

12th Fazza International Athletics championships - Dubai 2020 World Para Athletics Grand Prix

An Invitation to Participate in the:

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World Para Athletics Grand Prix**

10-18 March 2020

P R E S E N T A T I O N

The Fazza International Para Athletics Championships was organized since 2009 by Dubai Club for the People of Determination under the patronage of His Highness Sheikh Hamdan Bin Mohammed Bin Rashed Al Maktoum, Crown Prince of Dubai, and President of the Dubai Sports Council.

The Fazza International Para Athletics Championship is one of the most popular competitions all over the world due to the best standard of Organizer that set forth its high-performance level.

Since 2009 the increase of participants each year credit to a remarkable performance of our best athletes who affiliate in these championships.

The 2020 edition will be part of the World Para Athletics Grand Prix.

Dear NPCs/Federations/Chairman Associations:

Please forward this invitation to the relevant personnel regarding Para Athletics within your country.

In cooperation with World Para Athletics, the Dubai Club for the People of Determination will organize the 12th Fazza International Athletics Championships – Dubai 2020, World Para Athletics Grand Prix.

We are very glade to invite your para athletes to participate in this great championship and tasting the UAE hospitality.

Thani Juma Berregad

Fazza LOC, President

Dubai Club for the People of Determination

THE COMPETITION:

Organizer : **Dubai Club for People of Determination**

Chairman : Thani Juma Berregad

Date : 10– 18 March 2020

Venue : Dubai, United Arab Emirates

(<https://goo.gl/maps/MFiudFv9AE2hMXeW6>)

Gender : Male and Female

Events : All events that feature on the Tokyo 2020 World Para Athletics program will be available for entry at the Fazza 2020 WPA Grand Prix.

ELIGIBILITY:

To be eligible for entry, athletes and Guide-runners must hold an active IPC Athlete License for the 2020 season. Athletes with International 'New', 'Review' and 'Confirmed' sport class status are eligible for entry.

INTERNATIONAL CLASSIFICATION:

PI and VI classification will be available (depending on the availability of WPA International Classifiers) for athletes entering the competition with Sport Class Status New (N), Review (R) or Fixed Review Date 2020 and years below in days from 11 to 13 March 2020.

An athlete will only be permitted to undergo International Classification if he or she:

- Is licensed with World Para Athletics in accordance with the relevant provisions in the World Para Athletics Rules and Regulations prior to the entry deadline.

- Has provided the required Medical Diagnostics Form and supporting medical documentation via SDMS before entry deadline with discretion that Classification Personnel may require more supporting medical documentation to provide prior to classification.

If the classification schedule is full, NPCs will be asked to prioritize athletes for classification. Rest of the Athletes who require to undergo classification and are not indicated on the Classification Schedule will be on the waiting list and the Athlete Evaluation will be offered if the classification slot becomes available.

It is the responsibility of each NPC, through the Team Leader, to ensure that athletes listed on the Classification Evaluation Schedule are available and present for their Evaluation Session at the designated time, date and location.

Further information regarding classification can be found at:

www.paralympic.org/athletics/classification

GOVERNING RULES:

The Track and Field events will be held in accordance with the World Para Athletics Rules and Regulations 2018-2019.

AWARDS AND MEDALS:

Valuable Prizes and Medals will be attributed to the Three First in each event, combined classes will be considered as a single event.

DOPING CONTROL:

Athletes participating in the 12th Fazza International Athletics Championships - Dubai 2020 World Para Athletics Grand Prix could be subject to Anti-Doping tests in accordance with the provisions of the IPC Anti-Doping Code and WADA International Standard.

Further information is at:

<https://www.paralympic.org/athletics/anti-doping>

OFFICIALS:

Highly Qualified officials from World Para Athletics and UAE Athletics Federation will be facilitating in the 11th Fazza International Athletics Championships – Dubai 2020 World Para Athletics Grand Prix.

ENTRY DEADLINES:

- Online Entry System opens - 22 November 2019
- Final Entry by Name with Payment - 10th February 2020

All entries must be made via the IPC online entry system:

www.paralympic.org/sdms

ACCOMMODATION:

The Al Bustan Hotel is the official hotel for all the Athletes and officials during the Grand Prix. This Hotel offers accommodations in accessible single, double and triple rooms.

- Hotel Name: Al Bustan
- Address: Al Nahda Road, Al Twar, Dubai, United Arab Emirates
- Website: www.al-bustan.com

NPC's must book their Hotel Accommodation by filling the Accommodation form and submit to the LOC, before 10th February 2020.

