

# WORLD SKATE MARATHON TOUR 2025 1st Stage

**CITY - COUNTRY** 

Shanghai - People's Republic of China

**CATEGORIES** 

Pro, Masters and Amateurs

**ON March 30th 2025** 



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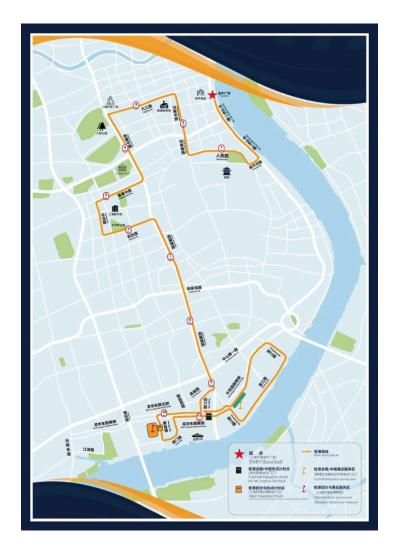
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Dear Sir/Madam,

We are pleased to announce the inaugural World Skate Marathon Tour first stage to be held in the city of Shanghai, People's Republic of China, on March 30th 2025.

# **CIRCUIT LOCATION**

The event will take place in the Bund Bull Square, Huangpu District, Shanghai. The circuit can be seen below:





# PROVISIONAL SCHEDULE

Date	Time	Item	Location
Friday March 28	All Day	Accreditation of athletes and referees	Rayfont hotel
Saturday	All Day	Accreditation of athletes and referees	Rayfont hotel
March 29	TBC	Technical Meeting	ТВС
	06:30 am	Athletes gathering	BundBull Square (Start Area)
Sunday March 30	06:58 am	Marathon Starts	BundBull Square (Start Area)
maren so	09:00 am	Marathon time limit	Huangpu Bingjiang (Finish Line)
	10:00 am	Award Ceremonies	BundBull Square (Start Area)

# **PRIZE MONEY**

# Athletes Prize Money

The stage awards the first fifteen (15) Pro Women and the first fifteen (15) Pro Men athletes, adding a total of \$50,000 USD, according to the table below:



PRO CATEGORY INDIVIDUAL ATHLETES - STAGE RESULT \$25,000 USD (per gender)					
1	\$10,000	6	\$900	11	\$400
2	\$4,500	7	\$800	12	\$350
3	\$2,500	8	\$700	13	\$300
4	\$2,000	9	\$600	14	\$250
5	\$1,000	10	\$500	15	\$200

This 2025 Season has an extra surprise: the most Pro category Combative skater per gender in the stage will get the following prize recognition:

	BEST COMBATIVE SKATER PER STAGE \$500 USD (per gender)					
1	\$500					

# The criteria to select such Combative skater for the Shanghai stage is the following:

The Pro skater passing first the lap line (finish line) more times, the first four (4) times will obtain this recognition. In the case of a tie, the winner would be the skater having passed first time. To have access to this prize, the skater must have finished the marathon.

As a reminder, at the end of the season, Pro Women and Pro Men athletes will receive the Season Prizes, totalling \$80,000 USD, as the table below:

PRO CATEGORY INDIVIDUAL ATHLETES - SEASON RESULT \$40,000 USD (per gender)					
1	\$15,000	6	\$1,400	11	\$900
2	\$7,000	7	\$1,300	12	\$800
3	\$4.000	8	\$1,200	13	\$700
4	\$2,500	9	\$1,100	14	\$600
5	\$2,000	10	\$1,000	15	\$500



Last, but not least, this 2025 season keeps the prizes for the Woman and Man Future Star dedicated ranking (Under 22 years old skaters).

FUTURE STAR SKATER
SEASON RESULT
\$3,000 USD (per gender)

1 \$3,000

# **Teams Prize Money**

As a reminder, for the first fifteen (15) first ranked teams at the end of the season, there will be the prizes as described below:

PRO TEAMS SEASON PRIZE \$80.000 USD					
1	\$16,000	6	\$6.000	11	\$1,800
2	\$12,000	7	\$5,000	12	\$1,600
3	\$10.000	8	\$4,000	13	\$1,400
4	\$8,000	9	\$3,000	14	\$1,200
5	\$7,000	10	\$2,000	15	\$1,000

All prizes will be paid by World Skate by wire transfer. Athletes prizes will be wired directly to their personal accounts and Team prizes to the Team's bank account.

# **TEAM BENEFITS**

For each Registered Season Team to the stage, the following lodging benefits will be granted:

- Two (2) double rooms, full board, for three (3) nights: 28th, 29th and 30th March.

