



# Rio 2016 Paralympic Games

## TICKETING GUIDE

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# PARALYMPIC GAMES

7-18 September 2016



# IT'S RIO'S TURN

The Paralympic Games are approaching, and it is with great honour that the Rio 2016 Organising Committee announce the start of ticket sales for the competitions, which will take place from 7-18 September 2016.

Rio de Janeiro is currently the capital of world sport and is getting ready to offer unparalleled scenes for the performance of today's greatest athletes. At each sports venue it will be possible to experience the unique atmosphere provided by Paralympic sport, and witness new stories of overcoming and triumph.

Rio 2016 will have for sale a total of 3.3 million tickets for approximately 300 sporting sessions and two ceremonies. Tickets for the sports sessions will be priced between R\$10 and R\$130, facilitating participation in the event that will be staged in Brazil, South America for the first time.

In this guide, you will find the necessary information to become a Paralympic spectator. Take the time to read each page carefully and to familiarise yourself with the full event schedule. This will make it possible to compile the best programme for the event.

Your presence is of great importance. Come and be an active part of the Games, become part of history, bring your energy and enthusiasm. Words can't explain it - be there!

**Carlos Nuzman**  
Rio 2016 President

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*The Rio 2016 Games will take the action to four zones: Barra, Copacabana, Deodoro and Maracanã*

## RIO 2016: GET READY!

The Rio 2016 Paralympic Games will feature 22 sports and 23 disciplines. They will take place over 11 competition days and include 4,350 athletes from 179 National Paralympic Committees.

One of the highlights of the competition schedule is the debuts of canoe and triathlon, giving the Games a fresher look. The majority of events will take place in the Barra zone, where competitions in

12 sports will be hosted across 12 sport venues, including Riocentro, with three separate pavilions inside. Competitions in the remaining disciplines will be held in nine arenas across Copacabana, Deodoro and Maracanã.

One sport, wheelchair basketball, will take place across two venues, Rio Olympic Arena and Carioca Arena 1, both of which are situated in Barra.



**11 DAYS** of competition

**4,350** athletes

**179** National Paralympic Committees

# PARALYMPIC VENUES

Competition zones and venues

## Barra

1 Riocentro  
Pavilions 2, 3 and 6

2 Barra Olympic Park  
A | Carioca Arenas 1, 2 and 3  
B | Rio Olympic Velodrome  
C | Rio Olympic Arena  
D | Olympic Aquatics Stadium  
E | Olympic Tennis Centre  
F | Future Arena

Non-competition venues  
International Broadcast Centre  
Main Press Centre

3 Paralympic Village

4 Pontal

## Deodoro

5 Youth Arena

6 Deodoro Stadium

7 Olympic Equestrian Centre

8 Olympic Shooting Centre

## Maracanã

9 Olympic Stadium

10 Sambódromo

11 Maracanã

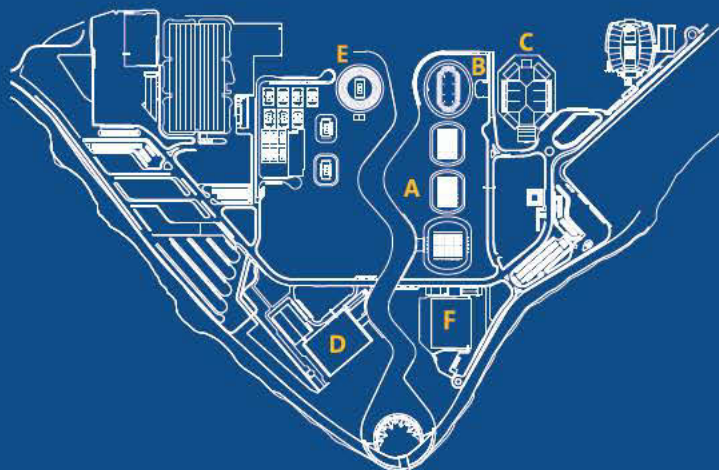
## Copacabana

12 Marina da Glória

13 Lagoa Stadium

14 Fort Copacabana

## Barra Olympic Park



Pedra Branca State Park

Barra







Deodoro

Guanabara Bay

Maracanã

Copacabana

Tijuca National Park

Atlantic Ocean

-  Existing / to be renovated
-  To construct
-  Temporary

-  Tom Jobim International Airport
-  Santos Dumont Domestic Airport

# Barra zone

Barra da Tijuca will be the epicentre of the Rio 2016 Paralympic Games. Situated in the west region of the city, the area will host the majority of the competitions across its 12 venues, including those located in Barra Olympic Park and Riocentro. The area will also house fundamental non-sporting venues, such as the Paralympic Village, the International Broadcast Centre (IBC) and the Main Press Centre (MPC).

## Venues

### BARRA OLYMPIC PARK



### PARALYMPIC VILLAGE



### MAIN PRESS CENTRE AND INTERNATIONAL BROADCAST CENTRE



### CARIOCA ARENAS 1, 2 AND 3



Boccia  
Carioca Arena 2



Wheelchair basketball  
Carioca Arena 1



Judo  
Carioca Arena 3



Wheelchair rugby  
Carioca Arena 1

### FUTURE ARENA



Goalball

### OLYMPIC AQUATICS STADIUM



Swimming

### OLYMPIC TENNIS CENTRE



Football 5-a-side



Wheelchair  
tennis

### PONTAL



Cycling road

### RIOCENTRO - PAVILIONS 2, 3 AND 6



Powerlifting  
Pavilion 2



Table tennis  
Pavilion 3



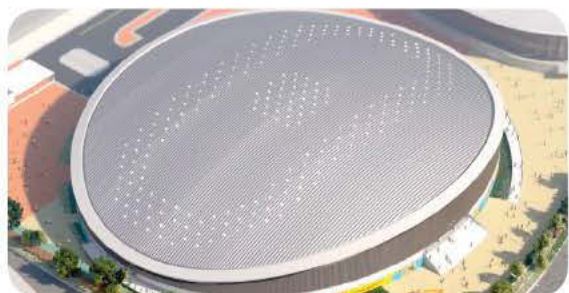
Sitting volleyball  
Pavilion 6

### RIO OLYMPIC ARENA



Wheelchair basketball

### RIO OLYMPIC VELODROME



Cycling track

# Copacabana zone

Located in the south of Rio de Janeiro, Copacabana is arguably the most famous neighbourhood in the city. Its beach, which stretches for over four kilometres, is a renowned postcard image across the world. People of all ages practise sports, swim or simply relax in the sun; it is the spirit of the neighbourhood. Against the background of Pão de Açúcar and Corcovado, Copacabana will be the perfect setting for marathon swimming and other outdoor competitions. The region will offer open-air events with a typically *carioca* atmosphere. The venues in the Copacabana zone are Fort Copacabana, Lagoa Stadium and Marina da Glória.

## Venues

### FORT COPACABANA



Athletics  
(Marathon)



Triathlon

## LAGOA STADIUM



Canoe



Rowing

## MARINA DA GLÓRIA



Sailing

# Deodoro zone

Also located in the western part of Rio de Janeiro, the Deodoro zone relies on train lines to connect the neighbourhood to the centre and, from there, the rest of the city. The venues constructed for the 2007 Pan and Parapan American Games – which are being used for the Rio 2016 Paralympic Games – led to a growth in the practise of sports in the Deodoro region. The expectation is that the enthusiasm for Paralympic sports such as football 7-a-side and wheelchair fencing will increase even further with the Games.

## Venues

DEODORO STADIUM



Football 7-a-side

OLYMPIC EQUESTRIAN CENTRE



Equestrian

OLYMPIC SHOOTING CENTRE



Shooting

YOUTH ARENA



Wheelchair fencing

# Maracanã zone

The Maracanã zone includes two of the most iconic locations in Rio de Janeiro: the Maracanã Stadium and the Sambódromo – as well as the Olympic Stadium, built for the Rio 2007 Pan and Parapan American Games. Located in the north of Rio, the Maracanã is just a few minutes from the city centre. Thousands of people visit the site every day, either for work or exercise, taking advantage of the tracks that surround the sport complexes. The whole area is amply served by transport and leisure options. The Maracanã Stadium will be the stage for the opening and closing ceremonies of the Rio 2016 Paralympic Games.

## Venues

### MARACANÃ



Opening and closing ceremonies



## SAMBÓDROMO



Archery

## OLYMPIC STADIUM



Athletics

# GET YOUR TICKETS

The Rio 2016 ticket application process is available only for Brazilian residents over 18 years of age with a CPF (Brazilian tax ID). Only one account per CPF will be allowed. The following information will help you navigate all steps on the Rio 2016 ticket website ([www.rio2016.com/tickets](http://www.rio2016.com/tickets)) and offer you the greatest opportunity of buying tickets for the Paralympic Games.

If you live outside Brazil and want to attend the Games, it will be necessary to contact the Authorised Ticket Reseller (ATR) for your territory to purchase tickets. Further information about the ATRs is available at [www.rio2016.com/spectators](http://www.rio2016.com/spectators).

Both residents and non-residents will also be able to purchase any remaining tickets at our ticket box offices from June 2016 onwards.

## PARALYMPIC TICKET PROGRAMME

Learn more about the Paralympic Games ticket process



# THE TICKETS

Tickets for the Rio 2016 Paralympic Games will have a special design, so that you may take away a memorable souvenir. There will be two types of ticket available.

## STANDARD TICKETS

These will have a standard, single design for every session of the Paralympic Games. Standard tickets should be collected at the Rio 2016 ticket box offices.

## SOUVENIR TICKETS

This special version with a commemorative design for each sport will be delivered to the spectator's home address. When purchasing tickets through the Rio 2016 website, you should choose secure courier SEDEX as the delivery method.

However, please note that this option may not be available at the time of your purchase, as Rio 2016 must establish a deadline to be able to print and deliver the tickets on time for the Games. Further information will be released on the Rio 2016 website in the near future.

## TICKET PURCHASE

As the box offices are only expected to open in June 2016, for most phases of the Ticket Programme the Rio 2016 website will be the only way to buy Paralympic Games tickets for Brazilian residents. Each applicant must create a Rio 2016 ticket

account to submit a request. Please read the following information carefully to have a better understanding of how to buy your tickets.

### KEEP IN MIND THAT WHEN YOU APPLY FOR TICKETS, YOU WILL ALSO BE CHOOSING:

#### A SPORT

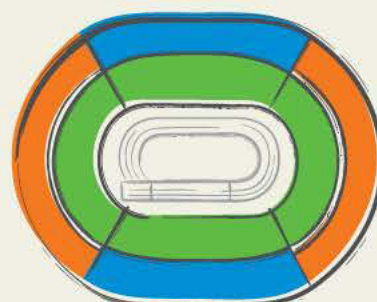
There are two ceremonies and 22 sports to choose from. One sport, cycling, is broken down into two disciplines, road and track. Sports are also subdivided into categories, according to the athlete's type of impairment. You will find details of each discipline and category in this guide, with further information on the Rio 2016 ticket website ([www.rio2016.com/tickets](http://www.rio2016.com/tickets)).

#### A SESSION

The Paralympic Games take place over 12 days. Each day is broken down into sessions classified as preliminaries, quarter-finals, semi-finals and final. The Games will have around 300 sessions and you can apply for a maximum of 20 sessions per account within the draw phase. Please take the time to make your selections carefully.

#### A PRICE CATEGORY

You will always select a ticket for a particular price category rather than for specific seats. A group of seats was determined for each venue by price category. Most sessions have tickets available in more than one price category and some will have up to four price categories available for selection – as is the case with the opening and closing ceremonies of the Games. All categories will provide a great Games experience. See the following example of the Olympic Stadium with its categories defined and colour-coded for the athletics competition.



## DRAW PHASE APPLICATION

The draw phase is the first and best opportunity to purchase your tickets for the Paralympic Games, as everyone has an equal chance of success. The random draw will be run by sessions and not orders, which increases your chance of being selected. This phase will have one round.

## RANDOM DRAW

Applications will run from 7-30 September 2015. All Brazilian residents over 18 years of age with a valid CPF can make a request. Only one request per CPF will be allowed. You will be able to choose up to 20 sessions with a limit of eight or 12 tickets per session (for higher and lower demand sessions, respectively). After the draw has been made, everyone will receive an email with the results announced no later than October 2015.

## ONLINE SALES

The online sales phase will begin in December 2015 and tickets will be sold on a first-come, first-served basis. Spectators – Brazilian residents only – must use the same account already created on the site, and the same limit of 20 sessions per request will apply. However, there is no request limit. New spectators are also welcome to register to apply for tickets.

## TICKET BOX OFFICE SALES

Remaining tickets will be available at the ticket box offices located in the four competition zones from June 2016.



# TICKET PRICES

Rio 2016 will have entrance prices for Paralympic sessions starting at R\$10. These prices vary according to the ceremony, sport, discipline, competition phase and the price category you choose. Please refer to the Ticket Price List on our website ([http://www.rio2016.com/sites/default/files/users/rio2016\\_files/paralimpic\\_ticket\\_prices.pdf](http://www.rio2016.com/sites/default/files/users/rio2016_files/paralimpic_ticket_prices.pdf)) for more details.

## HALF-PRICE ENTRANCE

There will be half-price entrance to all sessions for:

- Brazilian residents over 60 years of age, obese people and wheelchair users, people with additional accessibility requirements, people with reduced mobility (with companions): valid for all price categories of any session
- Students and teachers (municipal public schools of Rio de Janeiro only): valid for the lowest priced categories of each session

To attend a session with half-price entrance, spectators must provide proof of eligibility at the time of the session. If you are not eligible for the discount, even if you hold a half-price ticket, you will not be allowed to attend the session. Please note that discounts are not cumulative.

Up  
to

or  
tickets  
per session

There are ticket limitations for each session. You can select up to eight or 12 tickets per session, according to demand and number of seats available at the venue. These limitations will enable a fair allocation of seats, giving a broad number of spectators a greater chance of enjoying the once-in-a-lifetime experience of attending the Rio 2016 Paralympic Games.

# PAYMENT



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PAYMENT METHODS			
	DRAW PHASE	ONLINE SALES	TICKET BOX OFFICES
Bradesco Visa credit card	up to five installments	✓	✓
Visa credit card	up to three installments	✓	✓
Rio 2016 Virtual Payment	✓	✓	✓
Cash			✓
Visa debit card			✓

## HOW TO OBTAIN A VISA CARD

As you will need a Visa card to purchase tickets online, and a Visa card or cash for all purchases when you arrive at the Games, plan ahead and apply for one now by contacting your bank or by visiting the following link: [www.visa.com.br/contatos](http://www.visa.com.br/contatos).

Otherwise, you can easily get a Rio 2016 Virtual Payment solution by accessing [www.rio2016.com/virtualpayment](http://www.rio2016.com/virtualpayment). You will be able to recharge it via any electronic payment method.



## TICKET DELIVERY

When purchasing tickets online either during the random draws or the online phase, you will be asked to choose a delivery method.

### SECURE COURIER (SEDEX)

Your best option is to have souvenir tickets delivered directly to your home via the secure courier service (SEDEX). Commemorative tickets have a special design, unique for each sport and ceremony. Home delivery is convenient and safe, and allows you to avoid waiting in line to collect your tickets at a box office. The cost for SEDEX delivery is R\$12 per delivery, no matter how many tickets you purchase, and all tickets purchased on the same account prior to February 2016 will be delivered together. Tickets will be delivered from May 2016.

### TICKET BOX OFFICE COLLECTION

You may also choose to collect your tickets in person from one of our ticket box offices from June 2016. Tickets collected from box offices will be printed on a standard (non-commemorative) basis. We highly recommend that you choose home delivery to avoid queues.





## OFFICIAL SALES CHANNELS

### RIO 2016 TICKET WEBSITE

[www.rio2016.com/tickets](http://www.rio2016.com/tickets)

The Rio 2016 ticket website is the only official channel for residents of Brazil to request tickets for the Paralympic Games in the draw phase and online sales stage, until June 2016, when the ticket box offices will open.

### AUTHORISED TICKET RESELLERS (ATRs)

For spectators outside Brazil, Authorised Ticket Resellers have been appointed to sell tickets on behalf of Rio 2016. Information

on all ATRs is available at [www.rio2016.com/spectators](http://www.rio2016.com/spectators). Please check this list to find the contact information of the official ATR in your country or territory.

### RIO 2016 TICKET BOX OFFICES

Ticket box offices will open in June 2016 for collection and sales. Any remaining tickets will be available for purchase. A list of all ticket box office locations, including opening dates and operating hours, will be available in early 2016 on the Rio 2016 ticket website.

# ACCESSIBILITY

Rio 2016 is proud to ensure that its venues are constructed as accessibly as possible to improve the Paralympic experience for all spectators. Rio 2016 will ensure that space is available for spectators with accessibility needs, in accordance with current legislation.

## WHEELCHAIR SPACES

A limited number of wheelchair spaces will be available at each session, according to the availability of the venue. Each wheelchair user is entitled to be accompanied by one companion, and both the wheelchair user and companion are eligible for half-price tickets. This discount cannot be combined with any other discount for which the ticket holder may be eligible, and the request must be made when submitting the ticket purchase application.

## REQUEST FOR ACCESSIBLE SEATING

### DRAW PHASE

When applying for tickets during the draw phase, please indicate how many tickets you require for each type of accessible seating needed. The choices are:

- Wheelchair users and companions
- People with reduced mobility (mobility restrictions not requiring a wheelchair) and companions
- Obese people
- People with another documented impairment, such as audibly or visually impaired, and companions

People who are awarded tickets in the draw and have indicated that they have another documented impairment or reduced mobility will be contacted by a Rio 2016 representative to discuss their specific needs. We will make every effort to accommodate all accessible seating needs.

### ONLINE SALES PHASE

When the first-come, first-served online sales begin in December 2015, Rio 2016 Ticket Customer Service will provide a call centre for sales support to all spectators with an impairment. This is an exclusive service for the purchase of accessibility seats.

## ACCESSIBLE SERVICES

The Rio 2016 Paralympic Committee has the task of ensuring that each venue built in the city is accessible to all spectators, who are given the best possible experience during the Games. Rio 2016 will offer seats for spectators with an impairment, in accordance with applicable laws. Other facilities will be provided to assist spectators, such as:

- Rio 2016 Ticket Customer Service
- Preferential queues at Rio 2016 ticket box offices
- Accessible toilet facilities at competition venues
- Wheelchair loan service
- Special assistance for wheelchair users in the venue
- Storage for pushchairs and prams
- Accessibility information kiosk
- Golf carts available for those with a mobility impairment (in select venues only)
- Relief areas for guide dogs
- Special assistance for those with a visual impairment

# OPENING CEREMONY 7 SEPTEMBER 2016

# CLOSING CEREMONY 18 SEPTEMBER 2016

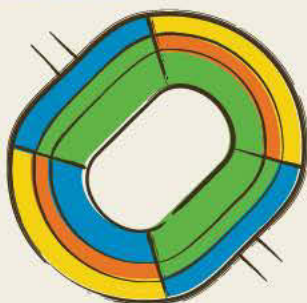
Some of the most vibrant aspects of Brazilian culture, such as music and our celebrated festive spirit, will be present at the opening and closing ceremonies of the Games, in the legendary Maracanã Stadium, temple of Brazilian football and icon of world sport. A majestic spectacle is being prepared for the opening ceremony to ensure a warm, impressive reception for the athletes and spectators, and to set the tone for the huge

flow of emotions that will be maintained throughout the Rio 2016 Paralympic Games.

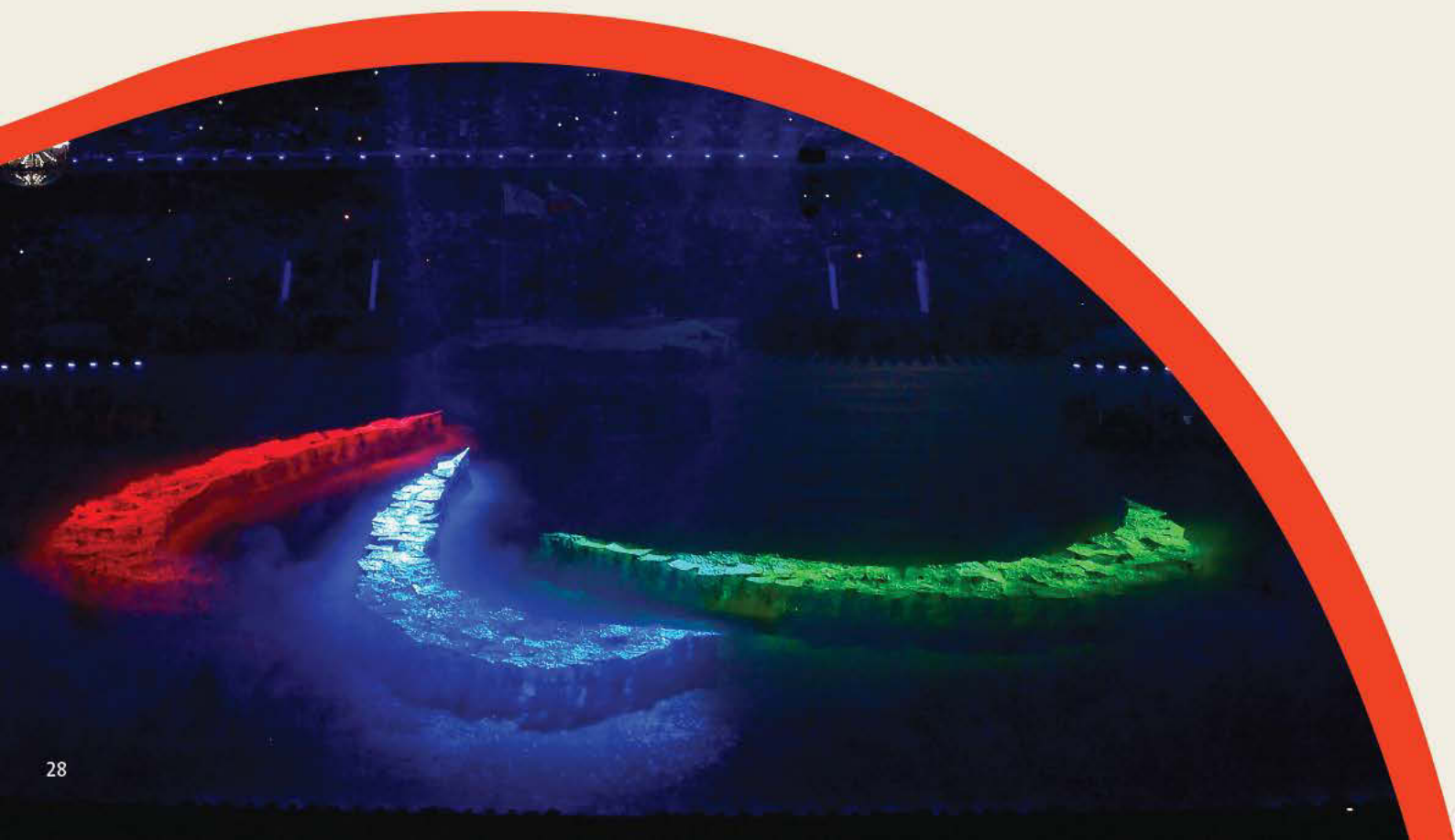
The closing ceremony is an unforgettable opportunity for all those directly involved in the Games to participate in an enormous celebration of the delivery of the biggest sporting event in the world, marking an emotional conclusion to a once-in-a-lifetime sporting sensation.

