



# BOCCIA

**Sunday, August 4**  
**Monday, August 5**  
**Friday, August 9**

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## SPORT TECHNICAL PERSONNEL

Christopher Romano is the sport technical officer for boccia.

## SCHEDULE

### ***Saturday, August 3***

Coaches meeting at 9pm at the Kellogg Center Boardroom. Submit boccia team rosters at this meeting. Coaches and chefs de mission must attend. Interested athletes are welcome to attend.

### ***Sunday, August 4 - Futures, Juniors, and Open Teams***

7:00am - 7:30am .....Check-in for Futures and Juniors teams at IM West Lobby  
10:00am - 10:30am .....Check-in for Open teams at IM West Lobby  
8:00am - 3:00pm .....Team competition (Futures/Juniors early morning, open late morning and afternoon)

### ***Monday, August 5 - Masters Teams***

5:00pm - 5:30pm .....Check-in for Masters teams at IM West Lobby  
6:00pm - 9:00pm .....Team competition (Masters)

### ***Friday, August 9 - Singles***

7:00am - 7:30am .....Check-in for Futures and Junior A athletes at IM West Lobby  
??? .....Check-in for Open athletes at IM West Lobby  
??? .....Check-in for Masters athletes at IM West Lobby  
8:00am - 6:00pm .....Singles competition (Futures/Junior A early morning, Open/Masters late morning and afternoon, Junior B late afternoon)

## LOCATION/VENUE

Boccia will be conducted at the Intramural Sports West Building.

## RULES

- IDAF rules (<http://www.2013WorldDwarfGames.org/PDF/Rules.pdf>) will be observed. Athletes, coaches, and chefs de mission should be familiar with Parts 1 through 3 and Part 7 of the IDAF rule book.

- The competition host will provide boccia equipment. Athletes may use personal equipment if that equipment is comparable to the provided equipment. Personal equipment must be presented for inspection at check-in.
- Although IDAF rules permit play from either a sitting or standing position, a decision was made that everyone will play from a sitting position for the singles and team boccia competition at the 2013 World Dwarf Games.
- The ramp singles and ramp pairs events are intended for athletes who use wheelchairs or scooters for most activities of daily living.
- Spectators are not allowed on the field of play (boccia court and immediately adjacent area).

## EVENTS

<b>Futures (6 &amp; under)</b>	<b>Junior A (7-11)</b>	<b>Junior B (12-15)</b>	<b>Open (any age)</b>	<b>Masters (35 &amp; up)</b>
Singles 3-person team	Singles 3-person team	Singles 3-person team	Singles 3-person team	Singles 3-person team

## START LISTS AND CHECK-IN

- **Preliminary start lists.** Preliminary start lists showing the athletes entered in boccia have been shared with chefs de mission and will be posted at Athlete Village.
- **Final start lists.** Final start lists showing bracket assignments, start times, and locations of games will be distributed at the coach meeting on the night before the event and will be posted at Athlete Village.
- **Boccia check-in desk at the lobby of the Intramural Sports West Building**
  - **Credentials.** Athletes must wear their World Dwarf Games credentials when reporting to check-in and also when staging for each of their events.
  - **Check-in.** Athletes must check-in at the lobby of the IM West Building by the deadlines stated earlier in this document. Athletes who have not checked in by those deadlines will not be permitted to compete. All members of boccia teams must report together for check-in.
  - **Staging.** Athletes must report to the match official at least 2 minutes prior to the scheduled start time for their respective matches.

## RESULTS AND AWARDS

Results will be posted on the 2013 World Dwarf Games web site, posted at Athlete Village, and distributed to chefs de mission in their Athlete Village mailboxes. Awards will be presented outside the IM West Building immediately after all athletes in a division have completed their matches. At awards presentations, athletes are expected to wear the uniforms designated by their nations' dwarf sports organizations.