



**WORLD CLIMBING
PARA SERIES
FUKUOKA 2026**

PARA CLIMBING LEAD

JAPAN

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1. Organization

1.1. World Climbing Team

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Judging Team		
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Judge	Paul Ledet (CAN)	
Route Setting Teams		
Head Route Setter	Nohl Hackel (USA)	
Route Setter	Aaron Davis (USA)	
Route Setter	Carlie Lebreton (AUS)	

1.2. Local Organiser Committee

Event		
Event Director	Hiraku Kotabe (JPN)	wc-gf@japan-sports.com
Administration & logistic	H.I.S. Co., Ltd. (Kunimitsu Wakabayashi) (JPN)	cgf2026-admin@his-world.com
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2. Programme

2.1. Provisional Programme (Local Time, UTC +9)

Please note that the detailed start times remain subject to change and will be confirmed following the registration deadline. However, the World Climbing Para Series will, in any case, take place on Thursday 5 November and Friday 6 November.

Wednesday 4 November	
15.30 – 17.30	Confirmation of registration
18.00 – 19.00	Technical Meeting
Thursday 5 November	
09.00 – 14.00	Para Qualifications
16.30 – 20.00	Para Qualifications
Friday 6 November	
09.00 – 14.00	Para Finals
16.30 – 20.00	Para Finals

2.2. Technical Meeting

Location:

Nogami President Hotel (のがみプレジデントホテル)

12-37 Shintateiwa, Iizuka, Fukuoka 820-0004



IMPORTANT: Please note that a maximum of two (2) National Team Officials per Country will be allowed to access the Technical Meeting.

2.3. Confirmation of Attendance

Physical confirmation of the registration is mandatory and should be provided by the Head of Delegation. In case a National Team is not registered by the Head of Delegation, another member of the National Team shall be appointed to attend the confirmation of registration. In case of emergencies and late arrivals please contact the WC Event Delegate as soon as possible. Digital copy of athletes' passports shall be provided at the confirmation of registration.

2.4. Classification

No Classification is scheduled on this competition (neither Physical nor Visual)

3. Deadlines and Quotas

3.1. Registration Deadline

The deadline for registration is **September 24th at 11:59 PM UTC+0**, which is 42 days before the first day of competition (November 4th).

Following the Registration Date and until 5 days before the first day of competition, National Federations may, in case of unforeseen events, replace Team Officials or Sight Guide, provided that replacing personnel is registered in the same

category. This replacement must be submitted by email at sport@worldclimbing.com; and for Sight Guides the following conditions apply:

- Sight Guides may not be replaced with another Sight Guide already paired with a competing athlete (art 4.9 of the Para Climbing Regulation).
- The substitute Sight Guide must hold a valid license and be of the same nationality as the competing athlete.

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

4. Sport Information

4.1. Venue Information

Iizuka Sports Resort The Retreat (いづかスポーツ・リゾートザ・リトリート):

M 8-37 Niho, Iizuka,
Fukuoka 820-0115, JAPAN

<https://the-retreat.jp/>





Please note that it's not possible to allocate training time at the venue due to the setup/construction schedule

4.2. Training Possibilities

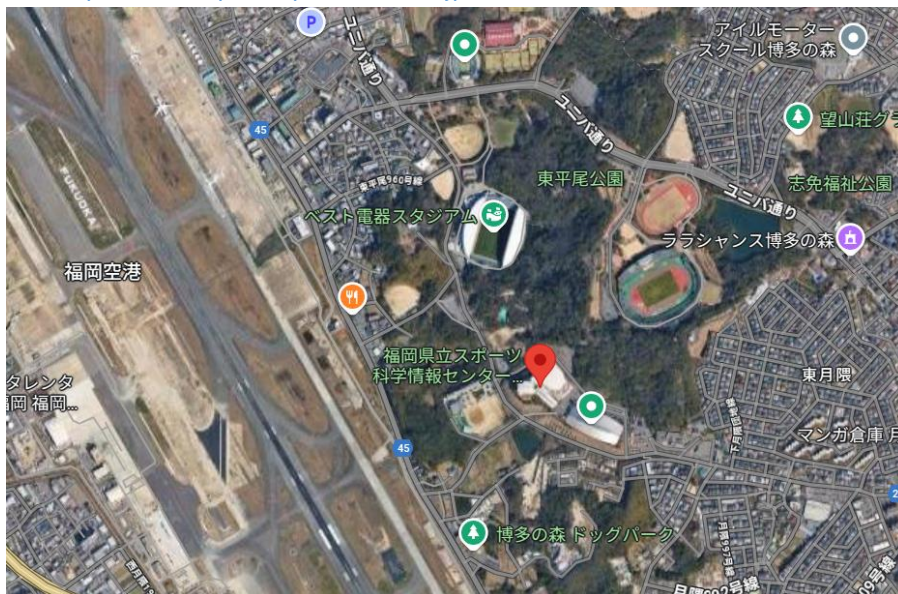
There is no training facility in Izuka City. There will be warm-up wall available in the venue from Oct 21 (subject to change). To ensure smooth procedures, we kindly ask that you notify the competition office in advance when planning to visit any of the training venues listed below.