## SPECTATOR AREA

Maracanã



Date	Session time	Session description	Session code	Price category (R\$)				Ticket limit
				A	B	C	D	
7 SEP Wednesday	18:00-22:00	Opening Ceremony	PZO01	1,200	500	200	100	8
18 SEP Sunday	18:00-22:00	Closing Ceremony	PZC01	1,000	400	200	100	8





## How to get there

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### Maracanã - Maracanã Zone

-  *Supervia - São Cristóvão Station*
-  *Metro Line 2 - São Cristóvão Station*
-  *Metro Line 1 - São Francisco Xavier Station*

7-18 September

# Daily competition schedule

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Sport	Venue	Zone	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Archery	Sambódromo	Maracanã			
Athletics	Olympic Stadium	Maracanã		•	•
Athletics - Marathon	Fort Copacabana	Copacabana			
Boccia	Carioca Arena 2	Barra			
Canoe	Lagoa Stadium	Copacabana			
Cycling Road - TBC	Pontal	Barra			
Cycling Track	Rio Olympic Velodrome	Barra		•	•
Equestrian	Olympic Equestrian Centre	Deodoro			
Football 5-a-Side	Olympic Tennis Centre - Court 1	Barra			•
Football 7-a-Side	Deodoro Stadium	Deodoro		•	
Goalball	Future Arena	Barra		•	•
Judo	Carioca Arena 3	Barra		•	•
Powerlifting	Riocentro - Pavilion 2	Barra		•	•
Rowing	Lagoa Stadium	Copacabana			•
Sailing	Marina da Glória	Copacabana			
Shooting	Olympic Shooting Centre	Deodoro		•	•
Sitting Volleyball	Riocentro - Pavilion 6	Barra			•
Swimming	Olympic Aquatics Stadium	Barra		•	•
Table Tennis	Riocentro - Pavilion 3	Barra		•	•
Triathlon	Fort Copacabana	Copacabana			
Wheelchair Basketball	Carioca Arena 1	Barra		•	•
	Rio Olympic Arena	Barra		•	•
Wheelchair Fencing	Youth Arena	Deodoro			
Wheelchair Rugby	Carioca Arena 1	Barra			
Wheelchair Tennis	Olympic Tennis Centre - Centre Court	Barra			•
	Olympic Tennis Centre - Court 2	Barra			•
	Olympic Tennis Centre - Courts 3-9	Barra			•
Opening Ceremony	Maracanã	Maracanã	•		
Closing Ceremony	Maracanã	Maracanã			

Use this schedule to help you plan your Paralympic Games experience.  
All competition schedules included in this guide are subject to change.

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Hasihin Sanawi of Malaysia competes in the men's individual recurve on day 5 of the London 2012 Paralympic Games



# Archery

Contested by athletes with cerebral palsy, paraplegics, quadriplegics, amputees, sufferers of dysfunctional, progressive diseases and other impairments, Paralympic archery is disputed in the same format and with the same objective as the Olympic discipline: to hit the 10-circled target with the arrows, positioned 70m away with recurve bow and 50m with compound bow.

## DOUBLE PARTICIPATION

The competition area is identical, while the equipment is similar to the Olympic discipline. For this reason, should an athlete obtain a good enough score, Paralympic athletes can compete at the Olympic Games. That was the case for New Zealander Neroli Fairhall, at Los Angeles 1984, and Italian Paola Fantato, at Atlanta 1996.

## FUNCTIONAL CLASSIFICATION

There are three categories in Paralympic archery:

**Open** - Athletes have an impairment in the legs and use a wheelchair or have a balance impairment and shoot standing or resting on a stool. Open category athletes may shoot in recurve or compound competitions, under standard rules, and the category features at the Paralympic Games.

**W1** - Athletes may have impairment in the legs and make use of a wheelchair. W1 athletes may

shoot either a recurve or a compound bow modified from standard rules. There are no separate competitions for the two disciplines, and the category also features at the Paralympic Games.

The third category, which does not feature at the Paralympic Games, is for visually impaired athletes.

## DEFINING MOMENT

One of the most memorable moments at the Barcelona 1992 Olympic Games Opening Ceremony was provided by a Paralympic archer. Spaniard Antonio Rebello, winner of two silver medals and one bronze in the history of the competition, shot a flaming arrow into the Olympic cauldron, and was responsible for opening the biggest sporting event on the planet.

## How to get there

**Sambódromo - Maracanã Zone**

🚇 Metro Line 1 - Praça 11 Station

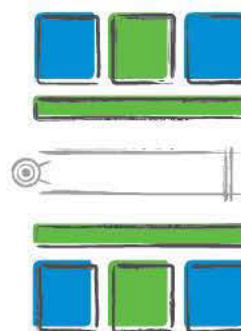
🚇 Metro Line 1 - Central Station

🚇 Metro Line 2 - Cidade Nova Station



## SPECTATOR AREAS

### Sambódromo



Date	Session time	Session description	Session code	Price category (R\$)		Ticket limit
				A	B	
11 SEP Sunday	09:00-12:20	Team Recurve Open: 1/8 eliminations	PAR03	20	10	12
	15:00-18:50	Team Recurve Open: quarter-finals Team Recurve Open: semi-finals Team Recurve Open: bronze medal match Team Recurve Open: gold medal match Team Recurve Open: victory ceremony	PAR04	30	20	8
12 SEP Monday	09:00-12:20	Team Compound Open: 1/8 eliminations	PAR05	20	10	12
	15:00-18:50	Team Compound Open: quarter-finals Team Compound Open: semi-finals Team Compound Open: bronze medal match Team Compound Open: gold medal match Team Compound Open: victory ceremony	PAR06	30	20	8
13 SEP Tuesday	09:00-13:00	Individual Recurve Open: 1/16 eliminations	PAR07	20	10	12
	15:00-19:30	Individual Recurve Open: 1/8 eliminations Individual Recurve Open: quarter-finals Individual Recurve Open: semi-finals Individual Recurve Open: bronze medal match Individual Recurve Open: gold medal match Individual Recurve Open: victory ceremony	PAR08	30	20	8
14 SEP Wednesday	09:00-13:00	Individual Compound Open: 1/16 eliminations	PAR09	20	10	12
	15:00-19:30	Individual Compound Open: 1/8 eliminations Individual Compound Open: quarter-finals Individual Compound Open: semi-finals Individual Compound Open: bronze medal match Individual Compound Open: gold medal match Individual Compound Open: victory ceremony	PAR10	30	20	8
15 SEP Thursday	09:00-13:00	Individual Recurve Open: 1/16 eliminations	PAR11	20	10	12
	15:00-19:30	Individual Recurve Open: 1/8 eliminations Individual Recurve Open: quarter-finals Individual Recurve Open: semi-finals Individual Recurve Open: bronze medal match Individual Recurve Open: gold medal match Individual Recurve Open: victory ceremony	PAR12	30	20	8
16 SEP Friday	09:00-13:30	Individual Compound Open: 1/8 eliminations Individual Compound Open: quarter-finals Individual Compound Open: semi-finals Individual Compound Open: bronze medal match Individual Compound Open: gold medal match Individual Compound Open: victory ceremony	PAR13	30	20	8
	15:00-19:30	Individual Recurve / Compound W1: 1/8 eliminations Individual Recurve / Compound W1: quarter-finals Individual Recurve / Compound W1: semi-finals Individual Recurve / Compound W1: bronze medal match Individual Recurve / Compound W1: gold medal match Individual Recurve / Compound W1: victory ceremony	PAR14	30	20	8
17 SEP Saturday	09:00-13:30	Individual Recurve / Compound W1: 1/8 eliminations Individual Recurve / Compound W1: quarter-finals Individual Recurve / Compound W1: semi-finals Individual Recurve / Compound W1: bronze medal match Individual Recurve / Compound W1: gold medal match Individual Recurve / Compound W1: victory ceremony	PAR15	30	20	8
	15:00-18:50	Team Compound W1: quarter-finals Team Compound W1: semi-finals Team Compound W1: bronze medal match Team Compound W1: gold medal match Team Compound W1: victory ceremony	PAR16	30	20	8

Men's event Women's event Mixed event Victory Ceremony

# Athletics

The Paralympic programme is practically the same as the Olympic Games. On the track, the athletes run distances that vary from 100 to 10,000 metres. In the field, there are the disciplines of jumping, throwing and launching, in addition to the marathon and pentathlon. The difference is that there are events for athletes with a visual impairment, wheelchair users and athletes with prostheses, and that each has functional classifications to guarantee a level playing field.

## FULL AGENDA

Paralympic athletics has a peculiarity: several events are the same distance. While at the Olympic Games we watch the 100m sprint only twice, once in the men's and again in the women's, at the Paralympic Games the 100m is raced 29 times, divided into 15 classes for men and 14 for women.

## CODE

On account of athlete classification, the names of the events follow a code, and the letter "T" is used for track events, while "F" is used for field events. The number indicates the degree of the athlete's impairment.

## ALAN FONTELES

A congenital failure hindered the development of his legs, but it didn't stop the Brazilian from becoming one of the fastest men in the world. Current Paralympic champion in the 200m T44 class (for double amputees), Alan Fonteles hopes to increase his medal collection at the Rio 2016 Games.


## How to get there

**Olympic Stadium - Maracanã Zone**  
(track and field)

 Rail (Supervia) - Engenho de Dentro Station

**Fort Copacabana - Copacabana Zone**  
(marathon)

 Metro Line 1 - Cantagalo Station  
(Rua Xavier da Silveira exit)

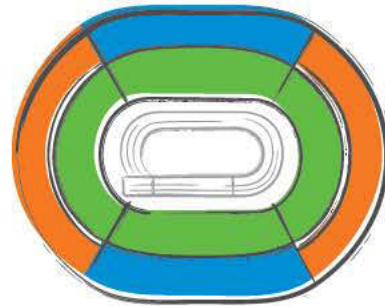
 Metro Line 1 and Metro Line 4  
Gal. Osório Station (Rua Sá Ferreira exit)



Alan Fonteles of Brazil competes in the men's 100m - T44 heat 1 on day 7 of the London 2012 Paralympic Games

## SPECTATOR AREAS

### Olympic Stadium



Date	Session time	Session description	Session code	Price category (RS)			Ticket limit
				A	B	C	
08 SEP Thursday	10:00-13:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> 5000m T11: final</li> <li> 5000m T11: victory ceremony</li> <li> Shot Put F32: final</li> <li> Discus F52: final</li> <li> 100m T11: round 1</li> <li> Long Jump F11: final</li> <li> Long Jump F11: victory ceremony</li> <li> Shot Put F12: final</li> <li> Shot Put F12: victory ceremony</li> <li> 100m T12: round 1</li> <li> 400m T12: round 1</li> <li> 100m T53: round 1</li> </ul>	PAT01	40	30	20	8
	17:30-20:30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> 100m T36: round 1</li> <li> Shot Put F57: final</li> <li> 100m T44: round 1</li> <li> Shot Put F41: final</li> <li> Shot Put F41: victory ceremony</li> <li> Shot Put F32: victory ceremony</li> <li> 400m T20: round 1</li> <li> Discus F37: final</li> <li> Discus F37: victory ceremony</li> <li> Long Jump F47: final</li> <li> Long Jump F47: victory ceremony</li> <li> Discus F52: victory ceremony</li> <li> 400m T12: semi-finals</li> <li> 100m T53: final</li> <li> 100m T53: victory ceremony</li> <li> 100m T54: round 1</li> <li> 100m T13: round 1</li> <li> 100m T37: round 1</li> <li> 100m T38: round 1</li> </ul>	PAT02	70	60	50	8
09 SEP Friday	10:00-13:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> 100m T53: round 1</li> <li> Club Throw F32: final</li> <li> Javelin F54: final</li> <li> 100m T36: round 1</li> <li> Shot Put F57: victory ceremony</li> <li> 100m T36: final</li> <li> 100m T36: victory ceremony</li> <li> Long Jump F44: final</li> <li> Long Jump F44: victory ceremony</li> <li> 100m T35: round 1</li> <li> Shot Put F41: final</li> <li> Shot Put F41: victory ceremony</li> <li> 100m T13: final</li> <li> 100m T13: victory ceremony</li> <li> 400m T52: round 1</li> <li> 400m T20: final</li> <li> 400m T20: victory ceremony</li> <li> 100m T11: semifinals</li> <li> 100m T12: semifinals</li> <li> 100m T54: semifinals</li> </ul>	PAT03	40	30	20	8
	17:30-20:55	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> 100m T35: final</li> <li> Javelin F34: final</li> <li> 100m T37: final</li> <li> 100m T38: final</li> <li> 100m T32: victory ceremony</li> <li> Javelin F54: final</li> <li> Club Throw F32: victory ceremony</li> <li> Javelin F54: victory ceremony</li> <li> Discus F11: final</li> <li> 5000m T54: round 1</li> <li> High Jump F42: final</li> <li> 5000m T54: round 1</li> <li> 100m T35: victory ceremony</li> <li> 100m T37: victory ceremony</li> <li> 100m T11: final</li> <li> 100m T12: final</li> <li> 100m T38: victory ceremony</li> <li> 100m T54: final</li> <li> 100m T53: final</li> <li> Javelin F44: victory ceremony</li> <li> 100m T11: victory ceremony</li> <li> 400m T12: final</li> <li> 100m T12: victory ceremony</li> <li> 100m T54: victory ceremony</li> <li> 100m T44: final</li> <li> high jump F42: victory ceremony</li> <li> 100m T53: victory ceremony</li> <li> 100m T52: round 1</li> <li> Discus F11: victory ceremony</li> <li> 400m T12: victory ceremony</li> <li> 100m T34: round 1</li> <li> 100m T44: victory ceremony</li> </ul>	PAT04	110	90	70	8

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10 SEP Saturday	10:00-13:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> Men's Discus F56: final</li> <li> Shot Put F54: final</li> <li> 100m T11: round 1</li> <li> Long Jump F12: final</li> <li> Long Jump F12: victory ceremony</li> <li> 100m T52: final</li> <li> 100m T52: victory ceremony</li> <li> Shot Put F20: final</li> <li> Shot Put F20: victory ceremony</li> <li> Javelin F34: victory ceremony</li> <li> 400m T52: final</li> <li> 400m T52: victory ceremony</li> <li> 1500m T13: final</li> <li> 1500m T13: victory ceremony</li> <li> 100m T37: round 1</li> <li> 100m T47: round 1</li> <li> 400m T53: round 1</li> </ul>	PAT05	40	30	20	8
	17:30-20:30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> 100m T13: round 1</li> <li> Shot Put F33: final</li> <li> Javelin F56: final</li> <li> Shot Put F20: final</li> <li> Shot Put F20: victory ceremony</li> <li> 100m T36: final</li> <li> 100m T36: victory ceremony</li> <li> Shot Put F54: victory ceremony</li> <li> Discus F56: victory ceremony</li> <li> 100m T34: final</li> <li> 100m T34: victory ceremony</li> <li> Javelin F37: final</li> <li> Javelin F37: victory ceremony</li> <li> 100m T33: final</li> <li> 100m T33: victory ceremony</li> <li> Long Jump F42: final</li> <li> 200m T42: round 1</li> <li> Long Jump F42: victory ceremony</li> <li> 400m T53: round 1</li> <li> 1500m T38: final</li> <li> 100m T47: round 1</li> <li> 100m T11: semi-finals</li> <li> 1500m T38: victory ceremony</li> </ul>	PAT06	70	60	50	8
11 SEP Sunday	10:00-13:10	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> 400m T54: round 1</li> <li> Shot Put F34: final</li> <li> 5000m T54: final</li> <li> 5000m T54: victory ceremony</li> <li> Discus F44: final</li> <li> Discus F44: victory ceremony</li> <li> Shot Put F33: victory ceremony</li> <li> Javelin F56: victory ceremony</li> <li> 100m T47: final</li> <li> 100m T47: victory ceremony</li> <li> Long Jump F20: final</li> <li> Long Jump F20: victory ceremony</li> <li> 100m T37: final</li> <li> 100m T37: victory ceremony</li> <li> 100m T13: final</li> <li> 100m T13: victory ceremony</li> <li> Javelin F41: final</li> <li> Javelin F41: victory ceremony</li> <li> 200m T35: round 1</li> <li> 400m T53: final</li> <li> 400m T53: victory ceremony</li> <li> 1500m T37: final</li> <li> 1500m T37: victory ceremony</li> <li> 100m T37: victory ceremony</li> <li> 1500m T11: round 1</li> <li> 200m T12: round 1</li> </ul>	PAT07	40	30	20	8
	17:30-20:40	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> 100m T34: round 1</li> <li> Club Throw F51: final</li> <li> 400m T53: final</li> <li> 400m T53: victory ceremony</li> <li> Shot Put F34: victory ceremony</li> <li> 400m T54: final</li> <li> 400m T54: victory ceremony</li> <li> 400m T54: round 1</li> <li> Shot Put F40: final</li> <li> Shot Put F40: victory ceremony</li> <li> Long Jump F38: final</li> <li> Long Jump F38: victory ceremony</li> <li> 1500m T13: final</li> <li> 1500m T13: victory ceremony</li> <li> 100m T47: final</li> <li> 100m T47: victory ceremony</li> <li> 100m T11: final</li> <li> 100m T11: victory ceremony</li> <li> 400m T44: round 1</li> <li> 200m T42: final</li> <li> 200m T42: victory ceremony</li> <li> 200m T12 semi-finals</li> <li> 200m T44: round 1</li> </ul>	PAT08	70	60	50	8

Men's event Women's event Victory Ceremony

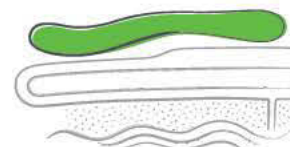
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13 SEP Tuesday	10:00-13:15	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> 400m T47: round 1</li> <li> Club Throw F32: final</li> <li> 400m T37: final</li> <li> 400m T37: victory ceremony</li> <li> 400m T52: final</li> <li> 400m T52: victory ceremony</li> <li> Javelin F57: victory ceremony</li> <li> 100m T51: final</li> <li> 100m T51: victory ceremony</li> <li> 100m T38: final</li> <li> 100m T38: victory ceremony</li> <li> 200m T36: final</li> <li> 200m T36: victory ceremony</li> <li> Long Jump T37: final</li> <li> Long Jump T37: victory ceremony</li> <li> 1500m T20: final</li> <li> 1500m T20: victory ceremony</li> <li> Javelin F46: final</li> <li> Javelin F46: victory ceremony</li> <li> 4x100m T11-13: round 1</li> <li> 4x100m T11-13: final</li> <li> 4x100m T11-13: victory ceremony</li> <li> 400m T38: round 1</li> <li> 400m T34: round 1</li> <li> 100m T35: round 1</li> </ul>	PAT11	40	30	20	8
	17:30-20:40	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> 400m T13: round 1</li> <li> Javelin F54: final</li> <li> 400m T20: final</li> <li> 400m T20: victory ceremony</li> <li> Club Throw F32: victory ceremony</li> <li> Javelin F46: final</li> <li> Javelin F46: victory ceremony</li> <li> 1500m T11: final</li> <li> 1500m T11: victory ceremony</li> <li> Shot Put F37: final</li> <li> Shot Put F37: victory ceremony</li> <li> 1500m T54: final</li> <li> 1500m T54: victory ceremony</li> <li> 1500m T54: final</li> <li> 200m T11: round 1</li> <li> Long Jump F12: final</li> <li> Long Jump F12: victory ceremony</li> <li> 200m T11: final</li> <li> 100m T12: round 1</li> <li> 1500m T54: Victory Ceremony</li> <li> 200m - T11 Victory Ceremony</li> </ul>	PAT12	70	60	50	8

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14 SEP Wednesday	10:00-13:10	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>W 5000m T54: round 1</li> <li>M Shot Put F53: final</li> <li>M 100m T42: round 1</li> <li>W Shot Put F12: final</li> <li>W Shot Put F12: victory ceremony</li> <li>W 100m T35: final</li> <li>W 100m T35: victory ceremony</li> <li>M Javelin F13: final</li> <li>M Javelin F13: victory ceremony</li> <li>W Long Jump F37: final</li> <li>W Long Jump F37: victory ceremony</li> <li>W Javelin F54: victory ceremony</li> <li>W 400m T38: final</li> <li>W 400m T38: victory ceremony</li> <li>M 800m T53: round 1</li> <li>M 200m T11: semi-finals</li> <li>M 100m T12: semi-finals</li> <li>W 4x100m T53-54: round 1</li> </ul>	W PAT13	40	30	20	8
	17:30-20:30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>W 400m T11: round 1</li> <li>W Shot Put F34: final</li> <li>W Discus F52: final</li> <li>M Shot Put F37: final</li> <li>M Shot Put F37: victory ceremony</li> <li>W 400m T34: final</li> <li>W 400m T34: victory ceremony</li> <li>M 800m T34: final</li> <li>M 800m T34: victory ceremony</li> <li>M Shot Put F53: victory ceremony</li> <li>M 400m T44: round 1</li> <li>M Long Jump F47: final</li> <li>M Long Jump F47: victory ceremony</li> <li>W 400m T47: final</li> <li>W 400m T47: victory ceremony</li> <li>W 4x100m T11-13: final</li> <li>W 4x100m T11-13: victory ceremony</li> <li>M 800m T54: round 1</li> <li>W 200m T44: round 1</li> </ul>	W PAT14	70	60	50	8
15 SEP Thursday	10:00-13:05	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>M 5000m T13: final</li> <li>M 5000m T13: victory ceremony</li> <li>W Discus F57: final</li> <li>M 400m T36: round 1</li> <li>W Long Jump F20: final</li> <li>M 400m T13: final</li> <li>M 400m T13: victory ceremony</li> <li>M Javelin F38: final</li> <li>M Javelin F38: victory ceremony</li> <li>W Shot Put F34: victory ceremony</li> <li>W Discus F52: victory ceremony</li> <li>W 400m T12: round 1</li> <li>M 400m T44: final</li> <li>M 400m T44: victory ceremony</li> <li>M 400m T37: round 1</li> <li>M 800m T54: final</li> <li>M 800m T54: victory ceremony</li> <li>M 1500m T52: final</li> <li>M 1500m T52: victory ceremony</li> <li>W Long Jump F20: victory ceremony</li> <li>W 1500m T11: round 1</li> </ul>	W PAT15	40	30	20	8
	17:30-20:30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>W 5000m T54: final</li> <li>W 5000m T54: victory ceremony</li> <li>M Javelin F34: final</li> <li>W Discus F41: final</li> <li>W Discus F41: victory ceremony</li> <li>W 200m T47: round 1</li> <li>W Shot Put F35: final</li> <li>W Shot Put F35: victory ceremony</li> <li>W Discus F57: victory ceremony</li> <li>W 200m T44: final</li> <li>W 200m T44: victory ceremony</li> <li>M Long Jump F38: final</li> <li>M Long Jump F38: victory ceremony</li> <li>M 200m T11: final</li> <li>M 200m T11: victory ceremony</li> <li>M 100m T12: final</li> <li>M 100m T12: victory ceremony</li> <li>M 100m T42: final</li> <li>M 100m T42: victory ceremony</li> <li>W 100m T52: round 1</li> <li>M 800m T53: final</li> <li>M 800m T53: victory ceremony</li> <li>W 4x100m T53-54: final</li> <li>W 4x100m T53-54: victory ceremony</li> <li>M 400m T51: round 1</li> <li>W 400m T11: semi-finals</li> </ul>	W PAT16	70	60	50	8
16 SEP Friday	10:00-13:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>M 400m T38: round 1</li> <li>M Club Throw F51: final</li> <li>M Shot Put F55: final</li> <li>M 400m T36: final</li> <li>M 400m T36: victory ceremony</li> <li>M 400m T37: final</li> <li>M 400m T37: victory ceremony</li> <li>M 400m T47: round 1</li> <li>M Shot Put F40: final</li> <li>M Shot Put F40: victory ceremony</li> <li>W Javelin F34: victory ceremony</li> <li>W Long Jump F11: final</li> <li>W Long Jump F11: victory ceremony</li> <li>W 1500m T20: final</li> <li>W 1500m T20: victory ceremony</li> <li>W 200m T47: final</li> <li>W 200m T47: victory ceremony</li> <li>M 400m T11: round 1</li> <li>M 4x400m T53-54: round 1</li> </ul>	W PAT17	40	30	20	8

