

World Skateboarding Tour Kitakyushu Street 2025

Kitakyushu - Japan

SKATEBOARDING

Street

FROM November 26th TO 30th

(Official Training starting on November 23rd)

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LOS ANGELES 2028 CYCLE

We are excited to announce that the second stop of the **World Skateboarding Tour 2025** for Street will take place in **Kitakyushu, Japan**.

This event will be a **World Cup** event, and the results will contribute ranking points toward the World Skateboarding Ranking.

VENUE

Kitakyushu Messe (West Japan General Exhibition Center New Hall)

3 Chome-8-1 Asano, Kokurakita Ward, Kitakyushu, Fukuoka 802-0001

ACCOMODATION AND OTHER SERVICES

Check out the [Official Hotels webpage](#) and submit your booking request directly on the HIS website:

- COMFORT HOTEL KOKURA (8 minutes walking to the venue, 5 minutes walking to Kokura station)
- JR STATION HOTEL KOKURA (10 minutes walking to the venue, directly connected to Kokura station)
- DAIWA ROYNET HOTEL KOKURA EKIMAE (15 minutes walking to the venue, 4 minutes walking to Kokura station)

Official hotels are all walking distance to/from the venue and to/from the Kokura Station, therefore no ground transportation will be provided.

If you need further support throughout the booking process or would like to book at a different hotel, please contact the official travel agent, HIS: wst2025-ac@his-world.com.

HOW TO REACH KOKURA STATION in Kitakyushu:

- **From Fukuoka Airport:**
 - By Train: The journey takes approximately 32 minutes. ➤ [Train Route](#)
 - Subway from Fukuoka Airport Station to Hakata Station.
 - At Hakata Station, transfer to the Shinkansen (bullet train) to Kokura Station.
 - By Car: The journey takes approximately 1 hour and 9 minutes (76.9 km). The route primarily uses the Kyushu Expressway. ➤ [Driving Route](#)
- **From Haneda (HND) / Narita (NRT) Airports:**
 - Domestic flight to either Kitakyushu Airport (KKJ) or Fukuoka Airport (FUK). From there, continue by local transit (as outlined above) to reach Kitakyushu city center (e.g., Kokura Station).
 - Shinkansen (bullet train): train into Tokyo or Shinagawa Station, then transfer to the Tokaido/Sanyo Shinkansen (Nozomi service) bound for Kokura Station in Kitakyushu. A direct Nozomi train takes about 5 hours one way.
 - Reference: <https://www.japan-guide.com/e/e4876.html>

INVITATION LETTERS AND VISA

If your country is not listed [on this LINK](#), you must apply for a short-stay visa at the Japanese embassy or consulate in their home country/state.

For the issuance of an official invitation letter, please contact the official travel agency “HIS travel desk” directly with the World Skate operations team in copy:

wst2025-ac@his-world.com, operations@worldskate.org.

Please note: you must be registered to participate in the competition before requesting the invitation letters.

PROVISIONAL SCHEDULE

KITAKYUSHU STREET WORLD CUP 2025

- SUNDAY, November 23rd to SUNDAY, November 30th

November 23rd & 24th

Practice Sessions

November 25th

Practice Sessions + Pre-seeded skaters practice

November 26th & 27th

Competition + Pre-seeded skaters practice

November 28th & 29th & 30th

Competition

***NOTE:** Schedule is subject to changes and updates. More details will be published soon, and it will be confirmed after registration is closed.*

Technical Meeting will be conducted prior to the start of the competition.

COUNTRY QUOTA

Athletes:

National Federations are allowed to register **3 athletes** per gender.

Pre-seeded skaters and the Extra Quota skaters do not count against the Country Quota registration limit.

National Federations do not need to register pre-seeded and extra quota skaters, they must only confirm their participation (more information available in the following sections).

Wild Card Requests:

Athletes otherwise not eligible to compete may be granted a Wild Card by World Skate.

Please note that a Wild Card is granted at World Skate's discretion and is limited to the cases provided for in the "[World Skate By-Laws](#)".

A Wild Card may be granted in case of lack of an existing and recognized NGB in the country of the athlete's origin.

In the case of a Country with a recognized NGB that does not include Skateboarding in its activities, the athletes shall mandatorily contact the relevant NGB for approval and clearance to compete for their respective Countries and under their own Anthem and Flag. Should the mentioned Governing Body not answer within 15 days, World Skate might allow the athlete concerned to compete under his/her Country Anthem and Flag.

