkopolska (Great Poland). It is rich in lakes, woods and fields adorned with monuments uncovering over 1000 years of Polish history.

Located at a cross-roads for both road and railway networks, Poznan is halfway between Berlin and Warsaw. Both these capitals can be reached by a EuroCity train within three hours. With a population of over 600 000 inhabitants, not only is it a vital centre of Polish trade, culture, industry and agriculture, but also an exciting spot to visit for its own sake, fully deserving to be included in tourist itineraries.

Economically, Poznan and the surrounding region is, by any standard, one of the best developed parts of the country. It is now undergoing fast economic growth, which can be attributed to the character of the local people, generally described as being hard-working and industrious. The city is proud of its International Fair, first launched in 1921, a major business venture.

The centre of the city is very compact and within a short walk one can find all the most important institutions and places of interest. Of particular interest are the Old Market Square with its Renaissance Town Hall and the Ostrow Tumski island with its Gothic Cathedral. From the large number of museums, especially worth seeing are the Museum of Musical Instruments - one of the largest of its kind in Europe, the Museum of Decorative Arts and the National Museum with its gallery of painting.



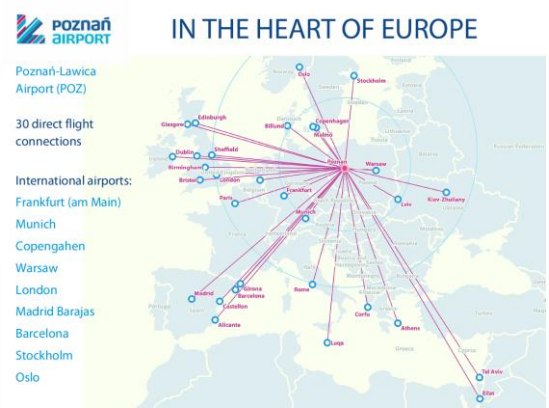
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TRAVEL INFORMATION

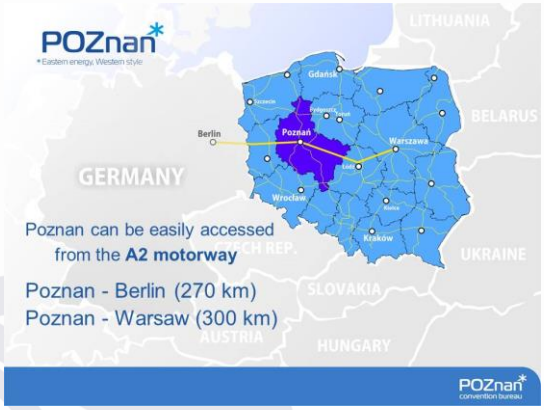


By plane

Ławica Airport is located 7 km from the city centre, in the vicinity of the route leading directly to the major city points and next to the road out of Poznań to Berlin and Warsaw.
Easy connections: Warsaw, London, Oslo, Barcelona, Frankfurt, Paris, Einthoven.

By car

You can get to Poznan driving A2 motorway, national routes no. 92, 5 (east - west direction) and no. 11 (north - south). Aaccess from the west direction: from Berlin 270 km, from Nowy Tomyśl - 108 km, where national route no. 2 is connected with the motorway to Warsaw - a charge is payable for using it.