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16 SEP Friday	17:30-20:30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>W 400m T13: round 1</li> <li>W Shot Put F33: final</li> <li>W 400m T11: semi-finals</li> <li>W Shot Put F36: final</li> <li>W Shot Put F36: victory ceremony</li> <li>W 400m T11: final</li> <li>W 400m T11: victory ceremony</li> <li>W Discus F44: final</li> <li>W Discus F44: victory ceremony</li> <li>W Club Throw F51: victory ceremony</li> <li>W Shot Put F55: victory ceremony</li> <li>W 800m T34: final</li> <li>W 800m T34: victory ceremony</li> <li>W High Jump F47: final</li> <li>W High Jump F47: victory ceremony</li> <li>W 500m T46: final</li> <li>W 1500m T46: victory ceremony</li> <li>W 200m T35: round 1</li> <li>W 200m T12: round 1</li> <li>W 4x100m T35-38: final</li> <li>W 4x100m T35-38: victory ceremony</li> <li>W 100m T54: round 1</li> </ul>	W PAT18	70	60	50	8
17 SEP Saturday	10:00-13:15	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>W 800m T54: round 1</li> <li>W Shot Put F57: final</li> <li>W Shot Put F57: victory ceremony</li> <li>W Discus F55: final</li> <li>W Discus F55: victory ceremony</li> <li>W 800m T53: round 1</li> <li>W 400m T12: semi-finals</li> <li>W Long Jump F42: final</li> <li>W Long Jump F42: victory ceremony</li> <li>W Shot Put F33: victory ceremony</li> <li>W 400m T13: final</li> <li>W 400m T13: victory ceremony</li> <li>W Shot Put F36: final</li> <li>W Shot Put F36: victory ceremony</li> <li>W 400m T51: final</li> <li>W 400m T51: victory ceremony</li> <li>W 200m T12: semi-finals</li> <li>W 200m T35: final</li> <li>W 200m T35: victory ceremony</li> <li>W 100m T54: semi-finals</li> <li>W 100m T52: final</li> <li>W 100m T52: victory ceremony</li> <li>W 100m T42: round 1</li> <li>W 100m T44: round 1</li> </ul>	W PAT19	40	30	20	8
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W Men's event  
W Women's event  
W Victory Ceremony



## SPECTATOR AREAS

### Athletics Marathon - Fort Copacabana

Date	Session time	Session description	Session code	Price category (R\$)	Ticket limit
				A	
18 SEP Sunday	09:00-15:30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>W Marathon, T12, and victory ceremony</li> <li>W Marathon, T46, and victory ceremony</li> <li>W Marathon, T12, and victory ceremony</li> <li>W Marathon, T54, and victory ceremony</li> <li>W Marathon, T54, and victory ceremony</li> </ul>	W PAM01	10	8

W Men's event  
W Women's event  
W Victory Ceremony



# Boccia

Whether it be in individual, doubles or team competitions, the objective is the same: to throw coloured balls as close as possible to a white target ball, known as the jack. The winner is the competitor or team that lands most balls closest to the jack.

## ATHLETES

Boccia is designed for athletes with cerebral palsy or a severe impairment, such as muscular dystrophy, strokes and progressive motor dysfunction. Depending on the category, they can count on the help of an assistant to stabilise the chair or to hand the ball to the athlete.


## RULES

The toss of the coin defines who will use the red and who will use the blue balls. The player using red balls starts the match. Matches are divided into ends, and competitors have the right to six balls on each end. In individual and double events, there are four ends per contest, while team disputes are settled across six ends.

## How to get there

### Carioca Arena 2 - Barra Zone

 BRT Transolímpica and Transcarioca  
Centro Olímpico Station (west access)

 BRT Transcarioca - Rio 2 Station (east access)

## STRATEGY

As well as being accessible to all, boccia is a sport that demands shrewd tactics. For Paralympic athletes, the discipline helps in the development of visual-motor capacity, the coordination of vision with body movement. In one simple move, the competitor can change the outcome of the match.



Stephen McGuire of Great Britain in action during the mixed individual - BC4 semi-final at the London 2012 Paralympic Games



## SPECTATOR AREAS

### Carioca Arena 2



Date	Session time	Session description	Session code	Price category (R\$)		Ticket limit
				A	B	
10 SEP Saturday	11:00-15:30	Team BC1/BC2: preliminaries Pairs BC4: preliminaries Pairs BC3: preliminaries	PBO01	20	10	12
	17:00-20:00	Pairs BC3: preliminaries Pairs BC4: preliminaries Team BC1/BC2: preliminaries	PBO02	20	10	12
11 SEP Sunday	11:00-14:00	Pairs BC4: preliminaries Pairs BC3: preliminaries Team BC1/BC2: quarter-finals	PBO03	20	10	12
	15:30-18:30	Pairs BC4: semi-finals Pairs BC3: semi-finals Team BC1/BC2: semi-finals	PBO04	40	30	8
12 SEP Monday	11:00-16:00	Pairs BC4: bronze medal match Pairs BC3: bronze medal match Team BC1/BC2: bronze medal match Pairs BC4: gold medal match Pairs BC4: victory ceremony	PBO05	50	40	8
	17:30-21:30	Pairs BC3: gold medal match Pairs BC3: victory ceremony Team BC1/BC2: gold medal match Team BC1/BC2: victory ceremony	PBO06	50	40	8
13 SEP Tuesday	10:00-14:30	Individual BC3: seed matches Individual BC2: seed matches Individual BC1: seed matches*	PBO07	20	10	12
	16:00-20:30	Individual BC4: seed matches Individual BC3: seed matches Individual BC2: seed matches	PBO08	20	10	12
14 SEP Wednesday	10:00-14:30	Individual BC1: seed matches Individual BC4: seed matches Individual BC3: seed matches	PBO09	20	10	12
	16:00-20:00	Individual BC2: seed matches Individual BC1: seed matches Individual BC4: seed matches	PBO10	20	10	12
15 SEP Thursday	10:00-14:30	Individual BC3: quarter-finals Individual BC1: quarter-finals Individual BC4: quarter-finals Individual BC2: quarter-finals	PBO11	20	10	12
	16:00-19:00	Individual BC1: semi-finals Individual BC3: semi-finals Individual BC2: semi-finals Individual BC4: semi-finals	PBO12	40	30	8
16 SEP Friday	10:00-14:10	Individual BC1: bronze medal match Individual BC3: bronze medal match Individual BC2: bronze medal match Individual BC4: bronze medal match Individual BC1: gold medal match Individual BC1: victory ceremony	PBO13	50	40	8
	15:30-20:30	Individual BC2: gold medal match Individual BC2: victory ceremony Individual BC3: gold medal match Individual BC3: victory ceremony Individual BC4: gold medal match Individual BC4: victory ceremony	PBO14	50	40	8

Mixed event Victory Ceremony



Canoe sprint athlete Fernando Rufino at the 2013 Canoe Sprint Tournament in São Paulo state



# Canoe

Canoe sprint will make its debut at the Rio 2016 Paralympic Games. The sport is recent and held its first World Championship in 2010, in Poland. For this reason, the discipline is still restricted to athletes with a physical-motor impairment.

## COMPETITION FORMAT

Events are held on 200m courses, always in a straight line, and the winner is the athlete who completes the course in the quickest time. Paralympic Games events will begin with five heats, each with two boats. The winners of each heat will progress directly to the final, with the remaining boats going forward to the semi-finals. The best three boats in the semi-finals will progress to the final.

## TYPES OF BOAT

Competitions are held only in kayaks, identified by the letter K.

## How to get there

### Lagoa Stadium - Copacabana Zone

🚶 Metro Line 4 - Jardim de Alah Station  
(deck area access)

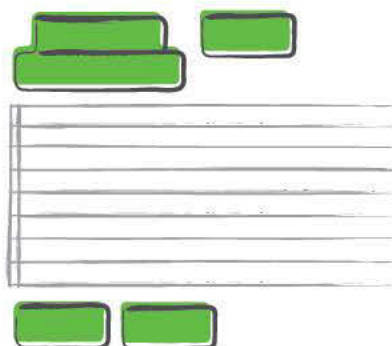
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(Lagoa Stadium access by Jockey Club)

## FUNCTIONAL CLASSES

There are three functional classes in paracanoe events: KL1 (3 points in total), KL2 (4-7 points) and KL3 (8-9 points). In the classification system, the athlete's legs and torso movements, as well as an evaluation on water, during the stroke, add points. The higher the score, the greater the athlete's functional potential.

## SPECTATOR AREAS

Lagoa Stadium



## Canoe Sprint

Date	Session time	Session description	Session code	Price category (R\$)	Ticket limit
				A	
14 SEP Wednesday	09:00-11:45	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>W Single Kayak (K1) 200m KL1: Heats</li> <li>M Single Kayak (K1) 200m KL1: Heats</li> <li>W Single Kayak (K1) 200m KL2: Heats</li> <li>M Single Kayak (K1) 200m KL2: Heats</li> <li>W Single Kayak (K1) 200m KL3: Heats</li> <li>M Single Kayak (K1) 200m KL3: Heats</li> </ul>	PCF01	20	12
15 SEP Thursday	09:00-11:45	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>W Single Kayak (K1) 200m KL1: Semi-finals</li> <li>M Single Kayak (K1) 200m KL1: Semi-finals</li> <li>W Single Kayak (K1) 200m KL2: Semi-finals</li> <li>M Single Kayak (K1) 200m KL2: Semi-finals</li> <li>W Single Kayak (K1) 200m KL3: Semi-finals</li> <li>M Single Kayak (K1) 200m KL3: Semi-finals</li> <li>W Single Kayak (K1) 200m KL1: Finals</li> <li>M Single Kayak (K1) 200m KL1: Finals</li> <li>W Single Kayak (K1) 200m KL2: Finals</li> <li>M Single Kayak (K1) 200m KL2: Finals</li> <li>W Single Kayak (K1) 200m KL3: Finals</li> <li>M Single Kayak (K1) 200m KL3: Finals</li> <li>W Single Kayak (K1) 200m KL1: Victory Ceremony</li> <li>M Single Kayak (K1) 200m KL1: Victory Ceremony</li> <li>W Single Kayak (K1) 200m KL2: Victory Ceremony</li> <li>M Single Kayak (K1) 200m KL2: Victory Ceremony</li> <li>W Single Kayak (K1) 200m KL3: Victory Ceremony</li> <li>M Single Kayak (K1) 200m KL3: Victory Ceremony</li> </ul>	 PCF02	50	8

 Men's event
  Women's event
  Victory Ceremony

# Cycling

Cycling is divided into two disciplines: road and track. As in traditional cycling, road events are longer and demand good tactics. In the velodrome, speed is the key factor.

## BICYCLE MODELS

There are four types of bicycle, specific for each type of impairment. Functional classification is closely linked to the model used by the athletes. As well as traditional bicycles, there are tricycles, with two back wheels, for athletes with cerebral palsy. Handbikes are used by paraplegics and quadriplegics. Athletes with a visual impairment pedal a two-seater known as a tandem. The competitor is accompanied by a guide in the front seat, who indicates the direction.

## CODES

As in other sports, events are distinguished by a letter, which indicates the impairment, and a number, which assesses the degree of impairment. The letter "B" is used for blind athletes and "H" indicates athletes using handbikes. The letter "T" is for tricycles and "C" is for those pedalling traditional bicycles.

## How to get there

### Rio Olympic Velodrome - Barra Zone

 BRT Transolímpica and Transcarioca  
Centro Olímpico Station (west access)

 BRT Transcarioca - Rio 2 Station (east access)

## ALESSANDRO ZANARDI

Alessandro Zanardi is all about speed. Two-time CART champion in the USA and former F1 pilot, the Italian suffered an accident in 2001, in a Grand Prix in Germany, and lost both legs. However, even that could not stop him from speeding along the track and going "all in" in another sport: Paralympic cycling. At the London 2012 Games, he won three medals: two gold (road and time-trial) and one silver (mixed relay).

Alessandro Zanardi of Italy competes in the men's individual H4 time-trial on day 7 of the London 2012 Paralympic Games



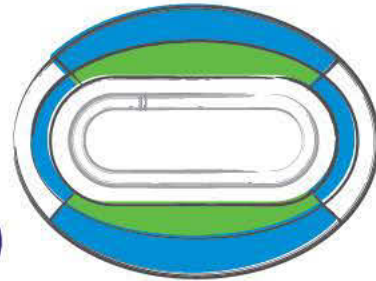
## SPECTATOR AREAS



### Cycling Road - Pontal (TBD)

Date	Session time	Session description	Session code
14 SEP Wednesday	08:00-16:00	The competition schedule for this sport is in the process of being finalised so we are unable to show you sessions details at this time.	PCR01
15 SEP Thursday	08:00-16:00	The competition schedule for this sport is in the process of being finalised so we are unable to show you sessions details at this time.	PCR02
16 SEP Friday	08:00-16:00	The competition schedule for this sport is in the process of being finalised so we are unable to show you sessions details at this time.	PCR03
17 SEP Saturday	08:00-16:00	The competition schedule for this sport is in the process of being finalised so we are unable to show you sessions details at this time.	PCR04

Men's event 
 Women's event 
 Mixed event 
 Victory Ceremony



### Cycling Track - Rio Olympic Velodrome

Date	Session time	Session description	Session code	Price category (R\$)		Ticket limit
				A	B	
08 SEP Thursday	10:00-12:35	Individual C1-3 Pursuit Qualifying Individual C4 Pursuit Qualifying Individual C5 Pursuit Qualifying Individual B Pursuit Qualifying	PCT01	50	30	12
	16:30-18:15	Individual C1-3 Pursuit Finals Individual C4 Pursuit Finals Individual C1-3 Pursuit Victory Ceremony Individual C5 Pursuit Finals Individual C4 Pursuit Victory Ceremony Individual B Pursuit Finals Individual C5 Pursuit Victory Ceremony Individual B Pursuit Victory Ceremony	PCT02	70	50	8
09 SEP Friday	10:00-12:55	Individual B 1km Time Trial Finals Individual C1 Pursuit Qualifying Individual B 1km Time Trial Victory Ceremony Individual C2 Pursuit Qualifying Individual C3 Pursuit Qualifying	PCT03	50	30	8
	16:30-19:30	Individual C4-5 1km Time Trial Finals Individual C1 Pursuit Finals Individual C4-5 1km Time Trial Victory Ceremony Individual C2 Pursuit Finals Individual C1 Pursuit Victory Ceremony Individual C3 Pursuit Finals Individual C2 Pursuit Victory Ceremony Individual C3 Pursuit Victory Ceremony	PCT04	70	50	8
10 SEP Saturday	10:00-12:45	Individual C1-3 500m Time Trial Finals Individual C4 Pursuit Qualifying Individual C1-3 500m Time Trial Victory Ceremony Individual C5 Pursuit Qualifying	PCT05	50	30	8
	16:30-19:50	Individual C1-3 1km Time Trial Finals Individual C4-5 500m Time Trial Finals Individual C1-3 1km Time Trial Victory Ceremony Individual C4 Pursuit Finals Individual C4-5 500m Time Trial Victory Ceremony Individual C5 Pursuit Finals Individual C4 Pursuit Victory Ceremony Individual C5 Pursuit Victory Ceremony	PCT06	70	50	8
11 SEP Sunday	10:00-13:30	Individual B Pursuit Qualifying C1-5 Team Sprint Qualifying Individual B 1km Time Trial Finals Individual B Pursuit Finals Individual B 1km Time Trial Victory Ceremony C1-5 Team Sprint Finals Individual B Pursuit Victory Ceremony C1-5 Team Sprint Victory Ceremony	PCT07	50	30	8

Men's event 
 Women's event 
 Mixed event 
 Victory Ceremony



# Equestrian

The sport grew as a form of physical and social rehabilitation for people with an impairment. It has now developed into a highly respected discipline worldwide and is keenly contested by athletes with various impairments. Only dressage is part of the programme, and, just like at the Olympic Games, men and women compete together.

## ADAPTATIONS

Dressage at the Paralympic Games is the same as its Olympic counterpart. The main difference is that athletes can use “compensating aids” to assist them in controlling the horse or completing the test where their impairment makes it challenging for them. For example, some athletes use adapted saddles if they have a limb missing, or have someone call out the markers if they are visually impaired.

## MEDALS FOR ALL

It is not only the rider who receives a medal for finishing the competition in the top three. The horse is also rewarded.

## How to get there

### Olympic Equestrian Centre - Deodoro Zone



Rail (Supervia) - Magalhães Bastos Station



Rail (Supervia) - Vila Militar Station



BRT Transolímpica - Magalhães Bastos Station



BRT Transolímpica - Vila Militar Station

## CLASSIFICATION

Athletes are divided into five categories, known as grades. The lower the grade number, the greater the impairment:

Grade Ia and Ib: mainly wheelchair users, poor torso balance and/or impairment of all four limbs or no torso balance and good upper limb function

Grade II: mainly wheelchair users, or severe locomotor impairment involving torso with good upper limb function, those with severe arm impairment and slight leg impairment or severe unilateral impairment

Grade III: usually able to walk without support. Moderate unilateral impairment or moderate impairment in four limbs, severe arm impairment. Total or severe visual impairment.

Grade IV: impairment in one or two limbs, or some visual impairment

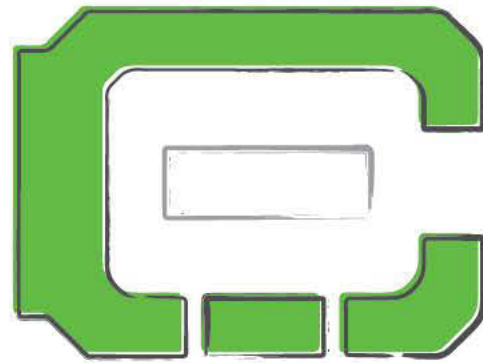


Sophie Wells of Great Britain during the dressage individual championship test grade - IV on day 4 of the London 2012 Paralympic Games



## SPECTATOR AREAS

### Olympic Equestrian Centre



Date	Session time	Session description	Session code	Price category (R\$)	Ticket limit
				A	
11 SEP Sunday	10:00-16:55	Team Test: Grade III Team Test: Grade Ib	PEQ01	20	12
12 SEP Monday	10:00-16:45	Team Test: Grade IV Team Test: Grade Ia	PEQ02	20	12
13 SEP Tuesday	10:00-17:25	Team Test: Grade II Individual Championship Test: Grade III Individual Championship Test: Grade II victory ceremony	PEQ03	30	8
14 SEP Wednesday	10:00-17:20	Individual Championship Test: Grade IV Individual Championship Test: Grade IV victory ceremony Individual Championship Test: Grade Ib Individual Championship Test: Grade Ib victory ceremony	PEQ04	30	8
15 SEP Thursday	10:00-17:10	Individual Championship Test: Grade II Individual Championship Test: Grade II: victory ceremony Individual Championship Test: Grade Ia Individual Championship Test: Grade Ia victory ceremony	PEQ05	30	8
16 SEP Friday	09:00-17:20	Individual Freestyle Test: Grade III Individual Freestyle Test: Grade IV Individual Freestyle Test: Grade III: victory ceremony Individual Freestyle Test: Grade IV: victory ceremony Individual Freestyle Test: Grade Ia Individual Freestyle Test: Grade Ib Individual Freestyle Test: Grade II Individual Freestyle Test: Grade Ia: victory ceremony Individual Freestyle Test: Grade II: victory ceremony Individual Freestyle Test: Grade Ib: victory ceremony Team Test: victory ceremony	PEQ06	30	8

Mixed event
 Victory Ceremony



# Football 5-a-side

The name of the sport makes it clear: a football team with five players. The discipline is designed for athletes who are completely blind (except for the goalkeeper, who is fully sighted), and the ball contains internal bells so that the players can locate it more easily. Only men compete in this sport.

## THE GUIDE

There can be verbal orientation, but only by three different people: the guides, also known as callers, the goalkeepers and the coaches. The guide stands behind the opponent's goal in the offensive third of the pitch, indicating the creation of moves and the direction of the goal. In dead ball situations, the guide hits the goalposts with a metallic object to indicate the position of the goal. The goalkeeper stands in the defensive third of the pitch and directs the team's defence regarding their positioning in order to mark the opposition. Finally, the coach stands in the central area. Each can guide the players depending on where the ball is during the match.

