



Organizational Office Sport Fishing World Games 2019

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PREDATOR BOAT FISHING WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP 2019

LOSKOP DAM (Forever Resort)

PERIOD OF THE EVENT

From Friday, February the 8th 2019 (arrival of participating Nations)

To Friday, February the 15th 2019 (departure of participating Nations)

COMPETITION VENUE

The competition will take place at Loskop Dam, Forever Resort near Groblersdal, in the Mpumalanga Province.

The competition venue will be the Loskop Dam. It can easily be reached by tar roads from the main road. The competition venue is approximately 12 285 Square km (2 427 Hectares) water surface and is bordered by natural vegetation.

Depth ranges is up to 15 meters. At 100% the dam holds 348 million cubic litres of water.

Loskopdam lies on the banks of the Olifants River, 48 km north of Middelburg, 230 km east of Johannesburg. This family friendly favourite is surrounded by the Waterberg Mountain Range and Loskopdam Nature Reserve which is home to Antelope, Leopard, Crocodile and Hippo.



FISH SPECIES AND ITS MINIMAL SIZE

The fish species and its minimal size to be counted according the local Fishing Rules:

- Barble (Catfish) – 50cm
- Blue Kurper (Tilapia) – 25cm
- Redbreast Kurper (Tilapia) – 20cm
- Makriel (Silver Catfish) – 25cm
- Papermouth – 30cm
- Yellow Fish – 30cm
- Bass – 30cm

(the length shall be measured directly under the FIPSED rules).

No other fish shall qualify. No fish caught that measures less than the specified length shall qualify. Once measured, all fish caught shall be released back into its habitat, as undamaged as possible.

ACCOMMODATION

Official lodgings are offered to the contestants by the Forever Resort Loskopdam.

www.foreverloskopdam.co.za/accomodation or +27(0)13-262 3075.

Coordinates of Loskopdam Forever Resort: S24° 53'12' E030°43'3"

The facilities include 39 charming Log Cabins, 18 Chalets, 8 Family Houses and 1 Guest House. The Caravan / Camping Park stretches to the water's edge and offers 252 Stands (146 Powered and 106 Non-powered) which are serviced by 7 neat Ablution Facilities.



You pay for your accommodation and book rooms directly through Forever Resorts Loskopdam.

Contact details: www.foreverloskopdam.co.za/accomodation or +27(0)13-262 3075.

Alternative lodgings are available within 20 km from Loskopdam:

- Mbidi Lodge: 8 km from Loskopdam
- De Villa Resort: 7 km from Loskopdam
- Chipiwa Self Catering: 12 km from Loskopdam
- Kranskloof Lodge: 15 km from Loskopdam

NB. Remember you are in Africa and SECURITY is our primary concern for all visiting Nations. However, security is not a big issue provided you do not go into risky areas. The Forever Resort has excellent security and it is right at the water where we are hosting the Tournament.

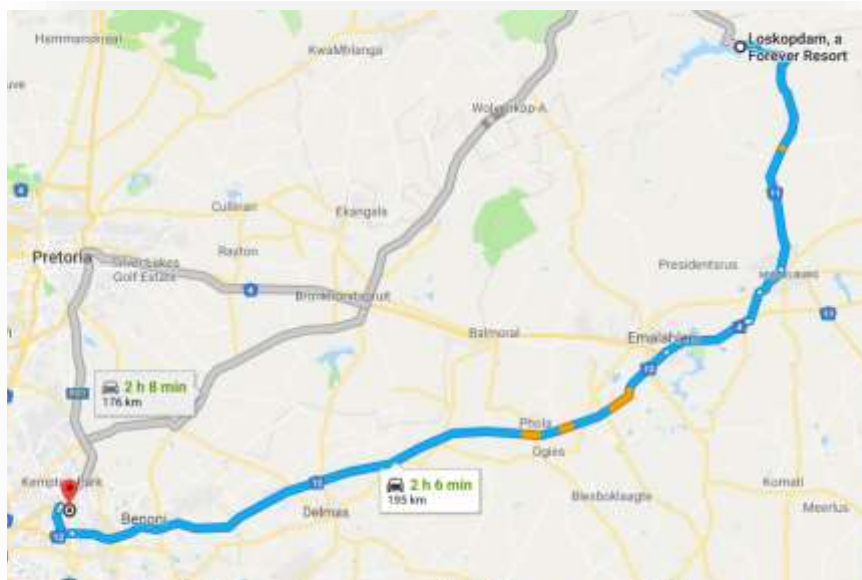
WHERE WE ARE AND HOW TO JOIN US



HOW TO JOIN US AT LOSKOP DAM:

By flight:

From your country, the team must fly to Oliver Tambo International Airport, Johannesburg.



