

DEW TOUR

DES MOINES, IOWA - UNITED STATES

SKATEBOARDING

Street and Park

FROM May 17th TO May 23rd

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TOKYO 2020 QUALIFYING SYSTEM STATUS

We are very excited to announce that Dew Tour will be the first event of 2021 to resume the Olympic Qualification system after stoppage due to the COVID-19 pandemic.

This event will be classified as Pro Tour for both Street and Park disciplines.

COMPETITION VENUE

Lauridsen Skatepark

901 2nd Ave, Des Moines,
Iowa, IA 50309

Please note: the new location for Dew Tour will be announced to the media and general public on March 23, 2021.

PROVISIONAL SCHEDULE

- May 17-19th, 2021 (Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday)
Open Qualifier Park/Street Practice
- May 20th, 2021 (Thursday)
Women Park/Street Open Qualifier; Pre-seeded Women/Men practice
- May 21st, 2021 (Friday)
Men Park/Street Open Qualifier; Pre-seeded Women/Men practice
- May 22nd, 2021 (Saturday)
Men/Women Park/Street Semifinals
- May 23rd, 2021 (Sunday)
Men/Women Park/Street Finals

*schedule is subject to changes and updates.

An official communication about Street and Park World Championships will be published soon, but for a better organization of your travelling, we anticipate that the **Street World Championship will be held in Rome, Italy from May 31st to June 6th.**

More details will be released soon, but please take it into consideration when booking your tickets.

COUNTRY QUOTA

National Federations are allowed to register **5 athletes** per gender and discipline. Pre-seeded skaters do not count against the Country Quota registration limit.

SEEDING STRUCTURE

The **TOP 12** ranked athletes in the [World Skate Ranking](#) (WSR), per gender and discipline, will be pre-seeded to the Semifinal round of competition.

Pre-seeded skaters to Semifinal are exempted from paying the registration fee and must check in at the competition by the following deadline:

- Thursday, May 20th at 03:00 pm

In case of no-show or inability to skate, Pre-seeded skaters will be replaced with the next ranked rider from the Open Qualifier.

Seeding will reference the World Skate Ranking (WSR) as of today:

STREET

MEN:	Rank	First Name	Last Name	Nation	WOMEN:	Rank	First Name	Last Name	Nation
	1	Nyjah	Huston	United States		1	Pamela	Rosa	Brazil
	2	Yuto	Horigome	Japan		2	Rayssa	Leal	Brazil
	3	Gustavo	Ribeiro	Portugal		3	Aori	Nishimura	Japan
	4	Sora	Shirai	Japan		4	Leticia	Bufoni	Brazil
	5	Kelvin	Hoefler	Brazil		5	Candy	Jacobs	Netherlands
	6	Jake	Ilardi	United States		6	Hayley	Wilson	Australia
	7	Aurélien	Giraud	France		7	Mariah	Duran	United States
	8	Maurio	McCoy	United States		8	Gabriela	Pereira Mazetto	Brazil
	9	Dashawn	Jordan	United States		9	Alexis	Sablone	United States
	10	Jamie	Foy	United States		10	Virginia	Fortes Aguas	Brazil
	11	Angelo	Caro Narvaez	Peru		11	Yumeka	Oda	Japan
	12	Vincent	Milou	France		12	Roos	Zwetsloot	Netherlands

PARK

MEN:	Rank	First Name	Last Name	Nation	WOMEN:	Rank	First Name	Last Name	Nation
	1	Heimana	Reynolds	United States		1	Misugu	Okamoto	Japan
	2	Luiz	Francisco	Brazil		2	Sakura	Yosozumi	Japan
	3	Cory	Juneau	United States		3	Sky	Brown	kingdom
	4	Pedro	Barros	Brazil		4	Poppy	Starr olsen	Australia
	5	Keegan	Palmer	Australia		5	Lizzie	Armanto	Finland
	6	Pedro	Quintas	Brazil		6	Dora	Varella	Brazil
	7	Thomas	Schaar	United States		7	Kisa	Nakamura	Japan
	8	Jagger	Eaton	United States		8	Bryce	Wettstein	United States
	9	Alex	Sorgente	United States		9	Kokona	Hiraki	Japan
	10	Ben	Hatchell	United States		10	Isadora	pacheco	Brazil
	11	Tate	Carew	United States		11	Brighton	Zeuner	United States
	12	Ivan	Federico	Italy		12	Mami	Tezuka	Japan

- Skaters ranked from the **13th to 30th positions** of the World Skateboarding Ranking as of March 3rd, 2019 will compete at the **Open Qualifier**.
- Skaters, ranked **1st to 30th** are not required to be registered in the Sports Entry Platform. They don't count against the country quota. Their participation must be confirmed by the National Federation of belonging by responding an e mail they will receive from platform@worldskate.org.

