

# MUNICH WATER DAYS

## SFT E-FOIL



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**Munich Water Days**  
**SFT E- Foil World Cup 2026**  
**12-14 June 2026**

It is a pleasure for us to announce the 6th stop of the SFT SURF FOIL WORLD TOUR 2026, which will mark the 3rd E-Foil World Cup event, to be held in the important city of Munich, Germany.

The dates will be from Friday, June 12 to Sunday, June 14, 2026.  
This is an SFT World Tour event.

The Munich Water Days 2026 E-Foil World Cup Germany 2026 will take place in Munich's iconic Olympic Rowing Stadium.

### Registration -Entry Procedure and Registration

All competitors invited to enter this SFT World Tour event shall register through the link on the respective event page on the SFT World Tour website or via the following direct link: <https://app.surffoilworldtour.com/> or via email to [carlos@surffoilworldtour.com](mailto:carlos@surffoilworldtour.com) or by other means to be specified by the SFT Sports Commission, no later than the published closing date for entries for that specific event.

The registration period and payment deadline will close on June 12, 2026. Late registration can be accepted but will result in an additional late-entry fee of extra 20 EUR.

### Entry Restrictions

- The entry fee for this event is 185 EUR and an SFT membership (one event: 20 EUR or full year membership: 40 EUR) will be required.
- Payments must be made via credit card. For certain exceptions, late payments can be made in cash at the inscription at the respective event.
- Cash payments will only be accepted in Euros or USD currency. If so, an amount of 30 EUR processing fee will be added to the regular entry fee.
- In the case that the full amount of the inscription fee is not paid by the end of the announced inscription time, the rider will not be allowed to compete.

## Payment Links

SFT E-Foil World Cup Munich: 185 EUR

<https://buy.stripe.com/fZucN64Wh87uc5p3HD5EY1P>

SFT Combined Package (E-Foil & Pump Foil): 200 EUR

<https://buy.stripe.com/dRm4gA74p73qc5pfql5EY10>

SFT One-Event Membership Fee: 20 EUR

<https://buy.stripe.com/28o6rw8HS6KOawo15t>

SFT Full-Year Membership Fee: 40 EUR

<https://buy.stripe.com/9AQaHM4rCglodIAeWk>

## Eligibility

A competitor is eligible for any SFT event if they meet the following conditions:

- They have personal medical insurance with worldwide coverage. A valid membership card or certificate, or other satisfactory evidence of worldwide medical coverage, may be requested.
- The competitor cannot hold SFT, GKA Event GmbH, Deep Ocean Consulting Ltd, or the event organizer responsible for any claims for damages as a consequence of the competitor not having sufficient personal medical insurance.
- The competitor cannot hold SFT, GKA Event GmbH, Deep Ocean Consulting Ltd, or the event organizer responsible for any legal liabilities and/or any claims for damages by third parties caused by the competitor.
- They hold a valid competitor's membership with the SFT World Tour for the current year.

## Entry Allocation

There is an unlimited number of entries for this SFT Pump Foil World Cup.

## Disciplines

There will be 2 official disciplines in this SFT World Tour event: Pump Foil and E-Foil. The E-Foil Pro Division (12 riders) will feature some of the best pump foil riders worldwide. The Top 3 ranked 2026 will enter the Pro Division directly, even if they miss trials or fail both time trial attempts. In that case, the rider will be seeded accordingly in the last spot of the 12 pro times.

## Awards Categories

- Pro Men
- Pro Women
- Challenger Men
- Challenger Women
- Youth (U19) – minimum age 14 years old in the year of competition
- Masters (40+)

## E-Foil Divisions

- Pro Men (minimum 16 years old in the year of competition)
- Pro Women (minimum 16 years old in the year of competition)

## Event Seeding

The seeding for this SFT Pump Foil World Cup will be based on the current seeding after Morocco and China, plus time trials. All competitors without ranking will be seeded in the competition ladder by their fastest times.

## Important Info

- All riders need to wear a helmet during competition.
- Competitors have to wear the official lycra at all times when proceeding to the water, also during training.
- Each rider will receive one competition riders' vest at registration. Each rider is responsible for their competition riders' vest. In case of loss, no replacement is possible.
- Competitors shall wear the event advertising lycra vest supplied by the Event Organizer over all other clothing on the water at all times during the event, plus one SFT board sticker to be placed on the top and on the bottom of the board.
- All competitors are required to abide by the advertising rules as laid out in the Rule Book. Competitors breaching these rules may be warned in writing for the first offence and may incur a fine at the second offence of not more than EUR 500 for each violation.
- All rider meetings and opening/closing ceremonies in the schedule are mandatory for all riders. Please be on time and ready.
- Riders are not permitted to publicly associate their names in non-authorized parties/autograph sessions.
- There will be a social event calendar for each event site that all riders must join via social media and share.

