## 2003 Disabled World Water Ski Championships







## Cranes Roost Altamonte Springs, Florida, USA August 25-31, 2003



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On behalf of the 2003 IWSF DISABLED WORLD WATER SKI CHAMPIONSHIPS Local Organizing Committee, I would like to welcome all federations and competitors to Altamonte Springs, Florida, USA and Cranes Roost.

The venue at Cranes Roost has been designed to accommodate the disabled community, both spectator and athlete, so that they can enjoy our beautiful, lush grounds and walkways.

As host of the past two USA National Disabled Water Ski Championships, our organization takes great pride in our support of the disabled water ski community and success in providing these superb athletes with national and international exposure through television, radio and the printed press. Our Committee Team goal is to provide you with the very best facilities and personnel assistance possible to meet the needs of each federation team.

The 2003 IWSF DISABLED WORLD WATER SKI CHAMPIONSHIPS will be held from August 25<sup>th</sup> – August 31<sup>st</sup>, 2003. We look forward to your arrival and witnessing the performances of the very best disabled water skiers in the World.

Sincerely;

Jerrey Thurston Local Organizing Committee ADVISORY BOARD FOR THE DISABLED, INC.
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### 2003 IWSF DISABLED WORLD WATER SKI CHAMPIONSHIPS

**August 25**<sup>th</sup> – **August 31**<sup>th</sup>, **2003** 

### CRANES ROOST, ALTAMONTE SPRINGS, FL, USA

### **INTENTION TO ENTER FORM**

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	MP3	V1	
	V2/3	Demonstration	
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OTHER TEAM	M REPRESENTATIVES	<u>:                                    </u>	
ADDRESS:			
CITY:			
STATE - COU	NTRY:	, ZIP CODE:	
PHONE #:	NE #: , EMAIL:		
It is most impo later than June	rtant that you return this 24 <sup>th</sup> , 2003. You will ther	s form to the LOC office listed below – no h be sent a complete registration packet.	
LOC Office: Altamonte Spo			

Altamonte Sports 624 Bills Lane Altamonte Springs, FL, USA 32714

jerreyt@altamonte.org FAX: 407-869-2590



#### 👚 Venue & Location:

Cranes Roost is located in Altamonte Springs on Cranes Roost Blvd. & is adjacent to the Altamonte Springs Mall and the Embassy Suites Hotel Orlando-North. Limited parking for campers & towing vehicles is available at the hotels. Parking for the event is located in the Altamonte Springs Mall adjacent to Cranes Roost



#### Nearest International Airport:

The Orlando International Airport is located approximately 23 miles from the host hotel, Embassy Suites & is easily accessible via Interstate 4 to Expressway 528, or via State Road 436. Toll charges may be applicable. The airport is also approximately 15 miles from downtown Orlando. Please see attached map.



#### Accommodations:

The official accommodation venue is the Embassy Suites Orlando-North & is available for a special rate. The Hilton Orlando/Altamonte Springs is also available for a special rate. Please ask for the Altamonte Sports rate when booking your room. Both hotels accept American Express, Diner's Club, Discover, Mastercard & Visa.



The Headquarters Hotel - Embassy Suites Orlando North - is located adjacent to Cranes Roost. Full complimentary breakfast is available for all guests each morning, and happy hour is available each night to guests of the hotel only. Special room rates accommodate four to six people a night. For reservations, please call 1-800-EMBASSY, or log onto www.embassysuites.com/es/orlando-north

Embassy Suites Orlando North (Suite Rate) USD \$89 225 East Altamonte Drive Altamonte Springs, FL 32701



The Hilton Orlando/Altamonte Springs is located approximately one mile south of Cranes Roost. Continental Breakfast is USD \$5.95. Full Buffet Breakfast is USD \$7.50. Special room rates accommodate up to four people a night. For Orlando/Altamonte Springs reservations, call 407-830-1985 or 1-800-HILTONS, or log onto www.hilton.com

> Hilton Orlando/Altamonte Springs (Room Rate) **USD \$65** 350 South North Lake Boulevard Altamonte Springs, FL 32715-9004



The Wekiwa Springs State Park/Campsite is available for USD \$16.73 per day without electric, and USD \$18.86 per day with electric. It is recommended that reservations be made three to four weeks in advance. For reservations, call 1-800-326-3521 or 407-884-2008.

Wekiwa Springs State Park is approximately 8 miles west of Cranes Roost & is located off Interstate 4 at Exit 94. Take State Road 434 West to Wekiwa Springs Road or State Road 436 to Wekiwa Springs Road near Apopka.

