

Competition: WBTF European Cup of Baton Twirling

When: 10th-14th July 2024

Where: Poreč, Croatia

Twirl Ireland Requirements:

- Must be a member on 1st September 2023, full member priority to places as per policy.
- All athletes must be minimum of Twirl Ireland Level B quality. Only 1 level offered internationally.
- Coaches and athletes are responsible for ensuring all relevant rules and regulations according to WBTF are adhered to this includes full understanding of costuming limitations, music requirements and content restrictions.
- The artistic groups are from the national squad only
- Trials will be held on 23rd March 2024

WBTF Requirements:

- Age is calculated on 31st December 2024
- Juvenile = 9-11 Youth = 12-14 Junior = 15-17 Senior = 18-21 Adult = 22+
- Youth and Junior are merged as Junior, Senior and Adult are merged as Senior for Freestyle, Pair and Team events.
- Youth, Juvenile and Junior are merged as Junior for Artistic Group
- There are NO alternates for the solo, 2-baton, 3-baton or freestyle events
- Each pair may have 1 alternate member (not an alternate pair)
- Each team and group may have 2 alternative members (not alternate team/group)
- All team members must be from the same club within their home country (no composite teams are permitted)
- Number of athletes in a team or group cannot change.
- There a specific eligibility rules regarding athletes, teams and groups who competed in the 2023 European Championships, or have been selected to compete in the 2024 IBTF World Freestyle and Rhythmic Twirl Championships. It is the coaches responsibility to ensure these are followed properly.

Entry Fees

Along with the Nationals and Trials Fees, athletes are responsible for all WBTF European cup fees which must clear the Twirl Ireland bank account with Trials entry fee. All WBTF fees are in US Dollars and will be converted at the current rate at time of processing of trials entries plus any transfer fees. Unsuccessful athletes will have funds refunded to the club in a single payment within 5 working days of the trials event.

- Solo \$30 per athlete
- 2-Baton \$30 per athlete
- 3-Baton \$30 per athlete
- Freestyle \$35 per athlete
- Pair \$25 per athlete/alternate
- Team \$25 per athlete/alternate
- Group \$25 per athlete/alternate

Minimum Scores:

	Level B				Level A				Elite			
	Juv	Jun	Sen	Adult	Juv	Jun	Sen	Adult	Juv	Jun	Sen	Adult
Solo	2.2 (1.87)	3.0 (2.55)		3.4 (2.89)		4.6 (3.91)		6.0 (5.1)		6.6 (5.61)		
2-Baton												
3-Baton												
Freestyle	3.0 (2.55)		3.4 (2.89)						6.6 (5.61)			
	Common Level											
Pair	30 (25.5)											
Team												
Group	8 (6.8)											

Please refer to the international competition requirements policy for full information.

Events, Divisions, Levels and Number of competitors

Solo

Levels	Female		Male	
B, A, Elite	Juvenile	3	Junior	3
	Youth	3	Senior	3
	Junior	3		
	Senior	3		
	Adult	3		

2-Baton

Levels	Female		Male	
B, A, Elite	Juvenile	3	Junior	3
	Youth	3	Senior	3
	Junior	3		
	Senior	3		
	Adult	3		

3-Baton

Levels	Female		Male	
Level A Restrictions (one level offered)	Youth	3	Junior	3
	Junior	3	Senior	3
	Senior	3		
	Adult	3		

Freestyle

Levels	Female		Male	
B, A, Elite	Youth	3	Junior	3
	Junior	3	Senior	3

	Senior	3		
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Music timings:

Youth, Junior 1:30-2:00

Senior 2:00-2:30

Freestyle Pair

Junior pair may only be Junior athletes. (12-17 years)

Senior pair can be 2 senior, or 1 junior/1senior athlete.

No Level	
Junior	1
Senior	1

Music timings:

Junior 1:30-2:00

Senior 2:00-2:30

Artistic/Freestyle Team – (5-9 Members)

Average age of all athletes. Can be mix of all ages (min age 8)

No Level	
Junior	2
Senior	2

Music timings: 3:00-3:30

Artistic Group (12+ members)

Average age of all athletes. Can be mix of all ages (min age 8)

No Level	
Junior	2
Senior	2

Music timings: 3:00-3:30