



**WORLD CLIMBING  
SERIES  
SALT LAKE CITY 2026**

**BOULDER**

**UNITED STATES OF AMERICA**

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## 1. Organisation

### 1.1. World Climbing personnel

Staff		
Digital manager	Marco Vettoretti	<a href="mailto:Marco.vettoretti@worldclimbing.com">Marco.vettoretti@worldclimbing.com</a>

Delegates		
Event Delegate	Sandro Pfister (SUI)	<a href="mailto:sandro.pfister@worldclimbing.com">sandro.pfister@worldclimbing.com</a> +41798626226
Medical Delegate	Karen Halsell (USA)	

Judging Team		
Jury President	Ursula Sterrer (AUT)	
Judge	Rolando Chung (PER)	
Judge (diversity program)	Patricia La Spina (ARG)	

Routesetting Teams		
Head route setter	Max Ayrton (GBR)	
Route setter	Tsukuru Hori (JPN)	
Route setter	Tsukasa Mizuguchi (JPN)	
Route setter	Jordan Grant (AUS)	

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### 1.2. Local Organiser Committee

Event		
Event Director	Trevor Clay	(+1) 404 889-1247; <a href="mailto:trevor@usacimbing.org">trevor@usacimbing.org</a>
Sport Manager	John Muse	(+1) 281 796-0531; <a href="mailto:john@usacimbing.org">john@usacimbing.org</a>
Media & Communications		
Communications Coordinator	Emily Trombly	(+1) 248 890-6283; <a href="mailto:etrombly@usacimbing.org">etrombly@usacimbing.org</a>

## 2. Programme

### 2.1. Provisional Programme (Local Time, UTC +8)

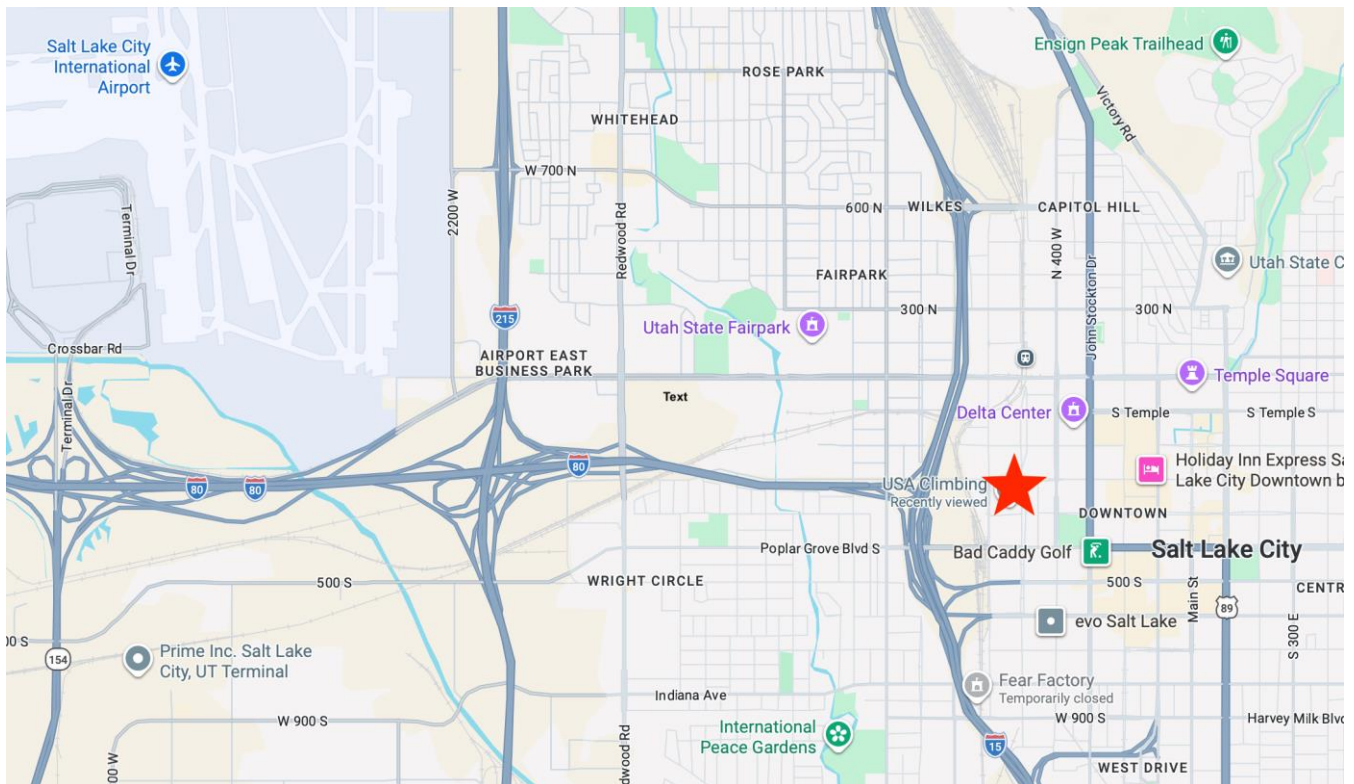
Thursday 15 October	
07:00 – 10:00	Health and Safety screenings
15:30 – 17:30	Confirmation of Attendance
18:00	Technical meeting
Friday 16 October	
07:00 – 08:00	Warm-up and Isolation opening-closing

