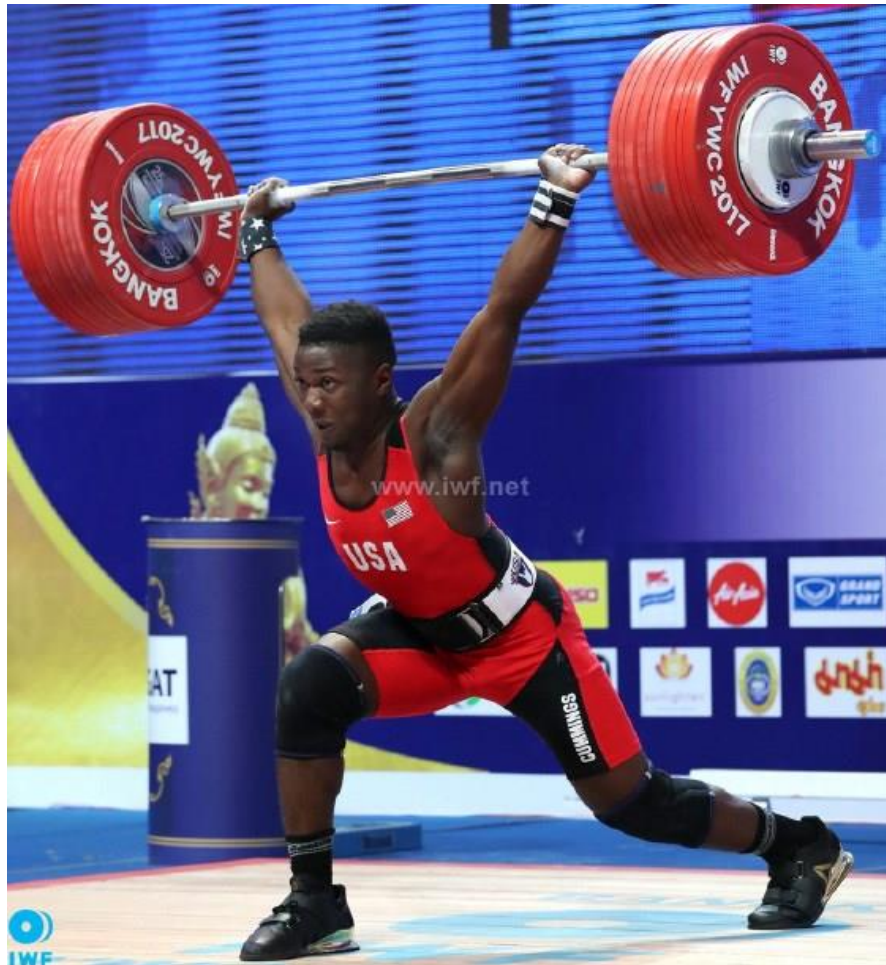


2017 IWF
WEIGHTLIFTING
WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS
ANAHEIM, CA, USA NOVEMBER 28 - DECEMBER 5
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IMPORTANT ARRIVAL & EVENT INFORMATION

Please Read Fully and Distribute This Information
To All Members of Your Team or Traveling Party



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WELCOME!

Welcome to the 2017 IWF World Weightlifting Championships!