By car:

From Oliver Tambo International Airport by car:

Take the N12 East motorway to Emalahleni (Witbank). At the Middelburg Offramp turn left towards Middelburg. Follow the N11 towards Groblersdal. Take the turnoff to the Left to the Loskop Dam Aventura Resort. Follow the road indications to the World Fishing Games to reach competition venue.

During the event, in the proximity many directional boards will be placed on access roads to indicate the competition venue.



ACCREDITATION OF NATIONAL DELEGATIONS

Once arrived in South Africa, all delegations shall report to the Secretariat of the Organizing Committee which will be situated at the Oliver Tambo International Airport, Johannesburg on 8th & 9th (until 08h30) of February 2019.

CONTACTS

For general information concerning the registration, please visit [the official website](#) or contact the Organizing Committee. For specific information concerning the Predator Boat Fishing Championship and local logistics, please contact the **Predator Boat Local Organizer Secretary – Magriet Coetzee** via tel. +27 83 452 5900 or email magriet@agsa.co.za

REGISTRATION FEE FOR DELEGATIONS

FIPSeD Fee	€ 150.00
Registration fee	€ 1,400.00

The registration fee includes 8 closing gala tickets, fishing cards, insurances and possible gadgets the Organization might distribute.

The cost of the boat hire for two boats x 4 days is €1320 (€165 per boat per day)

Boat Hire includes: Boat + Skipper + Fuel + Battery Charging + Maintenance + Available spare boat and insurance.

The above fees exclude ACCOMMODATION (see accommodation above) and includes the following:

- 1) Meals: Welcoming and Prize giving Dinners ONLY.
- 2) Public / Civil Liability Insurance.
- 3) Trophies and Medals.
- 4) Participation in the World Fishing Games (€25)

Please Note:

The cost of the Opening Ceremony tickets for accompanying people is € 30,00 per person.

The cost of Closing Gala tickets for accompanying people is € 50,00 per person.

BOAT HIRE

Pursuant to the Competition Rules, the participants can compete using either their own boats or boats offered by the organizers. If requested in advance, motor boats with a pilot will be rented to the competitors by the organizers. The boat has the required safety equipment (2 life jackets for the contestants), as well as an anchor with a cable 25 metres long, a depth finder and a 50hp internal combustion engine.

The daily rate of rent for a boat offered by the organizers with a pilot (up to 8 hours), including POL, is € 165.

Boat hire requests must be submitted by 1 November 2018. Each team can rent 3 boats maximum. Boats will be allocated every day by lot for every training day and every competition day.

Each boat will have a venue map showing the fishing waters.

The organizers will make every effort to provide boats as similar as possible.

Each rented boat offered by the organizers will be driven by the owner. All boat owners are practising anglers and will serve as stewards during the championship. Should boats be in short supply, the organizers will allocate boats on a first-come, first-served basis, in equal number to all teams (two boats minimum).

Specifications of rented boats offered by the organizers: minimum length 4.75 m, reservoir speed limit 65 kmph, payload 450+ kg.

NATIONS OWN BOATS

All anglers who intend to drive their own boats must have a notarized translation of their boat driving license into the English language.

Contestants' own boats. During the championship, each own boat of contestants will be assigned by lot a referee from among the certified judges or practising anglers. Each championship round will have a separate lot drawing. Boat driving and compliance with the rules of navigation will then be the sole responsibility of the competitors.

All Nations will be informed about the size and minimal power of the boats that they can use. The organizers shall not be held liable towards any difficulties occurred during navigation to the boats that are not appropriate and that could endanger the fishing conditions.