Wild Card requests must be sent by e-mail to platform@worldskate.org within **November 3rd, 2025**.

National Team Officials for each NF:

# of Athletes	1-3	4-6	7-12	13-
Team Manager	1			
Doctor	1			
Physio	1	1	2	2
Coach	1	2	3	4
Total # of Staff	4	5	7	8

Moreover, each NF has the right to register its President and its Secretary General.

EXTRA QUOTA FOR KITAKYUSHU STREET 2025

The table in the next page shows the top 30 athletes in the World Skateboarding Ranking (WSR) as of September 22, 2025. It lists the individuals whom the respective NF are eligible to register as Extra Quota athletes, up to the top six ranked competitors of the country.

The ones marked with a star[☼] are those currently holding the right to become Pre-seeded, as long as the National Federation registers and confirms their participation before the deadline. The deadline for confirmation is **November 10th, 2025.**

The ones marked with an asterisk[*] are those that are ranked 7th or lower within their own country, but still have the right to take an Extra Quota in case there is any withdrawal from their respective country and gender.

If a Pre-seeded athlete withdraws before the registration deadline, the next highest-ranked skater in the WSR will be pre-seeded. In such a case, we will contact the relevant NF directly.

The Pre-seeded athletes will skip the Open Qualifier and will be pre-seeded directly into the next competition phase.

For the details of Pre-seeded athletes, please refer to the [Competition Season Criteria 2025](#) released on April 3, 2025.

Please note that all participants, including pre-seeded competitors, are required to pay the entry fee.

Men:

Rank	First Name	LAST NAME	NATION
★1	Toa	SASAKI	JPN
★2	Ginwoo	ONODERA	JPN
★3	Sora	SHIRAI	JPN
★4	Kairi	NETSUKE	JPN
★5	Matias	DELL OLIO	ARG
★6	Richard	TURY	SVK
★7	Yuto	HORIGOME	JPN
★8	Gustavo	RIBEIRO	POR
9	Jc	GONZALEZ ORTIZ	COL
10	Jagger	EATON	USA
11	Kristoffer	KROON	SWE
12	Giovanni	VIANNA	BRA
13	Kelvin	HOEFER	BRA
14	Yukito	AOKI	JPN
15	Tijmen	OVERBEEK	NED
16	Chris	JOSLIN	USA
17	Braden	HOBAN	USA
18	Felipe	GUSTAVO	BRA
19	Tommy	FYNN	AUS
20	Matt	BERGER	CAN
21	Jake	ILARDI	USA
22	Ryan	DECENZO	CAN
23	Nyjah	HUSTON	USA
24	Agustin	AQUILA	ITA
*25	Sena	WATANABE	JPN
26	Cordano	RUSSELL	CAN
27	Jonas	CARLSSON	NOR
28	Angelo	CARO	PER
29	Ivan	MONTEIRO	BRA
30	Vincent	MILOU	FRA

Women:

Rank	First Name	LAST NAME	NATION
★1	Coco	YOSHIZAWA	JPN
★2	Liz	AKAMA	JPN
★3	Rayssa	LEAL	BRA
★4	Funa	NAKAYAMA	JPN
★5	Chloe	COVELL	AUS
★6	Miyu	ITO	JPN
★7	Momiji	NISHIYA	JPN
8	Yumeka	ODA	JPN
9	Chenxi	CUI	CHN
★*10	Ibuki	MATSUMOTO	JPN
11	Poe	PINSON	USA
12	Daniela	TEROL	ESP
*13	Nanami	ONISHI	JPN
*14	Aoi	UEMURA	JPN
15	Lucie	SCHOONHEERE	FRA
16	Pamela	ROSA	BRA
17	Wenhui	ZENG	CHN
18	Paige	HEYN	USA
*19	Nanaka	FUJISAWA	JPN
20	Natalia	MUÑOZ	ESP
21	Yuanling	ZHU	CHN
22	Abbie	BURNS	ESP
23	Liv	LOVELACE	AUS
24	Roos	ZWETSLOOT	NED
25	Liv	BRODER	SUI
26	Afrika	CRIADO OLIVA	ESP
*27	Niko	SUGIMOTO	JPN
28	Jazmin	ALVAREZ	COL
29	Valentina	KRAUEL	ESP
*30	Mei	OZEKI	JPN

EVENT CHECK-IN

All skaters must complete the event check-in no later than 2 days before the first day of the competition. This deadline also applies to skaters pre-seeded in the Quarterfinals.

