



21st FINA WORLD JUNIOR DIVING CHAMPIONSHIPS 2016

RULES AND REGULATIONS

A. GENERAL CONCEPT AND RULES

1. The FINA WORLD JUNIOR DIVING CHAMPIONSHIPS shall be open to all FINA affiliated Federations.
2. The normal number of divers who may compete in an individual WJDC event is two (2) from the Host Federation and from each Visiting Federation. In synchronized diving, one (1) team may compete from the Host Federation and one (1) from each Visiting Federation.
3. The following events comprise the FINA WORLD JUNIOR DIVING CHAMPIONSHIPS:

1m Springboard	Boys Age Group A and Age Group B Girls Age Group A and Age Group B
3m Springboard	Boys Age Group A and Age Group B Girls Age Group A and Age Group B
5m - 7.5m - 10m Platform	Boys Age Group A and Age Group B Girls Age Group A and Age Group B
3m Springboard Synchronized	Boys Combined Age Group A & B Girls Combined Age Group A & B
Mixed Team Event 1m-3m- Platform (5m-7.5m-10m)	Boys and Girls Age Groups A & B

All events shall be conducted in accordance with the Rules of FINA.

4. The **individual events** in the FINA WORLD JUNIOR DIVING CHAMPIONSHIPS are conducted in accordance with FINA Rules DAG 3.1 (Age Group A) and DAG 3.2 (Age Group B). Following the completion of the Preliminary Competitions, conducted in accordance with the aforementioned Rules, a Final Competition, comprising the top twelve (12) divers in the Preliminary Competition will be conducted as provided by FINA Rule DAG 4.5.1.

The **synchronized events** in the FINA WORLD JUNIOR DIVING CHAMPIONSHIPS are conducted as direct finals and are run in accordance with FINA Rule DAG 3.1 (Age Groups A & B Combined).

The Mixed Team Event (new event) in the FINA WORLD JUNIOR DIVING CHAMPIONSHIPS will be conducted as direct final (Boys and Girls Age Groups A & B Combined).

R&R of the Mixed Team Event

The teams shall comprise two (2) – four (4) divers from both gender and both categories (A and B) from the same Federation.

The Mixed Team Event shall comprise five (5) dives without limit of Degree of Difficulty from at least four (4) different groups.

One (1) dive must be performed by the girl or boy from the 1m springboard, the 3m springboard and the platform (5m, 7.5m or 10m) each.

The additional two (2) dives must be performed as Mixed Synchro dives from 1m springboard and 3m springboard. The Mixed Synchro dive from the 1m springboard must be from the twisting group, the Mixed Synchro dive from the 3m springboard must be from the back or reverse group. The three (3) individual dives can be from any group.

The two (2) Mixed Synchro dives can be performed by two (2) age group A or age group B divers or by a diver from each age group. The three (3) individual dives can be performed by divers from the A or B age group, but both age groups must be used.

The event is judged by two (2) panels of seven (7) judges. One panel judge the dives 1, 2 and 5 and the other panel the dives 3 and 4.

Mixed Team Event (NEW) Rules and Regulations					
"Mix Team Event"	The team is composed by 2-4 max divers but from both Genders and both Categories (A/B)				
	Performance	up to 4 dives (both Genders and both Categories)			
Height	Number of Dives	Gender	Type of Dive	Group	DD
1m Synchro	1	Mix (1Boy + 1 Girl)	Synchro	Twist	FREE
1m	1	Boy or Girl	Individual	FREE Selection	FREE
3m Synchro	1	Mix (1Boy + 1 Girl)	Synchro	Backward or Reverse	FREE
3m	1	Boy or Girl	Individual	FREE Selection	FREE
Platform (5m,7.5m,10m)	1	Boy or Girl	Individual	FREE Selection	FREE
Total Dives	5				
In a total of 5 dives max 4 groups must be used!					
JUDGES PANELS (7 Judges)		ALLOCATION OF PANELS		DIVE/S	
A PANEL		Judging 1 M		No 1+2	
B PANEL		Judging 3M		No 3+4	
A PANEL		Judging PLATFORM		No 5	

5. The Organising Federation shall publish the terms of the meeting by advising the FINA Office in Lausanne (SUI) no later than 15th September 2016.
6. The 21st FINA WORLD JUNIOR DIVING CHAMPIONSHIPS shall be held in Kazan (RUS) during the period **29/11 - 4/12/2016**.