Boats provided by the Nations (personal or rented) could have on board during trainings 2 competitors and one captain (without fishing), hence 3 persons maximum in total. During the competition, one steward will be drawn by lot every morning, he will go on board the boat provided by the Nations, with the 2 competitors, and he will not drive the boat.

Boat storage

During training days and during the championship, all competing boats (both own and rented from organizers) will at night be moored at a secure shared place. There will be charging terminals for electric motor batteries and a petrol filling station.

REGISTERING FOR THE EVENT

The Organizing Committee shall receive the registration form completely filled in on the website www.fishingworldgames2019.co.za together with the proof of payment of the registration fee via bank transfer by the deadline of **31st December 2018**, to the account held in the name of SASACC World Games 2019.

Name of the Bank: Standard Bank

Account No. 221284702

Branch Code: 018505

SWIFT/BIC: SBZA ZA JJ

All the other information on the event will be provided on the [official website](#) of the World Games.

EACH NATION MUST BRING THEIR OWN FLAG AND NATIONAL ANTHEM.

OFFICIAL OPENING CEREMONY

All nations are to go to the gathering point of the opening ceremony at the Nelson Mandela Square, Sandton City, Johannesburg. A street parade will start at 10:30am to the Sandton Convention Centre.

The opening ceremony of the 4th edition of the Sport Fishing World Championships will take place in Johannesburg on Saturday, February the 9th 2019, at 11:00am, at the Sandton Convention Centre.

All teams will travel by bus from Loskopdam to the opening ceremony the morning of the 9th of February 2019.

After completion of the Opening Ceremony teams will depart to Loskop Dam.

PRIZE GIVING CEREMONY

It will be held at 7:30 pm on Wednesday, February the 13th 2019. The venue will be the Elephant hall at Forever Resort.

CLOSING GALA DINNER

The gala dinner will take place at **08:00 pm, on Thursday, February the 13th 2019.** The venue will be the Elephant hall at Forever Resort.

OFFICIAL TRAINING DAYS PROGRAM

The official training days will be as indicated in the program.

PROGRAM

Friday 8 th February 2019	
Own Time	Arrival at Loskopdam
17h00	Captains/Managers Meeting – Club House at the resort
19h00	Dinner (Restaurant is available – own cost)

Saturday 9 th February 2019	
05h30	Departure to Mandela Square, Sandton City for Opening Ceremony
19h00	Dinner (Restaurant is available – own cost)
20h00	Managers / Captains Meeting held at the Club House. Boat Draw/ Skippers Meeting to discuss and sign a non-disclosure & code of conduct.

Sunday 10 th February 2019 (Practise Day One)	
05h30	Breakfast (Restaurant is available – own cost)
06h45	Captains/Team Managers Meeting – Starting area
07h00	Departure of all boats.
14h00	End of training session 1.
17h30	Meeting of the National Teams at the Clubhouse for team photographs.
18h30	Managers/Captains Meeting.
19h00	Dinner (Restaurant is available – own cost)

Monday, 11 th February 2019 (Practise Day Two)	
05h30	Breakfast (Restaurant is available – own cost)
06h45	Captains/Team Managers Meeting – Starting area
07h00	Departure of all boats.
14h00	End of training session 2.
19h00	Managers/Captains Meeting.
19h30	Dinner (Restaurant is available – own cost)

Tuesday, 12 th February 2019 (Tournament Day One)	
05h30	Breakfast (Restaurant is available – own cost)
06h35	Captains/Team Managers Meeting – Starting area
07h00	Departure of all boats.
14h00	End of the first competition session and “weigh-in”.
18h00	Disclosure of team rankings and Managers/Captains Meeting.
19h00	Dinner (Restaurant is available – own cost)

Wednesday, 13 th February 2019 (Tournament Day Two)	
05h30	Breakfast (Restaurant is available – own cost)
06h35	Captains/Team Managers Meeting – Starting area
07h00	Departure of all boats.
14h00	Announcement of results – Club House
17h30	Prize Giving Ceremony and Gala Dinner at the Elephant Hall
19h00	Dinner (Restaurant is available – own cost)

Thursday, 14 th February 2019
Departure