By train

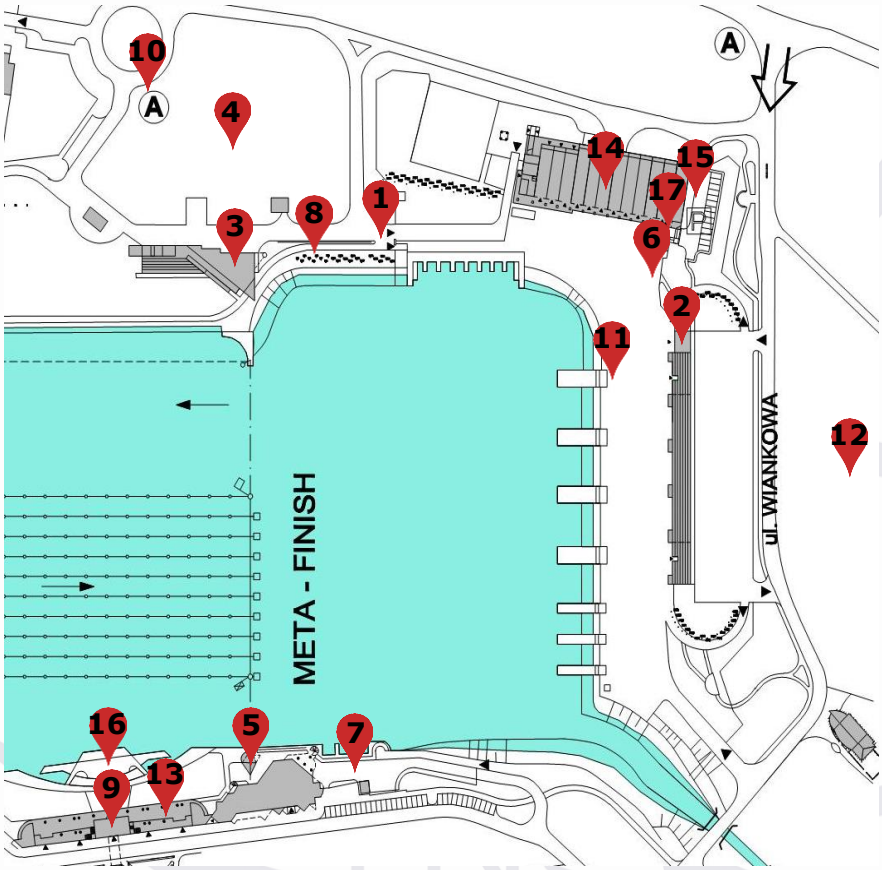
All trains coming to Poznań stop at Poznań Main Railway Station (Poznań Główny). The Railway Station is composed of two buildings: the Main Hall (Hala Główna) and the West Railway Station (Dworzec Zachodni) connected by a subway. The Railway Station is located in the city centre, just next to the Poznań International Fair venue (Międzynarodowe Targi Poznańskie), close to Sheraton Hotel and Mercure Hotel.

By bus

PKS Station (Bus Transport Company) is located in ul. Towarowa 17/19. It provides both domestic and international transport services. Apart from ticket offices, kiosks, bar and PKS information point also travel agencies selling tickets for international routes are located in the bus station hall. Next to the station there are fast food restaurants, ATM, a bookshop and a cake shop.

REGATTA COURSE

Lake Malta with the surface of 70hectares was formed in 1952 as a result of damming of the Cybina River. It has become a globally known aquatic sports centre with one of the most beautiful regatta courses - the Malta Regatta Course. The surrounding areas were used to create the recreational infrastructure including the all-year-long ski slope, ice rink open in the winter season, summer sleigh track, bicycle paths and the New Zoo with the extra attraction of the Maltanka narrow gauge park railway.



Major points

1. Entry
2. Info point
3. Accreditation
4. Catering
5. Finish Tower
6. 1st Boat Control
7. 2nd Boat Control
8. Market Place
9. Grandstands
10. Shuttle Bus Stop
11. ID Control
12. Parking for Trailers
13. Press Centre
14. Boat Storage
15. Anti-doping Control
16. Medal Ceremonies
17. Numbers and Bike Rental

Information about Malta Regatta Course	
Size	70 ha
Legth	2200 m
Width	180-460 m
Depth	3,7 m
Number of courses	9
Width of courses	9 m

GENERAL INFORMATION

Venue: Malta Regatta Course, Poznan Poland

Date: 24-27 June, 2021

Events: the competition consist of the following events

Under 23 years Canoe Sprint Championships

	K1	K2	K4	C1	C2
Men	200m 500m 1000m	1000m	500m	200m 1000m	500m 1000m
Women	200m 500m 1000m	500m	500m	200m 500m	200m 500m

Juniors Canoe Sprint Championships

	K1	K2	K4	C1	C2
Men	200m 500m 1000m	1000m	500m	200m 1000m	500m 1000m
Women	200m 500m 1000m	500m	500m	200m 500m	200m 500m

PROVISIONAL TIME TABLE:

June 21,2021	access period begins,training
June 22, 2021	training, self boat control
June 23, 2021	training, self boat control team leaders meeting, officials meeting
June 24-27,2021	opening Ceremony all day competition
June 27,2021	closing Ceremony
June 28,2021	venue closed

ENTRIES

All teams are requested to use the ICF SDP online entry system https://icf.msl.es/icf/main.jsp to submit their Numerical and Nominal entries.

For detailed instructions on how to submit entries, please read the SDP user guide. Any questions or issues relating to entries or accreditation should be sent to sdp@canoeicf.com prior to the respective deadline.

