

Selection Guideline of 3rd Asian Youth Games

A. General

The 3rd Asian Youth Games will be taken place from the 20 to 28 December 2022 in Shantou, China.

B. Eligibility

In order to be eligible to participate in the selection a participant must:

1. Be under the age of 19 as at 31 Dec 2022 (born in or after 2004);
2. Using the iQFOiL Youth equipment in the indicator events;
3. Meet the eligibility criteria outlined in the Notice of Race, Sailing Instructions, or other official documents covering the event; and
4. Fulfilling the iQFOiL Youth and Junior training programme requirement.

C. Number of Place

One boy and one girl under the age of 19 (born in or after 2004), will be selected by results. Additional athlete(s) may be selected by coach recommendation depending on potential and level of performance as well as funding available.

D. Method of Selection

The selection consists of 2 parts: Results in the indicator event (Part 1) and coach recommendation (Part 2).

Part 1: Results in the indicator event(s)

Selection Race for 2022 Asian Youth Games, Stanley Main Beach, Stanley, 27-30 December 2021

Note: A replacement event(s) will be arranged only if the events above are not valid.

Part 2: Coach Recommendation

The coach in-charge of the iQFOiL Youth and Junior programme will prepare a coach recommendation report. The following will be taken into account.

1. Potential to win medals in the event;
2. Performance and previous results in the last 12 months;
3. Attendance rate and training commitment;
4. Behavior according to the WAHK National Squad Code of Conduct;
5. Injuries, illness and material damage where and when found applicable; and
6. Funding available.

E. Qualification Requirements

The selected athletes must be able to sail proficiently in 18+ knots of wind on the iQFOiL Youth equipment, and need to continue training in the National Squad programme.

F. Final Decision

The selection report will be submitted to the Windsurfing Association of Hong Kong General Committee which will be the final endorsing authority. Any appeals must be directed to the Windsurfing Association of Hong Kong General Committee in a timely fashion, as soon as possible after the outcome of the selections has been announced. At its discretion the Windsurfing Association of Hong Kong General Committee may appoint an Appeal Working Party, with a legal adviser as a member of the party, to decide on the validity of the appeal and the outcome.

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