## How to get there

Olympic Tennis Centre - Barra Zone

 BRT Transolímpica and Transcarioca  
Centro Olímpico Station (west access)

 BRT Transcarioca - Rio 2 Station (east access)

## RULES

The match has two halves of 25 minutes each with a 10-minute break. All athletes must use blindfolds, which cannot be touched by the opponents under any circumstances. Should this happen, a foul is called. Five infractions will result in the dismissal of the athlete, who is substituted. Although the players are considered blind (with up to five per cent vision in their best eye), some might see figures or shadows and they could have an advantage over others that have no perception at all. Another difference is the absence of sidelines, replaced by two 1.2m-high acrylic or wood lateral barriers, reducing the number of interruptions during the match.

## FAN SUPPORT

During the match, fans must remain in absolute silence. Only this way can the athletes hear the coaches and the guides' instructions and, most importantly, the ball's whistles. The exception is when a goal is scored, and the public is allowed to celebrate.

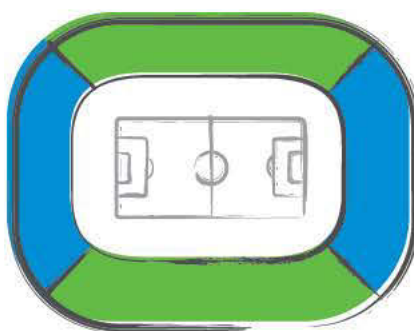


Jeferson da Conceicao Goncalves of Brazil (green) goes past the French midfield in the final at the London 2012 Paralympic Games



## SPECTATOR AREAS

### Olympic Tennis Centre



Date	Session time	Session description	Session code	Price category (RS)		Ticket limit
				A	B	
09 SEP Friday	09:00-12:00	Ⓜ Preliminaries (2 matches)	PFB01	50	30	12
	16:00-17:00	Ⓜ Preliminaries (1 match)	PFB02	50	30	12
	20:00-21:00	Ⓜ Preliminaries (1 match)	PFB03	50	30	12
11 SEP Sunday	09:00-12:00	Ⓜ Preliminaries (2 matches)	PFB04	50	30	12
	16:00-17:00	Ⓜ Preliminaries (1 match)	PFB05	50	30	12
	20:00-21:00	Ⓜ Preliminaries (1 match)	PFB06	50	30	12
13 SEP Tuesday	09:00-12:00	Ⓜ Preliminaries (2 matches)	PFB07	50	30	12
	16:00-17:00	Ⓜ Preliminaries (1 match)	PFB08	50	30	12
	20:00-21:00	Ⓜ Preliminaries (1 match)	PFB09	50	30	12
15 SEP Thursday	09:00-12:00	Ⓜ 5-6 Classification (1 match) Ⓜ 7-8 Classification (1 match)	PFB10	50	30	12
	16:00-17:00	Ⓜ Preliminaries (1 match)	PFB11	70	50	8
	20:00-21:00	Ⓜ Preliminaries (1 match)	PFB12	70	50	8
17 SEP Saturday	14:00-15:00	Ⓜ Bronze Medal Match (1 match)	PFB13	70	50	8
	17:00-18:30	Ⓜ Gold Medal Match (1 match) Ⓜ Victory Ceremony	🏆 PFB14	110	90	8

Ⓜ Men's event    🏆 Victory Ceremony



# Football 7-a-side

Six outfield players and a goalkeeper, as well as seven substitutes, make a 7-a-side football team. The sport is practised by men only, all with cerebral palsy.

## RULES

Matches last one hour, divided into two halves of 30 minutes, with a 15-minute interval. There is no offside, and throw-ins can also be made with one hand only by rolling the ball into the field of play. Pitch dimensions are smaller than a traditional football pitch: 75m x 55m.


## TEAM BUILDING

Players are classified according to the level of their physical impairment. The scale goes from 5 to 8, and the smaller the class, the greater the impairment. Each team should have at least one athlete from classes 5 or 6, and at most one from class 8 in the field of play. Goalkeepers are usually from classes 5 or 6, with more limited motor skills.

## How to get there

### Deodoro Stadium - Deodoro Zone

 Rail (SuperVia) - Magalhães Bastos Station

 Rail (SuperVia) - Vila Militar Station

 BRT Transolímpica - Magalhães Bastos Station

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## MULTI-MEDALLISTS

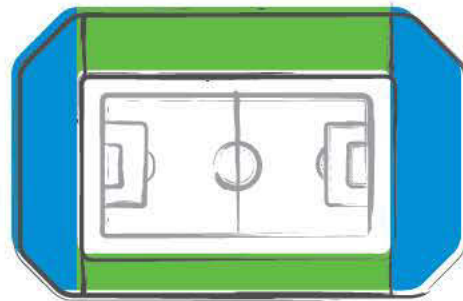
Part of the Paralympic programme since New York 1984, football 7-a-side has three European countries as its principal medallists: the Netherlands (three-time champions between 1988 and 1996), Russia (gold in 2000 and 2012) and Ukraine (two-time champions in 2004 and 2008). Recently, Brazil and Iran have tried to threaten these countries' supremacy. The Brazilians won bronze in 2000 and silver in 2004, while the Iranians have finished third in the last two editions of the Games.



Ibz Diallo of Great Britain is put under pressure by Matias Fernandez Romano (L) and Fabio Coria (R) of Argentina at the London 2012 Paralympic Games



## SPECTATOR AREAS Deodoro Stadium



Date	Session time	Session description	Session code	Price category (R\$)		Ticket limit
				A	B	
08 SEP Thursday	10:00-11:15	⚽ Preliminaries (1 match)	PFT01	30	20	12
	14:00-17:30	⚽ Preliminaries (2 matches)	PFT02	30	20	12
	19:00-20:15	⚽ Preliminaries (1 match)	PFT03	30	20	12
10 SEP Saturday	10:00-11:15	⚽ Preliminaries (1 match)	PFT04	30	20	12
	14:00-17:30	⚽ Preliminaries (2 matches)	PFT05	30	20	12
	19:00-20:15	⚽ Preliminaries (1 match)	PFT06	30	20	12
12 SEP Monday	10:00-11:15	⚽ Preliminaries (1 match)	PFT07	30	20	12
	14:00-17:30	⚽ Preliminaries (2 matches)	PFT08	30	20	12
	19:00-20:15	⚽ Preliminaries (1 match)	PFT09	30	20	12
14 SEP Wednesday	10:00-11:15	⚽ Semi-final (1 match)	PFT10	50	40	8
	14:00-17:30	⚽ 7-8 Classification (1 match) ⚽ 5-6 Classification (1 match)	PFT11	30	20	12
	19:00-20:15	⚽ Semi-final (1 match)	PFT12	50	40	8
16 SEP Friday	14:00-15:15	⚽ Bronze Medal Match (1 match)	PFT13	50	40	8
	17:00-18:45	⚽ Gold Medal Match (1 match) 🏆 Victory Ceremon	🏆 PFT14	60	50	8

⚽ Men's event   🏆 Victory Ceremony



# Goalball

A sport developed exclusively for people with a visual impairment, goalball requires good hearing and spatial orientation skills. The ball contains internal bells that permit tracking. The court lines are placed over a thin cord athletes can use to guide themselves on the court. As an auditory sport, silence in the stands is required throughout most of the match. However, the crowd may cheer when a goal is scored.

## UNDERSTANDING THE GAME

Each team consists of three starters and three reserves, all blindfolded. The match is divided into two 12-minute halves with a three-minute break. The athletes throw the ball towards the opposite goal trying to score as many times as possible. Throws must touch certain areas of the court, which is the same size as a volleyball court: 18m in length and 9m in width.

## ATHLETE POSITIONS

Players are at the same time attackers and defenders. Therefore, their objective is to score. The goal is as wide as the court (9m x 1.3m high). Consequently, athletes of one team line up in three areas that they should defend: left wing, right wing and central position. There is no contact between opponents, for the safety of the players, and strength in attack is a necessity, as the ball weighs 1.25kg.

## How to get there

### Future Arena - Barra Zone

-  BRT Transolímpica and Transcarioca Centro Olímpico Station (west access)
-  BRT Transcarioca - Rio 2 Station (east access)

## REFEREEING

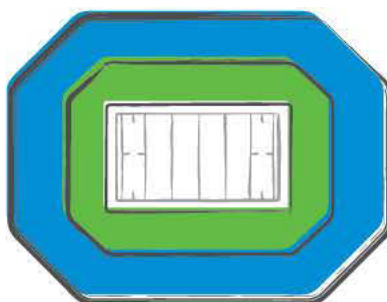
Besides the whistle, referees have the role of explaining to the athletes what is happening during the match. The 11 officials are fundamental to the dynamics of the game. The two main referees are responsible for conducting the match, through different whistles and verbal commands. The four goal judges that stand next to the posts are responsible for putting the ball into play, for guiding athletes that have been substituted, assisting in the determination of goals, and they also help with court maintenance. The table officials control the match's general timing, each team's possession time, substitutions and official time out requests and maintain a record of scoring.



Leomon Moreno da Silva and Jose Roberto Ferreira de Oliveira of Brazil block the ball during the men's team goalball final on day 9 of the London 2012 Paralympic Games

## SPECTATOR AREAS

### Future Arena



Date	Session time	Session description	Session code	Price category (RS)		Ticket limit
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08 SEP Thursday	09:00-11:15	Preliminaries (1 match) Preliminaries (1 match)	PGB01	20	10	12
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	17:30-19:45	Preliminaries (1 match) Preliminaries (1 match)	PGB03	20	10	12
09 SEP Friday	09:00-11:15	Preliminaries (1 match) Preliminaries (1 match)	PGB04	20	10	12
	13:15-15:30	Preliminaries (1 match) Preliminaries (1 match)	PGB05	20	10	12
	17:30-19:45	Preliminaries (1 match) Preliminaries (1 match)	PGB06	20	10	2
10 SEP Saturday	09:00-11:15	Preliminaries (1 match) Preliminaries (1 match)	PGB07	20	10	12
	13:15-15:30	Preliminaries (1 match) Preliminaries (1 match)	PGB08	20	10	12
	17:30-19:45	Preliminaries (1 match) Preliminaries (1 match)	PGB09	20	10	12
11 SEP Sunday	09:00-11:15	Preliminaries (1 match) Preliminaries (1 match)	PGB10	20	10	12
	13:15-15:30	Preliminaries (1 match) Preliminaries (1 match)	PGB11	20	10	12
	17:30-19:45	Preliminaries (1 match) Preliminaries (1 match)	PGB12	20	10	12
12 SEP Monday	09:00-12:30	Preliminaries (2 matches) Preliminaries (1 match)	PGB13	20	10	12
	14:15-16:30	Preliminaries (1 match) Preliminaries (1 match)	PGB14	20	10	12
	18:15-21:45	Preliminaries (2 matches) Preliminaries (1 match)	PGB15	20	10	12
13 SEP Tuesday	09:00-12:30	Preliminaries (2 matches) Preliminaries (1 match)	PGB16	20	10	12
	14:15-16:30	Preliminaries (1 match) Preliminaries (1 match)	PGB17	20	10	12
	18:15-21:45	Preliminaries (2 matches) Preliminaries (1 match)	PGB18	20	10	12
14 SEP Wednesday	09:00-13:00	Quarter-Finals (2 matches) Quarter-Final (1 match)	PGB19	30	20	12
	14:45-17:15	Quarter-final (2 matches)	PGB20	30	20	12
	19:00-23:00	Quarter-final (2 matches) Quarter-final (1 match)	PGB21	30	20	12
15 SEP Thursday	13:30-16:00	Semi-final (1 match) Semi-final (1 match)	PGB22	40	30	8
	18:30-21:00	Semi-final (1 match) Semi-final (1 match)	PGB23	40	30	8
16 SEP Friday	13:30-16:00	Bronze medal match (1 match) Bronze medal match (1 match)	PGB24	40	30	8
	18:30-21:55	Gold medal match (1 match) Victory ceremony Gold medal match (1 match) Victory ceremony	PGB25	50	40	8

Men's event 
 Women's event 
 Victory Ceremony



The only martial art to be part of the programme, only those with a visual impairment can compete. Therefore, classification is not decided by functional criteria, but by medical criteria.

### CLASSIFICATION

Athletes are divided into three classes, all beginning with the letter B:

B1 – completely blind. The athlete can perceive light, but is incapable of identifying any object or person

B2 – visual field below 5 degrees. Athletes can perceive figures and recognise shapes

B3 – visual field between 5 and 20 degrees, which means that the competitor is capable of perceiving images


### REFEREE'S ROLE

The referee only begins the contest when the two athletes are holding each other's judogi (judo clothes). The main role is to maintain contact between the competitors. If the pair are not in contact, the fight is stopped.

### How to get there

Carioca Arena 3 - Barra Zone

 BRT Transolímpica and Transcarioca  
Centro Olímpico Station (west access)

 BRT Transcarioca - Rio 2 Station (east access)



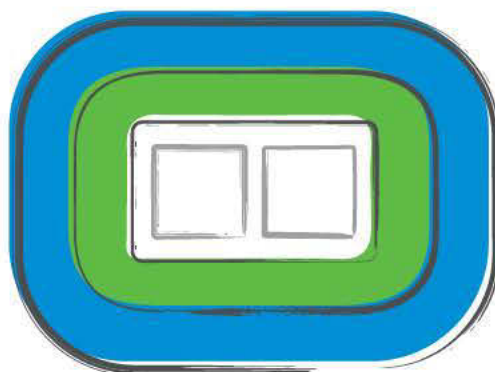
Myles Porter of the United States (blue) and Vladimir Fedin of Russia (white) compete in the -100 kg category on day 3 of the London 2012 Paralympic Games

### LEARNING TO FALL

One of the biggest benefits of Paralympic judo is teaching the athletes to fall properly. As judo helps them move and position themselves correctly, the athletes manage to avoid accidents in everyday life.

### SPECTATOR AREAS

Carioca Arena 3



Date	Session time	Session description	Session code	Price category (RS)		Ticket limit
				A	B	
08 SEP Thursday	10:00-12:30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>W -48kg: preliminaries</li> <li>W -48kg: quarter-finals</li> <li>W -48kg: repechage</li> <li>W -48kg: semi-finals</li> <li>M -60kg: preliminaries</li> <li>M -60kg: quarter-finals</li> <li>M -60kg: repechage</li> <li>M -60kg: semi-finals</li> <li>W -52kg: preliminaries</li> <li>W -52kg: quarter-finals</li> <li>W -52kg: repechage</li> <li>W -52kg: semi-finals</li> <li>M -66kg: preliminaries</li> <li>M -66kg: quarter-finals</li> <li>M -66kg: repechage</li> <li>M -66kg: semi-finals</li> </ul>	PJU01	50	30	12
	15:30-17:55	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>W -48kg: bronze medal contest A</li> <li>W -48kg: bronze medal contest B</li> <li>W -48kg: gold medal contest</li> <li>M -60kg: bronze medal contest A</li> <li>M -60kg: bronze medal contest B</li> <li>M -60kg: gold medal contest</li> <li>W -48kg: victory ceremony</li> <li>W -52kg: bronze medal contest A</li> <li>W -52kg: bronze medal contest B</li> <li>W -52kg: gold medal contest</li> <li>M -60kg: victory ceremony</li> <li>M -66kg: bronze medal contest A</li> <li>M -66kg: bronze medal contest B</li> <li>M -66kg: gold medal contest</li> <li>W -52: victory ceremony</li> <li>M -66kg: victory ceremony</li> </ul>	W PJU02	70	50	8
09 SEP Friday	10:00-12:30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>W -57kg: preliminaries</li> <li>W -57kg: quarter-finals</li> <li>W -57kg: repechage</li> <li>W -57kg: semi-finals</li> <li>M -73kg: preliminaries</li> <li>M -73kg: quarter-finals</li> <li>M -73kg: repechage</li> <li>M -73kg: semi-finals</li> <li>W -63kg: preliminaries</li> <li>W -63kg: quarter-finals</li> <li>W -63kg: repechage</li> <li>W -63kg: semi-finals</li> <li>M -81kg: preliminaries</li> <li>M -81kg: quarter-finals</li> <li>M -81kg: repechage</li> <li>M -81kg: semi-finals</li> </ul>	PJU03	50	30	12
	15:30-17:55	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>W -57kg: bronze medal contest A</li> <li>W -57kg: bronze medal contest B</li> <li>W -57kg: gold medal contest</li> <li>M -73kg: bronze medal contest A</li> <li>M -73kg: bronze medal contest B</li> <li>M -73kg: gold medal contest</li> <li>W -57kg: victory ceremony</li> <li>W -63kg: bronze medal contest A</li> <li>W -63kg: bronze medal contest B</li> <li>W -63kg: gold medal contest</li> <li>M -73kg: victory ceremony</li> <li>M -81kg: bronze medal contest A</li> <li>M -81kg: bronze medal contest B</li> <li>M -81kg: gold medal contest</li> <li>W -63: victory ceremony</li> <li>M -81kg: victory ceremony</li> </ul>	W PJU04	70	50	8
10 SEP Saturday	10:00-13:30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>W -70kg: preliminaries</li> <li>W -70kg: quarter-finals</li> <li>W -70kg: repechage</li> <li>W -70kg: semi-finals</li> <li>M -90kg: preliminaries</li> <li>M -90kg: quarter-finals</li> <li>M -90kg: repechage</li> <li>M -90kg: semi-finals</li> <li>W +70kg: preliminaries</li> <li>W +70kg: quarter-finals</li> <li>W +70kg: repechage</li> <li>W +70kg: semi-finals</li> <li>M -100kg: preliminaries</li> <li>M -100kg: quarter-finals</li> <li>M -100kg: repechage</li> <li>M -100kg: semi-finals</li> <li>M +100kg: preliminaries</li> <li>M +100kg: quarter-finals</li> <li>M +100kg: repechage</li> <li>M +100kg: semi-finals</li> </ul>	PJU05	50	30	12
	15:30-18:35	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>W -70kg: bronze medal contest A</li> <li>W -70kg: bronze medal contest B</li> <li>W -70kg: gold medal contest</li> <li>M -90kg: bronze medal contest A</li> <li>M -90kg: bronze medal contest B</li> <li>M -90kg: gold medal contest</li> <li>W -70 victory ceremony</li> <li>W +70kg: bronze medal contest A</li> <li>W +70kg: bronze medal contest B</li> <li>W +70kg: gold medal contest</li> <li>M -90kg: victory ceremony</li> <li>M -100kg: bronze medal contest A</li> <li>M -100kg: bronze medal contest B</li> <li>M -100kg: gold medal contest</li> <li>W +70 victory ceremony</li> <li>M +100kg: bronze medal contest A</li> <li>M +100kg: bronze medal contest B</li> <li>M +100kg: gold medal contest</li> <li>M -100kg: victory ceremony</li> <li>M +100kg: victory ceremony</li> </ul>	W PJU06	70	50	8



# Powerlifting

IPC powerlifting has only one sport class, meaning that athletes must meet minimum eligibility criteria to be allowed to compete. Impairment types include hypertonia, ataxia, athetosis, limb deficiency, impaired passive range of movement, impaired muscle power, leg length difference and short stature combined with another impairment.

## RULES

Athletes can compete in the sport from the age of 14, however they are first required to attend international classification to determine their (impairment) eligibility. Then they are assessed to ensure they are capable of performing the bench press safely and according to the technical rules by which they will be judged.

## COMPETITION

Athletes lie supine (on their backs) on the bench and can opt to be secured by one or two bench straps. They then have the choice of using one or two spotter loaders to assist them in removing the bar from the rack. Once the athlete is considered in absolute control of the bar, the chief referee gives the start command, and the athlete performs the lift. Each athlete has three attempts during the actual competition and can request a fourth attempt for world record purposes only, which is offered at the discretion of the jury and/or technical delegate. An occasional fourth attempt will not be considered as the best lift nor affect overall ranking in the competition.

The winner of the competition is the athlete who lifts the greatest weight within their respective bodyweight category. In the event of a tie, the winner is the athlete who weighs the least. If both athletes weigh the same, they will return to the scales to reweigh and the lightest lifter will be named the winner. Should their bodyweight remain equal following the reweigh, both lifters will be awarded the same ranking and the next athlete will drop a position.

Zoe Newson of Great Britain competes on her way to winning the bronze medal in the women's 40kg powerlifting on day 1 of the London 2012 Paralympic Games

## How to get there

Riocentro - Pavilion 2 - Barra Zone

 BRT Transolímpica and Transcarioca Centro Olímpico Station (west access)

 BRT Transolímpica - Riocentro 1 Station

## ASSISTANCE

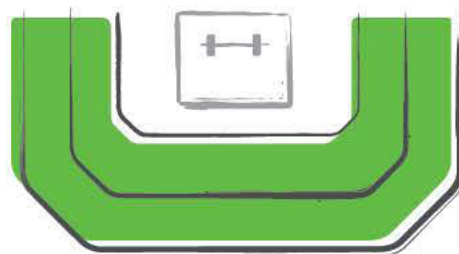
Athletes can enter the field of play on their own or choose to be accompanied by a coach, who assists the athlete in correctly positioning themselves on the bench and ensure the bench straps (if chosen) are securely fastened around the athlete's legs on the bench, to assist their stability and balance. The coach can also command the chief spotter loader how to assist the athlete in removing the bar from the rack or to move away from the bar if assistance is not required. The athlete has two minutes to start the lift from the time their name is announced, and then the spotter loaders can help return the bar to the racks once the chief referee has given the command to do so. The coach can also assist the athlete in getting off the bench before helping or directing the athlete back to the warm-up area.





## SPECTATOR AREAS

### Riocentro - Pavilion 2



Date	Session time	Session description	Session code	Price category (R\$)	Ticket limit
				A	
08 SEP Thursday	13:00-14:30	-49kg -49kg: victory ceremony	PPO01	10	8
	16:00-17:30	-41kg -41kg: victory ceremony	PPO02	10	8
09 SEP Friday	10:00-11:30	-45kg -45kg: victory ceremony	PPO03	10	8
	13:00-14:30	-54kg -54kg: victory ceremony	PPO04	10	8
	16:00-17:30	-59kg -59kg: victory ceremony	PPO05	10	8
10 SEP Saturday	10:00-11:30	-50kg -50kg: victory ceremony	PPO06	10	8
	13:00-14:30	-55kg -55kg: victory ceremony	PPO07	10	8
	16:00-17:30	-65kg -65kg: victory ceremony	PPO08	10	8
11 SEP Sunday	10:00-11:30	-61kg -61kg: victory ceremony	PPO09	10	8
	13:00-14:30	-72kg -72kg: victory ceremony	PPO10	10	8
	16:00-17:30	-67kg -67kg: victory ceremony	PPO11	10	8
12 SEP Monday	10:00-11:30	-73kg -73kg: victory ceremony	PPO12	10	8
	13:00-14:30	-79kg -79kg: victory ceremony	PPO13	10	8
	16:00-17:30	-80kg -80kg: victory ceremony	PPO14	10	8
13 SEP Tuesday	10:00-11:30	-88kg -88kg: victory ceremony	PPO15	10	8
	13:00-14:30	-86kg -86kg: victory ceremony	PPO16	10	8
	16:00-17:30	-97kg -97kg: victory ceremony	PPO17	10	8
14 SEP Wednesday	10:00-11:30	-107kg -107kg: victory ceremony	PPO18	10	8
	13:00-14:30	+86kg +86kg: victory ceremony	PPO19	10	8
	16:00-17:30	+107kg +107kg: victory ceremony	PPO20	10	8

Men's event  
 Women's event  
 Victory Ceremony

# Rowing

Included in the Paralympic programme at Beijing 2008, the sport is commonly known as adapted rowing. The equipment is modified so that the athlete is at complete ease.

