



02 – 05 JULY 2026

OFFICIAL INFORMATION PACK

2026 CMAS WORLD CUP FINSWIMMING INDOOR YOUTH

İZMİR

TÜRKİYE

HOSTED BY EGE UNDERWATER SPORTS CLUB

LETTER OF INVITATION

Welcome to Izmir

Dear Sports Friends,

The 2026 CMAS World Cup Finswimming Indoor Youth will take place in Izmir, Türkiye, from 02–05 July 2026. The event will be organised by Ege Underwater Sports Club, under the authority and supervision of the Turkish Underwater Sports Federation (TSSF), and in accordance with the regulations of CMAS.

This special World Cup event is designed for the 10–15 age group, providing young finswimmers with an international platform to compete, gain experience, and connect with athletes from different countries. The competition will highlight the future of finswimming by bringing together talented young athletes in a professional and inspiring sporting environment.

All national federations, clubs and athletes are warmly invited to participate and to be part of this international event in Izmir.

DATES

02–05 JUL 2026

VENUE

HALKAPINAR
OLYMPIC POOL

CATEGORIES

C • D • E

AGES

10 – 15

UNDER THE AUTHORITY & SUPERVISION OF



World Underwater Federation



Türkiye Underwater Sports Federation



Ministry of Youth & Sports
Republic of Türkiye



Ege Underwater Sports
Hosting Club

On behalf of the Organising Committee,

Özgür ALEMDAR

Event Director · Ege Underwater Sports Club

THE HOST CITY

İzmir



Kordon waterfront, Aegean Sea

3RD LARGEST CITY

in Türkiye

AEGEAN COAST

Mediterranean climate

DIRECT FLIGHTS

via ADB Airport

Located on the beautiful Aegean coast of Türkiye, İzmir is one of the oldest continuously inhabited cities in the Mediterranean. With a history stretching back thousands of years to the ancient city of Smyrna, it has been home to many civilisations and today blends its rich heritage with a vibrant modern lifestyle.

Surrounded by the blue waters of the Aegean and beautiful coastal landscapes, the city is easily accessible through Adnan Menderes Airport. İzmir has a strong sporting tradition — regularly hosting national and international events with modern facilities and a welcoming atmosphere.

THE VENUE

Halkapinar Olympic Swimming Pool



Halkapinar Olympic Swimming Pool — interior view

Pool Specifications

POOL DIMENSIONS

50 m × 25 m

LANES

10

LANE LINES

Breaking-wave

WATER DEPTH

Permanent 2.20 m

WATER TEMPERATURE

25 °C ± 1 °C

TIMEKEEPING

Daktronics electronic

WARM-UP POOL

25 m × 20 m

OPENED

2025 (newest in TR)

About the Facility

The Halkapınar Olympic Swimming Pool was opened in 2025 and is one of the newest and most modern aquatic sports facilities in Türkiye. The venue is located within the Atatürk Sports Complex, one of the city's main sports areas, in a central location easily accessible from different parts of İzmir.

The facility includes a 10-lane, 50-metre Olympic swimming pool designed for training and competition. Inside the complex there is also a diving pool, a spectator tribune, and a modern video scoreboard that allows races and results to be followed clearly during competitions. Athlete rest areas and a cafeteria provide a comfortable environment for athletes, teams and visitors throughout the event.



Spectator tribune and timing wall

Location

ADDRESS

Mersinli Mh. 2816 Sk. No:106, Konak / İzmir

FROM AIRPORT

30 km • approx. 40 minutes by bus

NEAREST METRO

Halkapınar (M1, İzmir Metro)



[Open location on Google Maps](#)

Categories & Events

The 2026 CMAS World Cup Finswimming Indoor Youth is open to athletes in three age categories. Below are the events available for male and female swimmers in each category.

