

The Crozon Foil Festival, the unmissable event for Foil in France.

Crozon, France, 25/09/2024 – The Crozon Foil Festival returns from October 10th to 13th, promising to be the flagship international event of the year in the Foil discipline, an emerging field in boating and board sports. Organized by the Crozon Waterman Club in collaboration with its partners, this event is set to become internationally renowned with an ambitious and innovative program. Three disciplines will be featured this year: Surf Foil on the beaches of Crozon, DownWind SUP Foil at sea, and the spectacular Dock Start Pumping at the port of Morgat. This offers a diverse and captivating show for extreme sports enthusiasts and the general public.

World-renowned athletes

The festival will host nearly 130 athletes from 16 different nations, including a large Hawaiian delegation with iconic figures. Among the internationals, we note the return of Hawaiian Jack Ho, a global surf icon, as well as American Brady Hurley. After his second-place finish at last year's edition, Australian Oscar Johansson is also one of the favorites. We should also watch out for Italian Edoardo Tanas, residing in Hawaii and the reigning world champion, who has confirmed his participation, along with the Spencer brothers, also from Hawaii, as well as the star couple Gabriella Eliah Bella and Kane Dewilde. As in previous years, the Tahitians will be ones to watch, having won last year's event thanks to Étienne Fleure's flawless performance. This year, the Tahitian delegation is strong with eight athletes, including the promising Naumi Eychenne and the younger generation represented by the Haumani brothers.

Our French champions

Among the French athletes, our top performers are present to face this exceptional international lineup. In the women's category, we note the return of Olivia Piana, one of the favorites, accompanied by the two Breton competitors Amandine Chazot and Margaux Heligoïn.

In the men's category, local athletes from the tip of Finistère, Benoit Carpentier, world champion of SUP Surf, and Crozon's own Ethan Bry, who just medaled at the SUP race World Championships this weekend, will be serious podium contenders, alongside Franco-Caledonian Clément Colmas. Rising stars of French surfing, such as Keoni Van Der Bij and Clément Roseyro, will also be present. To strengthen the French team, we can count on the experience of Tom Constant, best French performance in Down Foil, as well as Thomas Goyard, Olympic silver medalist in windsurfing at Tokyo, and his brother Nicolas, world champion who represented France in Foil windsurfing at the recent Paris Games in Marseille.

Crozon Foil Festival Program

Amaury Dormet, event director, promises an unforgettable spectacle, notably with the spectacular Dock Start Pumping event which will take place on Saturday, October 12th, from

4:00 PM to 7:00 PM on the Morgat pier. A Foil Village will also be open to the public, offering the opportunity to meet athletes, discover the latest innovations in Foil, and enjoy quality catering. Don't miss the chance to experience an exceptional event in the heart of the Crozon Peninsula. For more information and to follow the event live, visit our website at www.crozonfoiffestival.com

- Thursday: Surf Foil qualifying rounds starting at 9 AM
- Friday: DW Foil competition or Surf Foil final (depending on weather)
- Saturday: DW Foil competition or Surf Foil final (depending on weather), 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM Public show "Dock Start Pumping" with Foil Village and catering
- Sunday: DW Foil competition or Surf Foil final (depending on weather)

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