## EVENTS

Regardless of the category, competitions are always contested across 1,000m. Crews can be composed of one, two or four athletes, depending on the event.

## HELMSMAN

As in other disciplines, athletes count on the help of a guide. In the case of rowing, it is the helmsman (exclusive to some events). They are responsible for directing the vessel, and do not necessarily suffer from an impairment.

## CATEGORIES

There are three Paralympic categories:



A – for athletes with an impairment in the torso and legs, whose mobility is restricted to shoulders and arms (individual competition);

TA – designed for those with amputations to the lower limbs, who can make movements with the torso and arms. Event staged in pairs, formed by a man and a woman;

LTA – athletes with a visual impairment who use the legs, torso and arms in the rowing movement. The vessel is crewed by four members, two men and two women.

## How to get there

Lagoa Stadium - Copacabana Zone

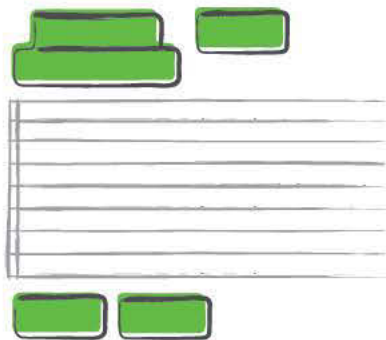
-  Metro Line 4 - Jardim de Alah Station (deck area access)
-  Metro Line 4 - Antero de Quental Station (Lagoa Stadium access by Jockey Club)



The Great Britain Paralympic squad in action

## SPECTATOR AREAS

Lagoa Stadium



Date	Session time	Session description	Session code	Price category (RS)	Ticket limit
				A	
09 SEP Friday	08:30-11:10	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> Single Sculls - ASW1x Heats</li> <li> Single Sculls - ASM1x Heats</li> <li> Double Sculls - TAMix2x Heats</li> <li> Coxed Four - LTAMix4+ Heats</li> </ul>	PRO01	20	12
10 SEP Saturday	08:30-11:10	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> Single Sculls - ASW1x Repechages</li> <li> Single Sculls - ASM1x Repechages</li> <li> Double Sculls - TAMix2x Repechages</li> <li> Coxed Four - LTAMix4+ Repechages</li> </ul>	PRO02	20	12
11 SEP Sunday	08:30-11:30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> Single Sculls - ASW1x Final B</li> <li> Single Sculls - ASM1x Final B</li> <li> Double Sculls - TAMix2x Final B</li> <li> Coxed Four - LTAMix4+ Final B</li> <li> Single Sculls - ASW1x Final A</li> <li> Single Sculls - ASM1x Final A</li> <li> Single Sculls - ASW1x Medal ceremony</li> <li> Double Sculls - TAMix2x Final A</li> <li> Single Sculls - ASM1x Medal ceremony</li> <li> Coxed Four - LTAMix4+ Final A</li> <li> Double Sculls - TAMix2x Medal ceremony</li> <li> Coxed Four - LTAMix4+ Medal ceremony</li> </ul>	PRO03	40	8

Men's event   Women's event   Mixed event   Victory Ceremony



# Sailing

Designed for athletes with a visual impairment or loco-motor problems, Paralympic sailing uses a functional classification analysis system based on stability, hand function, mobility and vision. The discipline counts on three types of vessel.

## BOATS

There are three types of boat:

2.4mR – manned by a single athlete, who has minimal impairments;

SKUD-18 – crewed by two paraplegic athletes, one of whom must be a woman;

Sonar – class for three athletes. Each one receives a point score between 1 and 7, according to the degree of impairment. The total sum of their points cannot exceed 12.

## MIXED COMPETITIONS

Paralympic sailing does not divide competitions by gender. Even in class 2.4mR, in which the vessel is crewed by just one athlete, men and women compete together. At London 2012, Brit Helena Lucas did not let the fact she was the only woman in the 2.4mR category hold her back, overcoming her 15 opponents to take the gold medal.

## How to get there

Marina da Glória - Copacabana Zone

🚇 Metro Line 1 and 2 - Catete Station

## MAIN MEDALLIST

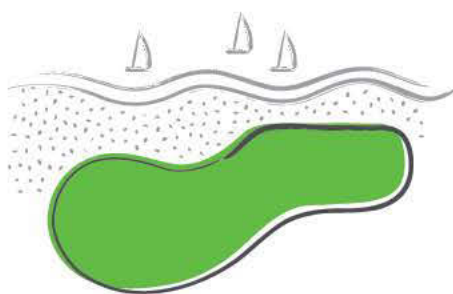
Sailing officially became part of the Paralympic programme at Sydney 2000, having been a demonstration event at Atlanta 1996. As of today, only one athlete has won three Paralympic medals: German Jens Kroker, in the Sonar category, won gold at Beijing 2008, and silver at Sydney 2000 and London 2012.



Great Britain compete in the mixed sonar sailing during the Athens 2004 Paralympic Games

## SPECTATOR AREAS

### Marina da Glória



Date	Session time	Session description	Session code	Price category (RS)	Ticket limit
				A	
12 SEP Monday	13:00-16:00	Two-Person Keelboat, SKUD18: 2 races Single-Person Keelboat, 2.4mR: 2 races Three-Person Keelboat, Sonar: 2 races	PSA01	10	12
13 SEP Tuesday	13:00-16:00	Two-Person Keelboat, SKUD18: 2 races Single-Person Keelboat, 2.4mR: 2 races Three-Person Keelboat, Sonar: 2 races	PSA02	10	12
14 SEP Wednesday	13:00-16:00	Two-Person Keelboat, SKUD18: 2 races Single-Person Keelboat, 2.4mR: 2 races Three-Person Keelboat, Sonar: 2 races	PSA03	10	12
15 SEP Thursday	13:00-16:00	Two-Person Keelboat, SKUD18: 2 races Single-Person Keelboat, 2.4mR: 2 races Three-Person Keelboat, Sonar: 2 races	PSA04	10	12
16 SEP Friday	13:00-16:00	Two-Person Keelboat, SKUD18: 2 races Single-Person Keelboat, 2.4mR: 2 races Three-Person Keelboat, Sonar: 2 races	PSA05	10	12
17 SEP Saturday	12:00-17:30	Two-Person Keelboat, SKUD18: 1 race Single-Person Keelboat, 2.4mR: 1 race Three-Person Keelboat, Sonar: 1 race Victory Ceremonies	PSA06	20	8

Mixed event
 Victory Ceremony



# Shooting

Part of the Paralympic programme since Toronto 1976, shooting began as an event exclusively for men. Women first competed at the Arnhem 1980 Paralympic Games, in mixed competitions, but only returned to compete definitively at Barcelona 1992.

## FUNCTIONAL CLASSIFICATION

Currently, athletes with different types of impairment can compete together. Two classes make up the programme:

SH1 – pistol and rifle shooters who do not require support for the gun;

SH2 – rifle shooters who need support for the gun.

## EVENTS

Twelve events make up the programme: three men's, three women's and six mixed. Distances determine another difference between the events: there are competitions in which the athletes are positioned 10, 25 or 50 metres from the target.

## How to get there

### Olympic Shooting Centre - Deodoro Zone



Rail (SuperVia) - Magalhães Bastos Station



Rail (Supervia) - Vila Militar Station



BRT Transolímpica - Magalhães Bastos Station



BRT Transolímpica - Vila Militar Station

## THE SWEDISH PHENOMENON

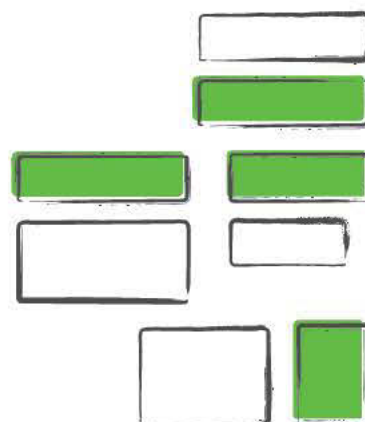
Jonas Jacobsson is the second most successful medallist in the history of the Paralympic Games. The shooter has taken part in the last nine editions of the event (1980-2012) and has won 30 medals: 17 gold, four silver and nine bronze. As shooting allows for a prolonged career, Jacobsson will have the chance to increase his medal collection even further in Rio de Janeiro.



Yoojeong Lee of the Republic of Korea (R) shoots during the women's R8-50m rifle 3 positions-SH1 final on day 8 of the London 2012 Paralympic Games

## SPECTATOR AREAS

### Olympic Shooting Centre



Date	Session time	Session description	Session code	Price category (R\$)	Ticket limit
				A	
08 SEP Thursday	08:30-15:30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> R2 10m Air Rifle Standing: qualifications</li> <li> R2 10m Air Rifle Standing: final</li> <li> R2 10m Air Rifle Standing: victory ceremony</li> <li> R1 10m Air Rifle Standing: qualifications</li> <li> R1 10m Air Rifle Standing: final</li> <li> R1 10m Air Rifle Standing: victory ceremony</li> </ul>	PSH01	20	8
09 SEP Friday	09:30-15:45	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> P2 10m Air Pistol: qualifications</li> <li> P2 10m Air Pistol: final</li> <li> P2 10m Air Pistol: victory ceremony</li> <li> P1 10m Air Pistol: qualifications</li> <li> P1 10m Air Pistol: final</li> <li> P1 10m Air Pistol: victory ceremony</li> </ul>	PSH02	20	8
10 SEP Saturday	09:30-15:45	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> R3 10m Air Rifle Prone: qualifications</li> <li> R3 10m Air Rifle Prone: final</li> <li> R3 10m Air Rifle Prone: victory ceremony</li> <li> R4 10m Air Rifle Standing: qualifications</li> <li> R4 10m Air Rifle Standing: final</li> <li> R4 10m Air Rifle Standing: victory ceremony</li> </ul>	PSH03	20	8
11 SEP Sunday	09:15-14:30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> P3 25m Pistol Precision: qualifications</li> <li> P3 25m Pistol Rapid: qualifications</li> <li> P3 25m Pistol: final</li> <li> P3 25m Pistol: victory ceremony</li> </ul>	PSH04	20	8
12 SEP Monday	09:30-14:45	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> R7 50m Rifle 3 Positions: qualifications</li> <li> R7 50m Rifle 3 Positions: final</li> <li> R7 50m Rifle 3 Positions: victory ceremony</li> </ul>	PSH05	20	8
13 SEP Tuesday	09:30-16:15	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> R8 50m Rifle 3 Positions: qualifications</li> <li> R8 50m Rifle 3 Positions: final</li> <li> R8 50m Rifle 3 Positions: victory ceremony</li> <li> R5 10m Air Rifle Prone: qualifications</li> <li> R5 10m Air Rifle Prone: final</li> <li> R5 10m Air Rifle Prone: victory ceremony</li> </ul>	PSH06	20	8
14 SEP Wednesday	09:30-15:45	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> R6 50m Rifle Prone: qualifications</li> <li> R6 50m Rifle Prone: final</li> <li> R6 50m Rifle Prone: victory ceremony</li> <li> P4 50m Pistol: qualifications</li> <li> P4 50m Pistol: final</li> <li> P4 50m Pistol: victory ceremony</li> </ul>	PSH07	20	8

Men's event  
 Women's event  
 Mixed event  
 Victory Ceremony

# Sitting Volleyball

Until Sydney 2000, the sport was divided into two categories: sitting and standing. Since Athens 2004, contests have been restricted to sitting. As in traditional volleyball, matches are decided across five sets, and are won by the team that scores 25 points first. Tie-breaks go to 15.

## RULES

The sport includes two big differences in relation to traditional volleyball: contact with the floor must be maintained with each movement of the athlete, and blocking of the opponent's serve is allowed. It is also common to see the legs of opponents come into contact during the match. So long as it does not hinder the opponent, contact is permitted.


## MEASUREMENTS

The court measures 60m<sup>2</sup> (10m long and 6m wide), and the net is positioned 1.15m from the floor in the men's competition. In the women's competition, the height is a little lower: 1.05m.

## How to get there

Riocentro - Pavilion 6 - Barra Zone

 BRT Transolímpica and Transcarioca Centro Olímpico Station (west access)

 BRT Transolímpica - Riocentro 1 Station

## SPORTING POWERS

At the Paralympic Games, it is difficult to get the Iranians off the podium. The men's team has contested the last seven finals, winning five golds and two silvers. In the women's competition, China have shown good form. In addition, Holland, Bosnia and Germany are always in the mix for medals.

Kathryn Holloway of the United States plays a shot during the women's sitting volleyball final at London 2012





## SPECTATOR AREAS

### Riocentro - Pavilion 6



Date	Session time	Session description	Session code	Price category (R\$)		Ticket limit
				A	B	
09 SEP Friday	10:00-11:30	Preliminaries (1 match)	PVS01	40	20	12
	14:00-15:30	Preliminaries (1 match)	PVS02	40	20	12
	18:30-22:00	Preliminaries (2 matches)	PVS03	40	20	12
10 SEP Saturday	10:00-11:30	Preliminaries (1 match)	PVS04	40	20	12
	14:00-15:30	Preliminaries (1 match)	PVS05	40	20	12
	18:30-22:00	Preliminaries (2 matches)	PVS06	40	20	12
11 SEP Sunday	10:00-11:30	Preliminaries (1 match)	PVS07	40	20	12
	14:00-15:30	Preliminaries (1 match)	PVS08	40	20	12
	18:30-22:00	Preliminaries (1 match) Preliminaries (1 match)	PVS09	40	20	12
12 SEP Monday	10:00-11:30	Preliminaries (1 match)	PVS10	40	20	12
	14:00-15:30	Preliminaries (1 match)	PVS11	40	20	12
	18:30-22:00	Preliminaries (1 match) Preliminaries (1 match)	PVS12	40	20	12
13 SEP Tuesday	10:00-11:30	Preliminaries (1 match)	PVS13	40	20	12
	14:00-15:30	Preliminaries (1 match)	PVS14	40	20	12
	18:30-22:00	Preliminaries (1 match) Preliminaries (1 match)	PVS15	40	20	12
14 SEP Wednesday	10:00-11:30	Preliminaries (1 match)	PVS16	40	20	12
	14:00-15:30	Preliminaries (1 match)	PVS17	40	20	12
	18:30-22:00	Preliminaries (1 match) Preliminaries (1 match)	PVS18	40	20	12
15 SEP Thursday	13:30-17:00	7th-8th classification 5th-6th classification	PVS19	40	20	12
	18:30-22:00	Semi-finals (2 matches)	PVS20	60	40	8
16 SEP Friday	13:30-17:00	7th-8th classification 5th-6th classification	PVS21	40	20	12
	18:30-22:00	Semi-finals (2 matches)	PVS22	60	40	8
17 SEP Saturday	16:30-22:00	Bronze medal match Gold medal match Victory ceremony	PVS23	80	60	8
18 SEP Sunday	09:30-15:00	Bronze medal match Gold medal match Victory ceremony	PVS24	80	60	8

Men's event Women's event Victory Ceremony



# Swimming

The only Paralympic sport to allow only the use of the athlete's own body in the event, swimming includes the participation of over 600 athletes. As there are several classifications and different styles, it is also one of the disciplines that distributes the most medals at the Games.

## THE "MICHAEL PHELPS" OF THE PARALYMPIC GAMES

American Trischa Zorn participated in seven editions of the Games between 1980 and 2004, winning 55 medals in total, 46 in individual events. Of those 55, 41 were gold, nine silver and five bronze. Her best performance came in 1992, when she climbed onto the podium 12 times, and in only two of the events was she not victorious (she came second).

## How to get there

### Olympic Aquatics Stadium - Barra Zone

 BRT Transolímpica and Transcarioca  
Centro Olímpico Station (west access)

 BRT Transcarioca - Rio 2 Station (east access)

Daniel Dias of Brazil competes in the men's 50m backstroke - S5 heat 3 on day 8 of the London 2012 Paralympic Games

## SPECTATOR AREAS

Olympic Aquatics Stadium



## ADAPTATIONS

Starts, swimming pool turns and finishes demand adaptations. At the beginning of the event, athletes can start from the block, including from a sitting position, inside the water or with the help of a professional, depending on the athlete's impairment. Those with a visual impairment count on the help of a "tapper", a bat with a foam tip, to know when they are approaching the edge of the swimming pool. The tapper is mandatory in S11 events and optional in S12 and S13 events.

## CLASSIFICATION

Swimmers are divided into 14 functional classes. To define the class in which the athlete will compete, they all undergo a series of tests: muscular strength, joint and motor mobility (classes S1 to S10) and visual (classes S11 to S13). The greater the impairment, the smaller the class:

- 1-10 – physical and motor impairments;
- 11-13 – visual impairments;
- 14 – intellectual impairments.



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08 SEP Thursday	09:30-12:20	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> 100m Backstroke S6: heats</li> <li> 100m Backstroke S6: heats</li> <li> 400m Freestyle S8: heats</li> <li> 400m Freestyle S8: heats</li> <li> 100m Breaststroke SB9: heats</li> <li> 100m Breaststroke SB9: heats</li> <li> 100m Freestyle S4: heats</li> <li> 100m Freestyle S3: heats</li> <li> 100m Backstroke S14: heats</li> <li> 100m Backstroke S14: heats</li> <li> 100m Butterfly S13: heat</li> <li> 100m Butterfly S13: heats</li> <li> 200m Freestyle S5: heats</li> <li> 200m Freestyle S5: heats</li> <li> 100m Backstroke S7: heats</li> <li> 100m Backstroke S7: heats</li> </ul>	PSW01	60	50	40	12
	17:30-21:55	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> 100m Backstroke S6: final</li> <li> 100m Backstroke S6: victory ceremony</li> <li> 100m Backstroke S6: final</li> <li> 100m Backstroke S6: victory ceremony</li> <li> 400m Freestyle S8: final</li> <li> 400m Freestyle S8: victory ceremony</li> <li> 400m Freestyle S8: final</li> <li> 400m Freestyle S8: victory ceremony</li> <li> 100m Breaststroke SB9: final</li> <li> 100m Breaststroke SB9: victory ceremony</li> <li> 100m Breaststroke SB9: final</li> <li> 100m Breaststroke SB9: victory ceremony</li> <li> 100m Freestyle S4: final</li> <li> 100m Freestyle S4: victory ceremony</li> <li> 100m Freestyle S3: final</li> <li> 100m Freestyle S3: victory ceremony</li> <li> 100m Backstroke S14: final</li> <li> 100m Backstroke S14: victory ceremony</li> <li> 100m Backstroke S14: final</li> <li> 100m Backstroke S14: victory ceremony</li> <li> 100m Butterfly S13: final</li> <li> 100m Butterfly S13: victory ceremony</li> <li> 100m Butterfly S13: final</li> <li> 100m Butterfly S13: victory ceremony</li> <li> 200m Freestyle S5: final</li> <li> 200m Freestyle S5: victory ceremony</li> <li> 200m Freestyle S5: final</li> <li> 200m Freestyle S5: victory ceremony</li> <li> 100m Backstroke S7: final</li> <li> 100m Backstroke S7: victory ceremony</li> <li> 100m Backstroke S7: final</li> <li> 100m Backstroke S7: victory ceremony</li> </ul>	PSW02	90	70	50	8
09 SEP Friday	09:30-12:15	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> 100m Backstroke S1: heats</li> <li> 100m Backstroke S2: heats</li> <li> 100m Backstroke S2: heats</li> <li> 50m Freestyle S7: heats</li> <li> 50m Freestyle S7: heats</li> <li> 50m Butterfly S6: heats</li> <li> 50m Butterfly S6: heats</li> <li> 50m Freestyle S10: heats</li> <li> 50m Freestyle S10: heats</li> <li> 100m Backstroke S11: heats</li> <li> 100m Backstroke S11: heats</li> <li> 400m Freestyle S9: heats</li> <li> 400m Freestyle S9: heats</li> <li> 100m Butterfly S8: heats</li> <li> 100m Butterfly S8: heats</li> <li> 100m Butterfly S8: heats</li> <li> Mixed 4x50m Freestyle Relay 20 points: heats</li> </ul>	PSW03	60	50	40	12
	17:30-21:40	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> 100m Backstroke S1: final</li> <li> 100m Backstroke S1: victory ceremony</li> <li> 100m Backstroke S2: final</li> <li> 100m Backstroke S2: victory ceremony</li> <li> 100m Backstroke S2: final</li> <li> 100m Backstroke S2: victory ceremony</li> <li> 50m Freestyle S7: final</li> <li> 50m Freestyle S7: victory ceremony</li> <li> 50m Freestyle S7: final</li> <li> 50m Freestyle S7: victory ceremony</li> <li> 50m Butterfly S6: final</li> <li> 50m Butterfly S6: victory ceremony</li> <li> 50m Butterfly S6: final</li> <li> 50m Butterfly S6: victory ceremony</li> <li> 50m Freestyle S10: final</li> <li> 50m Freestyle S10: victory ceremony</li> <li> 50m Freestyle S10: final</li> <li> 50m Freestyle S10: victory ceremony</li> <li> 100m Backstroke S11: final</li> <li> 100m Backstroke S11: victory ceremony</li> <li> 100m Backstroke S11: final</li> <li> 100m Backstroke S11: victory ceremony</li> <li> 400m Freestyle S9: final</li> <li> 400m Freestyle S9: victory ceremony</li> <li> 400m Freestyle S9: final</li> <li> 400m Freestyle S9: victory ceremony</li> <li> 100m Butterfly S8: final</li> <li> 100m Butterfly S8: victory ceremony</li> <li> 100m Butterfly S8: final</li> <li> 100m Butterfly S8: victory ceremony</li> <li> 4x50m Freestyle Relay 20 points: final</li> <li> 4x50m Freestyle Relay 20 points: victory ceremony</li> </ul>	PSW04	90	70	50	8