ROOM TYPES & CHARGES:

- Single room 625 AED (170 US Dollar) per night +5% VAT, incl. 3 times a day meal
- Double room 1030 AED (280 US Dollar) per night +5% VAT, incl. 3 times a day meal
- Triple room 1470 AED (400 US Dollar) per night +5% VAT, incl. 3 times a day meal (strongly recommended: apartment including 1 single room and 1 double room, two bathrooms, kitchen, lounge and dining area).
- Quadruple room 1780 AED (485 US Dollar) per night +5% VAT, incl. 3 times a day meal (strongly recommended: apartment including 2 double room, two bathrooms, kitchen, lounge and dining area with sofa bed).
- Note: 01 USD Equivalent to 3.67 AED
- Teams who arrive on 10th March 2020 before 12:00 midday and want to access to their rooms will be charged for one additional night
- On 18 March 2020, teams wish to stay in their rooms after 16:00 p.m. will be charged for one additional night.





1 BEDROOM APARTMENT



PAYMENT PROEDURE:

Full Accommodation fees must be transferred to the following bank account, by no later than 11th February 2020.

Please note that rooms will only be booked and allocated to teams when the accommodation payment has been received in full.

Account Name	Dubai Club for People of Determination
Bank Name	Dubai Islamic Bank
Branch Name	Dubai Main Branch
Account Number	001520726988901
Swift-Code	DUIBAEAD
IBAN	AE95 0240 0015 2072 6988 901

CANCELLATION PROCEDURE

50% Of payment will be refunded if cancellations are made before 15 Feb. 2020.

No payment will be refunded if the cancellation from 16th Feb. 2020.

GENERAL PRELIMINARY COMPETITION SCHEDULE:

DATE	DETAILS	TIME	VENUE
10/03/2020	ARRIVAL	ALONG THE DAY	Hotel Al Bustan
11-13/03/2020	CLASSIFICATION	9:00	DUBAI
13/03/2020	TECHNICAL	18:00	DUBAI
14/03/2020	1st COMPETITION DAY	15:00	DUBAI CLUB
15/03/2020	2nd COMPETITION DAY	15:00	DUBAI CLUB
16/03/2020	3rd COMPETITION DAY	15:00	DUBAI CLUB
17/03/2020	4th COMPETITION DAY	15:00	DUBAI CLUB
	CLOSING CEREMONY	20:00	
18/03/2020	DEPARTURE	ALONG THE DAY	

TRANSPORTATION:

Transportation will be provided to all athletes and team officials from/to Dubai International Airport to the official competition hotel takes only 5 minutes by car or bus. The distance between the competition venue and the official competition hotel is about 2.5 K.m. and takes 6 minutes by car or bus.

Please refer to the following Assembly welcome desk in the Airport on arrival:



VISA:

The LOC will issue the visa to the participants upon their request

To obtain your visa you must:

- Fully complete the visa application form.
- Include a (pdf format) copy of your passport (validity of the passport at least (06 months)

These must be sent directly to the LOC at fazza-loc@dcd.org.ae by no later than 10 February 2020.

ACCREDITATION CARD:

The Accreditation card is the official pass for the participants to the designated areas according to their category, the LOC will issue this Accreditation cards and will be giving to the head of the delegation during the delegation registration meeting (DRM) of each

delegation according to a schedule based on their arrival dates, teams are requested to send the Accreditation form attached with a photo of the participant (passport size) by no later than 10 February 2020.

ATTACHED FORMS:

- Visa Form
- Accreditation Form
- Traveling Form
- Accommodation Form

IMPORTANT CONTACT NUMBER (MOBILE PHONE):

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THE UNITED ARAB EMIRATES:

UAE is consisting of seven emirates: Abu Dhabi, Dubai, Sharjah, Ras Al Khaimah, Ajman, Umm Al Quwain and Fujairah. Four-fifths of the UAE is desert but has contrasting landscapes—from the towering red dunes of the Liwa to the rich palm-filled Oasis of Al Ain, from the precipitous Hajjar Mountains to the more fertile stretches of its coastal plains.

Though small (like the size of Scotland), the UAE has become an important player in regional and international affairs. In 1971, the late President Sheikh Zayed bin Sultan Al Nahyan unified the small, underdeveloped states into a federation—the only one in the Arab world. With his visionary leadership, oil wealth was used to develop the UAE into one of the world's most open and successful economies.

In 2004, His Highness Sheikh Khalifa bin Zayed Al Nahyan became the President and has since continued to strive towards an ambitious vision for the UAE.

DUBAI

Dubai is located on the Eastern coast of the Arabian Peninsula, in the south west corner of the Arabian Gulf. It is extremely well known for its warm hospitality and rich cultural heritage, and the Emirati people are welcoming and generous in their approach to visitors. With year-round sunshine, intriguing deserts, beautiful beaches, luxurious hotels and shopping malls, fascinating heritage attractions and a thriving business community, Dubai receives millions of leisure and business visitors each year from around the world.

Dubai Rulers:

Since 1833 the reigning Al Maktoum family have ruled Dubai. Under their wise and progressive leadership Dubai has prospered and it is now the business and tourism hub for a region.

