



THE WORLD GAMES  
2029 KARLSRUHE

## PRESSEINFO: The World Games 2029 Karlsruhe

### 01 Key Facts

- Period:** 19-29 July 2029
- Duration:** eleven days of sporting excellence, cultural encounters and international cooperation under the motto WELCOME (BACK) TO THE HEART OF EUROPE.
- Participants:** 4,000 athletes from around 100 nations
- Sports:** 30+ sports, which will be announced in 2026. The first sports can be found under item 03.
- Venues:** The detailed venues will be announced in the course of 2027. Some central venues are already certain, such as the Karlsruhe fairground, the Congress Centre with the Schwarzwaldhalle and modernised town hall and the Karlsruhe Exhibition Centre.

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**ERLEBEN:** The World Games 2029 will be embedded in a “super summer” in Karlsruhe: In addition to the international multi-sport event, the established SCHLOSSLICHTSPIELE at the historic Karlsruhe Castle, the popular DAS FEST and DAS FEST AM SEE will also take place in July and August 2029. This will make the southern German city the perfect destination for sports and culture fans from all over the world.

### 02 Important dates\*

- 19 July 2026      3 YEARS TO GO
- 23 October 2026      1,000 DAYS TO GO

\*For the latest information on these and other dates, visit [www.twg2029.com](http://www.twg2029.com) or <https://www.linkedin.com/company/the-world-games-2029-karlsruhe>



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### 03 Sports für TWG2029 (as at 25 April 2026)

	Cluster	Sports
1	Ball Sports	American Football
2	Precision Sports	Archery
3	Precision Sports	Billiards
4	Precision Sports	Boules Sports
5	Trend Sports	Canoe
6	Artistic & Dance	Cheerleading
7	Artistic & Dance	Dancesport
8	Ball Sports	Fistball
9	Ball Sports	Floorball
10	Trend Sports	Flying Disc
11	Artistic & Dance	Gymnastics
12	Ball Sports	Handball
13	Ball Sports	Hockey
14	Martial Arts	Ju-Jitsu
15	Martial Arts	Karate
16	Martial Arts	Kickboxing
17	Ball Sports	Korbball
18	Ball Sports	Lacrosse
19	Trend Sports	Life Saving
20	Martial Arts	Muaythai
21	Trend Sports	Orienteering
22	Strength Sports	Powerlifting
23	Artistic & Dance	Roller Sports



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24	Trend Sports	Sport Climbing
25	Ball Sports	Squash
26	Martial Arts	Sumo
27	Strength Sports	Tug of War
28	Trend Sports	Underwater Sports
29	Trend Sports	Waterski & Wakeboard
30	Martial Arts	Wushu

#### 04 Image material

Free image material can be found here:

- The World Games 2029 Karlsruhe: <https://twg2029.com/presse/#downloads>
- The World Games in general: International World Games Association (IWGA) <https://www.flickr.com/people/iwga/>
- Closing Ceremony The World Games 2029 Chengdu/CHINA and handover to TWG2029 Karlsruhe (IWGA) <https://www.flickr.com/photos/iwga/albums/72177720328432536/>
- Video material The World Games (IWGA) <https://www.youtube.com/@theworldgamestv>

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#### About us

With around 4,000 athletes from more than 100 countries, The World Games, held every four years, are a highlight for athletes from all over the world, showcasing popular, traditional, emerging and trend sports. In 2029, the fan-shaped city of Karlsruhe will host The World Games for the second time: following on from 1989, Karlsruhe will become a hub for sporting excellence, cultural exchange and international cooperation in 2029 – exactly 40 years later. [www.twg2029.com](http://www.twg2029.com)

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