



WORLD CLIMBING EUROPE YOUTH SERIES GRAZ 2026

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1. Organisation

1.1. Officials

Judging Team		
Jury President	Artur Polanski	artur.polanski@isoap.eu
Judge	Heike Killisch	
Routesetting Team		
Head Route Setter	Marco Erspamer	
Route Setter	Nikken Daniels	
National Route Setter	Mauro Schwaszta (AUT / ARG)	
National Route Setter	Georg Parma (AUT)	
National Route Setter	Maximilian Lenz (AUT)	
National Route Setter	Paul Steinwendtner (AUT)	

1.2. Local Organiser Committee

National Federation		
Event Director	Julia Pinggera	j.pinggera@austriaclimbing.com +43 664 4387518
LOC		
Event Director	Stefan Tscherner	office@bloc-house.at +43 699 11865436

2. Programme

2.1. Provisional Programme (Local Time)

Friday, 08 May	
17:00 – 18:30	Registration all Categories
19:00	Technical Meeting
Saturday, 09 May	
07:00	Climbing Gym opens (warm-up)
09:00 – 14:30	Qualification U17 female & male
16:00 – 20:30	Qualification U19 female & male
Sunday, 10 May	
08:00 - 09:00	Isolation Zone opens - closes for U17 female & male
10:00 – 11:30	Finals U17 female & male
11:00 - 12:00	Isolation Zone opens - closes for U19 female & male
13:30 – 15:00	Finals U19 female & male
Afterwards	Award Ceremony all Categories

3. Deadlines and quotas

3.1. Registration deadline & quotas

- **Registration of Team Officials & Competitors:** See [World Climbing Europe Youth Series Regulations](#).
- **Registration Deadline:** The deadline for registration is 10 days before the first day of event, on April 29th at 23:59 PM CET.
- **Registration Fees:** €45, per athlete. The registration fee will be invoiced by World Climbing Europe to the National Federations. In case of late registration please get in direct contact with europa.events@ifsc-climbing.org to forward the athletes you want to register. The registration fee will then increase to 95€ for each competitor.
- **Confirmation of attendance:** During Registration on site on Friday, May 08th from 17:00 – 18:30 PM CET, done by the Team Manager.
- **Delayed Arrival:** in case of delayed arrival, please contact the Jury President (see contact above).
- **Competition Format:** See [World Climbing Europe Youth Series Regulations](#).
- **Registration for athletes of Africa and Oceanian Council:** For the registration process please get in contact with europa.events@ifsc-climbing.org
- **Registration:** [World Climbing Online Registration System](#)

3.2. Valid athletes' international licence

Licences: Only competitors and team officials with a valid World Climbing International licence are allowed to register for the competition.

4. Logistics

4.1. Visa and Travels

If you need invitations for visa, please contact *Valentina Ratz* (v.ratz@austriaclimbing.com) no later than 1 month prior to the competition. We need all the information shown in the following table from all team members to send you an invitation letter. Please send the information all together in one table and also add passport copies.

Last Name	First Name	Birth Date	Nationality	Passport Number	Expiration date	Address	Occupation	Place of visa application

4.2. Accommodation

4.2.1. Suggested hotels:

Currently the Event Organiser is working on finding a partner hotel to close a collaboration with. This section of the Info Sheet will be updated soon with more information.

Meanwhile, suggested hotels are:

Austria Trend Hotel Europa,
Bahnhofgürtel 89, 8020 Graz
E: europa.graz@austria-trend.at

Hotel Daniel Graz
Europaplatz 1, 8020 Graz
E: bookinggraz@hoteldaniel.com

For other accommodation possibilities, please get in contact with the Graz Tourist Office:

GRAZ TOURIST OFFICE
Messeplatz 1 / Messeturm, 8010 Graz, Austria
T +43 / 316 / 8075-0
E info@graztourismus.at
W www.graztourismus.at

4.3. Travel information

By car:

Graz is located at the highway A2 and easy to get to: about 2 hours from Vienna, 4 ½ hours from Munich (GER) and 3 hours from Udine (ITA).

By train:

There are direct trains and connections to Graz for example from Vienna, Salzburg, Linz, Innsbruck, Klagenfurt, Munich, Stuttgart and Frankfurt. You'll find many other day and night connections and price offers on www.oebb.at.

By plane:

The closest airport is Airport Graz, for connections check [their website](#).
Other airports in close proximity are [Ljubljana](#), [Vienna](#) or [Salzburg](#).

5. Sport Information

5.1. Venue information

BLOC HOUSE Graz

Puchstrasse 21
A-8020 Graz

[Website](#) [Google Maps](#)



6. Medical information

6.1. General information

Emergency Doctor during the event: to be confirmed

Emergency Numbers:

Fire Department: 122

Ambulance / Medical Emergencies: 144

Police: 133

Euro emergency number: 112

Nearest Hospital:

Hospital Graz (LKH Universitäts Klinikum)

Auenbruggerplatz 1, 8036 Graz

+43 316 3850

7. Sustainability Considerations

7.1. Venue

For the World Climbing Europe Youth Series Graz 2026 only existing walls and buildings will be used to facilitate the international teams. In general, Bloc House Graz takes sustainability actions very seriously and tries to implement a “green way of thinking” in all areas of their everyday business and into the organisation of events.

7.2. Transport

The city of Graz has a very dense and well-functioning network of public transportation. We ask you to use sustainable mobility as best as possible, e.g. bus, train, bike, e-car sharing and rental. All necessary information can be found here:

- General information on mobility in Graz: [Graz Holding](#)
- Information about bus and tram connections: [Route Planner by Graz Holding](#)
- [Tickets](#) for public transport
- E-Car sharing and rentals: provided by [TIM](#)
- Information on bike rentals: provided by [Graz Tourism](#)