09:00 – 14:00	Men’s Boulder Qualification
14:00 – 15:00	Warm-up and Isolation opening-closing
16:00 – 21:00	Women’s Boulder Qualification
<b>Saturday 17 October</b>	
08:00 – 09:00	Warm-up and Isolation opening-closing
10:00 – 12.50	Men’s Boulder Semi final
17:00 – 18:00	Warm-up and Isolation opening-closing
19:00	Men’s Boulder final
Following by	Awarding Ceremony
<b>Sunday 18 October</b>	
08:00 – 09:00	Warm-up and Isolation opening-closing
10:00 – 12.50	Women’s Boulder Semi final
17:00 – 18:00	Warm-up and Isolation opening-closing
19:00	Women’s Boulder final
Following by	Awarding Ceremony

## 2.2. Confirmation of attendance and technical meeting

### Location:

USA Climbing National Training Center  
504 W 300 S, Salt Lake City, UT 84101

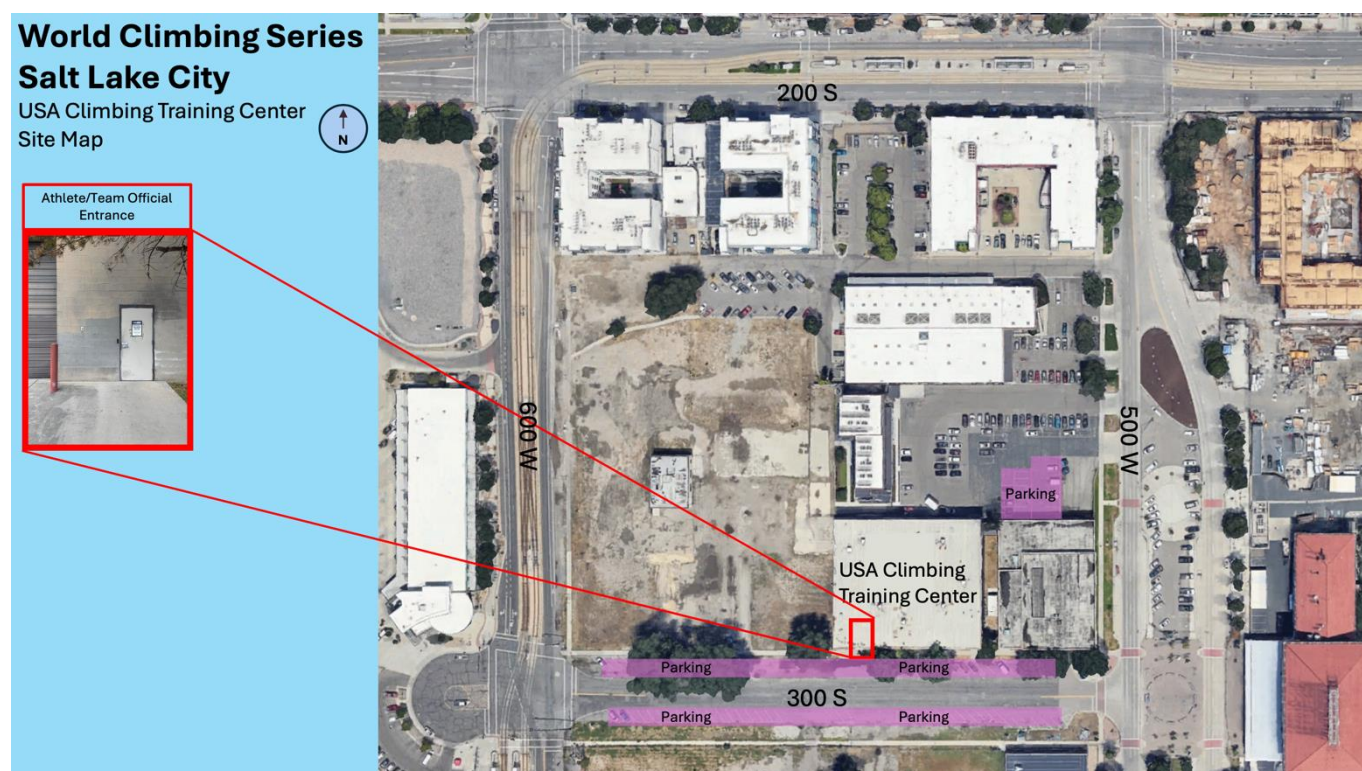


The venue for the Confirmation of Attendance and all Technical Meetings is approximately a 10-minute drive by car from the Salt Lake City International Airport and from the climbing venue.

**Confirmation of attendance is mandatory** for each discipline and must be done in person by the Head of

Delegation. In case a National Team did not register the Head of Delegation, another member of the National Team shall be appointed to confirm attendance of the Team. In case of emergencies and late arrival, the Event Delegate must be informed immediately. Failure to provide this information in a timely manner may result in the athletes not being permitted to compete. A digital copy of the athletes' passports shall be provided at the confirmation of attendance.

Please utilize the following diagram for parking locations and access to the USA Climbing Training Center for Confirmation of Attendance and the Technical Meeting.



### 3. Deadlines and quotas

#### 3.1. Registration deadline

**Deadline:** The deadline for registration is 15 days before the first day of competition (the “Registration Date”) on **October 1<sup>st</sup> at 11:59 PM UTC+0**. Following the Registration Date and until 5 days before the first day of competition, Member Federations may, in exceptional circumstances, withdraw Team Members and substitute new Team Members to replace those withdrawn, provided that any substitute competitors must be registered in the same Category as the withdrawn competitor.

**Licenses:** Only competitors and team officials with a valid World Climbing international license and approved medical status are allowed to register for the competition. **Online Registration System:** <https://ifsc.results.info/users/login>

