

Outline of 2013 Marching Band World Championship

Name of Contest	2013 Marching Band World Championship
Date, Month, Year	Friday, August 9 / Saturday, August 10 / Sunday, August 11 2013 Friday, 9 – Parade Contest / Festival Saturday, 10 – Preliminary Competition Sunday, 11 – Final Competition/Festival
Venue	Event Hall of Makuhari Messe 2-1 Nakase, Mihamaku, Chiba-City, Chiba Prefecture 261-0023 Japan
Host Organization	World Association of Marching Show Bands
Managing Organization	JAPAN MARCHINGBAND BATONTWIRLING ASSOCIATION(JMBA)
Supporting Organization (to be applied)	During the adjustment
Special sponsor Organization	During the adjustment
The Object	<p>The World Championship is organized by World Association of Marching Show Band (WAMSB) and has been held every year successfully in different countries of the world since the first Championship was held in Calgary, Canada in 1996 where the head quarter of WAMSB was. In 2002 the Championship was held in Japan having a big success. We have the honor to organize the World Championship again in Japan based on our experience accumulated in 2002 World Championship.</p> <p>The main object of this championship is to give joyful and splendid impression of marching band/ baton twirling to the audience and also to present good team work spirit essential to the group performance. At the same time we wish to promote international friendship and contacts through this championship among the youth of the world, who would be able to contribute to the world peace as they deepen their mutual understandings.</p> <p>A rich key word of 21st century is said to be “Solidarity and Interchange”. We sincerely hope that marching bands and baton twirling activities will be promoted further through this championship giving “Dream “ and “Hope “ to all the youth while bringing up rich sentiment and contribution to the personality formation among them. We are convinced that it will surely create an important role for humane growth, consequently contributing to the world peace.</p>

Schedule

1. Contest Date

[1] Contest Date (Plan)

*Time schedule may change according to the number of participating group.

○Friday, August 9

11:30	12:00~		17:00
Start to enter into the venue	Opening ceremony	Parade Contest / Festival	Closing

○Saturday, August 10

10:30	11:00~		17:00
Start to enter into the venue	Opening ceremony	Preliminary Competition	Closing

○Sunday, August 11

10:30	11:00~		17:00
Start to enter into the venue	Opening ceremony	Final Competition/Festival	Closing