COMPETITION FORMAT

Street Open Qualifier - Best of 2 Runs

- 7 heats with a maximum of 18 athletes in men's and a maximum of 15 athletes in women's divisions
 - 45minute practice prior each heat
- Heats are based on World Skate Rankings in reverse order
- 2 Runs, 45 Seconds, best run counts
- Each run is scored out of a possible 100 points, with the use of 2 decimal numbers. 100 is the highest score
- Best 20 athletes advance to the semifinal

Street Semifinal and Final - Olympic Street Format (2/5/4)

- 2 runs & 5 tricks per athlete
- 3 heats consisting of 11, 11 and 10 athletes
- Heats' starting order is based on the following:
 - Open qualifier athletes (starting in reverse order)
 - Pre-seeded athletes (starting in reverse order)
- Each heat will run through 2 runs and 5 tricks, then move to practice for the next heat
 - 45minute practice prior each heat
 - 3 minutes for transition between run and trick attempts
- 2 - 45-second runs (all complete run 1, all complete run 2)
 - Each run is scored out of a possible 10 points with the use of 2 decimal numbers. 10 is the highest score
- 5 Trick attempts
 - Each trick attempt is scored out of a possible 10 points with the use of 2 decimal numbers. 10 is the highest score
 - Athletes can use any obstacle on the FOP multiple times
- Athlete's final score is based on the highest 4 scores out of 7 scores total (5 trick attempts and 2 runs)
- Best 8 athletes advance to the final
- Final round is held in the same format as the semifinal round
 - 60minute practice prior competition heat

Park Open Qualifier - Best of 2 Runs Format

- 7 heats with a maximum of 12 athletes per gender category
 - 45-minute practice prior each heat
- 2 runs, 40 seconds (total time does not stop if athlete falls), best run counts
- Heats are based on World Skate Rankings in reverse order
- Each run is scored out of a possible 100 points, with the use of 2 decimal numbers. 100 is the highest score
- Best 20 athletes advance to the semifinal

Park Semifinal - Best of 3 Runs Format

- 3 heats consisting of 11, 11 and 10 athletes
 - 60-minute practice prior each heat
- 3 runs, 40 seconds per run (a run is over if athlete falls before the expiration of the 40 second time limit), best run counts
- Heats' starting order is based on the following:
 - Open qualifier athletes (starting in reverse order)

- Pre-seeded athletes (starting in reverse order)
- Each run is scored out of a possible 100 points, with the use of 2 decimal numbers. 100 is the highest score
- Best 8 athletes advance to the final

Park Final - Best of 4 Runs Format

- 1 heat of 8 semifinal athletes starting in reverse order
 - 60-minute practice prior each heat
- 4 runs, 40 seconds per run (run is over if athlete falls before 40 seconds), best run counts
- Each run is scored out of a possible 100 points, with the use of 2 decimal numbers. 100 is the highest score

REGISTRATION

Registration will take place through the online World Skate Sports Entry Platform.

The platform will open on **March 18th at 00:00 am (CET)** and will close on **April 7th at 11.59 pm (CET)**.

Due to COVID-19 regulations on international and domestic traveling, venue logistics and event organization, **World Skate and the Organizers require the registration of essential National Team Staff only**.

You can access the Platform through the following link:

<http://platform.worldskate.org/web/>

Please download the User Guide by clicking [here](#).

Remember to use the same username and password you have already been provided. Should you have further question about this matter, do not hesitate to contact us at platform@worldskate.org

EVENT WILDCARDS

A limited number of Wildcards may be granted based on host country quota or lack of an existing and recognized NGB in the country of the skater's origin. Wild Cards will be issued at the sole discretion of World Skate and following the World Skate Competition Rules.

All potential Wildcards must be free of sanctions and must be applied by sending an e-mail to platform@worldskate.org, before **April 7th at 11.59 PM CET**.

COVID RISK MITIGATION PROVISIONS

Together with the organizers and WMI Global, we are finalizing COVID-19 risk mitigation protocols to ensure the safety and health of all participating athletes and staff. We will share this with you soon with Bulletin 02.

ANTI-DOPING

The anti-doping control will be carried out according to World Skate Medical Regulations and WADA Rules.