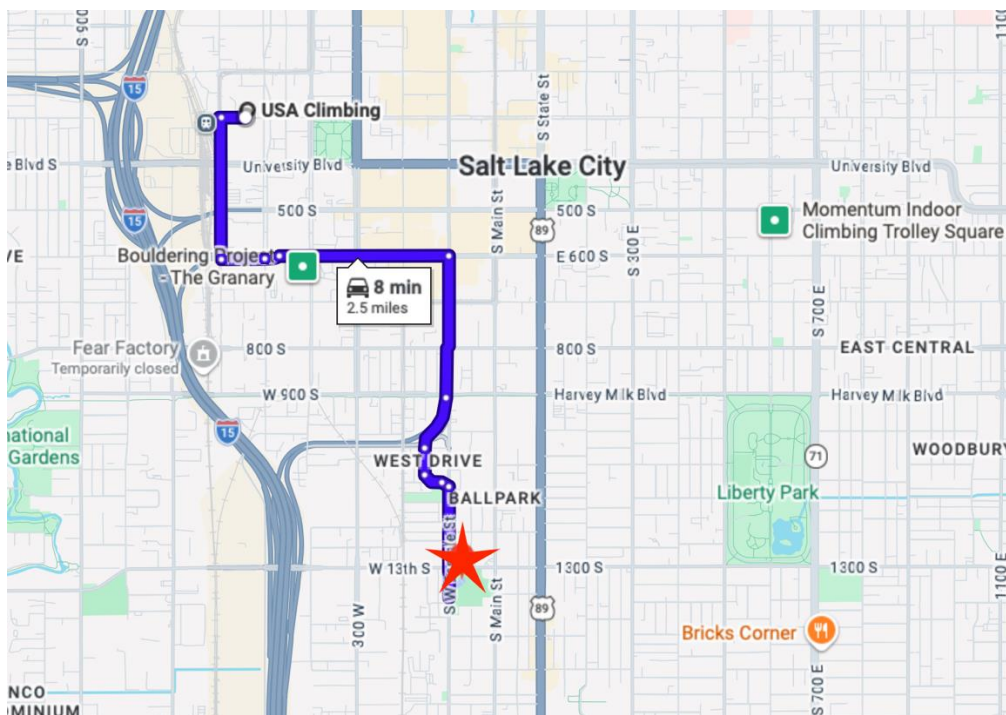
## 4. Sport Information

### 4.1. Venue information

The climbing walls will be installed at the Baseball Stadium of Salt Lake city.

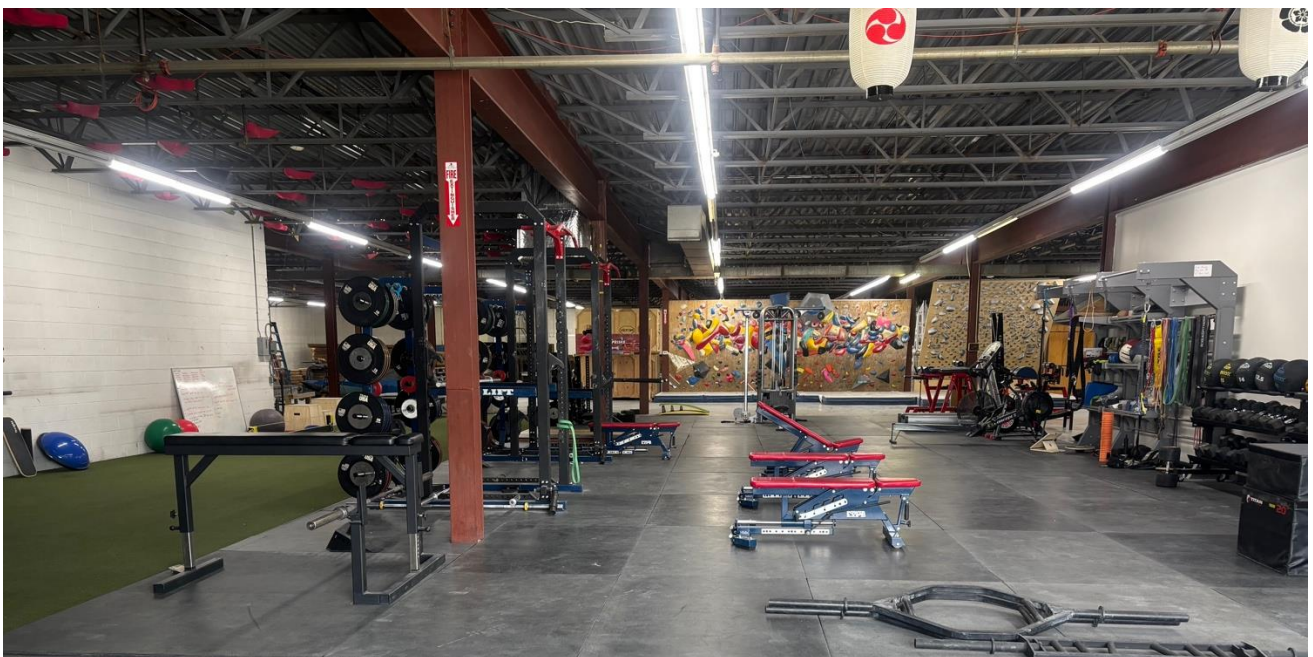
**Venue Name:** Smith Ballpark

**Location:** 77 W 1300 S St, Salt Lake City, UT 84115



#### 4.2. Warm-up zone

USA Climbing will arrange for shuttle service for athletes and team officials from the Warm-up venue (USA Climbing National Training Center) to the competition venue (Smith's Ballpark) at fixed intervals during all Boulder rounds. The venue is about 7 minutes away by car, approximately 2.5 mi | 4 km.



