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STATEMENT OF THE PRIME MINISTER AND PATRON DR. REINER HASELOFF ON THE OCCASION OF THE IDO OPEN EUROPEAN BREAKING CHAMPIONSHIP IN MAGDEBURG ON JULY 9TH AND 10TH, 2022



Dr. Reiner Haseloff Prime Minister of the State Saxony-Anhalt

Nobody cares if you can't dance well. Just get up and dance. Great dancers are great because of their passion.

MARTHA GRAHAM

INTRODUCTION

Dear sportswomen and sportsmen, dear guests,

I would like to welcome you to Magdeburg. Breakdance is a fascinating dancing form and meanwhile an Olympic discipline. It requires a lot of discipline, athletic talent and technique. The European Breakdance Championships are the best advertisement for this sport, which enthuses many people worldwide. In Dessau, by incident, a breakdance group was founded as early as 1985. I am very pleased to have taken on the patronage of this competition and wish all participants great success and a pleasant stay in our state capital.

Dr. Reiner Haseloff Prime Minister of the State Saxony-Anhalt



With the European Breakdance Championships we intend to break new ground. It is important to us to make sure that dancers are valued more and that they get great framework conditions. We want to try uniting the scene with dancers from dance schools and show that breakdancing is rightly becoming Olympic.

We are looking forward to a great event in the heart of our sports city and let Magdeburg go upside down together.



INTRODUCTION

PATRONAGE EUROPEAN MASTERS-4-KIDS REGINA-DOLORES STIELER-HINZ

STATE CAPITAL MAGDEBURG COUNCILLOR FOR CULTURE, SCHOOL AND SPORT



Regina-Dolores Stieler-Hinz Councillor for Culture, School and Sport

As the City of Magdeburg's Councillor for Culture, Schools and Sport, I am very pleased to be able to take patronage of the European Breakdance Championships for Children and Young People, because this is where top sporting performances come together with culture.

Breakdance not only enthuses adults, but also picks up young people in particular in their reality of life. By hosting the European Championships, I hope there will be a booster effect for the joy of movement, in multicultural encounters and in fair sporting battles.

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PROMOTERS AND ORGANIZERS OF THE IDO OPEN EUROPEAN BREAKING CHAMPIONSHIPS

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GET READY TO RUMBLE

IDO OPEN EUROPEAN BREAKING CHAMPIONSHIP MAGDEBURG // GERMANY

From 9th - 10th July 2022, the best dancers and crews in Europe will meet for the IDO OPEN EUROPEAN BREAKING CHAMPION-SHIPS, the European MASTERS-4-KIDS and the INCLUSIVE WORLD CUP 2022. The new breakdance champions of Europe will be sought in the categories children, juniors and adults. For the first time, the kids category will be represented and will fight for the title European Masters-4-Kids. Also new in the programme is the World Cup in 1 vs. 1 InclusiveBreakdance.

The venue is Magdeburg, the capital of Saxony-Anhalt in the heart of Central Germany. In one of the most modern and largest sports arenas in Central Germany, the well-known Getec Arena, more than 300 dancers from over 20 nations will compete for the titles. An international jury of 6 well-known professional dancers will decide on the best performances in a points system.

The legendary host Tizzey will lead through

the event. Breaking DJ Planet and Break DJ Nomork will provide the right battle sound. The event will be accompanied by workshops, side events and many various activities.

For the first time there will be a soundtrack to the event. A selection of the world's best and hottest music producers from the breaking scene will be represented with their exclusive tracks on this soundtrack.

Responsible for the realization and organization of the Championships are the multiple IDO World Champions and Guinness World Record holders DA ROOKIES.

Look forward to a spectacular breaking weekend in the heart of Europe.





JUDGES AND ARTISTS

NO FREEZE, NO APPLAUSE - WHO WILL BE THE IDO EUROPEAN BREAKING CHAMPION?