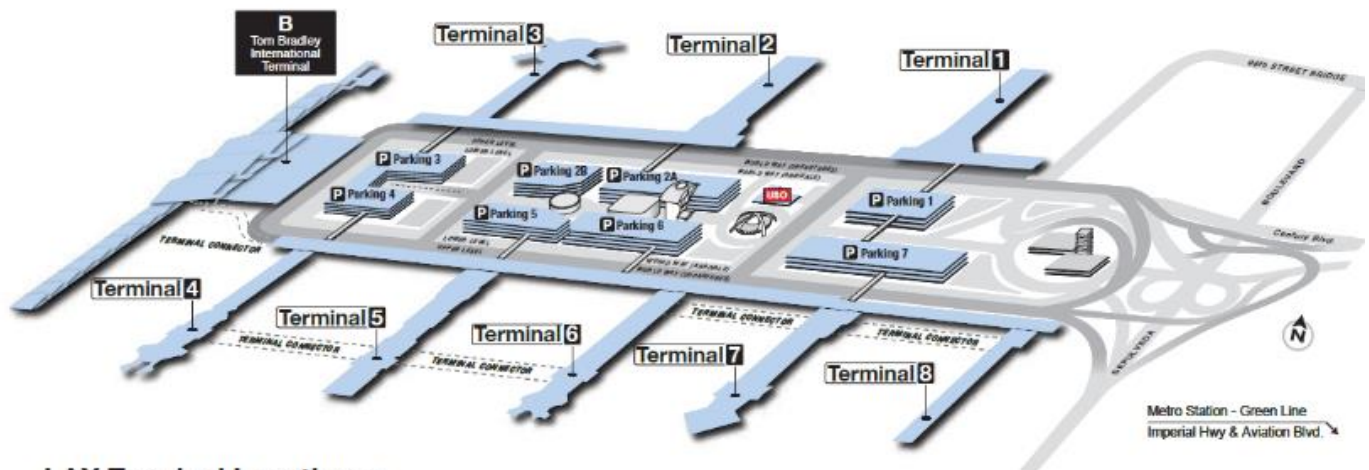
On behalf of the Organizing Committee we thank you for your participation in the prestigious event in Anaheim California USA! Please review this Event information, it will assist you with your travel stay.

Enclosed you will find instructions on Airport Transportation, Event Check-in & Accreditation, Hotel & Meal Information, Training Hall, Venue Shuttle and other event related topics. Please read it fully and share this information with everyone on your team and VIP traveling party.

Enjoy your Visit and good luck in the Competition!

AIRPORT ARRIVAL INFORMATION

ARRIVAL INSTRUCTIONS TO LAX: Upon arrival at the Los Angeles International Airport (LAX), please claim your checked bags at the baggage claim. After claiming your baggage, go to the Tom Bradley International Terminal (Terminal B – between Terminals 3 & 4, see attached map on left for location of Terminal B at LAX). Inside Tom Bradley Terminal B, look for the IWF Local Organization Committee Staff member at the “IWF” information booth, near the 711 store (see map of right for “Terminal B and find the “Info Booth”).