#### 4.1. Training Possibilities

Day passes will be available for purchase at the following gyms in the Salt Lake valley.

**The Salt Lake Bouldering Project**

600S 400 W  
Suite 600  
Salt Lake City, UT 84101

**Momentum Climbing - Millcreek**

3173 E 3300 S  
Salt Lake City, UT 84109

**Momentum Climbing – Fort Union**

7210 S Union Park Ave  
Midvale, UT 84047

**The Front - SLC**

1470 S 400 W  
Salt Lake City, UT 84115

**The Front – South Main**

4140 S Main St  
Millcreek, UT84107

#### 4.2. Prize Money

Rank	MEN Boulder	WOMEN Boulder
<b>1st</b>	6000€	6000€
<b>2nd</b>	4000€	4000€
<b>3rd</b>	2800€	2800€
<b>4th</b>	2000€	2000€
<b>5th</b>	1600€	1600€
<b>6th</b>	1400€	1400€
<b>7th</b>	1200€	1200€
<b>8th</b>	1000€	1000€
<b>TOTAL</b>	20000€	20000€

The prize money will be distributed to the athletes NET of any National taxes

### 5. Logistics

#### 5.1. Visa and Travels

Please refer to the linked [FAQ for Non-U.S. Citizens traveling to the US](#) prior to your departure for the event.



If you need invitations for Visa, please contact Sharlee Strelbel at [info@usaclimbing.org](mailto:info@usaclimbing.org) and provide the following information:

Name (First/Last)	Date of birth	Nationality	Passport Number	Expiration date	Position

#### Scheduling Visa Appointments:

- If an applicant is not able to schedule a visa appointment before their date of travel, they can request an expedited appointment. To request an expedite, the applicant must first schedule a regular appointment (even if it is beyond the date of travel), and then re-enter the scheduling system and select the "Request Expedite/Emergency Appointment" option;
- When requesting an expedite, applicants must clearly explain their reason for travel and dates of travel to the U.S;
- Applicants can also consider applying in a third-country location with shorter wait-times. There is no penalty for applying anywhere appointments are available, even outside one's home country.

### 5.2. Accommodation

Please access the following [link](#) to check the list of available hotels in Salt Lake City, UT.

### 5.3. Transport

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### 5.4. Travel information

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Distance from Airport (Salt Lake City International Airport (SLC)) : Approximately 7 mi | 11 km

Taxi/Uber will be available from the airport into Salt Lake City, UT. Rental cars may also be picked up directly from the airport. Please refer to the list of rental car agencies at the Salt Lake City International Airport [here](#).

The Utah TRAX Green line can also be taken from Airport Station directly to Ballpark Station – approximately 30 minutes by train. Please use the following [link](#) to purchase passes and the [Salt Lake County Systems Map](#) for more information on train schedules and stops.

### 5.5. Accreditations

Teams will be provided with their accreditation at the confirmation of attendance. Team Managers are requested to collect the badges for their entire team and distribute them accordingly. Credentials will be required by all team officials and athletes for entry into the competition venue.

### 5.6. Tickets

Tickets for the World Climbing Series Salt Lake City event will be released in the Summer of 2026!

Tickets will be needed for all rounds of competition:



- Men/Women's Boulder Qualifications
- Men/Women's Boulder Semi-Finals
- Men/Women's Boulder Finals

Registered World Climbing athletes and team officials will not need to purchase tickets for these events. However, please note that accreditation is required to access the event venue.

## 6. Medical information

**Emergency local doctor during the event:** The medical team will be on-site from the opening of the isolation zone until the end of the final competition. In addition to the emergency doctor, there will be a team of paramedics at the venue during the competition.

### **Emergency Numbers:**

Fire Department & Ambulance: 911

Medical Emergencies: 911

Police: 911

### **Nearest Hospital:**

Hospital: Intermountain Health LDS Hospital

Address: 8<sup>th</sup> Ave &, C St E, Salt Lake City, UT 84143

Tel: +1 (801) 408-1181

More Information: