

Minutes of the Waterski World Council meeting held on Wednesday July 10 2024 via Zoom

Present

Candido Moz	CM	WWSC Chair
Dana Garcia	DG	Pan Am WSC President
Larry Gisler	LG	Pan Am Delegate
Bruce Coburn	BC	AAO WSC President
Glen Williams	GW	AAO Delegate
Gavin Kelly	GK	E&A Delegate
Dimos Alexopoulos	DA	E&A Delegate
Valentina Gonzales	VG	Athletes Representative
Martin Kolman	MK	Athletes Representative
Jacinta Carrol	JC	Athletes Representative

1. Lucas Cornale U-21 World Slalom Record and score of Lake 38 Pro-Am Presented by S-Lines – Round 2.

A Record application form for Lucas Cornale pending U-21 World Slalom Record has been received. From the information submitted it can be seen that the rope once measured after the event, was out of tolerance. CM had requested DG to investigate on this matter and report to the WSC.

The normal procedure to deal with an issue at events is that the relative Confederation should discuss it before submitting any recommendation/report to the WSC.

In this case, as a World Record was set, all documents come directly to the WSC and for this reason the WSC is dealing with it.

On July 7th a complete report on this issue has been submitted by DG.

The report included all the information on how the events unfolded and suggested a proposal to resolve the issue.

The WSC discussed the report, it was noted that as it was a Pro Event a decision was taken not to stop the competition, as it was usual in those type of events for all skiers to use the same rope. Consequently, the rope was not measured immediately after the world record skiers turn but after the end of the round (3 more skiers after Lucas Cornale).

After a detailed discussion the WSC unanimously decided that:

- Even if it was a Pro Event the rope should have been measured immediately after Lucas skied, and if found out of tolerance the Jury panel should then have decided how to proceed.
- As it cannot be proved when the rope became out of tolerance, round 2 of the “Lake 38 Pro-Am Presented by S-Lines” should not be considered valid for the Ranking List.

2. Bid from Argentina (Lake Ahumada) to host the 2026 World Under-17 Waterski Championships.

The site is well known by VG and LG and site is a man-made lake, perfect for skiing.

The potential issues are:

The nearest International Airport “Cordoba” is 3 hours away.

There are no nearby places available for training.

VG said that the layout of the site might need to be changed to move the jump ramp further away from the bank.

Site informations:

PLACE OF COMPETITION

Ubicación: https://maps.app.goo.gl/enzyBxkV7MPAfWyB6?g_st=iw

AIRPORTS

Aeropuerto Internacional Valle de Conlara

Ubicación: https://maps.app.goo.gl/MH9kr4hgusPQnJ3X8?g_st=iw

Distancia: 56 km

Aeropuerto Internacional Córdoba

Ubicación: https://maps.app.goo.gl/WHcnkY6gVAGvdVnv8?g_st=iw

Distancia: 206 km

Aeropuerto de San Luis

Ubicación: https://maps.app.goo.gl/6eHuPeVQvRcToRsc8?g_st=iw

Distancia: 209 km

HOTELS

Hotel Ariane

Ubicación: <https://maps.app.goo.gl/cfbqdTTq21SjYYZb6>

Distancia: 10 km

Hotel Epic Merlo

Ubicación: <https://maps.app.goo.gl/uvCe4JWQND1nohz19>

Distancia: 60 km

LAKES FOR TRAINNING

LAGO DIQUE LA VIÑA - Entrenamiento de figuras

Ubicación: https://maps.app.goo.gl/ytEvfMHZJZeTwqiTA?g_st=iw

Distancia al lago Ahumada: 38 km

Hotel: <https://maps.app.goo.gl/3rYKxWT8LLXWmxhf9>

Distancia al lago: 23 km

LAGO CIUDAD DE CÓRDOBA - Entrenamiento de slalom y figuras

Ubicación: https://maps.app.goo.gl/F2tC3vov25Hv4WwH8?g_st=iw

Distancia al lago Ahumada: 200 km

Hotel: <https://maps.app.goo.gl/YtifFzBroJUq7HAA7>

Distancia al lago: 20 km

LAGO PUERTO ROLDAN - Entrenamiento de slalom, figuras y salto

Ubicación: https://maps.app.goo.gl/piQ7sDQjHGw3XQag7?g_st=iw

Distancia al lago Ahumada: 580 km

Hotel: <https://maps.app.goo.gl/M9BT7wt9HbFgnVta7>

Distancia al lago: 30 km

Candido Moz