Maximum numBer of entries are as follows:

Women Kayak: 25

Women Canoe: 25

Men Kayak: 40

Men Canoe: 25

DEADLINES

WHAT	WHEN	WHERE
Preliminary Entry and Accommodation Reservation Form	15th February, 2021	http://eca.wzkaj.poznan.pl/download
30% of accommodation payment	15th March,2021	Bank Transfer
Boat Rental Form	15th April, 2021	http://eca.wzkaj.poznan.pl/download
40% of accommodation payment	15th April, 2021	Bank Transfer
Numerical Entry via ICF SPD on-line system	10th May, 2021	https://icf.msl.es/icf/main.jsp
30% of accommodation payment	15th May, 2021	Bank Transfer
Final travel information	15th May, 2021	http://eca.wzkaj.poznan.pl/download
Accreditation Form and Accommodation Final Form	30th May, 2021	http://eca.wzkaj.poznan.pl/download
Nominal Entry via ICF SPD on-line system	14th June, 2021	https://icf.msl.es/icf/main.jsp

ALL FORMS HAVE TO BE SENT ON EMAIL office@ecapoznan2021.pl

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ACCOMMODATION PACKAGE and PARTICIPATION FEE

The **ACCOMMODATION PACKAGE** includes the following services:

• accommodation	• access to the regatta course
• participation fee	• insurance
• three meals per day	• access pass and parking for one trailer
• shuttle bus service between the regatta course and the official hotels, according to timetable	• free WiFi Internet at the competition venue
• mineral water at the venue	• dedicating zone on grandstands
• medical and security service at the venue	• souvenir

In case accommodation is booked NOT through the Organizing Committee you are required to pay the Participation Fee.

THE ACCOMMODATION PACKAGE DOES NOT INCLUDE TRANSFER FROM THE AIRPORT TO THE OFFICIAL HOTEL

PARTICIPATION FEE

Every participant (athletes, coaches, team Staff ect.) will be charged a Accreditation Fee witch is 30 Euro per person per day from the day of arrival
(no earlier than 20th June 2021) till the departure day (no later than 28th June 2021).

OC will ONLY accept participants who are on the Accreditation Form send by National Federation no later than 30th May 2021.

Participation Fee includes the following services:

- accreditation
- mineral water at the venue
- medical and security service at the venue
- access to the course
- insurance
- dedicated zone on grandstand
- free WiFi Internet at the competition venue

LUNCH AT THE VENUE

Lunch on the regatta course will be provided at 10 Euro fee per person per day from the day of arrival (no earlier than 20th June 2021) till the departure day
(no later than 28th June 2021).

HOTEL RESERVATION

Reservation in the official hotels can only be made through the Organizing Committee on Accommodation Reservation Form you can find http://eca.wzkaj.poznan.pl/download Organizing Committee reserves right to charge NF which made reservation and did not use it.
Accommodation Reservation Form needs to be sent to office@ecapoznan2021.pl no later than 15th February 2021.

ACCOMODATION OPTION:

Type of hotel	**SINGLE room** price per person per day	**TWIN room** price per person per day
Category 1* 5*Hotel	155 €	125 €
Category 1 4*Hotels	150 €	120 €
Category 2 3*Hotels	135 €	115 €
Category 3 3*Hotels	110 €	95 €
Category 4 2*Hotels	95 €	75 €

The Organizer does not take responsibility for any extra service at the hotel (parking, telephone, minibar, damages etc). This costs are to be paid by the responsible team directly to the hotel.



TRANSPORT,
BOAT RENTAL and BIKE RENTAL

TRANSPORT

AIRPORT/RAILWAY – HOTEL – AIRPORT/RAILWAY

Transfer from/to airport Poznan Lawica or Poznan Main Railway Station – official hotels is possible with extra fee 20 Euro/person/one way.
Final travel information must be sent to the Organizing Committee
no later than 15th May 2021.
Final Travel form you can find here http://eca.wzkaj.poznan.pl/download

OTHER

We can help you to organize your transfer from other cities/airports. If you need one, please contact us: office@ecapoznan2021.pl

SHUTTLE BUSES

Shuttle buses will be available from 21st of June 2021 27th June 2021 only for official booking via OC.
Buses will run between official hotels and the competition venue according to the schedule.
Schedule you can find in accreditation office and in officials hotel lobby.

BOAT RENTAL and BIKE RENTAL

Organizing Committee organize boat rental.
If you want to rent a boat, please contact no later than 15th April, 2021 by office@ecapoznan2021.pl

Payment for the boat rental will be accepted in advance on bank account.

	PAID BEFORE 15th April ,2021	**PAID AFTER 15th April,2021**
K1, C1	30 Euro/day	60 Euro/day
K2, C2	40 Euro/day	80 Euro/day
K4, C4	50 Euro/day	100 Euro/day

You can contact boat manufactures directly (Plastex, Nelo). Organizing Committee cannot be held responsible for boat rental reserved individually in boat's manufacture company.

If you are interested in bike rental, please contact office@ecapoznan2021.pl no later than 30th May 2021.

Bike rental fee is 25 Euro/day.

INSURANCE, MEDICAL CARE, VISA

INSURANCE

All participants are strongly advised to take out a medical insurance policy in their respective countries.