Men's event Women's event Mixed event Victory Ceremony

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10 SEP Saturday	09:30-11:40	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> 100m Breaststroke SB7: heats</li> <li> 100m Breaststroke SB7: heats</li> <li> 50m Freestyle S6: heats</li> <li> 50m Freestyle S6: heats</li> <li> 50m Butterfly S5: heats</li> <li> 50m Butterfly S5: heats</li> <li> 50m Backstroke S3: heats</li> <li> 50m Backstroke S3: heats</li> <li> 200m IM SM13: heats</li> <li> 200m IM SM13: heats</li> <li> 100m Backstroke S10: heats</li> <li> 100m Backstroke S10: heats</li> <li> 400m Freestyle S11: heats</li> <li> 400m Freestyle S11: heats</li> </ul>	PSW05	60	50	40	12
	17:30-21:15	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> 100m Breaststroke SB7: final</li> <li> 100m Breaststroke SB7: victory ceremony</li> <li> 100m Breaststroke SB7: final</li> <li> 100m Breaststroke SB7: victory ceremony</li> <li> 50m Freestyle S6: final</li> <li> 50m Freestyle S6: victory ceremony</li> <li> 50m Freestyle S6: final</li> <li> 50m Freestyle S6: victory ceremony</li> <li> 50m Butterfly S5: final</li> <li> 50m Butterfly S5: victory ceremony</li> <li> 50m Butterfly S5: final</li> <li> 50m Butterfly S5: victory ceremony</li> <li> 50m Backstroke S3: final</li> <li> 50m Backstroke S3: victory ceremony</li> <li> 50m Backstroke S3: final</li> <li> 50m Backstroke S3: victory ceremony</li> <li> 200m IM SM13: final</li> <li> 200m IM SM13: victory ceremony</li> <li> 200m IM SM13: final</li> <li> 200m IM SM13: victory ceremony</li> <li> 100m Backstroke S10: final</li> <li> 100m Backstroke S10: victory ceremony</li> <li> 100m Backstroke S10: final</li> <li> 100m Backstroke S10: victory ceremony</li> <li> 400m Freestyle S11: final</li> <li> 400m Freestyle S11: victory ceremony</li> <li> 400m Freestyle S11: final</li> <li> 400m Freestyle S11: victory ceremony</li> </ul>	PSW06	90	70	50	8
11 SEP Sunday	09:30-11:50	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> 100m Breaststroke SB5: heats</li> <li> 100m Breaststroke SB5: heats</li> <li> 200m IM SM9: heats</li> <li> 200m IM SM9: heats</li> <li> 100m Breaststroke SB13: heats</li> <li> 100m Breaststroke SB13: heats</li> <li> 200m Freestyle S14: heats</li> <li> 200m Freestyle S14: heats</li> <li> 200m IM SM10: heats</li> <li> 200m IM SM10: heats</li> <li> 100m Freestyle S8: heats</li> <li> 100m Freestyle S8: heats</li> <li> 100m Breaststroke SB4: heats</li> <li> 100m Breaststroke SB4: heats</li> <li> 200m Freestyle S2: heats</li> </ul>	PSW07	60	50	40	12
	17:30-21:20	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> 100m Breaststroke SB5: final</li> <li> 100m Breaststroke SB5: victory ceremony</li> <li> 100m Breaststroke SB5: final</li> <li> 100m Breaststroke SB5: victory ceremony</li> <li> 200m IM SM9: final</li> <li> 200m IM SM9: victory ceremony</li> <li> 200m IM SM9: final</li> <li> 200m IM SM9: victory ceremony</li> <li> 100m Breaststroke SB13: final</li> <li> 100m Breaststroke SB13: victory ceremony</li> <li> 100m Breaststroke SB13: final</li> <li> 100m Breaststroke SB13: victory ceremony</li> <li> 200m Freestyle S14: final</li> <li> 200m Freestyle S14: victory ceremony</li> <li> 200m Freestyle S14: final</li> <li> 200m Freestyle S14: victory ceremony</li> <li> 200m IM SM10: final</li> <li> 200m IM SM10: victory ceremony</li> <li> 200m IM SM10: final</li> <li> 200m IM SM10: victory ceremony</li> <li> 100m Freestyle S8: final</li> <li> 100m Freestyle S8: victory ceremony</li> <li> 100m Freestyle S8: final</li> <li> 100m Freestyle S8: victory ceremony</li> <li> 100m Breaststroke SB4: final</li> <li> 100m Breaststroke SB4: victory ceremony</li> <li> 100m Breaststroke SB4: final</li> <li> 100m Breaststroke SB4: victory ceremony</li> <li> 200m Freestyle S2: final</li> <li> 200m Freestyle S2: victory ceremony</li> </ul>	PSW08	90	70	50	8
12 SEP Monday	09:30-12:15	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> 400m Freestyle S13: heats</li> <li> 400m Freestyle S13: heats</li> <li> 150m IM SM4: heats</li> <li> 150m IM SM4: heats</li> <li> 50m Freestyle S11: heats</li> <li> 50m Freestyle S11: heats</li> <li> 100m Butterfly S10: heats</li> <li> 100m Butterfly S10: heats</li> <li> 100m Freestyle S9: heats</li> <li> 100m Freestyle S9: heats</li> <li> 200m IM SM6: heats</li> <li> 200m IM SM6: heats</li> <li> 50m Butterfly S7: heats</li> <li> 50m Butterfly S7: heats</li> <li> 50m Freestyle S5: heats</li> <li> 50m Freestyle S5: heats</li> </ul>	PSW09	60	50	40	12

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12 SEP Monday	17:30-21:25	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> 400m Freestyle S13: final</li> <li> 400m Freestyle S13: victory ceremony</li> <li> 400m Freestyle S13: final</li> <li> 400m Freestyle S13: victory ceremony</li> <li> 150m IM SM4: final</li> <li> 150m IM SM4: victory ceremony</li> <li> 150m IM SM4: final</li> <li> 150m IM SM4: victory ceremony</li> <li> 50m Freestyle S11: final</li> <li> 50m Freestyle S11: victory ceremony</li> <li> 50m Freestyle S11: final</li> <li> 50m Freestyle S11: victory ceremony</li> <li> 100m Butterfly S10: final</li> <li> 100m Butterfly S10: victory ceremony</li> <li> 100m Butterfly S10: final</li> <li> 100m Butterfly S10: victory ceremony</li> <li> 100m Freestyle S9: final</li> <li> 100m Freestyle S9: victory ceremony</li> <li> 100m Freestyle S9: final</li> <li> 100m Freestyle S9: victory ceremony</li> <li> 200m IM SM6: final</li> <li> 200m IM SM6: victory ceremony</li> <li> 200m IM SM6: final</li> <li> 200m IM SM6: victory ceremony</li> <li> 50m Butterfly S7: final</li> <li> 50m Butterfly S7: victory ceremony</li> <li> 50m Butterfly S7: final</li> <li> 50m Butterfly S7: victory ceremony</li> <li> 50m Freestyle S5: final</li> <li> 50m Freestyle S5: victory ceremony</li> <li> 50m Freestyle S5: final</li> <li> 50m Freestyle S5: victory ceremony</li> </ul>	PSW10	90	70	50	8
13 SEP Tuesday	09:30-11:55	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> 400m Freestyle S6: heats</li> <li> 400m Freestyle S6: heats</li> <li> 200m IM SM7: heats</li> <li> 200m IM SM7: heats</li> <li> 100m Freestyle S10: heats</li> <li> 100m Freestyle S10: heats</li> <li> 100m Breaststroke SB11: heats</li> <li> 100m Breaststroke SB11: heats</li> <li> 100m Breaststroke SB12: heats</li> <li> 100m Breaststroke SB12: heats</li> <li> 100m Breaststroke S8: heats</li> <li> 100m Breaststroke S8: heats</li> <li> 50m Freestyle S9: heats</li> <li> 50m Freestyle S9: heats</li> <li> 50m Freestyle S3: heats</li> <li> 200m Freestyle S4: heats</li> </ul>	PSW11	60	50	40	12
	17:30-21:25	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> 400m Freestyle S6: final</li> <li> 400m Freestyle S6: victory ceremony</li> <li> 400m Freestyle S6: final</li> <li> 400m Freestyle S6: victory ceremony</li> <li> 200m IM SM7: final</li> <li> 200m IM SM7: victory ceremony</li> <li> 200m IM SM7: final</li> <li> 200m IM SM7: victory ceremony</li> <li> 100m Freestyle S10: final</li> <li> 100m Freestyle S10: victory ceremony</li> <li> 100m Freestyle S10: final</li> <li> 100m Freestyle S10: victory ceremony</li> <li> 100m Breaststroke SB11: final</li> <li> 100m Breaststroke SB11: victory ceremony</li> <li> 100m Breaststroke SB11: final</li> <li> 100m Breaststroke SB11: victory ceremony</li> <li> 100m Breaststroke SB12: final</li> <li> 100m Breaststroke SB12: victory ceremony</li> <li> 100m Backstroke S8: final</li> <li> 100m Backstroke S8: victory ceremony</li> <li> 100m Backstroke S8: final</li> <li> 100m Backstroke S8: victory ceremony</li> <li> 50m Freestyle S9: final</li> <li> 50m Freestyle S9: victory ceremony</li> <li> 50m Freestyle S9: final</li> <li> 50m Freestyle S9: victory ceremony</li> <li> 50m Freestyle S3: final</li> <li> 50m Freestyle S3: victory ceremony</li> <li> 200m Freestyle S4: final</li> <li> 200m Freestyle S4: victory ceremony</li> </ul>	PSW12	90	70	50	8
14 SEP Wednesday	09:30-12:05	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> 100m Breaststroke SB8: heats</li> <li> 100m Breaststroke SB8: heats</li> <li> 400m Freestyle S7: heats</li> <li> 400m Freestyle S7: heats</li> <li> 100m Breaststroke SB14: heats</li> <li> 100m Breaststroke SB14: heats</li> <li> 100m Backstroke S12: heats</li> <li> 100m Backstroke S12: heats</li> <li> 100m Butterfly S11: heats</li> <li> 50m Breaststroke SB2: heats</li> <li> 50m Breaststroke SB3: heats</li> <li> 50m Breaststroke SB3: heats</li> <li> 50m Freestyle S13: heats</li> <li> 50m Freestyle S13: heats</li> <li> 4x100m Freestyle Relay 34 points: heats</li> </ul>	PSW13	60	50	40	12

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14 SEP Wednesday	17:30-21:25	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> 100m Breaststroke SB8: final</li> <li> 100m Breaststroke SB8: victory ceremony</li> <li> 100m Breaststroke SB8: final</li> <li> 100m Breaststroke SB8: victory ceremony</li> <li> 400m Freestyle S7: final</li> <li> 400m Freestyle S7: victory ceremony</li> <li> 400m Freestyle S7: final</li> <li> 400m Freestyle S7: victory ceremony</li> <li> 100m Breaststroke SB14: final</li> <li> 100m Breaststroke SB14: victory ceremony</li> <li> 100m Breaststroke SB14: final</li> <li> 100m Breaststroke SB14: victory ceremony</li> <li> 100m Backstroke S12: final</li> <li> 100m Backstroke S12: victory ceremony</li> <li> 100m Backstroke S12: final</li> <li> 100m Backstroke S12: victory ceremony</li> <li> 100m Butterfly S11: final</li> <li> 100m Butterfly S11: victory ceremony</li> <li> 50m Breaststroke SB2: final</li> <li> 50m Breaststroke SB2: victory ceremony</li> <li> 50m Breaststroke SB3: final</li> <li> 50m Breaststroke SB3: victory ceremony</li> <li> 50m Breaststroke SB3: final</li> <li> 50m Breaststroke SB3: victory ceremony</li> <li> 50m Freestyle S13: final</li> <li> 50m Freestyle S13: victory ceremony</li> <li> 50m Freestyle S13: final</li> <li> 50m Freestyle S13: victory ceremony</li> <li> 4x100m Freestyle Relay 34 points: final</li> <li> 4x100m Freestyle Relay 34 points: victory ceremony</li> </ul>	PSW14	90	70	50	8
15 SEP Thursday	09:30-12:05	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> 100m Butterfly S9: heats</li> <li> 100m Butterfly S9: heats</li> <li> 100m Breaststroke SB6: heats</li> <li> 100m Breaststroke SB6: heats</li> <li> 400m Freestyle S10: heats</li> <li> 400m Freestyle S10: heats</li> <li> 200m Freestyle S3: heats</li> <li> 200m IM SM5: heats</li> <li> 100m Freestyle S11: heats</li> <li> 100m Freestyle S11: heats</li> <li> 50m Backstroke S1: heats</li> <li> 50m Backstroke S2: heats</li> <li> 50m Backstroke S2: heats</li> <li> 4x100m Freestyle Relay 34 points: heats</li> </ul>	PSW15	60	50	40	12
	17:30-21:20	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> 100m Butterfly S9: final</li> <li> 100m Butterfly S9: victory ceremony</li> <li> 100m Butterfly S9: final</li> <li> 100m Butterfly S9: victory ceremony</li> <li> 100m Breaststroke SB6: final</li> <li> 100m Breaststroke SB6: victory ceremony</li> <li> 100m Breaststroke SB6: final</li> <li> 100m Breaststroke SB6: victory ceremony</li> <li> 400m Freestyle S10: final</li> <li> 400m Freestyle S10: victory ceremony</li> <li> 400m Freestyle S10: final</li> <li> 400m Freestyle S10: victory ceremony</li> <li> 200m Freestyle S3: final</li> <li> 200m Freestyle S3: victory ceremony</li> <li> 200m IM SM5: final</li> <li> 200m IM SM5: victory ceremony</li> <li> 100m Freestyle S11: final</li> <li> 100m Freestyle S11: victory ceremony</li> <li> 100m Freestyle S11: final</li> <li> 100m Freestyle S11: victory ceremony</li> <li> 50m Backstroke S1: final</li> <li> 50m Backstroke S1: victory ceremony</li> <li> 50m Backstroke S2: final</li> <li> 50m Backstroke S2: victory ceremony</li> <li> 50m Backstroke S2: final</li> <li> 50m Backstroke S2: victory ceremony</li> <li> 4x100m Freestyle Relay 34 points: final</li> <li> 4x100m Freestyle Relay 34 points: victory ceremony</li> </ul>	PSW16	90	70	50	8
16 SEP Friday	09:30-12:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> 100m Freestyle S7: heats</li> <li> 100m Freestyle S7: heats</li> <li> 100m Backstroke S9: heats</li> <li> 100m Backstroke S9: heats</li> <li> 50m Freestyle S8: heats</li> <li> 50m Freestyle S8: heats</li> <li> 50m Backstroke S4: heats</li> <li> 50m Backstroke S4: heats</li> <li> 200m IM SM11: heats</li> <li> 200m IM SM11: heats</li> <li> 100m Freestyle S13: heats</li> <li> 100m Freestyle S13: heats</li> <li> 50m Backstroke S5: heats</li> <li> 50m Backstroke S5: heats</li> <li> 150m IM SM3: heats</li> <li> 4x100m Medley Relay 34 points: heats</li> </ul>	PSW17	60	50	40	12

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16 SEP Friday	17:30-21:45	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> 100m Freestyle S7: final</li> <li> 100m Freestyle S7: victory ceremony</li> <li> 100m Freestyle S7: final</li> <li> 100m Freestyle S7: victory ceremony</li> <li> 100m Backstroke S9: final</li> <li> 100m Backstroke S9: victory ceremony</li> <li> 100m Backstroke S9: final</li> <li> 100m Backstroke S9: victory ceremony</li> <li> 50m Freestyle S8: final</li> <li> 50m Freestyle S8: victory ceremony</li> <li> 50m Freestyle S8: final</li> <li> 50m Freestyle S8: victory ceremony</li> <li> 50m Backstroke S4: final</li> <li> 50m Backstroke S4: victory ceremony</li> <li> 50m Backstroke S4: final</li> <li> 50m Backstroke S4: victory ceremony</li> <li> 200m IM SM11: final</li> <li> 200m IM SM11: victory ceremony</li> <li> 200m IM SM11: final</li> <li> 200m IM SM11: victory ceremony</li> <li> 100m Freestyle S13: final</li> <li> 100m Freestyle S13: victory ceremony</li> <li> 100m Freestyle S13: final</li> <li> 100m Freestyle S13: victory ceremony</li> <li> 50m Backstroke S5: final</li> <li> 50m Backstroke S5: victory ceremony</li> <li> 50m Backstroke S5: final</li> <li> 50m Backstroke S5: victory ceremony</li> <li> 150m IM SM3: final</li> <li> 150m IM SM3: victory ceremony</li> <li> 4x100m Medley Relay 34 points: final</li> <li> 4x100m Medley Relay 34 points: victory ceremony</li> </ul>	PSW18	90	70	50	8
17 SEP Saturday	09:30-12:05	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> 100m Freestyle S6: heats</li> <li> 100m Freestyle S6: heats</li> <li> 200m IM SM8: heats</li> <li> 200m IM SM8: heats</li> <li> 50m Freestyle S12: heats</li> <li> 50m Freestyle S12: heats</li> <li> 50m Freestyle S4: heats</li> <li> 50m Freestyle S4: heats</li> <li> 100m Backstroke S13: heats</li> <li> 100m Backstroke S13: heats</li> <li> 100m Freestyle S5: heats</li> <li> 100m Freestyle S5: heats</li> <li> 200m IM SM14: heats</li> <li> 200m IM SM14: heats</li> <li> 4x100m Medley Relay 34points: heats</li> </ul>	PSW19	60	50	40	12
	17:30-21:30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> 100m Freestyle S6: final</li> <li> 100m Freestyle S6: victory ceremony</li> <li> 100m Freestyle S6: final</li> <li> 100m Freestyle S6: victory ceremony</li> <li> 200m IM SM8: final</li> <li> 200m IM SM8: victory ceremony</li> <li> 200m IM SM8: final</li> <li> 200m IM SM8: victory ceremony</li> <li> 50m Freestyle S12: final</li> <li> 50m Freestyle S12: victory ceremony</li> <li> 50m Freestyle S12: final</li> <li> 50m Freestyle S12: victory ceremony</li> <li> 50m Freestyle S4: final</li> <li> 50m Freestyle S4: victory ceremony</li> <li> 50m Freestyle S4: final</li> <li> 50m Freestyle S4: victory ceremony</li> <li> 100m Backstroke S13: final</li> <li> 100m Backstroke S13: victory ceremony</li> <li> 100m Backstroke S13: final</li> <li> 100m Backstroke S13: victory ceremony</li> <li> 100m Freestyle S5: final</li> <li> 100m Freestyle S5: final victory ceremony</li> <li> 100m Freestyle S5: final</li> <li> 100m Freestyle S5: victory ceremony</li> <li> 200m IM SM14: final</li> <li> 200m IM SM14: victory ceremony</li> <li> 200m IM SM14: final</li> <li> 200m IM SM14: victory ceremony</li> <li> 4x100m Medley Relay 34 points: final</li> <li> 4x100m Medley Relay 34 points: victory ceremony</li> </ul>	PSW20	90	70	50	8

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# Table Tennis

Table tennis is one of the few sports to have been part of the Paralympic Games programme since the first edition, at Rome 1960, with men's and women's competitions. The rules and the dynamics of the game are similar to the traditional discipline, with the exception of the serve.

## CATEGORIES

Athletes are divided into 11 categories. The bigger the number indicated, the smaller the impairment:

TT1 – TT5 – wheelchair users;

TT6 – TT10 – athletes who can walk;

TT11 – athletes who can walk but suffer from an intellectual impairment.

## How to get there

**Riocentro - Pavilion 3 - Barra Zone**

 BRT Transolímpica and Transcarioca Centro Olímpico Station (west access)

 BRT Transolímpica - Riocentro 1 Station

## PODIUM

Different to Olympic table tennis, where the Asian countries have reigned supreme on the podium, especially, China, at the Paralympic Games it is a different story. The Europeans have earned good results, such as the Germans, French, Swiss, British, Finns and Poles.