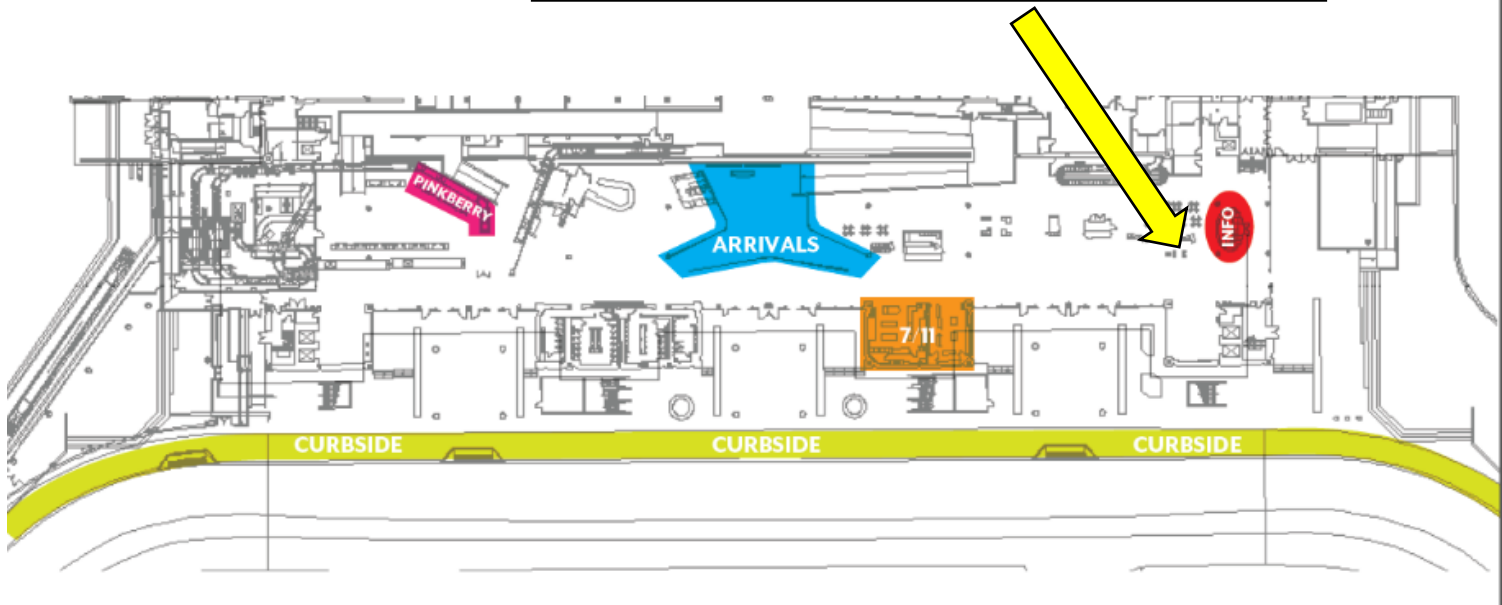


LAX Terminal Locations:

Aeroflot (B)	Allegiant (5)	Cathay Pacific (B)	Frontier (5)	LEVEL Airlines (B)	Singapore (B)	WestJet (2)
Aer Lingus (2)	All Nippon Airways (B)	China Airlines (B)	Great Lakes (6)	LOT (B)	* Southwest (see below)	WOW Air (B)
Aeromexico (2)	American (4-5)	China Eastern (B)	Hainan Airlines (B)	Lufthansa (B)	Spirit (5)	* Xiamen Airlines
Air Berlin (B)	American Eagle	China Southern (B)	Hawaiian (5)	Mokulele Airlines (6)	Sun Country (5)	(see below)
Air Canada (6)	(Bus to Gates	Delta Air Lines (2-3)	Iberia (B)	Norwegian Air (B)	SWISS (B)	
Air China (B)	52A-52J via 5)	El Al Israel (B)	* InterJet (see below)	Philippines Airlines (B)	Turkish Airlines (B)	
Air France (B)	Asiana (B)	Emirates Airlines (B)	Japan Airlines (B)	QANTAS (B)	United/United Express (7-8)	
Air New Zealand (B)	* Avianca (see below)	Ethiopian Airlines (6)	JetBlue (5)	Norwegian Air (B)	Virgin America (6)	
Air Tahiti Nui (B)	Boutique Air (6)	Ethihad (B)	KLM (B)	SAUDIA (B)	Virgin Atlantic (2)	
Alitalia (B)	British Airways (B)	EVA Air (B)	Korean Air (B)	Scandinavian Airlines (B)	* Virgin Australia (B)	
Alaska (6)	* Copa (see below)	Fiji Airways (B)	LATAM Airlines (B)	Sichuan Airlines (B)	* Volaris (see below)	

● CURBSIDE ● PINKBERRY ● ARRIVALS ● 7/11 ● INFO BOOTH

2017 IWF WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS TRANSPORT DESK



After checking in at the IWF Information Arrival Desk, the Staff will direct you to the Event Transportation vehicle that runs between LAX, and the IWF EVENT CHECK-IN & ACCREDITATION HEADQUARTER, located at: **GREAT WOLF LODGE (12681 Harbor Blvd., Garden Grove, CA. 92840).**

If there is any change on your flight schedule, please contact the following numbers using “WhatsApp”
Hoang Nguyen +1 (657) 257-9843 Speaks Vietnamese and English
Jose Jimenez +1 (562) 455-8801 Speaks Spanish and English
Rashika Patel +1 (714) 747-4450 Speaks English

Event Transportation – make sure to keep your baggage in your control at airport, loading on transportation and upon arrival. Travel time on transportation is approximately 1 hour (or more, based on traffic), to travel to the Great Wolf Lodge. When you arrive at the Great Wolf Lodge, follow the signs to the lobby and then up to the 3rd Floor, to Oak Room #1 – where the Team Leader can check in for the team (the remainder of the team can use the seating area to store luggage and wait for Team Leader to check the group in).

EVENT CHECK-IN INFORMATION

IMPORTANT: PLEASE MAKE SURE YOU TEAM HAS SENT YOUR FINAL FLIGHT ITINERARIES AND CREDITAL BADGE HEADSHOTS TO THE LOCAL ORGANIZING COMMITTEE by 17 NOVEMBER 2017 TO ENSURE WE HAVE TRANSPORTATION READY FOR YOU.

Accreditation and Check-in - It is necessary upon arrival to first check-in with the Local Organizing Committee Staff in the Oak Room #1, to receive your final event information (including paying your remaining payments due, receive your room keys, meal vouchers and event credentials).