Dubai History:

Saruq Al-Hadid site is considered one of the most important archaeological discoveries in Dubai and the region, as it offers much of the UAE old past, especially during the Iron and Bronze Ages ,which confirms that the UAE civilization extends to 5 thousand years.

Dubai Economy:

The past few decades have witnessed incredible growth throughout all sectors of the Dubai economy. The emirate's government is constantly working to improve its commercial transparency and introduce dynamic regulations that aid the formation of small and medium enterprises. Dubai's economy is no longer reliant on oil, but is more diversified, relying heavily on trade, services and finance sectors. With its central geographic location between Asian and European markets, Dubai has worked hard to establish itself as an integral part of the global trade mechanism. Its central location

has also allowed Dubai to become a popular and accessible tourist destination.

GENERAL INFORMATION:

Weather:

Dubai has a tropical desert climate because of its location within the Northern desert belt. Summers are extremely hot and humid, with an average high around 41 °C (106 °F) and overnight lows around 30 °C (86 °F). Most days are sunny throughout the year. Winters are warm and short with an average high of 23 °C (73 °F) and overnight lows of 14 °C (57 °F). Precipitation, however, has been increasing in the last few decades with accumulated rain reaching 150 mm (5.91 in) per year. The weather in Dubai can bring short and irregular rainfall as is typical for the Middle East. Most of the rainfall occurs in the December to March period. The weather between December and March remains warm and is the most comfortable climatic conditions of the year.

Currency:

The local currency is the dirham, which is pegged at AED 3.67 to 1 US dollar. Dubai is tolerant and cosmopolitan, and all visitors are welcome. However, Islam is a way of life in the city, and therefore tourists should adopt a certain level of cultural and religious sensitivity for the duration of their stay.

ELECTRICITY AND POWER SOCKETS IN THE UAE:

In the United Arab Emirates, the standard voltage is 240-220 V. The standard frequency is 50 Hz. The power sockets that are used are of type G. Find pictures of these power sockets and corresponding plugs.



TRANSPORTATION IN DUBAI:

Dubai is one of the fastest growing cities in today's world, making the provision of high quality infrastructure facilities absolutely imperative, and since providing an advanced transport network for the people of Dubai has been high on the government's agenda, which is evident from its initiatives to enhance the public transport facilities and improve roads across the emirate to make travel safer and smoother, the Roads and Transport Authority (RTA) was formed by the decree number 17 for the year 2005, The tourists can enjoy their staying in Dubai with varieties of transportation,“ Roads, Taxis, Metro, Bus, Trams, Ports and water travel, Air travel and sea”.

TOURIST ATTRACTIONS IN AND AROUND DUBAI:

Burj al Arab:

Is a luxury hotel located in Dubai, United Arab Emirates, at 321 m (1,053 ft), it is the fourth tallest hotel in the world. Burj Al Arab stands on an artificial island 280 m (920 ft) from Jumeirah beach and is connected to the mainland

by a private curving bridge. The shape of the structure is designed to mimic the sail of a ship. Sometimes referred to as "the world's only 7-Star hotel".

Burj Khalifa:

World's tallest building, a living wonder, stunning work of art, incomparable feat of engineering, Burj Khalifa is all that, in concept and execution, Burj Khalifa has no peer, more than just the world's tallest building, Burj Khalifa is an unprecedented example of international cooperation, symbolic beacon of progress, and an emblem of the new, dynamic and prosperous Middle East

Atlantis Dubai:

Atlantis Dubai is a huge tourist hotel complex is located in Dubai, opened in impressive and huge ceremony at a cost of U.S. \$ 20 million on November 20, 2008, a project of the South African Entrepreneur Sol Cairns. The hotel is located on the Palm Jumeirah at the checkpoint north of the island; it can be reached through an underwater tunnel on the railway line. The hotel costs up to 1,200 million.

Ski Dubai:

Ski Dubai is the first INDOOR ski resort to open in the Middle East. The resort is located at the heart of Mall of the Emirates, a famous shopping center in Dubai's central part of the city.

The Ski Dubai arena boasts a mountain-themed 22,500 square-meter space of skiing, snowboarding and tobogganing. If you just want to hang around and enjoy the nice temperature which is around 3 degrees Celsius. There is also

the 3,000 square-meter Snow Park dedicated to people who just want to play in the snow with some nice slides.

The Dubai Frame:

is an architectural landmark in Zabeel Park, Dubai. It has been described by The Guardian newspaper as "the biggest picture frame on the planet," however is also controversial as the "biggest stolen building of all time."

The project was conceived by Fernando Donis, and selected as the winner of a design competition by the Government of Dubai. It is alleged that the designer had his intellectual property stolen and was denied credit for the design. It holds the record for the largest frame in the world.