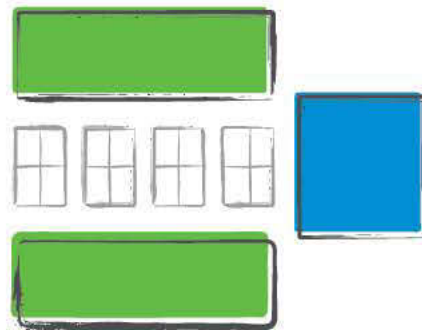


Natalia Partyka of Poland serves in the final of the women's singles TT10 on day 5 of the London 2012 Paralympic Games



## SPECTATOR AREAS

### Riocentro Pavilion 3



Date	Session time	Session description	Session code	Price category (RS)		Ticket limit
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08 SEP Thursday	09:00-14:20	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> Singles: qualifying (SM3 - SM8)</li> <li> Singles: qualifying (SM3 - SM8 - SF8)</li> <li> Singles: qualifying (SF3 - SF8 - SM9)</li> <li> Singles: qualifying (SF3 - SM2 - SM9 - SF9)</li> <li> Singles: qualifying (SM2 - SM5 - SF9 - SM6)</li> <li> Singles: qualifying (SM5 - SM6)</li> <li> Singles: qualifying (SF1-2 - SF6)</li> <li> Singles: qualifying (SF4 - SF11)</li> </ul>	PTT01	20	10	12
	16:00-22:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> Singles: qualifying (SM1 - SF10)</li> <li> Singles: qualifying (SM4 - SM10)</li> <li> Singles: qualifying (SF5 - SM4 - SM10 - SF7)</li> <li> Singles: qualifying (SF5 - SF3 - SF7 - SM7)</li> <li> Singles: qualifying (SF3 - SM7 - SM11)</li> <li> Singles: qualifying (SM3 - SM11 - SM8)</li> <li> Singles: qualifying (SM3 - SM8)</li> <li> Singles: qualifying (SF4 - SF8)</li> <li> Singles: qualifying (SF9)</li> </ul>	PTT02	20	10	12
09 SEP Friday	09:00-14:20	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> Singles: qualifying (SM4 - SM9)</li> <li> Singles: qualifying (SM4 - SM5 - SM9 - SM7)</li> <li> Singles: qualifying (SM5 - SM2 - SM7 - SF6)</li> <li> Singles: qualifying (SM2 - SF6 - SM6)</li> <li> Singles: qualifying (SF1-2 - SM6 - SM10)</li> <li> Singles: qualifying (SM1 - SM10)</li> <li> Singles: qualifying (SF5 - SF11)</li> <li> Singles: qualifying (SF4 - SF10)</li> </ul>	PTT03	20	10	12
	16:00-22:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> Singles: qualifying (SM2 - SM11)</li> <li> Singles: qualifying (SM2 - SM5 - SF7)</li> <li> Singles: qualifying (SM5 - SM4 - SM7)</li> <li> Singles: qualifying (SM4 - SM7 - SF8)</li> <li> Singles: qualifying (SF1-2 - SF8 - SM6)</li> <li> Singles: qualifying (SM3 - SM6 - SM8)</li> <li> Singles: qualifying (SM3 - SM8)</li> <li> Singles: qualifying (SF5 - SF11)</li> <li> Singles: qualifying (SF9)</li> </ul>	PTT04	20	10	12

Men's event Women's event Mixed event

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				A	B	
10 SEP Saturday	09:00-14:20	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> Singles: qualifying (SF3 - SM9)</li> <li> Singles: qualifying (SF3 - SM9 -SF7)</li> <li> Singles: qualifying (SM1 - SF7 - SM10)</li> <li> Singles: qualifying (SM2 - SM5 - SM10)</li> <li> Singles: qualifying (SM3 - SF6)</li> <li> Singles: qualifying (SM3 - SF10)</li> <li> Singles: qualifying (SM4 - SM11)</li> <li> Singles: quarter-finals (SF1-2)</li> <li> Singles: qualifying (SM6 - SM7)</li> </ul>	PTT05	30	20	12
	16:00-21:15	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> Singles: qualifying (SF3 - SM8)</li> <li> Singles: quarter-finals (SF5)</li> <li> Singles: qualifying (SM10 - SM9)</li> <li> Singles: quarter-finals (SF4 - SM6)</li> <li> Singles: quarter-finals (SM2 - SM7)</li> <li> Singles: quarter-finals (SM1 - SM11)</li> <li> Singles: quarter-finals (SM3 - SM9)</li> <li> Singles: quarter-finals (SM4 - SM8)</li> </ul>	PTT06	30	20	12
11 SEP Sunday	09:30-14:45	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> Singles: quarter-finals (SF3 - SM10)</li> <li> Singles: quarter-finals (SM5 - SM6)</li> <li> Singles: semi-finals (SM5 - SM6 -SF11)</li> <li> Singles: semi-finals (SM3 - SF1-2 - SM7 - SF8)</li> <li> Singles: semi-finals (SF4 - SM5 - SM9 - SF9)</li> <li> Singles: semi-finals (SM1 - SF6 - SM11)</li> <li> Singles: semi-finals (SM4 - SM2 - SM8 - SF10)</li> <li> Singles: semi-finals (SF5 - SF3 - SM10 - SF7)</li> </ul>	PTT07	40	30	8
	16:30-21:30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> Singles: final and bronze medal match (SF1)</li> <li> Singles: final and bronze medal match (SM6)</li> <li> Victory Ceremony (SF1)</li> <li> Singles: final and bronze medal match (SM3)</li> <li> Victory Ceremony (SM6)</li> <li> Singles: final and bronze medal match (SF1-2)</li> <li> Victory Ceremony (SM3)</li> <li> Singles: final and bronze medal match (SM9)</li> <li> Victory Ceremony (SF1-2)</li> <li> Victory Ceremony (SM9)</li> </ul>	PTT08	50	40	8
12 SEP Monday	10:00-14:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> Singles: final and bronze medal match (SM5)</li> <li> Singles: final and bronze medal match (SF4)</li> <li> Victory Ceremony (SM5)</li> <li> Singles: final and bronze medal match (SM7)</li> <li> Victory Ceremony (SF4)</li> <li> Singles: final and bronze medal match (SF8)</li> <li> Victory Ceremony (SM7)</li> <li> Victory Ceremony (SF8)</li> </ul>	PTT09	50	40	8
	16:00-20:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> Singles: final and bronze medal match (SF5)</li> <li> Singles: final and bronze medal match (SF3)</li> <li> Victory Ceremony (SF5)</li> <li> Singles: final and bronze medal match (SF1)</li> <li> Victory Ceremony (SF3)</li> <li> Singles: final and bronze medal match (SM10)</li> <li> Victory Ceremony (SF1)</li> <li> Victory Ceremony (SM10)</li> </ul>	PTT10	50	40	8
13 SEP Tuesday	10:00-14:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> Singles: final and bronze medal match (SF6)</li> <li> Singles: final and bronze medal match (SM8)</li> <li> Victory Ceremony (SF6)</li> <li> Singles: final and bronze medal match (SF7)</li> <li> Victory Ceremony (SM8)</li> <li> Singles: final and bronze medal match (SM1)</li> <li> Victory Ceremony (SF7)</li> <li> Victory Ceremony (SM1)</li> </ul>	PTT11	50	40	8
	16:00-20:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> Singles: final and bronze medal match (SM2)</li> <li> Singles: final and bronze medal match (SM4)</li> <li> Victory Ceremony (SM2)</li> <li> Singles: final and bronze medal match (SF9)</li> <li> Victory Ceremony (SM4)</li> <li> Singles: final and bronze medal match (SF10)</li> <li> Victory Ceremony (SF9)</li> <li> Victory Ceremony (SF10)</li> </ul>	PTT12	50	40	8

Men's event  
 Women's event  
 Mixed event  
 Victory Ceremony

Date	Session time	Session description	Session code	Price category (RS)		Ticket limit
				A	B	
14 SEP Wednesday	10:00-14:30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> Team: round 1 (TM4-5 - TM9-10 - TF4-5)</li> <li> Team: quarter-finals (TM9-10)</li> <li> Team: round 1 (TM3 - TF1-3 - TM6-8)</li> <li> Team: quarter-finals (TM3 - TM6-8)</li> <li> Team: round 1 (TM1-2)</li> </ul>	PTT13	30	20	12
	16:30-21:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> Team: quarter-finals (TM4-5 - TM1-2 - TM9-10)</li> <li> Team: round 1 (TF6-10)</li> <li> Team: quarter-finals (TM4-5 - TF1-3 - TM6-8 - TM9-10 - TF4-5 - TF6-10)</li> </ul>	PTT14	30	20	12
15 SEP Thursday	10:00-16:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> Team: quarter-finals (TF4-5 - TF6-10)</li> <li> Team: semi-finals (TF1-3 - TM4-5)</li> <li> Team: semi-finals (TM1-2 - TM6-8)</li> </ul>	PTT15	40	30	8
	17:30-21:30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> Team: semi-finals (TF4-5 - TF6-10)</li> <li> Team: semi-finals (TM3 - TM9-10)</li> </ul>	PTT16	40	30	8
16 SEP Friday	10:00-15:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> Team: finals and bronze medal match (TM4-5)</li> <li> Team: finals and bronze medal match (TM6-8)</li> <li> Victory Ceremony (TM4-5 - TM6-8)</li> </ul>	 PTT17	50	40	8
	16:30-21:30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> Team: finals and bronze medal match (TF1-3)</li> <li> Team: finals and bronze medal match (TM3)</li> <li> Victory Ceremony (TF1-3 - TM3)</li> </ul>	 PTT18	50	40	8
17 SEP Saturday	10:00-15:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> Team: finals and bronze medal match (TF6-10)</li> <li> Team: finals and bronze medal match (TF4-5)</li> <li> Victory Ceremony (TF4-5 - TF6-10)</li> </ul>	 PTT19	50	40	8
	16:30-21:30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> Team: finals and bronze medal match (TM1-2)</li> <li> Team: finals and bronze medal match (TM9-10)</li> <li> Victory Ceremony (TM1-2 - TM9-10)</li> </ul>	 PTT20	50	40	8

 Men's event
  Women's event
  Mixed event
  Victory Ceremony



British Paralympic triathlete Phil Hogg finished in sixth place in the Rio de Janeiro ITU World Paratriathlon Event on 1 August 2015



# Triathlon

Triathlon will make its debut at the Rio 2016 Paralympic Games. With shorter distances than Olympic triathlon, the discipline requires the athlete to complete a 750m swim, a 20km cycle and a 5km race in the shortest time possible.

## FUNCTIONAL CLASSIFICATION

Triathletes are divided into six categories:

TRI 1 – paraplegics, quadriplegics and double amputees. These competitors use handbikes and wheelchairs;

TRI 2 – athletes with a severe impairment in the legs and use prostheses;

TRI 3 – athletes with multiple sclerosis, cerebral palsy and muscular dystrophy, who use traditional bicycles (or tricycles) and run with prostheses;

TRI 4 – triathletes with an impairment in the arms; paralysis or amputation;

TRI 5 – athletes with a moderate impairment in the legs. For example, an amputation below the knee;

TRI 6 – visual impairment, who count on the help of a guide in the race and in cycling.

## How to get there

### Fort Copacabana - Copacabana Zone

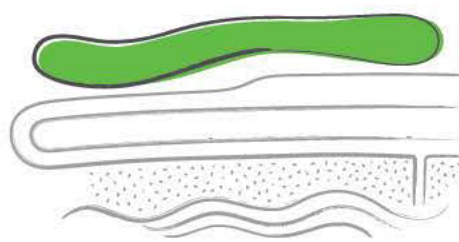
-  Metro Line 1 - Cantagalo Station (Rua Xavier da Silveira exit)
-  Metro Line 1 and Metro Line 4 Gal. Osório Station (Rua Sá Ferreira exit)

## TRANSITIONS

The transitions from one sport to another are fundamental in triathlon and can directly influence the final result of the event. For this reason, athletes count on the presence of helpers during each transition, who should be appropriately identified. They are chosen by the competitors themselves.

## SPECTATOR AREAS

### Fort Copacabana



Date	Session time	Session description	Session code	Price category (R\$)		Ticket limit
				A		
10 SEP Saturday	10:00-13:30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>🏆 PT4</li> <li>🏆 PT2</li> <li>🏆 PT1</li> <li>🏆 PT4 Victory Ceremony</li> <li>🏆 PT2 Victory Ceremony</li> <li>🏆 PT1 Victory Ceremony</li> </ul>	🏆 PTR01	20	8	
11 SEP Sunday	10:00-13:45	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>🏆 PT4</li> <li>🏆 PT2</li> <li>🏆 PT5 (B1)</li> <li>🏆 PT5 (B2 &amp; B3)</li> <li>🏆 PT4 Victory Ceremony</li> <li>🏆 PT2 Victory Ceremony</li> <li>🏆 PT5 Victory Ceremony</li> </ul>	🏆 PTR02	20	8	



# Wheelchair Basketball



## POWERHOUSES

Different to Olympic basketball, in which the Americans are absolute favourites in the men's and the women's competition, the Paralympic Games have a more level playing field. Despite good showings, the USA men's team has not won gold since Seoul 1988, having been superseded by Canada and Australia. Among the women, besides these three countries, Germany and the Netherlands have regularly won medals.

Designed for athletes with physical and motor impairments, wheelchair basketball follows the basic principles of the Olympic sport. The dimensions of the court (28m x 15m), the height of the basket (3.05m) and the length of the match (four periods of 10 minutes) are identical.

## CUSTOM-MADE WHEELCHAIR

To guarantee a level playing field, wheelchairs are standardised. Before the tip-off, officials check to see if the diameter of the tyres and the height of the seat and support for the feet are within regulations. Cushions of up to 10cm are allowed, as are objects to secure the athlete in the chair.

## BALL USE

Throughout the match, it is common to see an athlete move with the ball in their hands. However, for every two touches the player needs to dribble, shoot or pass the ball.

## How to get there

Rio Olympic Arena - Barra Zone  
Carioca Arena 1 - Barra Zone

 BRT Transolímpica and Transcarioca  
Centro Olímpico Station (west access)

 BRT Transcarioca - Rio 2 Station (east access)

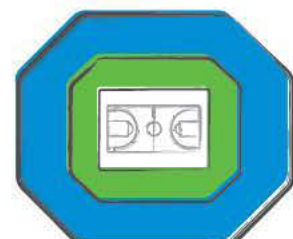


## SPECTATOR AREAS

Carioca Arena 1



Rio Olympic Arena



Jannik Blair of Australia shoots during the final of the London 2012 Paralympic Games

## Carioca Arena 1

Date	Session time	Session description	Session code	Price category (R\$)		Ticket limit
				A	B	
08 SEP Thursday	10:00-14:00	Preliminaries (1 match) Preliminaries (1 match)	PWB02	60	40	12
	15:45-19:45	Preliminaries (2 matches)	PWB04	60	40	12
	21:30-23:15	Preliminaries (1 match)	PWB06	60	40	12
09 SEP Friday	10:00-14:00	Preliminaries (1 match) Preliminaries (1 match)	PWB08	60	40	12
	15:45-19:45	Preliminaries (2 matches)	PWB10	60	40	12
	21:30-23:15	Preliminaries (1 match)	PWB12	60	40	12
10 SEP Saturday	10:00-14:00	Preliminaries (2 matches)	PWB14	60	40	12
	15:45-19:45	Preliminaries (1 match) Preliminaries (1 match)	PWB16	60	40	12
	21:30-23:15	Preliminaries (1 match)	PWB18	60	40	12
11 SEP Sunday	10:00-14:00	Preliminaries (1 match) Preliminaries (1 match)	PWB20	60	40	12
	15:45-19:45	Preliminaries (1 match) Preliminaries (1 match)	PWB22	60	40	12
	21:30-23:15	Preliminaries (1 match)	PWB24	60	40	12
12 SEP Monday	09:00-17:30	Preliminaries (2 matches) Preliminaries (2 matches)	PWB25	60	40	12

Men's event Women's event Mixed event Victory Ceremony

## Rio Olympic Arena

Date	Session time	Session description	Session code	Price category (R\$)		Ticket limit
				A	B	
08 SEP Thursday	09:30-13:30	Preliminaries (2 matches)	PWB01	60	40	12
	15:15-19:15	Preliminaries (2 matches)	PWB03	60	40	12
	21:00-22:45	Preliminaries (1 match)	PWB05	60	40	12
09 SEP Friday	09:30-13:30	Preliminaries (2 matches)	PWB07	60	40	12
	15:15-19:15	Preliminaries (2 matches)	PWB09	60	40	12
	21:00-22:45	Preliminaries (1 match)	PWB11	60	40	12
10 SEP Saturday	09:30-13:30	Preliminaries (2 matches)	PWB13	60	40	12
	15:15-19:15	Preliminaries (2 matches)	PWB15	60	40	12
	21:00-22:45	Preliminaries (1 match)	PWB17	60	40	12
11 SEP Sunday	09:30-13:30	Preliminaries (2 matches)	PWB19	60	40	12
	15:15-19:15	Preliminaries (1 match) Preliminaries (1 match)	PWB21	60	40	12
	21:00-22:45	Preliminaries (1 match)	PWB23	60	40	12
12 SEP Monday	09:30-15:45	Preliminaries (2 matches) Preliminaries (1 match)	PWB26	60	40	12
	17:15-23:30	Preliminaries (3 matches)	PWB27	60	40	12
13 SEP Tuesday	09:30-13:30	9th-10th Place (1 match) Quarter-final (1 match)	PWB28	70	50	12
	15:15-19:15	Quarter-finals (2 matches)	PWB29	70	50	12
	21:00-22:45	Quarter-final (1 match)	PWB30	70	50	12
14 SEP Wednesday	09:30-13:30	11-12 place (1 match) Quarter-final 1 (1 match)	PWB31	70	50	12
	15:15-19:15	Quarter-finals (2 matches)	PWB32	70	50	12
	21:00-22:45	Quarter-final (1 match)	PWB33	70	50	12
15 SEP Thursday	09:30-13:30	9-10 place (1 match) Semi-final (1 match)	PWB34	80	60	8
	15:15-19:15	Semi-final (1 match) Semi-final (1 match)	PWB35	80	60	8
	21:00-22:45	Semi-final (1 match)	PWB36	80	60	8
16 SEP Friday	09:30-13:30	7 - 8 place (1 match) Bronze medal game (1 match)	PWB37	80	60	8
	15:15-19:15	5 - 6 place (1 match) Gold medal game (1 match) Victory ceremony	PWB38	90	70	8
17 SEP Saturday	09:30-13:30	7 - 8 place game (1 match) Bronze medal game (1 match)	PWB39	80	60	8
	15:15-19:15	5 - 6 place game (1 match) Gold medal game (1 match) Victory ceremony	PWB40	130	90	8

Men's event Women's event Mixed event Victory Ceremony



# Wheelchair Fencing

A high-speed duel of swords, with equipment and organisation similar to Olympic fencing. However, to allow the sport to be practised by amputees, paraplegics and people with cerebral palsy, it has been adapted for wheelchairs.

## FOR ALL TYPES OF WHEELCHAIR USERS

The chairs are secured to the floor, and the competitors need concern themselves only with movements of the upper limbs. To participate in this sport, it is not necessary to be a wheelchair user. Many athletes can even move around without one some of the time. What they cannot manage is to practise the sport in the same conditions as Olympic athletes.

## CLASSES





To define the category in which they will compete, athletes undergo functional tests. Dorsal, side and lumbar movements are assessed, as are the flexing and balance of the body with the weapon. There are five classes: 1A, 1B, 2, 3 and 4. The larger the number indicated, the smaller the impairment of the athlete.

## POWERS

As in Olympic fencing, France and Italy are the references for the sport. No one has results as impressive as Frenchman Christian Lachaud: nine golds, two silver and two bronze medals, between Toronto 1976 and Sydney 2000. Italian Roberto Marson, meanwhile, is the most successful medallist in history: 15, eight of which are gold. Both went up on the podium for épée, foil and sabre events. Brazil's first Paralympic champion was Jovane Gisson at London 2012, in the men's sabre competition B category.

## How to get there

### Youth Arena - Deodoro Zone

-  Rail (SuperVia) - Magalhães Bastos Station
-  Rail (SuperVia) - Vila Militar Station
-  BRT Transolímpica - Magalhães Bastos Station
-  BRT Transolímpica - Vila Militar Station

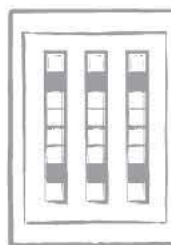


Ludmila Vasileva (R) of Russia in action against Jingjing Zhou (L) of China in the women's individual foil cat B preliminaries at London 2012



## SPECTATOR AREAS

### Youth Arena



Date	Session time	Session description	Session code	Price category (RS)	Ticket limit
				A	
12 SEP Monday	09:00-12:45	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> Individual Sabre - Category A: Preliminaries</li> <li> Individual Sabre - Category B: Preliminaries</li> <li> Individual Sabre - Category A: quarter-finals</li> <li> Individual Sabre - Category B: quarter-finals</li> </ul>	PWF01	10	12
	14:00-17:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> Individual Sabre - Category A: semi-finals</li> <li> Individual Sabre - Category B: semi-finals</li> <li> Individual Sabre - Category A: bronze medal</li> <li> Individual Sabre - Category B: bronze medal</li> <li> Individual Sabre - Category A: gold medal</li> <li> Individual Sabre - Category B: gold medal</li> <li> Victory ceremony</li> </ul>	PWF02	20	8
13 SEP Tuesday	09:00-12:30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> Individual Épée - Category A: Preliminaries</li> <li> Individual Épée - Category B: Preliminaries</li> <li> Individual Épée - Category A: Preliminaries</li> <li> Individual Épée - Category B: Preliminaries</li> <li> Individual Épée - Category A: quarter-finals</li> <li> Individual Épée - Category B: quarter-finals</li> <li> Individual Épée - Category A: quarter-finals</li> <li> Individual Épée - Category B: quarter-finals</li> </ul>	PWF03	10	12
	14:00-18:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> Individual Épée - Category A: semi-finals</li> <li> Individual Épée - Category B: semi-finals</li> <li> Individual Épée - Category A: semi-finals</li> <li> Individual Épée - Category B: semi-finals</li> <li> Individual Épée - Category A: bronze medal bout</li> <li> Individual Épée - Category B: bronze medal bout</li> <li> Individual Épée - Category A: bronze medal bout</li> <li> Individual Épée - Category B: bronze medal bout</li> <li> Individual Épée - Category A: gold medal bout</li> <li> Individual Épée - Category B: gold medal bout</li> <li> Victory ceremony</li> <li> Individual Épée - Category A: gold medal bout</li> <li> Individual Épée - Category B: gold medal bout</li> <li> Victory ceremony</li> </ul>	PWF04	20	8
14 SEP Wednesday	09:00-12:30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> Individual Foil - Category A: Preliminaries</li> <li> Individual Foil - Category B: Preliminaries</li> <li> Individual Foil - Category A: Preliminaries</li> <li> Individual Foil - Category B: Preliminaries</li> <li> Individual Foil - Category A: quarter-finals</li> <li> Individual Foil - Category B: quarter-finals</li> <li> Individual Foil - Category A: quarter-finals</li> <li> Individual Foil - Category B: quarter-finals</li> </ul>	PWF05	10	12
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15 SEP Thursday	08:30-14:30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> Team Épée - quarter-finals</li> <li> Team Épée - quarter-finals</li> <li> Team Épée - classification 5-8</li> <li> Team Épée - classification 5-8</li> <li> Team Épée - semi-finals</li> <li> Team Épée - classification 5-6 / 7-8</li> <li> Team Épée - classification 5-6 / 7-8</li> </ul>	PWF07	10	12
	16:00-20:15	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> Team Épée - semi-finals</li> <li> Team Épée - bronze medal bout</li> <li> Team Épée - bronze medal bout</li> <li> Team Épée - gold medal bout</li> <li> Team Épée - gold medal bout</li> <li> Team Épée - victory ceremony</li> <li> Team Épée - victory ceremony</li> </ul>	PWF08	20	8
16 SEP Friday	08:30-14:30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> Team Foil - quarter-finals</li> <li> Team Foil - quarter-finals</li> <li> Team Foil - classification 5-8</li> <li> Team Foil - classification 5-8</li> <li> Team Foil - semi-finals</li> <li> Team Foil - classification 5-6 / 7-8</li> <li> Team Foil - classification 5-6 / 7-8</li> </ul>	PWF09	10	12
	16:00-20:15	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> Team Foil - semi-finals</li> <li> Team Foil - bronze medal bout</li> <li> Team Foil - bronze medal bout</li> <li> Team Foil - gold medal bout</li> <li> Team Foil - gold medal bout</li> <li> Team Foil - victory ceremony</li> <li> Team Foil - victory ceremony</li> </ul>	PWF10	20	8



# Wheelchair Rugby

Wheelchair rugby is a dynamic, hard-hitting sport. It's a great spectator event where you can appreciate the skill and strength of the athletes. It is fast-paced and players are only given 40 seconds to score a goal.

## UNDERSTANDING THE GAME

Wheelchair rugby is a mixed team sport for quadriplegic athletes. It combines elements of rugby, basketball and handball. Players compete in teams of four to carry the ball across the opposing team's goal line.

The wheelchairs are purpose-built, either defensive or offensive, based on the athlete's role in the game.

Players must meet minimum impairment criteria and be classifiable under the sport classification rules. Wheelchair rugby has been a Paralympic sport for several editions of the Games, with 26 countries competing in international competition and more than 10 others developing national programmes.

## RULES

Wheelchair rugby is played on a hardwood court measuring 28m by 15m. The court is marked with boundary lines, a centre line, a centre circle and two key areas. The centre line divides the court into a front court and back court area. A team's back court includes their goal line. The key areas are located on the two end lines and are 8m wide and 1.75 metres deep, marked by two cones.

