From 20th to 26th of May Surf Clube de Viana in partnership with the European Surfing Federation, Portuguese Surfing Federation, Portuguese Paralympic Committee and City Council of Viana do Castelo are organising the 1st European Adaptive Surfing Championship.

This will be the first official European event for Adaptive Surf National Teams with support of National Paralympic Committee of Portugal, International Blind Sports Federation (IBSA) and International Surfing Association (ISA).

Classification Seminar
A trainee seminar will take place on 18th run by IPC (International Paralympic Committee) Senior Classifiers. The seminar is the first step for classification procedures for those who are interesting in become classifiers. Requirement of attendance to all participants is to take the Introduction course to para sport under the https://ipc-academy.org (fee inscription 100,00€).

Ride for the next generation (by STOKE)
The organization has made an application to became the first European event certified by STOKE – world’s first sustainability certification specialized in surfing. For the event’s inaugural debut, EUROSURF ADAPTIVE 2019 aims to align the ethos of the competition with its operations and became a certified sustainable event.

Medical Information
Athletes medical information submission and teams registration deadline is 7th April.

PROGRAMME

Friday 17th May
All day: Arrivals of EU surfing teams and international classifiers (IPC & IBSA)

Saturday 18th May
09.00 to 12.00: Team registration and check in at Surfing Viana High Performance Centre (HPC)
15.00 to 18.00: Classification Seminar (Sandra Titulaer/Jordi Bertran (IPC) & José Luis Dória (IBSA) with assistance of João Taborda (ISA)

Sunday 19th May
09.00 to 18.00: Classification of athletes (IPC & IBSA)
10.00 to 18.00: Free-surf (training without surveillance)
18.00 to 19.00: Classification Seminar (HPC) – public session
20.30 to 21.30: Team managers meeting (HPC)

Monday 20th May
09.00: Welcome at competition surfing venue (Cabedelo beach)
10.00 to 13.00: Surfing observation
14.30 to 16.00: Judges meeting (HPC)
18.00: National team’s parade and cultural performances (HPC)
Note: Teams bring water, sand and National flag
20.00: Formal dinner with the official representatives from EU Commission, Portuguese Government, City of Viana, European Surfing Federation and Portuguese Surfing Federation,

Tuesday 21st to Saturday 25th May (window period)
8.00 to 18.00: Surfing competitions (Cabedelo beach)
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Saturday 25th May  
19.30: Dinner Party (Santoínho)

Sunday 26th May  
Extra day to use if necessary  
15.00: Awards and closing ceremony (HPC)

ESF RULES

https://www.eurosurfing.org

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ACCOMMODATION, MEALS AND TRANSFERS

Organization will provide lunch and dinner for national teams (10,00€/meal)

We provide fresh meals hand crafted with organic whole food ingredientes. Vegetarian and vegan option are also available.

If you need assistance on accommodation or airport transfers, please contact organization committee:

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AIR FLIGHTS

Oporto Airport (OPO) - Portugal  
35 minutes to/from Viana do Castelo

Vigo Airoport (VGO) - Spain  
50 minutes to/from Viana do Castelo

VIANA SURF CITY

Viana do Castelo is an Atlantic City in the Northern of Portugal with excellent airport connections which is very easy and comfortable to reach the city. Viana coastline is one of the most consistent in Europe in terms of waves. However, it is possible surfing good waves uncrowded for every kind of surfer. Viana do Castelo is World Surf Cities Network member and has one premium Surfing High Performance Centre. + info  www.europesurfing.eu