AGE GROUP	SURFACE	BIFINS	IMMERSION	APNEA	RELAYS
Category C	50-100m	50-100m			4×50m SB (Mix)
14 – 15	200-400m	200-400m	100-200m	50m	4×100m BF (Mix)
(2011–2012)	800m				4×100m SF
Category D	50-100m	50-100m			4×50m SB (Mix)
12 – 13	200-400m	200-400m	—	—	4×100m BF (Mix)
(2013–2014)	800m				4×100m SF
Category E	50-100m	50-100m			4×50m SB (Mix)
10 – 11	200m	200m	—	—	4×50m BF (Mix)
(2015–2016)					4×50m SF

Participation Rules

- ▶ Each competitor can take part in a maximum of four (4) individual races and three (3) relays.
- ▶ Each competitor can compete for only one Club during the year. Participation in a National Team is not considered as participation for a Club.
- ▶ Each National Team or Club can enrol a maximum of four (4) swimmers for each individual race.
- ▶ Athletes may compete in relay events in a higher age category, but must comply with the equipment restrictions of their own age group.
- ▶ Only competitors holding a valid CMAS Licence are eligible to compete.

Classification & Awards

Classifications are made for Individuals, Clubs, National Teams and Countries. Three separate classifications are produced for clubs and national teams: Overall C-D-E, Men C-D-E, Women C-D-E.

- ✓ Medals to the first three athletes in every individual race and relay
- ✓ Cups for the first three Clubs and the first three National Teams
- ✓ Commemorative awards for all participating Clubs and National Teams

International Jury

- ▶ CMAS Technical Delegate, in accordance with CMAS rules.
- ▶ International Board of Technical Officials, in accordance with CMAS Procedures and Obligations.

THE COMPETITION

Championship Programme

02 July • Thursday *Preparation Day • Arrival of Delegations*

Registration	10:00 – 20:00	Swimming Pool
Equipment Check	10:00 – 20:00	Swimming Pool
Training Session	10:00 – 14:00 / 16:00 – 20:00	Swimming Pool
Technical Meeting	17:00 – 17:30	Swimming Pool

03 July • Friday *Day 1 of Competitions • Opening Ceremony*

MORNING SESSION

Warming Up 07:15 – 08:45

Opening Ceremony 09:00 – 09:20

Competition Start 09:30

- 01 50m Bifins Men / Women C – D – E
 02 200m Immersion Men / Women C
 03 4x50m Surface Men / Women E

Medal ceremonies follow this session

AFTERNOON SESSION

Warming Up 14:45 – 16:15

Competition Start 17:00

- 04 100m Surface Men / Women C – D – E
 05 100m Bifins Men / Women C – D – E
 06 4x100m Surface Men / Women C – D

*Medal ceremonies follow this session*04 July • Saturday *Day 2 of Competitions*

MORNING SESSION

Warming Up 07:15 – 08:45

Competition Start 09:00

- 07 200m Surface Men / Women C – D – E
 08 200m Bifins Men / Women C – D
 09 50m Apnea Men / Women C

Medal ceremonies follow this session

AFTERNOON SESSION

Warming Up 14:45 – 16:15

Competition Start 16:30

- 10 400m Bifins Men / Women C – D
 11 800m Surface Men / Women C – D
 12 4x50m Bifins Mixed E
 13 4x100m Bifins Mixed C – D

*Medal ceremonies follow this session*05 July • Sunday *Day 3 of Competitions • Closing*

MORNING SESSION

Warming Up 07:15 – 08:45

Competition Start 09:00

- 14 400m Surface Men / Women C – D
 15 200m Immersion Men / Women C – D
 16 200m Bifins Men / Women E

Medal ceremonies follow this session

AFTERNOON SESSION

Warming Up 14:45 – 16:15

Competition Start 16:30

Closing & Team Awards

- 17 50m Surface Men / Women C – D – E
 18 4x50m SB Relay Mixed C – D

Medal ceremonies follow this session

Financial Modalities

CMAS Fees

For each round, in order to participate, each competitor pays the CMAS fees fixed annually by CMAS through the CMAS Portal.

PARTICIPATION FEE 2026 · € 25.50 per round

Names of relay members must be entered during the registration process on the basis of individual registration, even if they only swim in the relay. According to the rules, the composition of relays may be changed on site before the beginning of the competition.

CMAS fees are paid only at the end of the online registration process, by credit card.

Organisation Fees

Organisation fees are paid directly to the Organising Committee. Inscription fees for 2026:

PER CLUB	PER RELAY	PER INDIVIDUAL RACE
€ 25.80	€ 18.30	€ 10.20

CMAS and Organisation fees are not refunded for non-participation. Late enrolments after the deadline are subject to penalties.

