Registration Information

Hopla Cup 2027

28 - 30 May

International Tournament

U10 – U12 – U14

Registration procedures and payment:

Effective **October 19, 2026, at 8:00 p.m. to February 28, 2027**, teams may register online via the Mulhouse Water-Polo website (https://mulhousewaterpolo.com) by paying an **entry fee of €500*.** This fee must be paid in a single installment via bank transfer (using the bank details provided below) or by credit/debit card. The payment reference must read: "ENGAGEMENT" followed by the full club name (no abbreviations). * **This fee covers the entry cost (€285 standard rate; €260 for a club's 3rd tournament participation or 3rd registered team) as well as an advance payment toward accommodation costs, which will be deducted from the final invoice.**

Registration involves three steps:

- **Step 1: Registering a team for the tournament**

From today until February 28, 2027 (subject to availability). Select the option on the website that corresponds to the level of the team you wish to register. The tournament is open to 24 U14 teams, 24 U12 teams, and 10 U10 teams **(limit of one team per category).**

A second team may be registered provided it is an all-female team—regardless of the category—and subject to availability.

- **Step 2: Registration of players, coaches, and official team staff from February 28, 2027, to March 31, 2027**

Registrations will be processed on a first-come, first-served basis, based on the registration date on the Mulhouse Water-Polo website **and** the payment of entry fees. Mulhouse Water-Polo will issue an invoice following payment of the entry fees.

Teams will receive an email confirming their registration. In the event of withdrawal, entry fees are non-refundable, unless the event is cancelled by the authorities due to the health situation.

- **Step 3: Registration of players and coaches**

Teams must complete the online form (available starting in February) with the required information for each participant and details regarding the team's mode of transport, and submit it between February 28 and March 31, 2027.
Upon receipt, MWP will propose at least one accommodation option to the club, subject to availability. The club will have 7 days to respond and confirm the choice; MWP will then issue an invoice, and the club will have 7 days to pay the full fees per participant, as follows:

Participation fee: €120 per person, covering tournament participation and meals (hot meals consisting of a starter, main course, dairy product, and dessert for Friday dinner, Saturday lunch, and Saturday dinner, plus a packed lunch for Sunday), entertainment, and a welcome bag containing a T-shirt and a water bottle.

Accommodation costs: 2 nights with breakfast, tram tickets (to be ordered),
3 price tiers depending on the chosen accommodation: between €75 and €130 per person.

Campsite accommodation: a €500 deposit is required from all teams opting for this option.

If the club wishing to register does not respond within 7 days, the option on the lowest-priced accommodation may be released.

Accepted payment methods for participation and accommodation fees:

- Bank transfer to the Mulhouse Water-Polo account (bank details below; payment reference: TEAM + club name)
- Check made payable to Mulhouse Water-Polo (treasurer's address available upon request at hoplacup@mulhousewaterpolo.com)
- ANCV holiday vouchers.

A team consists of 9 to 14 children and one or two coaches/chaperones. For mixed teams, a third chaperone staying at the same location as the team is permitted. Please email us regarding any special requests (single rooms, additional chaperones). We will accommodate these requests subject to availability; a surcharge may apply.

If a team withdraws before April 1, 2027, the club will refund 50% of the fees per person. No refunds will be issued after this date, except for health-related reasons mandated by the authorities. If a player withdraws before May 15 due to medical reasons or *force majeure* (with proper documentation), the club will refund only that player's participation fee. No refunds will be possible after this date. An invoice will be issued for all payments.
If you have any issues or questions regarding registration, please email hoplacup@mulhousewaterpolo.com.

In the athlete and coach registration file (online form), please specify the following:

- Players' surnames, first names, gender, and dates of birth
- Coaches' surnames, first names, and gender
- Coaches' contact details (email and mobile phone number)
- Requested T-shirt sizes
- Meal preference (standard, meat-free, or allergy-specific)
- "Sunday evening picnic" option, if applicable
- License number for French clubs (for foreign clubs, a photocopy of each player's ID card is required)
- Parental consent regarding image rights and data processing

All fields marked with an asterisk must be completed; otherwise, the organizers reserve the right to disregard the submitted information.

Tournament schedule and meal options:

The first tournament matches will begin on Friday, May 28, 2027, at 5:00 PM (time to be confirmed based on the number of registered teams). Teams are encouraged to arrive at the tournament venue before 3:00 PM to

collect welcome packs and accommodation/meal information before the tournament starts, and to allow time to change and warm up properly before the first match. A welcome desk will be open from 1:00 PM. A technical meeting for coaches is scheduled for 4:00 PM; it is essential that every team attends.

The tournament finals are scheduled for late morning on Sunday, May 30, 2027, with the awards ceremony taking place at 1:00 PM. All teams are required to attend the awards ceremony wearing their Hopla T-shirts and mandatory accreditation passes. Each team will receive an award (trophy and medals) based on their final ranking. The HOPLA CUP will conclude at 2:00 PM. Train departures are possible from 3:00 PM onwards (please notify us if you plan to leave earlier).

A picnic lunch is provided for all teams on Sunday; the cost is included in the participant fee. Meals can be eaten on-site or taken away (please confirm your choice and the number of meals for logistical purposes).

Teams wishing to do so may bring coolers or insulated bags with ice packs (clearly labeled with the team name) to the tournament catering area; staff will place the packed lunches into the containers provided.
For teams with a long journey home, we offer the option to reserve an additional packed meal for Sunday evening for a surcharge of €8.50 per person. Teams can collect these at the tournament venue, and they can be kept cool for the trip using the method described above. Payment for this packed meal must be made prior to the tournament.

Tournament Venue:

The tournament will take place at the Illberg sports complex (outdoor pool—aquatic center—and/or indoor pool—Illberg pool), located at 51 Boulevard Charles Stoessel in Mulhouse.

Accommodation and Dining:

Meals will be provided by the University of Haute-Alsace dining hall and delivered to the Mulhouse Aquatic Center (to be confirmed). Teams will be accommodated in various locations: the Illberg Campsite (3-star), the Youth Hostel, and hotels in Mulhouse. These locations are all clustered around the Mulhouse Aquatic Center and are accessible on foot, by tram, or via a minibus ride of less than 10 minutes.

Transport:

Parking at the tournament venue is free and convenient.

The site can be reached from the train station in 25 minutes on foot or by tram. The nearest airport is EuroAirport (Basel-Mulhouse).

Family Participation:

Parents and relatives of the players are welcome at the Hopla Cup. Matches are always more exciting with supporters! Subject to availability, the Hopla Cup Committee may offer various packages:

- Pool access during the tournament
- Pool access during the tournament + meals
- Pool access during the tournament + meals + accommodation near the pool (university rooms/studios or campsite chalets)
- Pool access during the tournament + meals + hotel accommodation (car essential or accessible via the Mulhouse tram/bus network)

Prices vary depending on the chosen package. Further information available from March 15th.
Interested parents should contact us at hoplacup@mulhousewaterpolo.com. We will respond based on the availability at that time. Payment must be made prior to the tournament via credit card on the website

(available for certain packages only), bank transfer, check, or ANCV holiday vouchers.

Practical Information:

To ensure the smooth running of the competition, we ask each participating team to bring both a white and a black set of club caps.

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