Do not leave any luggage on transportation vehicles – keep with you at all times.

At Check-in, only 1 team leader is to come into the registration room while the team waits in the team waiting area.

EXPEDITED CHECK-IN: If you submitted ALL of the required information in advance of your arrival (Individual credential photos, passport information, hotel rooming & dates, etc.) and your invoice has been paid in full, you can go to the *Expedited Check-in Table* (could save you up to two hours over peak arrival times) to quickly pick up your event packet, room keys, meal coupons and event credentials.
Please Note: Official Hotel Room check-in is not until after 4pm. Early room check-in are not guaranteed.

STANDARD CHECK-IN: If you have not submitted ALL of your team's mandatory information (missing – either credential photos, passport information, hotel rooming, etc.) or have not paid your invoice in full, you will need to go to the *Standard Check-in Table* to finalize any remaining payments and receive your event packet, room keys and event credentials. Please have payments ready, in the correct amount and in USD currency, plus have all your documentation in hand.

Once your check-in is complete, teams not residing at the Great Wolf Lodge will return to the entrance of the hotels to take the event shuttle to your assigned hotel (all hotels are within 2 miles or less of each other and venue).

***CHECK-IN AND ACCREDITATION HEADQUARTERS
LOCATED AT THE GREAT WOLF LODGE***

***BEGINNING ON TUESDAY, 22ND NOVEMBER 2017**

***ENDING ON 5TH FRIDAY DECEMBER 2017**

OPEN DAILY 9AM TO 9PM

During peak times, this process may take up to two hours. Please be reminded that the event is held over a busy USA Holiday period and, per the Official Regulations, changes or additions requested on arrival are not guaranteed to be at the same hotel or not guaranteed to be accommodated at all. Cancels are not permitted.

****Team members arriving on different days must go directly to the Great Wolf Lodge to collect keys, credential badges and event information (do not go to your hotel first).***

****No room keys, meal coupons or event credentials will be provided to any Federation members until the entire amount due is paid in full to the Local Organizing Committee. All payment made in USA must be in USD.***

EVENT CREDENTIALS

If the Organizing Committee needs to create credentials for you at check-in, please bring all of your documentation with you to check-in. An Organizing Committee Representative will verify your information, take your picture, determine your access and print your badge(s). From the time your picture is taken, expect the process to take extra time, depending on how busy it is that day. Please be patient with the Committee Representative as they will be working as quickly as possible.

The best scenario is to provide all photos and information needed for credentialing in advance of arrival.

Help us to help you get in and out quickly after a long day of travel. The Organizing Committee thanks you in advance for your cooperation in making this process organized, smooth and timely.

EVENT SCHEDULE

The following are the times for scheduled meetings and event dates and times (Subject to change):

Friday 24-11-2017: IWF Committee Meeting - 10:00h

Saturday 25-11-2017: IWF Executive Board Meeting - 10:00h

Sunday 26-11-2017: IWF Executive Board Meeting - 10:00h

Sunday 26-11-2017: Verification of Final Entries – 17:00h in Room 201B

Monday 27-11-2017: IWF Congress -10:00h in Room 201 A-D

Tuesday 28-11-2017: T.O. Meeting - 18:00h, Room TBD

Tuesday 28-11-2017: OPENING CEREMONY - 20:00h at Competition Venue
Tuesday 05-12-2017: CLOSING CEREMONY - 20:00h at Knott's Berry Farm Attraction

COMPETITION AND TRAINING VENUE ADDRESS:

Anaheim Convention Center – Hall C.
800 Katella Avenue, Anaheim

WEBCAST

The event will have a webcast live and free on www.usaweightlifting.org

TRAINING HALL INFORMATION

For those Athletes and Team Officials that have access to the Training Hall during the event, be advised that the Training Hall will open on 24th November -2017.

Athlete Training Timetable:

Training timetable is available on the IWF Website www.usaweightlifting.org

We would appreciate your cooperation in training at your allocated times. Bottled water and chairs are available.

TRAINING FOR SPECTATORS

Spectator Gym Availability: You do not have to miss out on training!!

CrossFit Anaheim (located at 1731 S. Claudia Way in Anaheim) is the “Official Spectator Training Site” from 24-November to 5-December. The Spectator drop in fee is just \$50.00 (U.S. Currency) for the entire week. This is a savings of \$80.00.