Wekiwa Springs State Park 1800 Wekiwa Circle Apopka, FL 32712



#### Local Ground Vehicle Rental:



Dollar Rent A Car is the low-cost on airport car rental company of choice for the World Disabled Water Ski Championships. Dollar Rent A Car offers: unlimited mileage, competitive rates, an award winning fleet, and great service!

> Dollar Rent A Car 1-800-800-4000

For those drivers requiring complimentary hand controls, a 48-hour advanced notice prior to arrival is required.

The code for the World Disabled Water Ski Championships is OI4035. Please use this code when booking your vehicles.

	Daily (1-4 days)	Weekly (5-7 days)
Economy Car	\$32.00	\$142.00
Compact Car	\$34.00	\$153.00
Intermediate Car	\$36.00	\$164.00
Standard Car	\$40.00	\$196.00
Premium Car	\$42.00	\$218.00
Luxury Car	\$48.00	\$282.00
Convertible	\$48.00	\$282.00
Mini van	\$52.00	\$282.00
8 Pax Van	\$76.00	\$328.00
**15 Pax Van	\$86.00	\$438.00

<sup>\*\*</sup>Please check on availability

For reservations, please call 1-800-800-4000, or visit www.dollar.com, and don't forget to **MENTION PROMO CODE 014035!** 



#### Visa Requirements:

Generally, a citizen of a foreign country who wishes to enter the United States must first obtain a visa, either a non immigrant visa for temporary stay, or an immigrant visa for permanent residence. The "visitor" visa is a non immigrant visa for persons desiring to enter the United States temporarily for business (B-1) or for pleasure or medical treatment (B-2). Persons planning to travel to the U.S. for a different purpose such as students, temporary workers, crewman, journalists, etc. must apply for a different visa in the appropriate category. The consular officer can provide additional information. Travelers from certain eligible countries may also be able to visit the U.S. without a visa on the Visa Waiver Pilot Program.

#### Qualifying for a Visa

Applicants for visitor visas must show that they qualify under provisions of the Immigration and Nationality Act. The presumption in the law is that every visitor visa applicant is an intending immigrant. Therefore, applicants for visitor visas must overcome this presumption by demonstrating that:

The purpose of their trip is to enter the U.S. for business, pleasure, or medical treatment; That they plan to remain for a specific, limited time; and

That they have a residence outside the U.S. as well as other binding ties which will insure their return abroad at the end of their visit.

#### Visa Ineligibility/Waiver

The non immigrant visa application Form DS-156 list classes of persons who are ineligible under U.S. law to receive visas. In some instances an applicant who is ineligible, but who is otherwise properly classifiable as a visitor, may apply for a waiver of ineligibility and be issued a visa if the waiver is approved.

#### Applying for a Visitor Visa

Applicants for visitor visas should generally apply at the American Embassy or Consulate with jurisdiction over their place of permanent residence. Although visa applicants may apply at any U.S. consular office abroad, it may be more difficult to qualify for the visa outside the country of permanent residence.

#### **Required Documentation:**

Each applicant for a visitor visa must pay a non-refundable USD \$100 application fee.



#### Thealth Certificate Requirements:

Please see your local consulate.



🁚 Official Tow-Boat:

To be determined.



🔭 National TeamTraining Sites:

CRANES ROOST C/O Jerrey Thurston 274 Cranes Roost Blvd. Altamonte Springs, FL 32701 USA (407) 468-7958 Email: jerreyt@altamonte.org

SWISS SKI SCHOOL C/O Pierre & Denise Grimm 13114 Skiing Paradise Blvd. Clermont, FL 34711 USA (352) 429-2178 Email: wewaterski@aol.com

SUN SET LAKES INTERNATIONAL TOURNAMENT SKI C/O Jack Travers 20225 County Road #33 Groveland, FL 34736 USA (352) 429-9027

Email: h2oskijacks@aol.com

Please contact USA-WS HQ at cprunty@usawaterski.org for additional training sites in the area.



#### Ton Site Local Transportation:

Transportation will be provided from the Embassy Suites Hotel Orlando-North & the Hilton Orlando/Altamonte Springs to the event site on practice and event days.