1. Accion Fukuoka (Fukuoka Prefectural Sports Science Information Center)

Address: 2-1-4 Higashi-Hirao Koen, Hakata-ku, Fukuoka City, Japan

Hours: Tue to Sun from 09.00 AM – 09.00 PM

HP: https://www.sponet.pref.fukuoka.jp/accions/a_2_1f/





2. Zip Rock Climbing Gym

Address: 443-2 Ake, Kasuya Town, Kasuya District, Fukuoka Prefecture, Japan

Hours: Monday to Thursday: 03:00 PM – 11:00 PM

Saturday & Sunday: 10:00 AM – 09:00 PM

HP: <http://ziprockclimbinggym.web.fc2.com>



5. Logistics

5.1. Visa and Travels



For visa invitation letter, please contact LOC Travel Agent by completing the information in the VISA APPLICATION FORM, available [here](#). The deadline to submit the information above is fixed to **Tuesday 30 September at 11:59 PM UTC+0**.
LOC Travel Agent: H.I.S. Co., Ltd. (Kunimitsu Wakabayashi) – cgf2026-admin@his-world.com.

5.2. Accommodation

5.2.1. Suggested Hotels:

Official Hotel

If National Federations choose from these recommended hotels, the booking must be made through the LOC Official Travel Agent: H.I.S. Co., Ltd. (Kunimitsu Wakabayashi) – cgf2026-admin@his-world.com

The athletes might be requested to provide refundable deposit to guarantee their presence at the event. Hotel room might be subject to cancellation policy.

1. Nogami President Hotel (Official Hotel) (のがみプレジデントホテル)

Location in: Approx. 13min by car to the competition venue.

Address: Shintateiwa 12-37, Iizuka, Fukuoka, 820-0004

Website: <https://www.nogami-p-hotel.jp>

Room rate:

a) Single room starting from 10,980 yen/person/night including breakfast (tax included)

b) Twin room starting from 10,980 yen/person/night including breakfast (tax included)

Please contact: LOC Official Travel Agent: H.I.S. Co., Ltd. (Kunimitsu Wakabayashi / Masahiro Mori) – cgf2026-admin@his-world.com

2. Shin Iizuka Station Hotel (新飯塚ステーションホテル)

Location in: Approx. 13min by car to the competition venue.

Address: 4-20 Yoshiomachi, Iizuka, Fukuoka 820-0018

Website: <https://s-s-hotel.jp/en/>

Room rate: Single room starting from 9,000yen/person/night including breakfast (tax included)

Please contact LOC Official Travel Agent: H.I.S. Co., Ltd. (Kunimitsu Wakabayashi) – cgf2026-admin@his-world.com

5.3. Travel Information

By train:

Fukuoka International Airport

Distance to Hotel area: approx. 40 km.

From the airport, take the Airport Line (Kuko-sen, 空港線) to the Hakata Station. Then change to the Fukuoku Yutaka Line (Fukuoku Yutaka-sen, 福北ゆたか線) to the Shin-Iizuka Station (Shin-Iizuka-eki, 新飯塚駅).

By car:

From Fukuoka International Airport to the Shin-Iizuka Station, by taxi it will take approx. 50min. The cost will be approx. 9500yen including toll fee.

5.4. Tickets



Tickets will be required for the following events:

- Para Series Qualification
- Para Series Finals
- Purchase link: TBC

Ticket sales start: 30 August 2026 at 10:00 JST

Registered athletes and team officials do not need to purchase tickets for these events. However, accreditation is required for entry to all events. Please note that venue access is limited due to capacity restrictions and will be managed on a first come, first served basis.

6. Medical Information

6.1. General 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:

Ambulance: 119

Fire Department: 119

Police: 110

Nearest Hospital:

Iizuka Hospital (飯塚病院)

3-83 Yoshio-machi, Iizuka City, Fukuoka 820-8505

Phone Number:

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