Gym Hours of Operation –

Monday-Friday: 9:00h - 12:00h and 14:30h - 17:30h.

Thursday Nights: 19:30hPM - 21:30h.

Saturday: 10:00AM - 12:00h.

Sunday: 9:00 AM -11:00h.

Please note that spectators will not have Access to the training hall at the Anaheim Convention Center for any reason!

HOTEL & GENERAL INFORMATION

All participants will check-in at the Great Wolf Lodge, the ORGANIZING COMMITTEE CHECK-IN AND ACCREDITATION HEADQUARTERS.

Your room rate does not include in-room movies, long distance/international telephone charges, room service, and other charge options. For these additional hotel charges, guests be required to show ID and give your credit card or cash at the Hotel Front Desk representative. **Room changes cannot be taken at the front desk.**

Check-in & Check-out: Check-in time is 16:00h. Check-out time is 11:00h.

Guests arriving before check-in time will be accommodated as rooms become available. The Organizing Committee CANNOT guarantee early check-ins or late check-outs for participants.

You will have to be **PAID IN FULL** for registration and entry fees in **U.S. CURRENCY DOLLARS** before access to your room(s) will be granted. If you are going to request a late check out, please make that request with the front desk after you complete registration with the Organizing Committee. Please be aware there is a charge for late check-out. Please be advised, only your hotel room and tax have been paid at Event Registration. All incidental charges, room damage/smoking penalties are the responsibility of the guest as noted above.

SMOKING IS NOT ALLOWED in any hotel.

Connecting Room/Adjoining Room/ Bed Type: All rooms are based on the hotel's standard room type. Efforts will be made to accommodate special requests but due to the high volume of the event week there are no guarantees that a request will be granted.

Baggage & Valuables: Please keep your valuables in your personal control at all times. Your valuables are your responsibility. Please plan accordingly and use your in-room safe at all times.

Hotel Assistance/Changes: Due to the American Thanksgiving Holiday and the traditionally high demand in the area, we do not expect to have extra rooms available or to extend dates to existing reservations.

Hotels are pre-advised to not add any rooms or add any new names without approval of the Organizing Committee, Hotels are permitted to switch existing names within rooms should the need arise. The hotels listed are partnered with the 2017 IWF World Championships:

GREAT WOLF LODGE - 12681 Harbor Boulevard, Garden Grove, CA. 92840 +1 (714) 530-9653

