

ITU Triathlon World Cup: YAMAGUCHI, Japan



Event and Contact Information:

- **Name of Event:** ITU Triathlon World Cup Yamaguchi
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Event details:

- **Entry fee:** Free for overseas elite athletes
- **Prize money:** TBA
- **Start times:** 12:30 (Women) / 15:15 (Men)
- **Start Mechanism:** Pontoon dive start
- **Swim Conditions:** 2 laps, Starting from the artificial lagoon to inland sea and return.
- **Water Temperature** Wetsuits un-likely
- **Cycle Course** Flat / technical (lots of corners) with one artificial hill, 8 laps
- **Run Course:** Flat, 3 and half lap

Media Information:

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- **Address for Media Credentials request:** JTU Headquarters
Email: jtutrihq@jtu.or.jp
- **Location of Media Centre and hours of operation:** Race site
13:00 – 18:00 (Aug. 9), 10:00 – 18:00 (Aug.10-12)
- **Time and place where media kit can be pick-up:** Race site
13:00 – 18:00 (Aug. 9), 10:00 – 18:00 (Aug.10-12)

Travel and accommodations:

- **Closest airport:** Yamaguchi –Ube Airport (UBJ)
- **Closest station:** JR Ogori station
- **Local transportation provided:** Airport / station pickup are available. Please confirm.
- **Name and contact details of the host hotel:** **Yamaguchi Prefectural Seminar Park** will be the athletes' village. (10km from Race site)
Sixty (60) athletes will be accepted free of charge first-come-first-served basis.
Address: Aio-futajima 1062, Yamaguchi city, Yamaguchi pref., 754-0893, Japan
Tel: (81.83) 987.1410 Fax: (81.83) 987.1430
* Running track and swimming pool will be provided.

- **Official Travel Agent:** **Nippon Travel Agency (NTA)**
3rd Floor, Shimbashi Ekimae Bldg. #1, 2-20-15 Shimbashi,
Minato-ku, Tokyo 105-8606, Japan.
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Web-site: <http://www.nta.co.jp/english/convention/itu>

Special Functions

- **Press conference:** Pre-race : Saturday 15:20 (media centre)
Post-race : Sunday 17:45 (media centre)
- **Awards celebration:** Sunday 19:30
- **Tourism activities:** Nippon Travel Agency (contact details above)
- **Japan Expo Yamaguchi 2001** The ITU Yamaguchi World Cup competition course will be set up in the "Yamaguchi Kirara Expo"(Open: July 14 to Sep. 30) site.
Web-site: <http://www.pref.yamaguchi.jp/2001expo/html>

Event Schedule

Thu.9.August			
09:00-12:00	Arrival	Seminar Park	
13:00-	Media Centre Open	Media Centre	
18:00-20:00	Seminar Park Opening Ceremony	Seminar Park	
Fri.10.August			
06:00-08:00	Bike Course Training	Bike Course	
09:00-21:00	Arrival	Seminar Park	
17:00-19:00	Entertainment Show	Sports Zone / Expo site	
19:10-19:40	Opening Ceremony	Sports Zone / Expo site	
20:00-20:20	Entertainment Show	Sports Zone / Expo site	
Sat.11.August			
06:00-08:00	Bike Course Training	Bike Course	
09:00-21:00	Arrival	Seminar Park	
11:00-	Race Briefing	Seminar Park	
14:00-15:00	Swim Course Training	Swim Course	
15:20-16:20	Media Conference	Media Centre	
16:20-17:20	Media Meeting	Media Centre	
Sun.12.August Race Day			
09:00-10:00	Bike Course Training	Bike Course	
11:00-12:00	Registration Women	Start Area	
12:15-12:25	Ceremony Women	Start Area	
12:30-14:50	Competition Women	Race Course	
13:45-14:45	Registration Men	Start Area	
14:45-15:00	Medal Ceremony (Women)	Start Area	
15:15-17:20	Competition Men	Race Course	
17:15-17:30	Medal Ceremony (Men)	Start Area	
17:45-18:15	Media Conference	Media Room	
19:30-	Awards Banquet	Seminar Park	
Mon.12.August			
All day	Departure		

Special Note

ITU Int'l Event will be held in Hokkaido on August 12, a week before the ITU World Cup YAMAGUCHI
Above information, as of 23 May 2001, is subject to change. Please confirm.