Six of the world's best and most famous dancers will be the jury assessing the dancers' performance. Each of them, with years of experience, will bring the necessary expertise to the evaluation of the dancers. None lesser than Storm, Lil Amok, Thomas Stark, KC One, Memi and Dejan Zečević will be found in the judges' seats.

The internationally known DJs Break DJ Nomork and Breakin' DJ Planet will be providing the right battle soundtrack. Years of DJ experience on Europe's dancefloors and breaking cyphers, combined with their unique music selection, will ensure the necessary adrenaline in the battles.

And last but not least - who is the host who rocks the most? The well known MC Tizzey Talks will host the competition.

NIELS "STORM" ROBITZKY // GERMANY

Niels "Storm" Robitzky started breaking in 1983. With his crew Battle Squad he won the International Battle of the Year in 1991 and 1992. In 1991 he also won the IDO World Championship title. He then concentrated on his career as a choreographer, founded a theater company and produced, among other things, the opening choreography for the EXPO 2000 in Hanover and for the FIFA World Cup opening ceremony in 2006. Through his unique work in the theoretical area of dance interpretation, he was drawn on for the discipline of Breaking to design and implement a jury system for the Olympic Games. He is a professor at the Anton Bruckner private University in Linz, where he teaches urban dance forms and is still very actively involved in world events in hip-hop culture.

ADNAN "LIL AMOK" DUSHAKU // ALBANIA

The Albanian Breakdancer Adnan Dushaku who's more known as "LIL AMOK" is the Founder of the 2H2B Movement. He became the World Champion in 2019 at the IBE (Crash Bandicoot Battle) ! Since 2022 he is also one of the Olympic Coaches for Germany.

LIL AMOK is one of the most popular & respected BBoys in the World. He's also a Stage Dancer for Red Bull Flying Illusion & Red Bull Flying Bach. His Media presence demonstrates that he has achieved many Supporters World-Wide. 2014 New Years Eve he gained alot of attention on Social Media with his first Video where he was doing Airflares with Firework strapped on his Legs. Nobody ever did this before him. The Video went viral and inspired Pharrell Williams for his "FREEDOM" Music Video. BBC invited him for an Interview in 2015 Volkswagen featured him for his Campaign and even HuffPost & Spiegel Online wrote about him. At International Events, he is always one of the main pulling points. His acrobatic Moves show not only how he masters and uses his energetic physical strength. LIL AMOK also connects creativity with force.

WHO GOT THE SKILLZ?





THOMAS STARK // GERMANY

Thomas has been an active dancer since 1997 and is one of the founding members of "BATTLE TOYS". Together with his crew he traveled all over Europe and was able to celebrate various successes, e.g. as Winner of the German preliminary decision and as a participant in the "International Battle of the Year" 2016 and as a multiple time IDO World Champion. Thomas has also been an active member of the jury for many years, e.g. at Chelles Battle Pro Germany, Jam Street, Team Deathmatch, FLON Battle, and much more. He has been working as Federal Commissioner for Breaking in TAF and DTV.

DEJAN ZEČEVIĆ // SLOVENIA

Born in Murska Sobota, Slovenia, Dejan started his sport career first training karate for 10 years and completed 2 DAN black belt. He was acquainted with dance in year 2001 when he started his studies at the Faculty of Sport in Ljubljana. His passion outgrown the amateur level and soon he started to compete in Breaking and Disco dance. Dejan has won several National championship titles as an individual or part of the crew in Breaking and Disco dance.

Most of all he is proud of the results of his dancers that he has spent coaching for many years now. His dancers won over 70 national championships titles in different dance style and categories. As a trainer Dejan has collected over 30 medals and finals from IDO European and World championship in Disco dance, Breaking, Show dance, Street dance show and Hip hop, including 4 IDO World champion titles and 6 IDO European champion titles in Breaking and 2 in Street dance show. Dejan and his student were part of the Slovenian national breaking team at the WDSF World championship in China 2019 and WDSF European championship in Sochi 2021; his crew The chosen ones also compete in different "underground »battles all over the Europe.