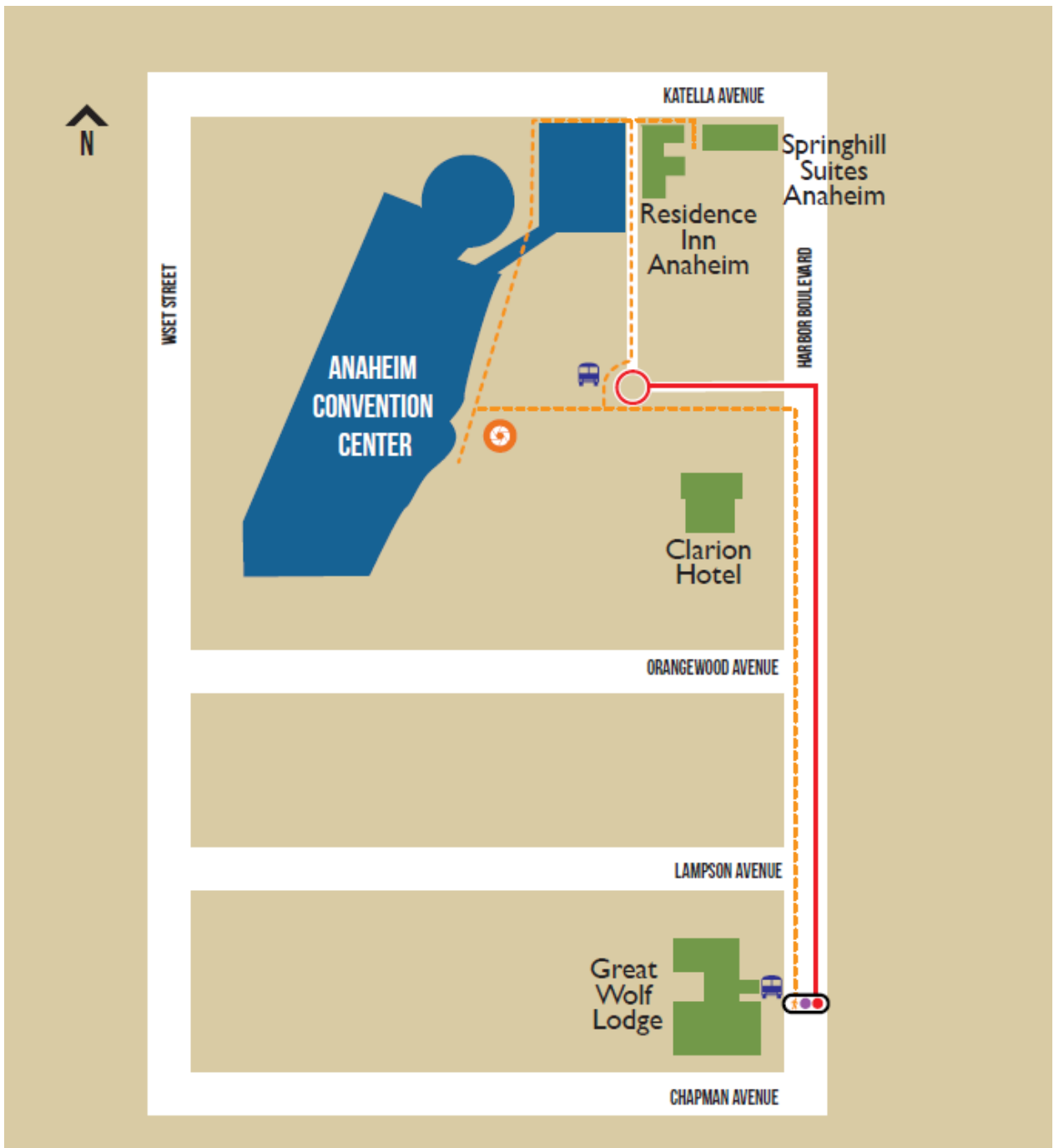
CLARION HOTEL - 616 Convention Way, Anaheim, CA. 92802 +1 (714) 750-3131

RESIDENCE INN MARRIOTT - 640 West Katella Avenue, Anaheim, CA. 92802 +1 (714) 782-7500

SPRINGHILL SUITES - 1801 South Harbor Boulevard, Anaheim, CA. 92802 +1 (714) 533-2101

MAP OF AREA FOR WALKING OR DRIVING

The Event is centrally located in the middle of the Anaheim Resort Area. Everything is within 2 miles of each other – Hotels, Venue, Disneyland, and many restaurants and shops. Please refer to this map of the area.



- Anaheim Convention Center
- Hotels
- Bus Route
- Walking Path
- ⊕ Photo Opportunity
- Transportation Pickup and Dropoff

PARTICIPANT MEAL PROGRAM

Meals are served from 24th November - 5th December. Breakfast is only served on 6th December.

Each person will receive meal vouchers upon check-in at Great Wolf Lodge for each day of your stay, starting 24th November through 6th December, excluding dinner on 5th December (*Dinner on 5th December is not served at hotels or Anaheim Convention Center, but at the 5th December Knott’s Berry Farm closing event).

Each person is to present the appropriate meal voucher to gain access to the dining area. The meal vouchers will

be COLOR CODED AND DATED to assist you in determining which one to present. Meal times are also stated on the voucher. These vouchers are non-refundable, non-replaceable and must be used at your assigned location. The Organizing Committee cannot change meal times or issue additional vouchers should they be lost or forgotten.

Breakfast Meal Vouchers will be provided for guests staying at Clarion.
Breakfast Meal Vouchers are not required for the Residence Inn & Springhill Suites Hotels.

Lunch and Dinner Meal Vouchers for meals at the Anaheim Convention Center Venue will be provided for guest staying at Clarion Hotel, Residence Inn and Springhill Suites.

Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner Meal Vouchers will be provided for guests staying at Great Wolf Lodge.

Meal Schedule:

All participants must bring that dates meal voucher to eat meals based on the hotel they are staying in.