B. CONDITIONS OF ENTRY

Entries of divers in the FINA WORLD JUNIOR DIVING CHAMPIONSHIPS shall be accepted only from the Federations. Preliminary Team entries must be made to FINA and to the Organizing Committee no later than **31st October 2016**. Individual entries of divers must be made to FINA and to the Organizing Committee no later than **19th November 2016**.

C. JUDGES

At the FINA WORLD JUNIOR DIVING CHAMPIONSHIPS each judge in the judging panel of individual events shall be from different Federations. If judges from seven different Federations are not available, the judging panel for that event should be reduced to five judges. If the number of judges is sufficient, double panels of judges will be used in the Preliminary competitions. In the Finals, the panel of judges shall consist of judges whose Federation is different to that of any of the participating divers.

In synchronized diving there shall be nine judges from different Federations; however, if this is not possible, there may be two judges from the same Federation, provided one is judging the execution and the other is judging the synchronization.

In Mixed Team Event there shall be two panels of seven judges each from different Federations however, if this is not possible, there may be two judges from the same Federation, one to judge in the first panel and the other to judge to the second panel (judging the overall impression).

Each Federation may nominate, at its own expense, one (1) or two (2) judges, whether or not the Federation is entering divers. Federations entering four (4) or more divers must provide at least one judge. *The judges must have attended the FINA Judges School and be included on the FINA Diving Judges List 2016.*

No judge may work as a coach during the FINA WORLD JUNIOR DIVING CHAMPIONSHIPS; however, the individual may hold any other position within the team.

The nomination of judges must be made to FINA and to the Organizing Committee no later than **31st October 2016**. A confirmation must be made to FINA and to the Organizing Committee no later than **19th November 2016** together with the final entries.

In consultation with FINA, the Organizing Committee shall provide the necessary competition operating software to ensure the provision of data necessary for the effective evaluation of judges.

D. FINA DELEGATE & FINA TDC-MEMBERS

FINA shall appoint the FINA Delegate and FINA TDC Members to the FINA WORLD JUNIOR DIVING CHAMPIONSHIPS. The FINA Delegate shall present a short written report, covering the administration and conduct of the Meeting, to the FINA Office in Lausanne (SUI) for distribution. The FINA Delegate shall also check that the complete results (including preliminaries) are sent by fax or e-mail to the FINA Office in Lausanne (SUI) immediately, i.e. on the day of each event.

The FINA Delegate and the FINA TDC Members comprise the administration team and shall work together with the Organizing Committee to ensure the proper conduct of the Championships.

The FINA Delegate and/or FINA TDC Members shall conduct judging evaluations and shall present a written report and summary of evaluations to the FINA TDC Commission and Member responsible for the compilation of judging evaluations.

E. DOPING CONTROL

Doping Control shall be conducted in accordance with the requirements of FINA.

E. PRIZE MONEY

Prize Money shall not be offered at the FINA WORLD JUNIOR DIVING CHAMPIONSHIPS.

F. SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

A recommended Schedule of Events is attached as Annex 1.



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DAY	TIME	COMPETITION			
26.11	08:00 – 21:00	Training			
27.11	08:00 – 21:00	Training			
28.11	08:00 – 16:00	Training			
	17:00	OPENING CEREMONY			
	18:00 – 18:45	Mixed Team Event			
29.11		Boys A	3m	Prelim	5+5
		Girls B	1m	Prelim	5+3
		Boys A	3m	FINAL	5
		Girls B	1m	FINAL	3
30.11		Girls A	1m	Prelim	5+4
		Girls B	PF	Prelim	4+3
		Girls A	1m	FINAL	4
		Girls B	PF	FINAL	3
		Boys A/B	3m Syn.	FINAL	2+3
01.12		Boys B	1m	Prelim	5+4
		Girls A	3m	Prelim	5+4
		Boys B	1m	FINAL	4
		Girls A	3m	FINAL	4
02.12		Boys A	1m	Prelim	5+5
		Boys B	PF	Prelim	4+4
		Boys A	1m	FINAL	5
		Boys B	PF	FINAL	4
		Girls A/B	3m Syn.	FINAL	2+3
03.12		Boys B	3m	Prelim	5+4
		Girls A	PF	Prelim	4+4
		Boys B	3m	FINAL	4
		Girls A	PF	FINAL	4
04.12		Girls B	3m	Prelim	5+3
		Boys A	PF	Prelim	4+5
		Girls B	3m	FINAL	3
		Boys A	PF	FINAL	5
CLOSING CEREMONY					