



BEACH SPRINT OPEN OLYMPIC HOPES

BRATISLAVA, SLOVAKIA
6. - 9. 8. 2026

Invitation

Dear sport friends,

With great pleasure, we are happy to host Beach Sprint Open and Beach Sprint Olympic Hopes 2026 in Slovakia.

Step by step we provide better for the possibility of organizing top level events and Bratislava has great potential.

Bratislava is situated on the boarder with Austria, Hungary and close to Czech Republic with perfect highway and flight accessibility. Even lake Zlate Piesky is surrounded by nature, it is still close to city center. This location gives it an unique spot for organizing sport events.

The lake Zlaté Piesky is sports and recreation area located in the Bratislava. The lake is about 400 meters wide, 30 meters deep and there is an island in the middle. The water in the lake is extremely clean and waterside is with sandy beach.

Beach Sprint Olympic Hopes is iconic event, all young athletes are focusing on it and we are honoured to be part of it. We believe, we will organize great event to remember. We do our best, to make it possible.



Lake Zlaté piesky Bratislava - Slovakia

Sports and recreation area is located about 5 km from the city center.

GPS

Latitude 48.1847578N
Longitude 17.1902142E

Weather Information

The month of August presents moderate sunny weather with average temperature about 25 - 30°C

- Relative Humidity

The average daily relative humidity for August is around 60%.

- Precipitation

The average monthly amount of precipitation is 50 mm.

- Wind

The average daily wind speed in Jun is 10 km/h.

The average number of windy days in August is 12.

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TECHNICAL INFORMATION

Beach Sprint Bratislava 2026 - Organised by Slovak Rowing Federation

The members of the organising committee:



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Oto Gažovič
Race Director



Miroslav Škulec
Head Umpire



Andrej Vičan
Technical coordinator

EVENT CATEGORIES

There will be three event categories (three age groups) in the Beach Sprint Open and Beach Sprint Olympic Hopes 2026:

Beach Sprint Olympic Hopes 2026 – (U17) CJB M1x, CJB W1x, CJB Mix2x

Beach Sprint 2026 – (U19) - CJM1x, CJW1x, CJ Mix2x

Beach Sprint 2026 – (Open) - CM1x, CW1x, CM Mix2x

ENTRIES:

Make entries: www.sutazeveslovanie.sk

Entries are open until 31.7.2026, 23:00 (10 Eur per athlete)

After the application period, crew changes or cancellations shall be made by submitting a completed "Crew Change" form to rowingslovakia@gmail.com until 5.8.2026, 13:00

COMPETITION RACE FORMAT

First race starts with TT (time trial) when two crews racing side by side for overall best time to pass on to next stage. Heats are every 5 minutes. Rest of the stages will be in Knock – out racing.

There will be a 7 minute time gap between the races, where crews will be allowed to adjust their boats and get ready. When down to the last 8 crews, quarter-finals, semi-finals and finals will run immediately after each other.

Medals:

Crews finishing 1st, 2nd and 3rd in each Final will receive medals.

Provisional Programme

Day	Event
Friday 7. August	Opening course for training (10:00 pm) - The venue will be open from 8hrs until 20:30hrs
Friday 7. August	Team Managers Meeting (5:00pm) - Regatta course - meeting room
Friday 7. August	Opening Ceremony (6:00pm) - Grandstand
Saturday 8. August	C 1x Time Trials, QUARTERFINALS, SEMIFINALS, FINALS
Saturday 8. August	Medals ceremony C 1x
Sunday 9. August	C Mix 2x Time Trials, QUARTERFINALS, SEMIFINALS, FINALS
Sunday 9. August	Medals ceremony C Mix 2x and Closing ceremony

Provisional Timetable:



