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37TH INTERNATIONAL AUSTRIAN INDOOR ROWING CHAMPIONSHIPS 2026

ORGANIZER: ROWING CLUB SEEWALCHEN

DATE	Sunday, January 25th, 2026		
SCHEDULE	perliminary schedule:	7:00 AM – hall opens	
		8.30 AM – start of competitions	
	Race sequence:	1 → 33	
	Race intervals:	Individual: 10 – 15 min, Team: 5 – 10 min	
VENUE	Dreifach-Sporthalle Lenzing, Thal 15, 4860 Lenzing		
ENTRY DEADLINE	Wednesday, January 14th, 2026, 6:00 PM		
REGISTRATION	Entries can only be submitted via the online system at http://regatten.rudern.at . Changes or cancellations must be made in writing! Inquiries: office@rvseewalchen.com For races 1–18 (Austrian Indoor Rowing Championships – ÖIRM), no late entries are accepted. For all other races, late entries may be accepted up to 60 minutes before the start, with a 50% surcharge, provided no additional race heat is required.		
ENTRY FEE	€25 per participant (individual events); €60 per team; foreign participants pay half. Races 20–23 (school rowing events) are exempt from entry fees. Bank transfer to: Volksbank Vöcklabruck-Gmunden IBAN: AT48 4480 0536 0060 0000 BIC: VBWAAT2WXXX Payment deadline: Friday, January 23, 2026, 6:00 PM Failure to pay by this time forfeits the club’s right to compete.		
START DRAW	Conducted after entry deadline. No team managers’ meeting will be held.		
RACE DISTANCES	Individual races	SchW-B & SchM-B	500 meters
		MW, MM, SchW-A & SchM-A	1.000 meters
		JW-B & JM-B	1.500 meters
		LJW-A, JW-A, LJM-A, JM-A, LW, W, LM, M, Para	2.000 meters
		Coastal	30m Run/1.000 m Row/30 m Run
	Team races	all categories	2.000 meters/Team
	Coastal-race		1.000 meters/Team
ERGOMETER SETTING	free choice before the start but may not be changed during the race.		



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RACE ORDER

Individual races (Races 1–18)

1.	MW	Masters-female	A-F	ÖIRM
2.	MM	Masters-male	A-F	ÖIRM
3.	SchW-B	Under 13, female	Born 2014 & later	ÖIRM
4.	SchM-B	Under 13, male	Born 2014 & later	ÖIRM
5.	SchW-A	Under 15, female	Born 2012&2013	ÖIRM
6.	SchM-A	Under 15, male	Born 2012&2013	ÖIRM
7.	JW-B	Junior-B, female	Born 2010&2011	ÖIRM
8.	JM-B	Junior-B, male	Born 2010&2011	ÖIRM
9.	LJW-A	LWT-Junior-A, female	Born 2008&2009	max. 57.5 kg ÖIRM
10.	JW-A	Junior-A, female	Born 2008&2009	ÖIRM
11.	LJM-A	LWT-Junior-A, male	Born 2008&2009	max. 67,5 kg ÖIRM
12.	JM-A	Junior-A, male	Born 2008&2009	ÖIRM
13.	LW	LWT senior, female		max. 61,5 kg ÖIRM
14.	W	senior, female		ÖIRM
15.	LM	LWT senior, male		max. 75,0 kg ÖIRM
16.	M	senior, male		ÖIRM
17.	Coastal	female, male		ÖIRM
18.	Para	classes: PR1, PR2, PR3		ÖIRM

Winners of races 1–18 will be titled International Austrian Indoor Rowing Champions 2026.
All other races will receive honorary awards from the organizer.