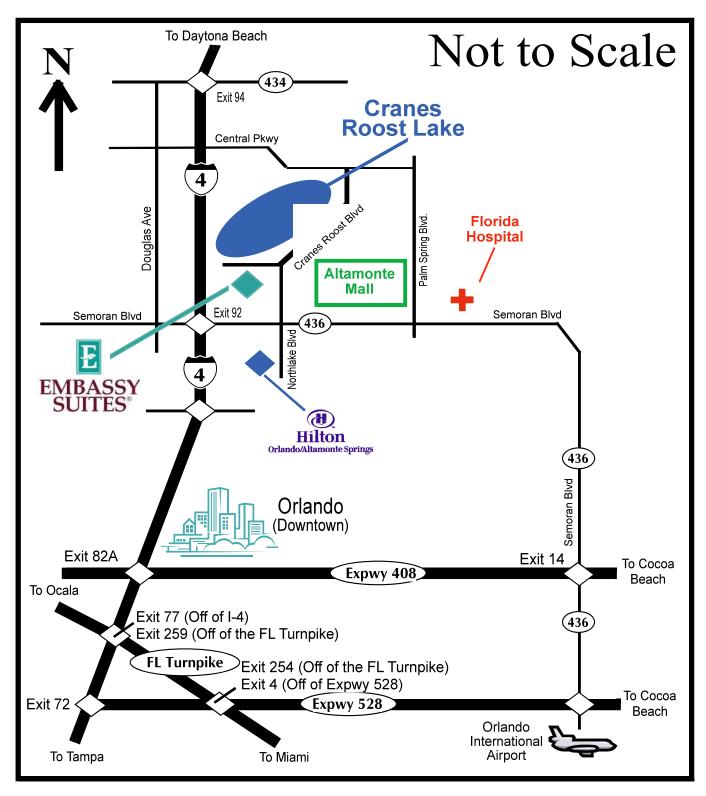


#### Discount Attraction Tickets:

Discount attraction tickets will be available for purchase prior to the event. Prices & ticket packages will be available in Bulletin #2.

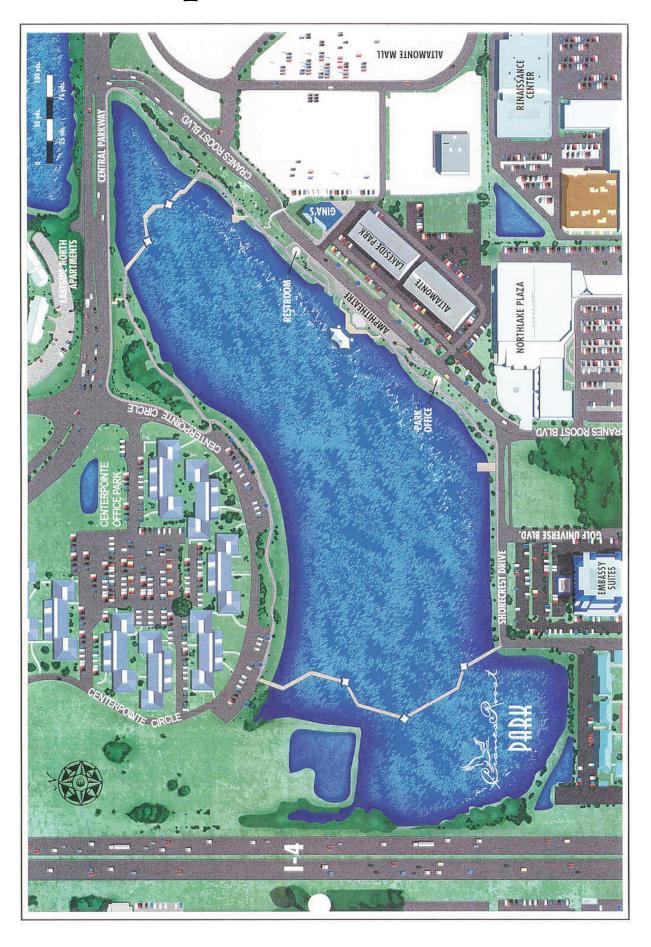
In an effort to help distribute event information in a timely fashion, all subsequent bulletins will be posted on the IWSF web page, www.iwsf.com & on the waterski page on the Altamonte Sports web site at www.altamontesports.org

## Map of the Area





## Map of Cranes Roost



# 2003 Disabled World Water Ski Championships



### Provisional

## Schedule of Events

Monday August 25th Classification

Tuesday August 26th Council Meeting (Morning)

Tuesday August 26th Familiarization

Wednesday August 27th Familiarization

Thursday August 28th Preliminary Rounds

Friday August 29th Preliminary Rounds

Saturday August 30th Final Rounds

Sunday August 31st Final Rounds/Banquet

Monday September 1st Council Meeting



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