KHALED "KCONE" CHAABI // SYRIA

Khaled aka Kcone is one of the best headspinners in the world. He was a longtime member of the legendary Flying Steps and toured the world with Flying Bach. He is a guest at numerous battles as a dancer and jury and impresses with his powerful dance style. As a dancer he is booked for a wide variety of events and productions worldwide. In 2022/23 he is returning to the stage with the hit show The Nutcracker, classic meets breakdance.

MUHAREM DEMIRI // KOSOVO

Memi has been working as a choreographer for music and theater pieces for many years. He received sports awards and in 2019 the integration prize. He has been a jury member at various dance events since 2007 and is the organizer of various battles himself.

4x World Champion5x Winner of Hip Hop International Germany2x Finalist by Hip Hop International Las Vegas

WHO GOT THE SKILLZ?



Breakin' DJ Planet, rooted in the worldwide breaking community for decades, is an oldschool pioneer of the local and overall, German hip hop scene and is regarded beyond his hometown of Magdeburg as Europe's "most underrated" breaking and funkstyle DJ

In the German breaking scene, there are hardly any more active breakbeat and boom bap producers who represent hip hop as a whole with so much passion. Under his label Breakbusters, with more than 15 artists and producers, he releases the appropriate musical support for the cyphers of this world. Due to his comprehensive audio library, Breakin' DJ Planet is one of the most facetted breaking and funkstyle DJs in the European scene, who does not only enrich every event more than musically, but also challenges every B-girl and B-boy with the hottest move.

ROCKIN **ON THE** 1&2'S

BREAK DJ NOMORK

He is one of the best break DJs in his field and a true exceptional talent behind the turntables. With his musical diversity and modern creativity in producing, he belongs to the elite of European breaking DJs and producers. At the same time, DJ Nomork is the humblest person who tirelessly supports the Breaking community with his experience. Magdeburg is known for its extensive and world-leading breaking and hip-hop beat productions. The city is co-founder to one of the greatest breaking community platforms "www.bboybreak. com" and/or owner of its own label "NRMK Records" which counts dozens of artists among its members. Thus, Magdeburg can look forward to top-class musical fireworks at the IDO OPEN EUROPEAN BREAKING CHAMPIONSHIPS.

BREAKIN' DJ PLANET

TIZZEY TALKS

"Image is nothing, hip hop is everything," says the multi-talented Tizzey aka Tizzey Talks -the host who rocks the most. No surprise, the veteran has been rocking the German hip-hop scene for 30 years now.

It all started in 1992 with graffiti writing and breaking. Later, Tizzey decided to switch from breaking to rapping and hosting. After a few songs and guest features on recordings or streaming portals as well as battle hostings, Tizzey doesn't get enough of hiphop. In 2011, Tizzey founded his hip-hop agency "BeActive- Prävention durch Kultur" in Hildesheim, where he offered active youth work related to hip hop. Rap and graffiti workshops, organising hip-hop jams, parties and breakdance battles all over Germany were the result until today.

Tizzey was furthermore the most booked Breaking Host in the German Breaking scene from 2012 - 2017.

WHO IS THE HOST WHO ROCKS THE MOST?





SHORT FACTS

SPECTATORS:	7782
SIZE:	109 X 77 M
HEIGHT:	22 METER
PARKING SPACES:	442



DIE GETEC ARENA

THE PLACE TO BE - ONE OF THE MOST MODERN AND LARGEST MULTI-PURPOSE HALLS IN SAXONY-ANHALT

This is one of the most modern and largest multi-purpose halls in Saxony-Anhalt with over 7,000 seats. Due to its extremely knowledgeable, sports-enthusiastic or music-enthusiastic audience, the Getec Arena has become known throughout Germany thanks to successful television productions for ARD, RTL and MDR, making the state capital of Saxony-Anhalt a first-class event venues in Germany.