## Membership

- Every competitor needs to hold a valid SFT membership. The duration of SFT membership is from the first to the last event of the SFT season.
- Membership fees shall be determined by SFT at the start of the year and may be changed at any notice during the year.
- Competitors are not fully covered by SFT membership. They must still

prove that they have accident insurance and civil liability. A medical certificate may be requested.

- At the end of the inscription time, the rider must be able to prove a valid SFT membership. Payments must be made via credit card. For certain exceptions, late payments can be made in cash at the inscription at the respective event. Cash payments will only be accepted in Euros or USD currency.
- The cost of SFT membership for this one event is 20 €. Competitors competing for the whole year are advised to pay the standard 40 € per year to be covered for all remaining events in 2026.

## Travel Information

The championship will take place from June 12 to 14, 2026, at the Olympic Regatta Course in Oberschleißheim, near Munich, Germany.

The venue is the historic Olympic rowing and canoeing course built for the 1972 Munich Olympic Games. It is located north of Munich and remains one of Germany's main regatta venues.

### By Plane

The closest airport is Munich International Airport (MUC).

Munich Airport is well connected to both Munich city centre and Oberschleißheim.

The distance from Munich Airport to Oberschleißheim is approximately 21 to 24 km by road, depending on the route.

From Munich Airport, riders can travel by:

Train: The S-Bahn connection from Munich Airport to Oberschleißheim is available via the Munich public transport network. From Oberschleißheim station, riders can continue to the regatta course by bus, taxi, or local transport.

Taxi / Ride Service: A taxi or ride service from Munich Airport to the Olympic Regatta Course is usually the most direct option, especially for riders travelling with equipment.

### By Car

The event venue is located north of Munich at the following address:

Event address:

Olympia-Regattaanlage München

Dachauer Straße 35

85764 Oberschleißheim

Germany

The venue is easily accessible by car via the motorway network around Munich, especially from the A92 and A99. The A92 runs close to the regatta course, with the Oberschleißheim area providing direct access to the venue.

Parking is available in the area of the regatta course. Riders arriving with equipment should follow the event signage and local parking instructions on site.

### **By Public Transport**

The Olympic Regatta Course can be reached using Munich's public transport network.

The venue is connected by public transport through the S-Bahn stations Dachau (S2) and Oberschleißheim (S1), with onward bus connection via line X201 to the regatta venue.

The closest bus stop is Oberschleißh., Regattaanlage, located within walking distance of the venue.

Riders should check the latest schedules through the MVV Munich public transport network before travelling, especially on weekends.

### **By Camper / Motorhome**

Information regarding campervan or motorhome parking at the event venue is to be confirmed.

Riders planning to arrive with a caravan or motorhome should contact the event organization in advance to confirm whether overnight parking, showers, toilets, or waste disposal facilities will be available on site.

### **Travel Documents and Visa**

Riders are responsible for checking the travel document and visa requirements that apply to their nationality before travelling to Germany. If an invitation letter is required, please email: [carlos@surffoilworldtour.com](mailto:carlos@surffoilworldtour.com)

The document will be issued for you.

### **Event Venue**

Google Maps: <https://maps.app.goo.gl/Cd5SJu6WbmLeDXyv5>

Olympic Regatta Course Oberschleißheim Olympia-Regattaanlage

München

Dachauer Straße 35

85764 Oberschleißheim

Germany

### **Organizer Contact**

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### **Accommodation for Competitors**

There are accommodation options available directly on site, including hotel rooms at the venue.

The Andaz Munich Schwabinger Tor has provided us with set discounted rates for the event.

The on-site accommodation at the race venue is the Leistungszentrum München, but for those looking for a hotel experience (especially for an extended stay through Monday), the Andaz is probably the better fit.

Dates: June 12 to 15, 2026 (for hotel accommodation)

Room type: Andaz King / Twin

- 295 EUR per night, single occupancy
- 315 EUR per night, double occupancy

For further details, including eligibility for the discounted rates, please contact Jana Lehman – jana@eoneer.com – Phone / WhatsApp: +49 163 2877904

## Camping

Camping and motorhome parking information is to be confirmed.