Payment

Organisation fees must be deposited in the Organising Committee's bank account no later than 15 June 2026. After this date, fees will be increased by 10 %.

Bank transfer details:

BANK NAME	YAPI KREDİ BANKASI
ACCOUNT NAME	EGE SUALTI SPORLARI EGİTİM ORG. TUR. SAN. TİC. LTD. ŞTİ.
IBAN	TR23 0006 7010 0000 0199 4114 11
SWIFT CODE	YAPITRISXXX

ACCOMMODATION & TRAVEL

Two Complete Packages

Choose between two all-inclusive accommodation packages. Both include full board, round-trip airport transfers, and 3 nights stay close to the competition venue. The only difference is the hotel category.



Comfortable rooms designed for team accommodation

STANDARD PACKAGE

3 ★ Hotel

€ 350

per person · all-inclusive

INCLUDES

- ✓ 3 nights at 3 ★ Hotel
- ✓ Double or triple room
- ✓ Open buffet breakfast at hotel
- ✓ Lunch and Dinner served at the venue
- ✓ Round-trip airport transfer
- ✓ Daily hotel ↔ pool transfers

PREMIUM PACKAGE

4 ★ Hotel

€ 400

per person · all-inclusive

INCLUDES

- ✓ 3 nights at 4 ★ Hotel
- ✓ Double room
- ✓ Open buffet breakfast at hotel
- ✓ Lunch and Dinner served at the venue
- ✓ Round-trip airport transfer
- ✓ Daily hotel ↔ pool transfers

Check-in: 02 July (Thu) · Check-out: 05 July (Sun) · Meals start with dinner on 02 July, end with lunch on 05 July

Extra Charges

Airport transfer only (round-trip)	€ 40 / person
Single room supplement	€ 45 / room / night
Extra night per person (double or triple room / 3 ★ Hotel)	€ 75 / person / night
Extra night per person (double room / 4 ★ Hotel)	€ 90 / person / night
Extra night per person (single room / 3 ★ Hotel)	€ 115 / person / night
Extra night per person (single room / 4 ★ Hotel)	€ 130 / person / night

Travel & Logistics

AIRPORT Adnan Menderes International Airport (ADB) <i>30 km / 40 min</i>	TRANSFERS Round-trip from Airport to Hotel <i>Included in package</i>	VENUE ACCESS Hotel to Pool <i>5-10 km / 15-20 min</i>
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Important Notes

- ▶ CMAS and Organisation fees are not refunded for non-participation.
- ▶ Late enrolments after the deadline are subject to penalties.
- ▶ Voltage in Türkiye: 220 V · 50 Hz.
- ▶ Local currency: Turkish Lira (TRY); Euro accepted at the venue.
- ▶ Time zone: GMT+3 (no daylight saving).

REGISTRATION TIMELINE

Deadlines & Conditions

Registration and payment of CMAS fees must be made on **CMAS Portal**. Initial entries form, accomodation and transfer form, confirmation of payments and competitors list must be sent to the Organising Committee in accordance with the following schedule:

Organising Committee: worldcup2026@egesas.com

#	DOCUMENT	DEADLINE
Annex 1	Initial Entries Form	12.06.2026
Annex 2	Accomodation and Transfer Form	12.06.2026
Annex 3	Confirmation of Payment	12.06.2026
Annex 4	Competitors List Form	22.06.2026

General Rules

- ▶ Only competitors with a valid CMAS Licence are eligible to compete.
- ▶ All participants must respect the competition rules, the safety conditions set by the organisers and the CMAS rules and regulations.
- ▶ For all technical matters, the valid CMAS World Cup Finswimming Youth rules apply.
- ▶ Technical Officials are authorised to check swimmers' equipment at any time during the competition.
- ▶ Swimmers must be available to the prestart area with their full equipment at least 15 minutes before the race starts.

 **CMAS Finswimming Rules:** <https://www.cmas.org/finswimming/how-to-regulations.html>

GET IN TOUCH

Communication & Contact

Official WhatsApp Group

To facilitate communication during the event, an official WhatsApp information group has been created by the Organising Committee. All team leaders, coaches and federation representatives are invited to join the group to receive announcements, schedule updates and organisational information.

Join: [WhatsApp Group Invitation Link](#)



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