



Greetings

ECA Junior Cup – an International Slalom for Teens and Juniors in Augsburg, 29th – 30th June 2019

A cordially Welcome to the Fugger City of Augsburg for the ECA Junior Cup, which will take place from 29th – 30th June 2019 on the “Eiskanal”, which is more or less the most famous Olympic wildwater complex.

This event is of enormous importance for our young athletes as they can breathe “international air” under conditions of competition for the first time and make their first experience in an international field. Already in the last years, participants in Olympic Games have been borne on this wildwater parcours, for instance Melanie Pfeifer, Hannes Aigner or Sideris Tasiadis. Today, this is the same situation again and thus, this slalom competition will be an absolutely high-end-event.

The organization of this event has been taken over by the proven team of the Augsburger Kajakverein (AKV), having a rich body of experience in regards of such events. I am convinced that they will provide a performance for the young slalom canoeists, which all will best treasure even after years. After all, we can expect the participation of a lot of young athletes, whose names we probably we will often hear in the future – maybe already at the Canoe Slalom World Championships in 2022, which will also take place on Augsburg’s Eiskanal.

The executive committee of the Bavarian Canoe Federation is looking forward to this canoe event and to fascinating competitions. I’d like to thank all voluntary assistants of the organizer, all sponsors and of course the City of Augsburg, as without its support this event could not be performed. For the ECA Junior Cup 2019 in Augsburg, I wish all athletes and officials an accident free and sportive fair progress.

Bavarian Canoe Association

The President

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Oliver Bungers