Riders planning to arrive with a campervan or motorhome should contact the organizer in advance to confirm availability, access times, overnight parking rules, and whether showers, toilets, or waste disposal facilities will be available on site.

## Equipment Storage

Equipment storage will be available on site.

Further details regarding access times, security, and exact storage location will be confirmed by the organizer.

## Weather

Munich and Oberschleißheim usually have mild to warm early summer conditions in June.

Typical June conditions:

Average daytime temperature: 20°C to 25°C

Average night temperature: 10°C to 13°C

Daylight: approximately 16 hours

Rain: June can be one of the wetter months in the Munich area, so short rain showers or thunderstorms are possible

Wind: generally light to moderate, with local variations depending on the weather system

For Oberschleißheim specifically, historical June averages show daytime highs around 22°C and lows around 12°C, with average wind around 15 to 16 km/h. June also has a relatively high chance of rain, so competitors should bring both sun protection and light rain gear.

## Full Schedule (June 12–14)

### Friday, June 12

Time	Activity
10:00 – 11:00	Riders check-in / registration
12:30	E-Foil briefing
13:00 – 16:00	E-Foil time trial
16:30	Pump Foil briefing
17:00 – 19:00	Pump Foil time trial

### Saturday, June 13

Time	Activity
8:00 – 9:00	Late riders check-in / registration
10:00	Pump Foil briefing
10:30 – 12:30	Pump Foil time trial
13:00	E-Foil briefing
13:30 – 15:00	E-Foil time trial
15:00	Opening ceremony
15:30 – 16:30	E-Foil time trial
17:00	Pump Foil Race 1 briefing
17:30 – 20:00	Pump Foil Race 1 (Pro + Challenger)

### Sunday, June 14

Time	Activity
8:00	E-Foil Race 1 briefing
8:30 – 9:00	E-Foil Pro Race 1
9:00 – 10:30	E-Foil Challenger Race 1
11:00	Pump Foil Race 2 briefing
11:30 – 15:00	Pump Foil Race 2 (Pro – Challenger – Pro)
15:30	E-Foil Race 2 briefing
16:00	E-Foil Pro Race 2
16:30 – 18:00	E-Foil Challenger Race 2
18:00 – 18:30	E-Foil Pro Race 3
19:00	Prize-giving ceremony

## Schedule Notes

The schedule may be adjusted on site depending on weather conditions, rider numbers, safety requirements, battery logistics, course setup, and the operational needs of both disciplines. Pump Foil and E-Foil will be run in separate time blocks to manage safety, course access, and equipment logistics. The race committee may modify the order of disciplines if required to secure valid results in both competitions.

## Equipment

- Only hydrofoils are eligible for use in competition. There are no restrictions on the size, length, and width of the quiver.
- There are no restrictions on dimensions or constructions of the boards. Foot straps, pads, and wax are allowed.
- No propulsion-assisted devices are allowed for the Pump Foil competition.
- The use of a helmet is mandatory.

## Prize Money

- The total prize money for the E-Foil World Cup Munich Water Days 2026 is currently 15,000 EUR (but can increase).
- There must be a minimum of 3 competitors to run a valid division; otherwise, men and women run together in one division.
- Equal gender prize money for 1st, 2nd, and 3rd (Men and Women).

## Prize Money Rules–E-Foil Race

Total prize pool: 15,000 EUR

### General Structure

The 15,000 EUR is divided into two parts:

- 80% (12,000 EUR) for the top 3 riders of each division (1st, 2nd, 3rd)
- 20% (3,000 EUR) for riders placed 4th, 5th, and 6th – only in divisions with more than 10 registered participants

### Top 3 Distribution (1st, 2nd, 3rd)

The 12,000 EUR is split equally between men and women (6,000 EUR per division). Within each division, the 6,000 EUR is distributed as follows:

- 1st: 50% – 3,000 EUR
- 2nd: 30% – 1,800 EUR
- 3rd: 20% – 1,200 EUR

These three positions are always paid, regardless of the number of participants.

### Extended Distribution (4th, 5th, 6th)

- The 3,000 EUR is paid only in divisions with more than 10 registered riders.
- If a division has 10 or fewer riders, no money is awarded for 4th, 5th, or 6th in that division.
- For divisions that qualify (more than 10 riders), the 3,000 EUR is distributed as follows:
  - 4th: 38% – 1,100 EUR
  - 5th: 32% – 960 EUR
  - 6th: 30% – 900 EUR

These percentages ensure that 4th place never earns more than 3rd place.

