

WSC RULE CHANGES FOR 2021

5.1: Membership Requirement

All entrants in sanctioned tournaments shall be WSWC members with current dues paid. This requirement shall be considered satisfied if the skier pays his/her dues to the Tournament Committee before competing. ~~Members of National Water Ski Associations affiliated with the International Water Ski and Wakeboard Federation will not be required to join the WSWC to enter sanctioned tournaments.~~

11.20.4 If speed control breaks then go to manual. If a replacement unit or boat is not available, or the unit cannot be quickly repaired, then the tournament shall be continued with manual driving. When the speed control cuts out or fails to operate or is a deviation from normal operation (i.e. a malfunction) the skier is entitled to a re-ride for failure of equipment and can improve the score. ~~No back-up time is required when using speed control.~~

14.4: Jumping Speeds and Tolerances

14.4.1 The boat speeds for the jumping event shall be chosen by the skier from those listed below, up to the following maximum speeds:

(c) Men U17, Women U17, **Men V-VIII**, Women III, Women IV-VI 51 kph

14.7.2 The boat judge shall observe the accuracy of the boat path and course conditions, and monitor the water speed measuring devices. The boat judge shall verify the speed of the boat by using a timing device pursuant to procedures outlined in 14.4.3. In the event the time is recorded elsewhere than in the boat, it must be communicated to the boat immediately after each pass. When an incorrect speed results, the boat timer shall so advise the boat judge. ~~In addition to the official timer, at least one other timing device shall be operated from the shore or boat. In the event that the official timer fails to record a time, the back-up timer shall govern.~~

15.5 Boat Speeds

Women IV - max 52kph

~~*Skiers in the Women IV division shall have the option of a maximum speed of 52 kph, however their scores will be reduced by 6 compared to those who ski at 55 kph.~~

APPENDIX I

14.7: Jump Event Officials

One judge may be used for the jump event: a boat judge. ~~The back-up timer may be eliminated.~~

15:12: Slalom Event Officials

Three judges may be used for the slalom event: one boat judge and two judges positioned in such a way that the skier's passage through the entrance/exit gates is visible. ~~The back-up timer may be eliminated.~~

16.11: Trick Event Officials

Three judges may be used to score the attempted tricks. ~~The back-up timer may be eliminated.~~

APPENDIX II: SANCTION POLICIES FOR CANADIAN RECORD CAPABILITY TOURNAMENTS AND WORLD RANKING LIST

Changes to reference procedure and actual fee amounts; define limitations to align with IWWF; and clarify use of foreign officials.

Organizers must ensure that all officiating is conducted exclusively by qualified officials. If out of country officials are used, their qualifications must be verified.

End course video for all slalom passes of **11.25** metres and shorter

IWWF RULES

For WRL & WRC tournaments, the IWWF rules apply.

In cases where WSC Rules exist, but are silent in IWWF, the WSC Rules must also be applied. Exceptions may be permitted for IWWF Titled or Pro events.

The following variations and applicability are noted:

- Use WSC Age Divisions 4.1 and 4.2
- Use WSC slalom and overall scoring calculations 6.1, but IWWF for WRL data.
- No jumping in overall for U10 ages
- Use WSC Conflict of Interest 10.4
- Use WSC safety rule requirements 9.2a, 9.2c and 14.13
- Use of shock tube required 11.15
- Authority of Safety Director 13.2
- Slalom skier return path 15.3.2

APPENDIX IV: RECORDS

4: Slalom Records

To establish a new Slalom Record, a skier must score at least one-quarter point more than the existing record. A skier equalling the existing record will be declared co-holder of the record.

The boat path adheres to Rule 15.4 with a maximum deviation at the guide buoys - 20cm toward the buoy.

8: Record Application Procedures

8.3 In the United States, Canadian records may only be set at AWSA Record Capability Tournaments. In order for a Canadian record to be recognized when performed at an AWSA Record Capability Tournament, the following must occur:

- a) an AWSA record application form must be completed and sent to the WSWC National Office; or
- b) a WSC record application form must be completed and sent to the WSWC National Office.
- c) All technical information, including recorded video for trick, slalom end course and jump images.
- d) It shall be the SKIERS' RESPONSIBILITY to request such action occur.

8.4 In order for a Canadian record to be recognized when performed at an IWWF, Confederation or Federation homologated tournament, the following must occur:

- a) a record application from the IWWF, the Confederation or Federation must be completed and sent to the WSWC National Office; or
- b) a WSC record application form must be completed and sent to the WSWC National Office.
- c) All technical information, including recorded video for trick, slalom end course and jump images.
- d) It shall be the SKIERS' RESPONSIBILITY to request such action occur.

8.5 Under no circumstances will a record be recognized unless the appropriate record application forms are filled out and all rules followed, with the exceptions noted in 7.1 above.

8.6 For slalom records, boat path deviation data from approved GPS based automatic tracking systems will be accepted as an alternative to end course video.

APPENDIX V: TRICK VALUES

BFLSL5F Wake Flip with Ski Line 540 #66 950pts

APPENDIX VIII: SANCTION POLICIES FOR CLASS 1 TOURNAMENTS

Changes to reference to sanction fees; clarify use of foreign officials, similar to App II.

5. Waivers

All participants in a Class 1 Tournament must be WSWC members and have signed a waiver.

7. Officials

Organizers must ensure that all officiating is conducted exclusively by qualified officials. If out of country officials are used, their qualifications must be verified.

If the number of officials is as per Canadian Record Capability (CRC) tournament rules (ie. 5 trick judges, 5 slalom judges, back-up timers), there are no minimum qualifications for the officials other than their possession of a current rating within the WSC Officials Program.