MEDICAL CARE

The ambulance first aid will be available for all official participants of the ECA Junior & U23 Canoe Sprint European Championships.
All cost above the regular care are to be covered by your medical insurance policy. The OC does not take responsibility of such expenses.

VISA

For visa requirements all participants are kindly requested to contact Polish Embassy in their home country or check: https://www.gov.pl/web/diplomacy/visas
In order to get visa supporting documents please send your request to office@ecapoznan2021.pl with all necessary information (date of birth, passport number, expiry date passport, performed function in the team (e.g. Coach, athlete etc.), gender.
Visa request must be accordance with nominal entry has been made by SDP system.

TERMS OF PAYMENT, CANCELATION TERMS CONTACT

BANK DETAILS

CURRENCY OF THE ACCOUNT IS EURO

Beneficiary:	Wielkopolski Zwiazek Kajakowy Starolecka 36, 61-361 Poznan,
Poland Bank name:	PKO BP Bank
address:	Plac Wolnosci 3, 60-914 Poznan, Poland
Bank account no:	14 1020 4027 0000 1102 1479 9128
BIC Swift code	BPKOPLPW
IBAN nr:	PL 14 1020 4027 0000 1102 1479 9128
Transaction info:	European Championships, 24-27.06.2021, proforma no./invoice no.

Bank transaction fee is under participant responsibility.

All extra costs will be charged at the venue by cash.

CANCELLATION TERMS

In case of cancellation the booking, a charge will be made equivalent to any loss suffered by the Organizing Committee, as itemized below.
The amount of any cancellation fee will be calculated as a percent of the accommodation package fee according to the following period of notice given:

- **No forfeit if cancelled until 30th April 2021**
- **50% forfeit if cancelled until 15th May, 2021**
- **100% forfeit if cancelled after 30th May, 2021**

CONTACT

Organizer:	Wielkopolski Zwiazek Kajakowy Starołęcka 36, 61-361 Poznan
Contact person:	Jolanta Rzepka office@ecapoznan2021.pl
Event webside:	www.ecapoznan2021.pl

WEATHER

Poznan is situated in the area of the temperate climate. This is a transitional area from the sea climate to the continental climate. The average annual amount of rainfall for Poznan is only 507 mm, 30% less than the average for the whole country. The most rain falls here during the summer months (June approx. 76 mm, June and August approx. 60 mm).

Month	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Year
Record high °C (°F)	15.0 (59.0)	16.6 (61.9)	24.1 (75.4)	30.0 (86.0)	34.0 (93.2)	36.2 (97.2)	38.2 (100.8)	37.7 (99.9)	34.1 (93.4)	27.3 (81.1)	20.2 (68.4)	16.8 (62.2)	38.2 (100.8)
Average high °C (°F)	2.3 (36.1)	2.9 (37.2)	8.3 (46.9)	13.6 (56.5)	19.4 (66.9)	22.1 (71.8)	24.6 (76.3)	24.5 (76.1)	19.3 (66.7)	13.9 (57.0)	6.7 (44.1)	3.2 (37.8)	13.4 (56.1)
Daily mean °C (°F)	−1.2 (29.8)	−0.7 (30.7)	4.0 (39.2)	9.8 (49.6)	14.9 (58.8)	18.2 (64.8)	20.1 (68.2)	19.8 (67.6)	15.3 (59.5)	9.9 (49.8)	4.4 (39.9)	0.2 (32.4)	9.6 (49.3)
Average low °C (°F)	−4.6 (23.7)	−4.3 (24.3)	−0.3 (31.5)	6.0 (42.8)	10.3 (50.5)	14.3 (57.7)	15.5 (59.9)	15.1 (59.2)	11.3 (52.3)	5.9 (42.6)	2.1 (35.8)	−2.8 (27.0)	5.7 (42.3)
Record low °C (°F)	−28.5 (−19.3)	−27.6 (−17.7)	−21.3 (−6.3)	−6.8 (19.8)	−3 (26.6)	1.1 (34.0)	4.7 (40.5)	3.0 (37.4)	−3.8 (25.2)	−6.9 (19.6)	−15.2 (4.6)	−22.4 (−8.3)	−28.5 (−19.3)
Precipitation mm (inches)	25 (0.98)	23 (0.91)	30 (1.18)	38 (1.5)	45 (1.77)	62 (2.44)	70 (2.76)	58 (2.28)	35 (1.38)	39 (1.54)	37 (1.46)	30 (1.18)	492 (19.37)
% humidity	81	82	75	68	63	68	70	72	74	77	80	82	74
Avg. precipitation days	14	12	11	9	11	12	13	13	9	12	14	12	142
Mean monthly sunshine hours	56	67	118	179	230	237	236	229	171	122	55	40	1,74