## Race Scenarios by Number of Participants

Scenario A – Both divisions have more than 10 riders (e.g., SFT China 2026)

- Men: 1st to 6th receive prize money (7,500 EUR total)
- Women: 1st to 6th receive prize money (7,500 EUR total)

Scenario B – Only men have more than 10 riders

- Men: 1st to 6th receive prize money (9,000 EUR total)
- Women: 1st to 3rd receive prize money (6,000 EUR total)

Scenario C – Only women have more than 10 riders

- Men: 1st to 3rd receive prize money (6,000 EUR total)
- Women: 1st to 6th receive prize money (9,000 EUR total)

Scenario D – Both divisions have 10 or fewer riders

- Men: 1st to 3rd receive prize money (6,000 EUR total)
- Women: 1st to 3rd receive prize money (6,000 EUR total)
- No prizes for 4th, 5th, or 6th in either division

## Reason for the Rule

This system rewards divisions where more participants make it harder to reach the top positions. It keeps competition fair while maintaining a clear hierarchy: 3rd place always earns more than 4th place.

For questions, contact the race organization before the registration deadline.

## SFT World Tour

- As a competitor, I agree to respect the racing rules and in particular: to display visibly the competitor number attributed to me
- to always wear the official event competition lycra when proceeding to the water (also during training), as well as during interviews, official presentations, and on the podium
- to wear a safety helmet during the competition
- to follow the recommendations and/or instructions provided by the crew to place board stickers (SFT Wingfoil World Tour & Event sponsor) on the top and on the bottom of the board at all times during the event (competitions, interviews, media conferences, award ceremony, etc.)

- to take note that all rider meetings, opening/closing ceremonies, and media conferences requested by the Event Organizer are mandatory for all riders.
- I assure that I will be on time and ready
- I am aware that non-observance of this rule will incur a fine of up to 500 EUR. Any competitor finishing in the top 3 positions who fails to attend the awards ceremony on time (without being justified by force majeure) will incur a fine equal to their earned prize money for the event. Furthermore, an additional penalty of up to 1,000 EUR and suspension for the next event may be applied.

## E-Foil Competition

The competition runs Friday, Saturday & Sunday across three stages.

### Day 1 –Friday,June12

#### Time Trials – Qualification Series

- Counts as qualification times and seeding for the elimination series.
- If a competitor misses the time trial race, they can still compete in the elimination series but will enter the first elimination race with a lower seeding than those who participated.
- Top 3 Pro Men/Women are already seeded in the Pro Division (Top 12 times), even if they fall in their 2 attempts.

#### Format details:

- One or more competitors on the course at the same time (different lanes)
- Courses are symmetrical (turn buoys left or right in same order based on preference). Asymmetrical course possible; will be explained at riders' briefing
- Time starts at the starting signal and ends when crossing the finish line
- Each competitor gets up to 2 attempts per run
- Each competitor can lock in two timed runs; best single time counts

### Day 2 – Saturday, June 13

#### Round 1 / Group Fun Race (Individual race format – Sprint race)

- Race courses announced at riders' briefing. Additional courses possible based on pool logistics.
- Group race format.

## Day 3 – Sunday, June 14

Main Races – Elimination Series (Elimination rounds, semi-finals, and finals)  
Final courses decided by the Competition Director depending on the Munich pool's built-in setup and communicated at the riders' briefing. Minimum number of elimination races: one. More may be run depending on time.

Elimination format rules:

- Race runs in elimination ladder format
- Each heat has 2–4 athletes competing at the same time on the course
- Best 1 or 2 athletes advance to the next round until the final

Starting position:

- Highest ranking from Friday's time trials chooses first, then second highest, etc.
- If two competitors in a heat have the same ranking from time trials: a draw decides starting position

Start:

- All competitors start simultaneously on acoustic + visual signal from competition director or any jury member

Course & result:

- All competitors complete the course according to the course diagram  
Incorrect course completion = disqualification
- Result determined by who completes the course correctly and crosses the finish line first or second (depending on heat size)

## Event Ranking

- If the Elimination Series runs one race only, the result of that one elimination stands as the final event ranking. All heats need to be completed to have a valid result.
- If the Elimination Series runs multiple races, the results of each race count towards the final event ranking. A competitor collects points for every result of a single race according to the position the athlete finishes within that race.