CLARION HOTEL

Breakfast: 6:00h - 10:00h (At Hotel)
Lunch : 11:00h – 14:00h (At Anaheim Convention Center)
Dinner : 19:00h – 22:00h (At Anaheim Convention Center)

RESIDENCE INN & SPRINGHILL SUITES HOTEL

Breakfast: 6:30h - 9:30h (At Hotel)
Lunch : 11:00h – 14:00h (At Anaheim Convention Center)
Dinner : 19:00h – 22:00h (At Anaheim Convention Center)

GREAT WOLF LODGE

Breakfast: 6:30h - 9:30h (At Hotel)
Lunch : 11:00h – 14:00h (At Hotel)
Dinner : 19:00h – 22:00h (At Hotel)

Boxed lunches must be ordered 24 hours in advance, and can be ordered from the USA Weightlifting Information Desk outside the training hall/competition hall entry at the Anaheim Convention Center.

CHECK SCALE AND SAUNA LOCATIONS

CHECK SCALES: A check scale will be provided from Nov 24 in the Spring Hill Suites, Clarion Hotel, Great Wolf Lodge and Anaheim Convention Center

SAUNA LOCATIONS: Sauna is available in the Hilton Anaheim, located immediately adjacent to the Convention Center, as well as adjacent to the Weigh In room at the Anaheim Convention Center.

DEPARTURE DAY INFORMATION

AIRPORT RETURN TRANSPORTATION: Transportation to Los Angeles International Airport (LAX) will be available for the teams that provided their full and accurate flight schedule before the deadline of 17 November. Teams are required to be at their hotel lobby area 4 hours prior to the departure time of their flight. Please make sure to double check your Airport Transportation details 48h before your departure date.

DEPARTURE INSTRUCTIONS: Final departure instructions will be posted at your hotel in lobby.

GENERAL INFORMATION & HELPFUL “LINKS”

PLEASE REVIEW THE FOLLOWING ITEMS:

- 1) **It is highly recommend to provide the Organizing Committee with a working cell phone number** to be able to communicate should there be a problem of if you are lost at the airport.
- 2) Transportation is provided between Great Wolf Lodge and the Competition/training Venue. All other hotels are within walking distance of the Venue.
- 3) **Transportation is only provided between 23rd November and 6th December.**
- 4) Once traveling, please email info@2017wwcanaheim.com with any flight delay information or flight changes. This will assist ground staff re-adjust schedules if needed
- 5) **Local transportation is not provided by the Organizing Committee.** There are many walking distance shops and restaurants, and many Taxi, Uber and Anaheim Resort Transit options for your free time travel.

WEATHER: The average temperature in Anaheim, CA. in late November (during the IWF Championships) with range from the highs of 24 degrees Celsius (75 F) to the lows of 8 degrees. We recommend that when not in the Convention Center visitors bring a light to mid weight clothing/outerwear.

ELECTRICITY: The electrical service in the US.A. is 110v. All electrical outlets are “Type 8” North American NEMA 5-15 Standard. If your appliance does not match this type of outlet, you will need an adaptor.

TRANSACTIONS/ INTERACTIONS: All transactions and interactions will most likely happen in English. We recommend that guests download some form of a translation application for their mobile devices. Google Translate, iTranslate, Waygo or iHandy all get good reviews and are easy to download.

MONEY: All transactions are done in U.S. Dollars. Please prepare accordingly. A list of local ATM’s will be provided upon request.

MEDICAL ASSISTANCE: There will be doctors on duty throughout the competition days. For Emergencies – Dial 911

LAUNDRY OPTIONS:

Clarion Hotel
Residence Inn
Springhill Suites
Great Wolf Lodge

NEARBY ATM LOCATIONS

All program hotels have an ATM. Please ask front desk.

CLOSEST HOSPITAL & CLINIC:

UC Irvine Medical Center: 101 The City Drive South, Orange (714) 456-7890
OC Urgent Care: 4720 E. Chapman Ave. Orange (714) 771-7600
Concentra Urgent Care: 1101 S. Anaheim Blvd. Anaheim (714) 937-1919

HELPFUL “LINKS”: You can access these links from your Mobile Devices and computers.

Daily Event Tickets: <http://gettravel.com/2017-world-weightlifting-championship-tickets/>

Traveler Meal Deals (MVP Program): <http://gettravel.com/mvp-anaheim/>

Volunteer Sign Up: <https://visit-anaheim.rosterfy.co/register>

International Travel Tips: <http://gettravel.com/international-travel/>

Webcast will be live and free on www.usaweightinglifting.org

Official Website: www.2017anaheim.com