This benefit could be used exclusively for Team athletes registered for the stage.



#### REGISTRATION INFORMATION

# Shanghai Stage Registration dates:

January 27th - March 24th

# **New Teams Application**

The application process for the **NEW TEAMS ONLY** will be opened between **January 15th** and **February 15th** and it will be carried out through the World Skate Infinity platform.

All the details about this process are contained in the 2025 Season Bulletin, which you can download by clicking **HERE**.

Please find <u>HERE</u> a Video Guide showing the Teams Application process through the Infinity platform.

#### Athletes Infinity Platform sign-up

If they have not done so already, all athletes in the categories Pro and Master will be able to sign up and create their profiles in the system.

In the case of Pro Athletes who were already part of the 2024 Season Roster, they need to log in to their Infinity profile and submit a request to join their team for the 2025 season: they can do that from the "Marathon Teams" section of their profile. The Team Manager will receive a notification to approve or decline their request to join the team for the new season, just like in the previous one.

#### **Event Registration: Individual Athletes**

The Individual Athletes (Pro or Master) must follow the steps below in order to register for the Shanghai Marathon Tour Stage:

- **Step 1**: Sign up and create a profile in Infinity (if they have not done so already);
- <u>Step 2:</u> Complete the profile with a Profile picture (headshot), Passport information and copy, Anti-Doping Course Certificate (please see the Anti-Doping section above);
- <u>Step 3:</u> From the "Account Details" profile's section complete the Palmares form and select the "Racing Category" (Pro or Master);
- <u>Step 4:</u> Go to the "Events" tab (at the top of the page), "All Events", select "WORLD SKATE MARATHON TOUR 2025 Shanghai", select "Speed" and register for the event by clicking on "Individual Registration";



<u>Step 5:</u> In the same page of the registration select "Proceed to Payment" to pay the event registration fee by credit/debit card or bank transfer. If bank transfer is selected as a payment method it will be required to upload the proof of payment.

The categories are the following:

- Pro Skater Men or Women: Aged 15 and above.
- Master Skater Men or Women:

Under 40 (30 to 39)

Under 50 (40 to 49)

Under 60 (50 to 59)

Over 60 (60 and above)

The age is considered at 31st December 2025, this means the age of the athlete on that day.

The registration fee per skater per Marathon Stage is \$100 USD and the payments will be processed through Infinity by credit/debit card or bank transfer.

#### **Event Registration: Teams**

For each stage, the Team Manager ("Team Admin" in the system) is responsible to register the Team's athletes from the confirmed Season Team Roster, and up to two (2) Officials: Coach, Delegate, Manager, etc.

Each Team Manager must follow these steps in order to register Athletes and Officials for the Shanghai Marathon Tour Stage:

1. Team Manager Login: Log in to the Team Manager Infinity profile.

# 2. Navigate to Marathon Teams:

• Go to the "Marathon Teams" tab located at the top of the page.

#### 3. Pay Annual Fee:

- Scroll to the bottom of the page and click on "Pay annual fee & participate".
- Complete the payment of the Team Season Fee for the 2025 season, which is \$2000. Payment can be done via credit/debit card or bank transfer.

#### 4. Team Season Roster:

• After completing the payment, navigate to the "Team season roster" section.



- Add yourself to the team.
- Approve or decline requests from other team members (both Athletes and Officials).

# 5. Register for a Marathon:

- Go to the "Events" tab.
- Select "All Events" and then choose "WORLD SKATE MARATHON TOUR 2025 Shanghai".
- Click on "Speed" to register the Athletes and the Team Officials (TO) by clicking on "Register Athletes" or "Register TO".

# 6. Pay Registration Fees for the Event:

- From the event page, click on "Speed".
- Select "Team Fees and Payments" from the menu on the left.
- Pay the registration fees for the single event, which is \$100 per Athlete.
- You can pay directly for the Team or assign the payment individually to each Athlete.

#### 7. Complete User Profiles:

- Ensure that every user, whether Athlete or Official, has a complete Infinity profile. Required information includes:
- profile picture (headshot)
- passport copy and details
- Anti-Doping course certificate (please see the Anti-Doping section above)
- Palmares form (for Athletes only)
- Racing category (Pro; for Athletes only)

Team selection. Athletes or Officials can request to join a team by clicking on "Become part of a team" from the "Marathon Teams" section. This step is essential otherwise it will not be possible to approve them as part of the Season Team Roster and afterwards register them for the Shanghai Marathon and the following Marathons.