TIME TRIALS		TIME TRIALS	
PTT 10:00	C JB M1x	PTT 10:00	C JB Mix2x
	C JB W1x		C J Mix2x
	C J M1x		C Mix2x
	C J W 2x		
	C M1x		
	C W2x		
QUARTERFINALS		QUARTERFINALS	
	C JB M1x		C JB Mix2x
	C JB W1x		C J Mix2x
	C J M1x		C Mix2x
	C J W 2x		
	C M1x		
	C W2x		
SEMIFINALS		SEMIFINALS	
	C JB M1x		C JB Mix2x
	C JB W1x		C J Mix2x
	C J M1x		C Mix2x
	C J W 2x		
	C M1x		
	C W2x		
FINALS		FINALS	
19:00	C JB M1x	13:00	C JB Mix2x
	C JB W1x		C J Mix2x
	C J M1x		C Mix2x
	C J W 2x		
	C M1x		
	C W2x		

The official timetable will be published on our website and on closer to the event.

Live stream: <https://www.youtube.com/live/>

Results: <https://sutazeveslovanie.sk/sutaze>

ACCOMMODATION & CATERING:

We recommend an early reservation. Please send your request until 1.7.2026 to email: rowingslovakia@gmail.com

Emergency

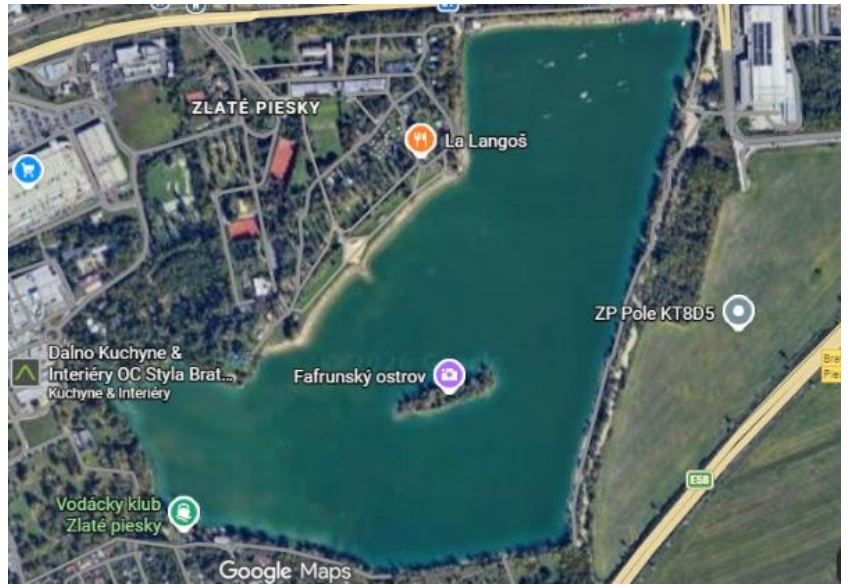
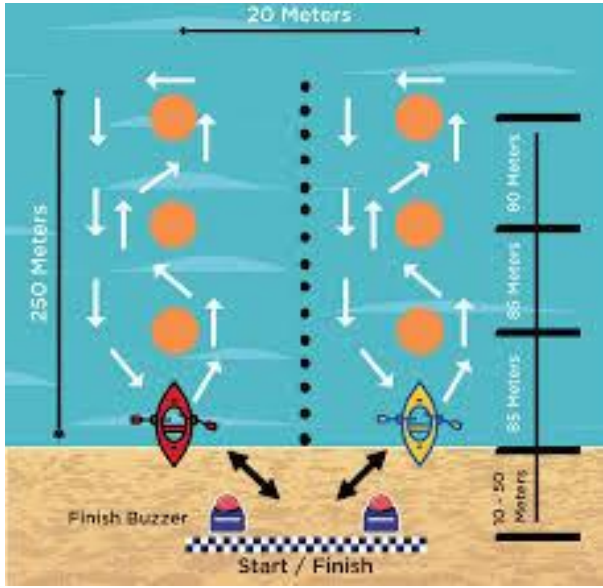
In case of an emergency, including medical emergencies, immediately call 112.

Medical Center

The Medical Center is in the athlete area and will be open during the opening times of the venue. First aid will be available at the venue during the opening times of the venue.



Beach Sprint Race Course



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