The teams have 40 seconds to score a goal, which includes only 12 seconds to advance into the front court. The ball is round, allowing accurate bounces and passes. The game consists of four eight-minute quarters with two minute breaks after the first and the third quarter and a five minute interval half-way.

## WHEELCHAIRS

For safety reasons, there are two types of wheelchair, one for attack and another for defence. The former, more rounded at the front (where the athletes' feet rest), are normally used by those with a lesser degree of impairment and guarantee greater movement. The defensive wheelchairs, meanwhile, are used by players with a lower functional classification, i.e. with a greater degree of impairment. In this case, the chairs have a grid on the front to block the opponent.

## How to get there

### Carioca Arena 1 - Barra Zone

 BRT Transolímpica and Transcarioca  
Centro Olímpico Station (west access)

 BRT Transcarioca - Rio 2 Station (east access)



Mike Kerr (white) of Great Britain reaches out during the Group A match against France on day 8 of the London 2012 Paralympic Games

## SPECTATOR AREAS

### Carioca Arena 1



Date	Session time	Session description	Session code	Price category (RS)		Ticket limit
				A	B	
14 SEP Wednesday	10:30-14:15	Preliminaries (2 matches)	PWR01	50	30	12
	16:00-17:30	Preliminaries (1 match)	PWR02	50	30	12
	19:15-20:45	Preliminaries (1 match)	PWR03	50	30	12
15 SEP Thursday	10:30-14:15	Preliminaries (2 matches)	PWR04	50	30	12
	16:00-17:30	Preliminaries (1 match)	PWR05	50	30	12
	19:15-20:45	Preliminaries (1 match)	PWR06	50	30	12
16 SEP Friday	10:30-14:15	Preliminaries (2 matches)	PWR07	50	30	12
	16:00-17:30	Preliminaries (1 match)	PWR08	50	30	12
	19:15-20:45	Preliminaries (1 match)	PWR09	50	30	12
17 SEP Saturday	10:30-14:15	7th-8th Place (1 match) Semi-Final (1 match)	PWR10	60	40	8
	16:00-17:30	Semi-Final (1 match)	PWR11	60	40	8
	19:15-20:45	5th-6th Place (1 match)	PWR12	50	30	12
18 SEP Sunday	09:00-10:30	bronze medal (1 match)	PWR13	60	40	8
	12:30-14:30	gold medal (1 match) victory ceremony	PWR14	80	60	8

Men's event Women's event Mixed event Victory Ceremony



# Wheelchair Tennis

In 2016, wheelchair tennis will celebrate 40 years of existence. The man responsible for the creation of the sport is American Brad Parks, an ex-acrobatic skiing athlete, who suffered a spinal cord injury during a jump.

The rehabilitation period allowed him to meet Jeff Minnenbraker, a Los Angeles athlete who had already outlined the first strokes of the sport as a wheelchair user. Parks liked what he saw and started to promote the game with great success and, in 1979, the first entity of the discipline was created, in partnership with the United States Tennis Association (USTA).

## REQUIREMENT

To take part in the sport, it is necessary to be diagnosed with a loco-motor impairment. If limitations in one or more parts of the body are confirmed and the person is considered incapable of taking part in tennis competitions with non-impaired athletes, they will be able to compete in matches for wheelchair users. Players with an upper limb impairment compete in the quad division.

## TWO BOUNCES

The main difference between wheelchair tennis and traditional tennis is the two-bounce rule. The first bounce must be within the court boundaries.

## How to get there

### Olympic Tennis Centre - Barra Zone

 BRT Transolímpica and Transcarioca Centro Olímpico Station (west access)

 BRT Transcarioca - Rio 2 Station (east access)

## THE QUEEN OF TENNIS

The history of wheelchair tennis can be divided into two eras: before and after Esther Vergeer. The Dutch star, who retired in 2013, broke records throughout her career: 42 Grand Slams, seven Paralympic gold medals, 15 years atop the world rankings and 10 years unbeaten. In singles competitions, she has 700 victories and just 25 defeats on her CV.



Esther Vergeer plays a forehand during her match in the final of the women's singles on day 9 at London 2012

## SPECTATOR AREAS

### Olympic Tennis Centre



## Court 2



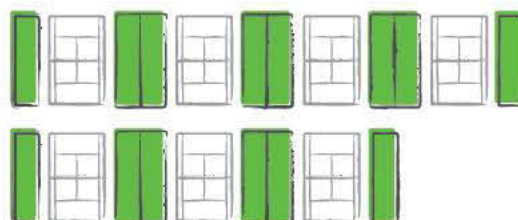
Date	Session time	Session description	Session code	Price category (RS)		Ticket limit
				A	B	
09 SEP Friday	12:00-21:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> Singles: first round</li> <li> Doubles: first round</li> <li> Quad singles: first round</li> </ul>	PWT02	20	-	12
10 SEP Saturday	12:00-21:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> Singles: first round</li> <li> Doubles: first round</li> <li> Quad singles: quarterfinals</li> <li> Quad doubles: quarterfinals</li> </ul>	PWT06	20	-	12
11 SEP Sunday	12:00-21:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> Singles: second round</li> <li> Doubles: second round</li> <li> Singles: second round</li> <li> Doubles: quarterfinals</li> <li> Quad doubles: semifinals</li> </ul>	PWT10	40	-	8
12 SEP Monday	12:00-21:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> Singles: third round</li> <li> Singles: quarterfinals</li> <li> Doubles: quarterfinals</li> <li> Quad singles: semifinals</li> <li> Doubles: semifinals</li> </ul>	PWT14	40	-	8
13 SEP Tuesday	12:00-22:30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> Singles: quarterfinals</li> <li> Doubles: semifinals</li> <li> Singles: semifinals</li> <li> Quad doubles: bronze medal match</li> </ul>	PWT18	40	-	8
14 SEP Wednesday	12:00-22:30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> Singles: semifinals</li> <li> Quad singles: bronze medal match</li> </ul>	PWT21	40	-	8

The above includes all possible events for this court. The final court assignments and order of play are subject to change up until the day of the session.

Men's event  
 Women's event  
 Mixed event  
 Victory Ceremony

**SPECTATOR AREAS**  
Olympic Tennis Centre

**Court 3-9**



Date	Session time	Session description	Session code	Price category (RS)		Ticket limit
				A	B	
09 SEP Friday	11:00-21:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> Singles: first round</li> <li> Doubles: first round</li> <li> Quad singles: first round</li> </ul>	PWT03	10	-	12
10 SEP Saturday	11:00-21:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> Singles: first round</li> <li> Doubles: first round</li> <li> Quad singles: quarterfinals</li> <li> Quad doubles: quarterfinals</li> </ul>	PWT07	10	-	12
11 SEP Sunday	11:00-21:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> Singles: second round</li> <li> Doubles: second round</li> <li> Singles: second round</li> <li> Doubles: quarterfinals</li> </ul>	PWT11	10	-	12
12 SEP Monday	11:00-21:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> Singles: third round</li> <li> Singles: quarterfinals</li> <li> Doubles: quarterfinals</li> <li> Doubles: semifinals</li> </ul>	PWT15	20	-	8
13 SEP Tuesday	12:00-22:30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> Singles: quarterfinals</li> <li> Doubles: semifinal</li> </ul>	PWT19	20	-	8

The above includes all possible events for this court. The final court assignments and order of play are subject to change up until the day of the session.

Men's event   Women's event   Mixed event   Victory Ceremony

**SPECTATOR AREAS**  
Olympic Tennis Centre

Centre Court



Date	Session time	Session description	Session code	Price category (RS)		Ticket limit
				A	B	
09 SEP Friday	11:00-17:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> Singles: first round</li> <li> Doubles: first round</li> <li> Quad singles: first round</li> </ul>	PWT01	40	20	12
	18:30-22:30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> Singles: first round</li> <li> Doubles: first round</li> <li> Quad singles: first round</li> </ul>	PWT04	40	20	12
10 SEP Saturday	11:00-17:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> Singles: first round</li> <li> Doubles: first round</li> <li> Quad singles: quarterfinals</li> <li> Quad doubles: quarterfinals</li> </ul>	PWT05	40	20	12
	18:30-22:30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> Singles: first round</li> <li> Doubles: first round</li> <li> Quad singles: quarterfinals</li> <li> Quad doubles: quarterfinals</li> </ul>	PWT08	40	20	12
11 SEP Sunday	11:00-17:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> Singles: second round</li> <li> Doubles: second round</li> <li> Singles: second round</li> <li> Doubles: quarterfinals</li> <li> Quad doubles: semifinals</li> </ul>	PWT09	50	30	8
	18:30-22:30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> Singles: second round</li> <li> Doubles: second round</li> <li> Singles: second round</li> <li> Doubles: quarterfinals</li> </ul>	PWT12	40	20	12
12 SEP Monday	11:00-17:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> Singles: third round</li> <li> Singles: quarterfinals</li> <li> Doubles: quarterfinals</li> </ul>	PWT13	40	20	12
	18:30-22:30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> Singles: third round</li> <li> Singles: quarterfinals</li> <li> Doubles: quarterfinals</li> <li> Quad singles: semifinals</li> </ul>	PWT16	50	30	8
13 SEP Tuesday	12:00-22:30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> Singles: quarterfinals</li> <li> Singles: semifinals</li> <li> Doubles: bronze medal match</li> <li> Quad doubles: gold medal match</li> <li> Quad doubles: victory ceremony</li> </ul>	PWT17	70	50	8
14 SEP Wednesday	12:00-22:30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> Singles: semifinals</li> <li> Singles: bronze medal match</li> <li> Quad single: gold medal match</li> <li> Quad single: victory ceremony</li> </ul>	PWT20	70	50	8
15 SEP Thursday	12:00-22:30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> Doubles: bronze medal match</li> <li> Doubles: gold medal match</li> <li> Doubles: victory ceremony</li> <li> Singles: gold medal match</li> <li> Singles: victory ceremony</li> </ul>	PWT22	70	50	8
16 SEP Friday	12:00-22:30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> Singles: bronze medal match</li> <li> Singles: gold medal match</li> <li> Singles: victory ceremony</li> <li> Doubles: gold medal match</li> <li> Doubles: victory ceremony</li> </ul>	PWT23	70	50	8

The above includes all possible events for this court. The final court assignments and order of play are subject to change up until the day of the session.

Men's event Women's event Mixed event Victory Ceremony





# GENERAL INFORMATION

Rio 2016 wants all ticket holders to have a fantastic time at the Paralympic Games. Here are some general rules that will help you enjoy memorable moments at the event. Take the time to also read the following documents on the Rio 2016 ticket website: **Rio 2016 Ticket Licence Agreement and the Rio 2016 Terms and Conditions of Ticket Purchase and Rio 2016 Spectator Policy.**

## RIO 2016 COMMUNICATION TO SPECTATORS

Ticket holders must be informed of, and abide by, all spectator ticket user rules, including no resale, ambush and security policies. All these topics are explained in detail in the **Rio 2016 Ticket Licence Agreement, the Rio 2016 Terms and Conditions of Ticket Purchase and the Rio 2016 Spectator Policy.**

## SAFEGUARDING OF TICKETS

Once you receive your tickets, you (and anyone to whom you might give a ticket) are responsible for their safekeeping. Rio 2016 may not be able to replace tickets that are lost, stolen, forgotten or damaged. If you arrive at the venue without a ticket or with a ticket that is damaged or illegible, you will not be admitted to the session.

## RESALE AND REDISTRIBUTION RESTRICTIONS

The only way to ensure that your tickets are genuine is to purchase them directly from Rio 2016 or our officially authorised partners. For residents of Brazil, individual tickets may only be purchased from Rio 2016. For residents of all other countries and territories, tickets can only be purchased from the Authorised Ticket Reseller appointed by the NOCs for your country or territory. Nobody else is authorised to sell or distribute tickets for Rio 2016, and the unauthorised resale of tickets is a violation of the terms and conditions of sale and may result in the tickets being cancelled. No reseller other than the Authorised Ticket Resellers listed at [www.rio2016.com/spectators](http://www.rio2016.com/spectators) are authorised to sell Rio 2016 tickets. The Brazilian Government has enacted specific legislation in relation to the sale of Rio 2016 Paralympic tickets. Reselling Paralympic tickets at a price higher than the face value is a criminal offence punishable by substantial fines and may result in other serious consequences. Local law enforcement, operating independently from Rio 2016, will be diligently monitoring, investigating and pursuing offenders and their organisations from now until the end of the Paralympic Games. Please remember that it is always important to “play by the rules” when it comes to the purchase and resale of tickets.

# TICKETING FAQ

## WHO CAN APPLY?

### 1. Who can buy tickets for the Rio 2016 Paralympic Games?

Brazilian residents over 18 years of age who have a Brazilian personal tax ID (CPF) can purchase tickets via the ticket website, using a Brazilian issued Visa card or the Rio 2016 Virtual Payment solution. If you are under 18 years of age, you can ask an adult to buy tickets for you. Keep in mind that the cardholder's name must be the same as the name you use to register with the Rio 2016 Ticket Programme.

### 2. How can people not residing in Brazil buy tickets?

If you do not reside in Brazil, you can purchase tickets from the Authorised Ticket Reseller (ATR) which has been appointed for your territory. More information about the Authorised Ticket Resellers around the world is available at [www.rio2016.com/spectators](http://www.rio2016.com/spectators).

## PURCHASE PROCESS

### 3. What are the stages of the Ticket Programme?

From 7-30 September 2015, you will have a chance to apply for the random draw for Paralympic Games tickets. If you do not apply for tickets in the first draw during this period, you must wait until December 2015, when the first-come, first-served sales begin for the remaining tickets. The final stage is the sales of any remaining tickets in person at Rio 2016 ticket box offices, from June 2016 onwards.

### 4. Registration is followed by the random draw. Why is this necessary?

The draw is conducted to ensure that the process is fair, transparent and reliable, and that all those who apply will have an equal chance of purchasing tickets. The random draw will be carried out using a digital tool developed by German company CTS Eventim and which has been used at other major events. The process will be independently audited, in line with our commitment to deliver a fair, transparent and reliable programme.

### 5. How can I apply for the draw?

You can apply for the draw from 7-30 September 2015, by visiting the Rio 2016 ticket website, registering (only if you have not done so before), and submitting your ticket request application. The Ticketing Guide has all the necessary information to complete your ticket request application. There will be around 300 sessions to choose from, across 23 Paralympic disciplines, and two ceremonies. You may request up to eight or 12 tickets per session, and you can apply for up to 20 different sessions during the draw phase. To apply for tickets, you will first need to register, providing your personal information and payment and delivery details.

## **6. How will the draws be conducted?**

Once the application period for the draw closes, the random draw proceeds according to the following rules:

- The draw will be carried out with a digital tool which has been tested and will be independently audited.
- The draw will be conducted individually for each sport session, and will be done by session, not by applicant. For instance, all those who have registered to buy a ticket for the heats on the first day of the swimming competition will have an equal chance of obtaining tickets for this session.
- When an applicant is drawn for a specific session, they are either awarded all of the tickets they requested for that session (pending availability) or none of them. For example, if you have applied for four tickets for a specific session of swimming, you will be awarded all four or none.

## **7. Will there be a non-draw ticket sales phase?**

In December 2015, any tickets not purchased during the random draw will be available online on a first-come, first-served basis. During this stage, fans – even those who have not registered yet – can visit the Rio 2016 ticket website, see which sessions are still available, and purchase tickets in real-time. Tickets can be purchased online right up to the beginning of the Games, subject to availability.

## **8. When will tickets go on sale at ticket box offices?**

About three months before the Games, in June 2016, Rio 2016 ticket box offices will open and any remaining tickets will be available for purchase. The locations and opening dates of ticket box offices will be announced later.

## **9. How many tickets will be available for purchase?**

Around 3.3 million tickets will be available for purchase for approximately 300 sports sessions and the opening and closing ceremonies. Most tickets will be sold during the draw. The remaining tickets, along with any that have not been sold during the draw, will be available for purchase from December 2015.

## **10. During the draw, can I submit several applications in order to increase my chance of being awarded tickets?**

No. You may only submit one application per ticket account during the draw, and may only register to create one ticketing account per person.

## **11. Can I withdraw my application during the draw stage?**

Yes, as long as you do so before the application deadline. Just sign in to your Rio 2016 ticket account and click on your request, and you will have the option of withdrawing your application. Once the application period ends, all submitted applications are final and cannot be withdrawn. If you are successful in the draw, you will receive an email informing you of what you were awarded and providing more details on the payment process. Your order is not confirmed until payment has been successfully collected.

#### **12. Can I alter my request after submitting it?**

Yes, as long as you do so before the application deadline. You will have to access your Rio 2016 ticket account to withdraw your application to be able to add or remove a session or change any personal data or information. After altering everything you want to, note that you must submit the application again and you will be requested to insert the payment information once more.

#### **13. Do I need to purchase a ticket for my children?**

Children under the age of 2 at the time of the event do not need a ticket, provided they remain in the arms/lap of their parent and do not occupy a seat. Children aged 2 and over require a ticket.

#### **14. Is it possible to receive only a portion of the tickets for a session that I apply for?**

No, you might not be awarded tickets for all the sessions you apply for, but if you are awarded tickets for a particular session, you will be awarded the quantity of tickets you requested for that session. For example, if you apply for six tickets for a football 7-a-side session you will either be allocated all six tickets or none.

#### **15. If I am awarded tickets but want to purchase only part of my request, can I cancel or change my order?**

You cannot alter or cancel part of your order, no matter how many tickets you were awarded. If you decide to absolutely cancel your request, all tickets included will be automatically cancelled.

## **PAYMENT AND PRICES**

#### **16. What forms of payment are accepted for the purchase of tickets?**

In recognition of Visa's longstanding support of the Olympic and Paralympic Games, only Visa cards will be accepted for all Rio 2016 ticket purchases. The following forms of payment are accepted on the Rio 2016 ticket website: Visa cards (credit only) or the Rio 2016 Virtual Payment solution. You can pay for your tickets in up to three installments with any Brazilian-issued Visa credit card, and in up to five installments using a Bradesco Visa credit card. During the ticket draw and the online sales phase, you will be able to request, free of charge, a Rio 2016 Virtual Payment solution, with which you can pay your ticket orders. You will be able to recharge the Virtual Solution through several means, including billet banking and bank transfer. For more information, please visit [www.rio2016.com/pagamentovirtual](http://www.rio2016.com/pagamentovirtual). Rio 2016 ticket box offices will open in June 2016. At the box offices, ticket purchases can be made by Visa card or in cash.

#### **17. I do not have a Visa card. What should I do?**

You will need a Visa card to purchase tickets online, and a Visa card or cash for all purchases when you arrive at the Games. Visa cards are easy to obtain, so plan ahead and apply for yours now by contacting your bank or by visiting [www.visa.com.br/contatos](http://www.visa.com.br/contatos). You can also use the Rio 2016 Virtual Payment solution in an easy, fast and convenient way by accessing [www.rio2016.com/virtualpayment](http://www.rio2016.com/virtualpayment). You may reload it anywhere that accepts electronic payments.

### **18. How much will tickets cost?**

Ticket prices for sports sessions range from R\$10 (table tennis and athletics marathon) to R\$130 (wheelchair basketball). The tickets for the ceremonies will range from R\$100 to R\$1,200. Ticket prices vary according to the competition phase (preliminaries or finals) and the available inventory in the venue. Most sessions have either one to three different price categories, but some have up to four (such as the opening and closing ceremonies). Access the ticket prices [here](#).

### **19. Will any discounts be offered?**

Yes, people with impairments, wheelchair users and people with reduced mobility or additional accessibility requirements, along with their companions, senior citizens (over 60 years old) and obese people will be able to buy tickets in any price category for the Paralympic Games at half-price, provided they are Brazilian residents. For all sports sessions, tickets in the lowest price category will be sold at half-price to students and teachers from Rio de Janeiro public schools. Appropriate ID will be required to confirm half-price eligibility in all cases. Children under the age of 2 do not need a ticket, provided they remain in the arms/lap of their parent and do not occupy a seat. Children aged 2 and older require a ticket.

### **20. If I no longer want my tickets can I get a refund or resell them?**

Customers will have the opportunity to return their tickets for resale at face value through the official Rio 2016 channel. If the tickets are resold, the purchaser will receive a refund equivalent to the full face-value of the tickets. This will be the only authorised and legal way to resell tickets. Further details will be announced soon. Please remember that reselling tickets for more than their face value is illegal, and that buying tickets from unauthorised sources runs the risk of the tickets being invalid or counterfeit.

### **21. Are there any fees or taxes for purchasing tickets?**

No, if you choose to have special, commemorative tickets delivered to your home via SEDEX, there will be an additional charge of R\$12, regardless of the amount of tickets purchased.

### **22. Are there any free events?**

Although there are no free tickets, parts of some competitions will take place on public streets outside the official venues. For example, parts of the marathon, cycling road, triathlon and sailing competitions will be visible from outside the ticketed venues, though the start, finish and medal victory ceremonies will take place inside the ticketed areas.

## **SEATING**

### **23. Can I be seated next to my friends?**

Only tickets that are purchased together in the same order/account will be seated together.

### **24. Will all of my tickets for a session be seated together?**

Tickets purchased at the same time will be seated together. Any additional tickets for the same session and in the same price category purchased at a later date will be seated together, but may not be seated with tickets previously purchased.

## ACCESSIBILITY

### **25. Will there be seating for people with special needs?**

Yes, seating will be available for fans with reduced mobility and for obese people. There are a limited number of these seats at each venue, and they will be sold subject to availability.

### **26. What additional accessibility seating options are available?**

We will do all we can to give people with an additional accessibility requirement a great spectator experience, including offering special seating areas within the venue for those with accessibility needs. The options are:

- Wheelchair users and companions
- People with reduced mobility (mobility restrictions not requiring a wheelchair) and companions
- Obese people
- People with other documented impairments (hearing impaired, visually impaired, etc.) and companions

## DELIVERY

### **27. How will tickets be delivered? Can I collect my tickets at the ticket office?**

For your convenience, when you purchase tickets online, you will have the option of having special, souvenir tickets with a commemorative design delivered to your home address by express courier (SEDEX). SEDEX delivery is the safe, convenient option which allows you to avoid queues at ticket box offices, and commemorative tickets make great Games souvenirs.

We highly recommend that you take advantage of this offer.

## CONTACT US

### **28. Who can I contact if I have a ticketing enquiry?**

The Rio 2016 ticket customer service team is available to answer any questions you may have. Callers in Brazil should call 3004-2016. Opening hours are Monday-Saturday, 8.00am – 9.00pm. Calls are charged at the same rate as calls to a landline (plus applicable taxes). Spectators from outside Brazil should contact the Authorised Ticket Reseller designated for their territory with any enquiries related to the purchase of Paralympic Games tickets.

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