Team Events (Races 19–33)

19.	MW	Masters-female	A-F	
20.	MM	Masters-male	A-F	
21.	SRAW	Under 13, female	Born 2014 & later	
22.	SRAM	Under 13, male	Born 2014 & later	
23.	SRBW	Under 15, female	Born 2012&2013	
24.	SRBM	Under 15, male	Born 2012&2013	
25.	FA-W/M/X	Companies/Clubs	see point 15, following page	female/male-ratio does not matter
26.	W	Women		
27.	M	Men		
28.	SCH-X	Students	born 2012 & younger	female/male-ratio does not matter
29.	JW	Juniors, female		
30.	JM	Juniors, male	born 2008 & younger	2W/2M
31.	MM/MW-X	Masters-Mixed		2W/2M
32.	J-X	Generations-Mixed	born 2008 & younger	1W/1M
33.	X	Coastal-Mixed-Team	A-F	

Austrian participants in U13, U15 and U19 categories must hold a valid junior license by the entry deadline (January 14, 2026, 6:00 PM). Unlicensed athletes are not eligible to compete, and the entry will be void. Any resulting costs are the responsibility of the club. Entry fees are non-refundable.

Anti-Doping Regulations

Under Austrian Anti-Doping Law, all participants may be subject to doping control. For prescribed medications on the prohibited list, a Therapeutic Use Exemption (TUE) must be obtained in advance and sent to both the ÖADC and ÖRV. Forms available at www.nada.at. Failure to comply will result in ÖRV sanctions.

GENERAL REGULATIONS

1. The rules of the Rules of Racing (RoR), supplemented by the RWB, AR, BM, and the contents of this announcement apply.
2. School teams may consist of students from two different schools. All participants must be demonstrably members of a school team but must not have competed in any race over the standard distance of an ÖRV (Austrian Rowing Federation) regatta in 2025 or earlier. All participants may be members of a rowing club.
3. The age classification for the Masters category is based on the Concept II World Ranking (heavyweight / lightweight, female / male):
 - A: 30–39 years
 - B: 40–49 years
 - C: 50–59 years
 - D: 60–69 years
 - E: 70–79 years
 - F: over 80 years
4. A competition will take place if at least three participants start in individual events or at least two teams start in team events. Points will be awarded only for completed races.
5. Each team consists of four participants.
6. The races will be held without preliminary heats. If more competitors are entered than there are ergometer stations available, the jury will divide the competitors into several heats. Events may be held simultaneously. The final race allocation will be decided by the jury on site.
7. The ergometers will be assigned or seeded by draw.
8. Lightweight competitors must report to the weigh-in 1–2 hours before the start of their race, in the order of their start numbers. If the maximum permitted weight is exceeded, the competitor will be moved to the corresponding open class race, unless a note on the entry form explicitly states otherwise.
9. In the event of a technical defect, the affected athlete may repeat the race as an individual run in the next race where an ergometer is free, provided that less than half the distance has been completed. Later defects are at the athlete's own risk. The jury may make short-term changes to the schedule in the case of technical malfunctions, breakdowns, etc.
10. Drinks, snacks, and lunch will be available at the buffet.
11. The consumption or bringing of food and drinks into the hall or onto the stands is prohibited.
12. The warm-up and competition areas may only be entered with indoor shoes with non-marking soles. Street shoes are not permitted in these areas! Bringing food and drinks into the sports hall is not allowed (exception: sealable plastic or metal bottles).
13. It is expressly pointed out that the entering clubs or schools bear full responsibility for the adequate health and training condition of their athletes. The organizer assumes no liability of any kind for personal or material damage or for lost items.
14. By submitting an entry, the entering club confirms that the registered members agree, within the framework of data protection regulations, to the processing of their personal data by the organizer and the ÖRV for the purpose of informing the public about participation and results. This consent also applies to the publication of photos and video recordings.
15. Teams consisting of company / club-members: max. 2 participants are allowed to be member of a rowing club



AWARDS

EHRENZEICHEN: The winners of events 1 to 18 will be titled "International Austrian Indoor Rowing Champions 2026." For the international classification, medals will be awarded by the organizer. For the national classification, medals will be awarded by the Austrian Rowing Federation (ÖRV). All other events do not count as championship races and will receive honorary awards from the organizing club. In the individual events, prizes will be awarded to places 1–3. In the team events, only the first place will receive an honorary award. Competitors finishing last will not receive any award.

CLUB RANKING: One point will be awarded for each defeated athlete in the individual events (1–18). In team events, points will be distributed proportionally among team members. The club with the highest total number of points will receive a special prize.