## Event Ranking Points

- The winner receives 0.7 points, second place receives 2 points, third place receives 3 points, 4th place receives 4 points, and after that, the athletes being knocked out receive the average points of all other competitors also knocked out in the same round in the same finishing position.
- The competitor with the lowest accumulated points is in first position of the event ranking; the competitor with the second lowest accumulated points is in second position, and so on.

## Discards

- If four or more races are completed in the elimination series, every competitor can discard one result of all races. This means the highest points collected in a single race will not count towards the event ranking.
- If seven or more races are completed in the elimination series, every competitor can discard two results of all races. This means the two highest points collected in a single race will not count towards the event ranking.
- If ten or more races are completed in the elimination series, every competitor can discard three results of all races. This means the three highest points collected in a single race will not count towards the event ranking.

## Tie Breaks

- If multiple competitors end up with the same total points in the event ranking, a competitor is ranked above another competitor by the following order of rules:
- In favour of the competitor with the better result from the time trials
- In favour of the competitor with lower points discarded, if any discard(s) have been effected
- In favour of the competitor who has finished more often ahead of the other throughout all races, including discarded races
- In favour of the competitor with the higher number of first, second, third, etc. place finishes throughout all races, including discarded races
- In favour of the competitor who finished better in the last race
- If all of the above rules fail to determine who finishes ahead of the other competitor, then the final event ranking shall stand with a shared position between these competitors

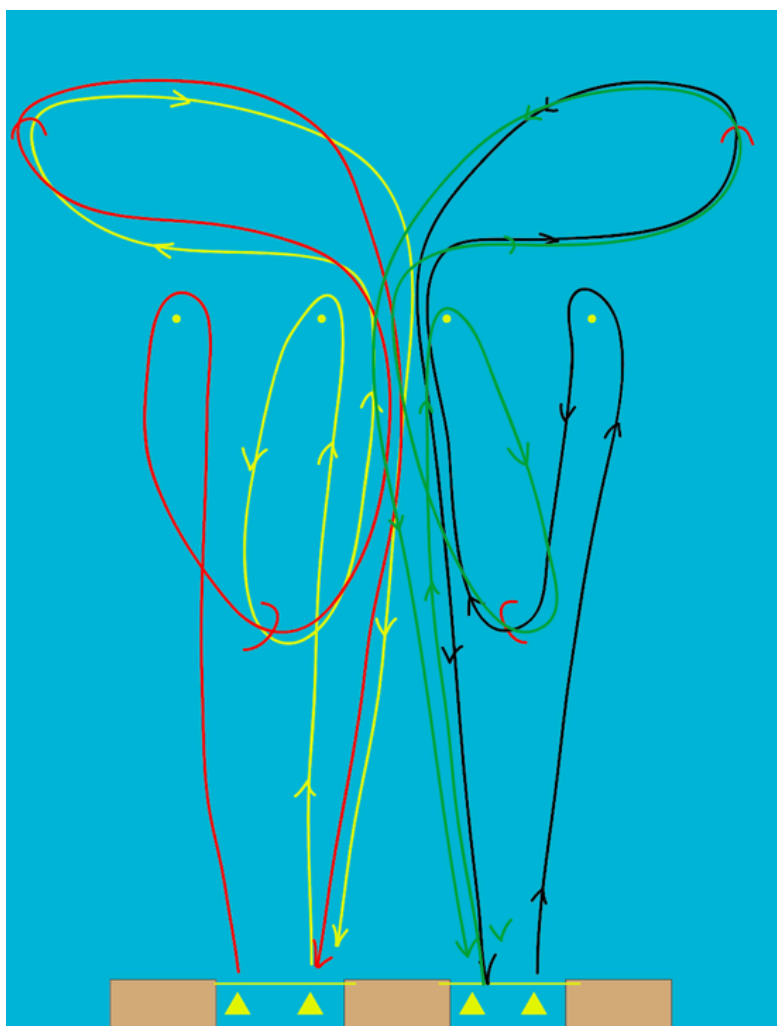
## Circuits

Circuit maps are attached for reference.

They may still change, so final versions will be confirmed during the briefings. Due to the huge possibilities of this amazing venue, we will have a very exciting new format with 4 riders in some heats.

Don't worry – we will explain everything in detail at the venue and during the riders' briefing.

Any last-minute changes will be communicated via WhatsApp and during the mandatory briefings.



## SFT Munich – Team 2026

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Any questions, please contact our Sports Director at [carlos@surffoilworldtour.com](mailto:carlos@surffoilworldtour.com)

We look forward to seeing you very soon!

The SFT Team