



Committee for Equity in Women's Surfing

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Special Use Permit

(5-Year term: 2016/2017 through 2020/2021)

Permit Number: 2016-01

- 2.2 The term of this Permit shall be for Five (5) “seasons,” each “season” being defined as the period from November 1 through March 31, and specifically November 1, 2016 through March 31, 2017, November 1, 2017 through March 31, 2018, November 1, 2018 through March 31, 2019, November 1, 2019 through March 31, 2020, and November 1, 2020 through March 31, 2021.
- 2.3 Each Event will be a paddle-in event and will take place on one day. The exact date will be determined by Permittee but must be between November 1 and March 31 for each season, as defined in 2.2 above, and as set forth more fully in Section 4.10.
- 4.11 This Permit shall be the sole Permit issued for the purpose of using the Property in connection with holding a Surfing Event(s) at Mavericks surf break during the term of this Permit.



BIG WAVE TOUR WOMEN'S CHAMPIONSHIP



OFFICIAL COMPETITOR INVITATION

WHAT:

2016/17 WSL BIG WAVE TOUR
WOMEN'S CHAMPIONSHIP EVENT

WHERE:

TO BE RUN IN CONJUNCTION WITH EITHER THE
PE'AHU CHALLENGE • MAUI, HAWAII, USA
OR THE
TODOS SANTOS CHALLENGE • ENSENADA, MEXICO

WHEN:

OCTOBER 15, 2016 TO FEBRUARY 28, 2017
ON CALL COMES FROM WSL COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE
72 HOUR NOTICE FOR COMPETITION

WHO:

INVITEES (IN ALPHABETICAL ORDER)

PAIGE ALMS
JUSTINE DUPONT
LAURA ENEVER
EMILY ERIKSON
MAYA GABEIRA
BETHANY HAMILTON
KEALA KENNELLY
ANDREA MOLLER
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SAVANNAH SHAUGHNESSY
JAMILAH STAR
BIANCA VALENTI



ALTERNATES

MAKANI ADRIĆ
EASKEY BRITTON
WRENN DELGADO
FELICITY PALMATEER
PAULINE RALDA
TAMMY LEE SMITH
MARIA IGNACIA VALDEZ

PRIZE PURSE:

\$20,000

World Surf League

2016-2017

Big Wave Tour Women's Championship Event

- 12 Invitees
- 7 Alternates

Multiple Heats for Women Athletes

56

4 Women

Sept. 20, 2016

NIC LAMB • KAI LENNY • JAMIE MITCHELL
TRAVIS PAYNE • DEREK DUNFEE • MARK HEALEY
GREG LONG • TYLER FOX • KOHL CHRISTENSEN
ANTHONY TASHNICK • DANILO COUTO
ZACH WORMHOUDT • KEN COLLINS • COLIN DWYER
NATHAN FLETCHER • CARLOS BURLE
GARRETT MCNAMARA • PAIGE ALMS • JEFF LAYMAN
FRANK SOLOMON • KOA ROTHMAN • MATT BECKER
PATRICK GUDAUSKAS • DANE REYNOLDS • GRANT BAKER
WILL SKUDIN • FRANCISCO PORCELLA • TOM LOWE
ANDREA MOLLER • ALEX BOTELHO • KEALII MAMALA
MAYA GABEIRA • MANNY RESANO • NIC VAUGHAN
PATRICK SHAUGHNESSY • EMILY ERICKSON
BEN WILKINSON • IAN WALSH • RYAN SEELBACH
SHANE DESMOND • RUSTY LONG • ALEX MARTINS
RYAN AUGENSTEIN • SHANE DORIAN
GRANT WASHBURN • JAMIE STERLING
MAKUA ROTHMAN • DAVE WASSEL • AARON GOLD
ALEX GRAY • CHRIS BERTISH • RAMON NAVARRO
JOSH KERR • JOHN JOHN FLORENCE
KYLE THIERMANN • MASON HO

- HONORABLE MENTION -

SHAWN DOLLAR • SAVANNAH SHAUGHNESSY

TITANS OF MAVERICKS™ ROUND ONE

38

0 Women

Sept. 29, 2016

NIC LAMB • KAI LENNY
JAMIE MITCHELL • TRAVIS PAYNE
DEREK DUNFEE • MARK HEALEY
GREG LONG • TYLER FOX
ALEX MARTINS • SHANE DORIAN
KEN COLLINS • COLIN DWYER
AARON GOLD • JOHN JOHN FLORENCE
KEALII MAMALA • PATRICK SHAUGHNESSY
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TITANS OF MAVERICKS™ **ROUND TWO**



- **Please don't approve a multi-season permit.**
- A multi-season permit would put women athletes at a disadvantage.
- Oversight and accountability are needed to ensure equity.

- A Women's Division for each year that the event is held.
- A Women's Division means, no less than 2 qualifying heats for female competitors with the winners of the two heats advancing to a final heat to determine the overall women's champion of the event.



- A detailed plan for a Women's Division with multiple heats.
- Six women to compete in three heats in a women's division: two semi-finals and a final, with the inclusion of six women alternates.

- Judging criteria and heat formats would be identical for both male and female divisions.
- The women's heats should be scheduled for the time of day that will best showcase their surfing abilities.



- The prize money for the Women's Division shall be equal to the Men's Division.

- Cartel Management shall include a minimum of one woman on the Committee 5. This woman shall represent female competitors and shall be chosen by female big wave competitors.
- In the interest of transparency and in avoidance of conflict, this female should not be a competitor, employee, vendor, business partner, or contractor for Cartel or the Titans of Mavericks.



- Fair terms of participation and liability waivers shall be crafted by CEWS or other athlete representation with input from Cartel to develop terms best for athletes, the event, and the sport.

- Women's Division sequencing should be considered annually as the sport develops.
- **A multi-season permit does not allow for growth and does not hold the event organizers accountable.**
- **Please don't support a multi-season permit.**







Thank you for considering our views.

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