It offers a maximum capacity of 7782 spectators. There are 5793 seats available for seated concerts and 6980 standing spaces for standing concerts. The hall has a floor area of 109 × 77 meters, and the total area of the site is 36,700 m². The large indoor hall has a total internal area of 90 × 71 meters, the direct sports floor dimensions are 60 \times 30 meters. The maximum interior height is 22 meters.

ARRIVAL BY CAR FROM THE NORTH

Coming from the north (A2, B71, B189), drive along Magdeburger Ring. Continue to the exit "B1, Zentrum", get into the left lane and drive onto the B1. (ATTENTION, the maximum bridge clearance is 4m). Then follow the signs for "GETEC-Arena" in an easterly direction. Then continue straight ahead as follows: -> Albert-Vater-Straße (underpass) -> Walther - Rathenau-Straße -> Askanischer Platz -> Elbbrücken (Elbe bridges) -> over the Jerichower Platz intersection. Then get into the right lane and turn right into Georg-Heidler-Straße at the next intersection. At the next intersection, turn right into Berliner Chaussee and the GETEC Arena car park will be on your left. Follow the signs to "GETEC Arena", the entrance is 100 m further on.

ARRIVAL BY CAR FROM THE SOUTH

PARKING

There are over 442 paid parking spaces for cars and buses directly at the GETEC Arena on Berliner Chaussee. Further parking facilities are available at the MDCC Arena stadium.



Coming from the south (A14 exit "Sudenburg Zentrum", B71, B81), take the Magdeburger Ring. Continue to the exit "Zentrum Süd, Sudenburg, Buckau" and drive straight ahead for approx. 3 km passing the following streets: Am Fuchsberg -> Erich-Weinert-Straße -> Steubenallee -> Schleinufer to Askanischer Platz.

Turn right here onto the B1 towards the east and drive over the Elbe bridge (Elbbrücke). Carry on and cross the Jerichower Platz intersection. Then get into the right lane and turn right into Georg-Heidler-Straße at the next intersection. Continue to the next intersection and turn right here into Berliner Chaussee and the GETEC Arena car park will be on your left. Follow the signs to "GETEC Arena", the entrance is 100 m further on. (from exit Magdeburger Ring approx. 4 km)

HOTELS & YOUTH HOSTELS

For the overnight stays guests can choose from a number of hotels and hostels in the state capital.

MARITIM HOTEL From: Double Room 99,00 €, Single Room 79,00 €, breakfast incl.

Maritim Hotel Magdeburg Otto-von-Guericke-Straße 87 39104 Magdeburg

Phone: 0391 / 5949-0 Mail: info.mag@maritim.de

YOUTH HOSTEL MAGDEBURG From: 35,00 €, breakfast incl.

Jugendherberge Magdeburg Leiterstr. 10 39104 Magdeburg

Phone: 0391 / 532 10 10 Mail: magdeburg@jugendherberge.de

RATSWAAGE HOTEL From: Double Room 82,00 € Single Room 68,00 €, breakfast incl.

Ratswaage Hotel Ratswaageplatz 1-4 39104 Magdeburg

Phone: 0391 / 5926-00 Mail: hotel@ratswaage.de



INTERCITY HOTEL From: Double Room 112,00 €, Single Room 92,00 €, breakfast incl.

Intercity Hotel Magdeburg Bahnhofstraße 69 39104 Magdeburg

Phone: 0391 / 5962-0 Mail: magdeburg@intercityhotel.de

GET TOGETHER ZUR EBC

ARE YOU READY TO PARTY? THE DANCEFLOOR IS YOURS. WELCOME TO THE EBC PARTY NIGHT FOR ALL DANCERS AND VISITORS OF THE IDO OPEN EUROPEAN BREAKING CHAMPIONSHIPS AT FESTUNG MARK

The gates of the Festung Markin Magdeburg will open at 8:00 p.m. With chillout area, barbecue, breaker floor and DJs, no wishes remain unfulfilled for a relaxed end of the first competition day.

The "Summer Jam" starts at 10:00 p.m., the official after-show party for the event with rockin DJs and bouncin beats.



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