- Women & Men : November 24th, 2025 at 06:00 pm (JST)

For those with issues on Registration/Check-in, please contact: platform@worldskate.org

REGISTRATION

The registration process will be carried out through the World Skate Infinity platform and will be open during the following period:

September 30th, 2025 (00.00am, CET) - November 10th, 2025 (11.59pm, CET).

World Skate Infinity is available both on [desktop](#) (browser) and App Version on [Play Store \(Android\)](#) and [App Store \(iOS\)](#).

All single users (Athletes, National Team Members) must individually sign up on the platform either through the app or desktop and create a personal profile (if not already done). The profile must include all required personal information and the upload of the following mandatory documents:

- Copy of a valid passport
- A recent headshot/profile picture (passport-style with white background)
- Anti-Doping Training Course Certificate

Once the profile has been successfully created, they become eligible to be registered for the event by their respective National Federation.

Each National Federation must also confirm the participation of its Pre-seeded and Extra Quota Athletes within the World Skate Infinity Platform (browser version only) by the

registration deadline. Please do not register Pre-Seeded and Extra Quota Athletes (QF or OQ seeding) within your Country Quota on your own, wait for them to be added and confirm (or not) their participation.

Application for Neutral Athletes:

Russian and Belarusian athletes can participate only as “Neutral athletes” following the “[Eligibility Criteria for the participation of Russian and Belarusian Athletes](#)”.

Application for Neutral Athletes deadline: **October 27th, 2025.**

Infinity tutorials:

For National Federations, including how to confirm or refuse the pre-seeded and extra quota skaters participation: [Watch general tutorial for National Federations.](#)

For single user sign up process: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=meHkSVuitUI>.

National Team Officials registration: <https://youtu.be/fMXobMXjR1E>

MINOR'S PARENTS / LEGAL GUARDIANS

Minor's (U18) parents or legal guardians will be able to register to the event by clicking [here](#).

Only **one legal guardian or parent** per minor athlete can be registered.

Registration deadline is **November 10th, 2025**.

The legal guardian/parent is expected to be present with their relevant athlete each day at their required registration time to sign documents.

Please note that providing your data and Passport in Infinity as a verification process for a minor athlete's profile, does not guarantee/provide a credential for the event.

After completing the Form above, parents and legal guardians (if they haven't done it yet) are required to sign up and create a profile on [Infinity](#) as explained in the previous section. Parents and legal guardians must select "Other" as a category when required during the registration process in Infinity.

ENTRY FEE

ALL participating athletes for the event will pay the following fee: **200 USD**.

Payments will be processed through Infinity by credit/debit card or bank transfer.

Please note: if paying by bank transfer, you must upload the proof of payment in Infinity. Without this, the payment cannot be confirmed.

Entry Fee payment deadline: **November 14th, 2025**

Note: The athletes that have not completed the payment will not be considered "Registered", and therefore they will not be listed in practice groups nor the competition heats.

ANTI-DOPING

The doping controls, the sample collection processes and the laboratory analysis will be conducted in accordance with the World Skate Anti-doping Rules, the International Standards for Testing and Investigation (ISTI), the WADA Code and following the instruction of the WSK AD Manager.

During the sign-up procedure to the Sports Registration System (World Skate Infinity, please see above), all athletes and staff members must upload a valid Anti-Doping Training Course Certificate. Those issued by WADA (through the Adel platform), ITA (International Testing Agency), National Anti-Doping Organizations and/or World Skate during 2023, 2024 and 2025 are accepted.

Should you need a new Anti-Doping Training Course Certificate, please visit the [WADA ADEL platform](#) and complete the relevant Course, according to your role.

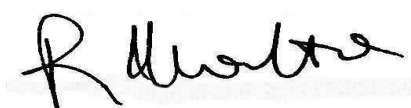
We remind you that the [WADA ADEL platform](#) is not run by World Skate; therefore, should you have any issue in this regard, you will need to contact WADA's support directly.

More details and information will be shared soon.

Best Regards,



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