For any further questions related to this process you can reach us out at platform@worldskate.org.

# **Amateur Registration information:**

Amateur athletes can directly do their registration process by sending an email to shmarathon2024@163.com



#### **ANTI-DOPING**

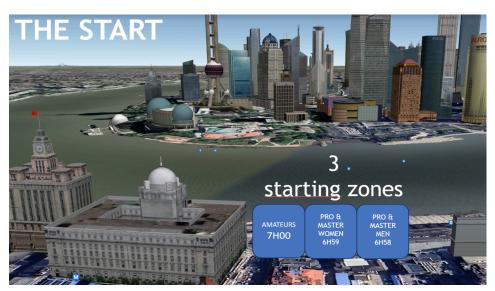
The doping controls, the sample collection processes and the laboratory analysis will be conducted in accordance with the World Skate Anti-doping Rules, the WADA Code, the International Standards for Testing and Investigation (ISTI), incorporating the requirements of the Technical Document for Sport Specific Analysis (TDSSA), and following the instruction of the World Skate Anti-doping Manager/Delegate.

During the sign-up procedure to the Sports Registration System (World Skate Infinity, please see above), all Pro, Master 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 Agencies and/or World Skate during 2023, 2024 and 2025 are accepted.

Should you need a new Anti-Doping Training Course Certificate, please visit the <u>WADA ADEL</u> <u>platform</u> and complete the relevant Course, according to your role.

We remind you that the <u>WADA ADEL platform</u> is not run by World Skate; therefore, should you have any issue in this regard, you will need to contact WADA's support directly.

#### MARATHON STARTING ORDER



The starting order for athletes in each category will be organized into three zones: PRO - MASTER MEN, PRO - MASTER WOMEN and AMATEURS.

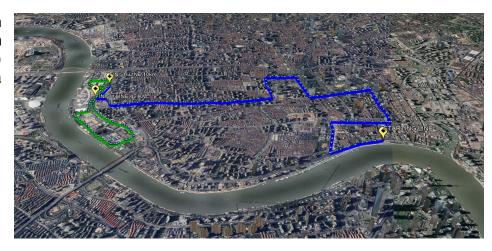
The starting blocks are conveniently located near the starting village, allowing athletes to easily drop off their belongings.



# **RACE COURSE INFORMATION**

The course will be conformed by two different sections: a ten (10) kilometers point to point first section that will lead to a five and a half (5.5) kilometers lap, with a transition zone in between. The circuit has a transponder / Chip based control checkpoint. The last straightaway to the finish line is about five hundred (500) meters long with three (3) wide lines.

The point to point section is located in a main avenue with eleven (11) corners and the lap is a wide road -3 to 4 lineswith eight (8) corners.



On the image below, the blue line is the first section (10km), the green line is the path of the lap and the red circle indicates where the skaters will enter in the 5.5km circuit:

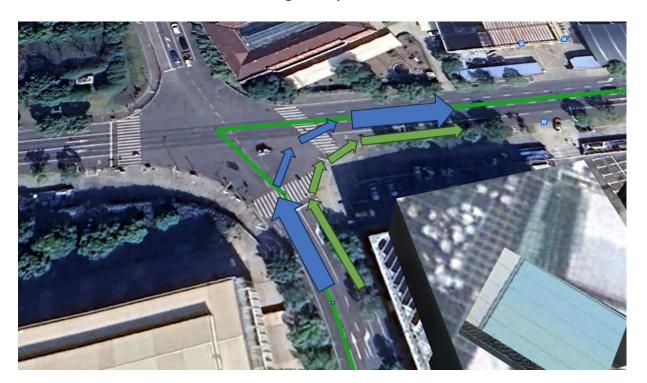




The transition zone will be meticulously organized to prevent any conflicts between amateurs and professionals as they enter the lap.



The last corner before the 500m straightaway finish line:





#### **VISA**

It is recommended to contact the Chinese Embassy/Consultant in your country or region and apply for a visa ahead of time.

Should you receive an invitation letter, please contact Miss. Yuna Yuan: shmarathon2024@163.com

An invitation letter will be sent to you by the Local Organizing Committee.

Please note that invitation letters will be issued only after completing the registration process on the World Skate Infinity Platform. No exceptions will be made.

For any further information regarding:

General Information: sportsdepartment@worldsakte.org Infinity Registration platform: platform@worldsakte.org

Further detailed information will be provided in bulletin #2.

We are looking forward to seeing you soon!

Marco Cardoso Technical Commission

Chair

Roberto Marotta Secretary General

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