Anti-Doping forms will be required for both athletes and staff members. Same applies to pre-seeded riders.

All athletes and staff members must complete the Athletes/NTOs section online, including uploading a valid Anti-Doping Training Course Certificate, in the World Skate Platform: <http://platform.worldskate.org/web/>

[Athletes/NTOs Section User Guide](#)

Upon completion of the abovementioned procedure, National Federations will be enabled to register respective athletes and staff members.

VISA

Regarding VISA requests, we invite you to check the Visa Application Form for Sport Events with the embassy of your Country.

Please note that invitation letters can be issued only after performing the registration on World Skate Sports Entry Platform.

Should you need to request an invitation letter to apply for your Visa please contact: sarah@snowparktech.com

Under the host country border protection regulation, athletes from everywhere can enter the US if they are competing in an event, like Dew Tour, if they are granted a National Interest Exemption (NIE) waiver.

NATIONAL INTEREST EXEMPTION (NIE) WAIVER

To prevent the spread of COVID-19, President Biden issued Geographic Presidential Proclamations suspending the entry to the United States of foreign nationals, regardless of citizenship, who have had a physical presence in a restricted nation at any point in the 14 days before their arrival. Foreign nationals (excluding legal permanent residents) may not enter without receiving a National Interest Exemption 212(f) waiver from the Department of Homeland Security. The following countries are restricted:

Africa: South Africa **Asia/Middle East:** China and Iran **Europe:** Austria, Belgium, Czech Republic, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Italy, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, and the U.K. **South America:** Brazil

Note: Transit through any of the listed nations (ex: flight lay-over) constitutes as having a physical presence.

U.S. Olympic & Paralympic Committee National Interest Exemption for Events and Training

On August 11, 2020, DHS issued a National Interest Exemption notice to the USOPC for international athletes, essential staff, and their dependents participating in senior-level international competitions and training. On January 25, 2021, President Biden's administration extended the National Interest Exemption 212(f) waiver. The Government Relations office is facilitating the waivers through U.S. Customs and Border Protection.

Instructions for National Federations

1. Complete the waiver request spreadsheet you can find as [Annex 1](#) (*Green sections only - Columns A-M, you can leave column G blank*) for each traveler(s) on or before **April 7th, 2021**. **Note:** if the traveler(s) need to secure a visa, please note that in the email when you send back the completed spreadsheet. This is important as those who need a visa will be processed first as sometimes having the NIE request in helps expedite the visa process (however traveler(s) should still start the visa process ASAP to ensure processing). Send the completed request to sarah@snowparktech.com.
2. They will notify you of the waiver status. When clearance is granted, they will provide a confirmation letter as evidence of a 212(f) waiver.
3. Advise the traveler(s) to check the information on the U.S. Embassy website in the country where they reside. Each embassy may have specific instructions for individuals to travel on a National Interest Exemption. If asked, the traveler(s) should provide the USOPC waiver confirmation letter.

Additional Information:

- An individual's role at an event must be clearly defined (i.e., Athlete, Coach, Trainer, etc.) certain support staff may be reviewed on a case-by-case basis. Only essential staff will be approved.
- Travelers must agree to follow the Center for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) protocols upon arrival in the U.S., to include quarantine. Please find the CDC's protocols here: <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/travelers/after-travel-precautions.html>
- Waivers are valid for 30 days from the date of issuance and for single-entry into the United States, subject to change. The purpose of the trip must relate to the NGB/event organizer.
- The waiver, if granted, does not exempt travelers from inspection by U.S. Customs and Border Protection or exempt them from standard entry requirements, including visa, passport, and any other necessary documentation requirements.

ENTRY FEE

Each participating athlete will pay the following fee: 200 USD

Fees must be paid without additional bank expenses (free of charge) to World Skate at the following bank account:

BENEFICIARY: WORLD SKATE

BANK: UBS Lausanne

BANK ADDRESS: Place Saint-François, 16, 1003 Lausanne, Switzerland

BANK ACCOUNT: 0243-186105.61M

IBAN: CH580024324318610561M

SWIFT/BIC: UBSWCHZH80A

REASON OF PAYMENT (mandatory): "DEW TOUR IA - discipline "Athlete Surname" and/or "NF name"

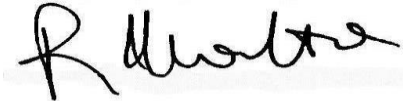
More details and information will be published soon.

We look forward to seeing you in the US!

Best Regards,



Gary Ream
World Skateboarding Commission
Chairman



Roberto Marotta
Secretary General