

The world is coming to Penticton!

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Penticton – The International Triathlon Union (ITU) Multisport World Championships Festival will have Penticton welcoming the world for 10 days of world championship races and events August 18th to 27th. Penticton will be fortunate to host an expected 3,500 athletes all vying for different multisport titles.

For a city that prides itself in triathlon, this is a great opportunity for the community to expand and create new connections and friendships from around the world.

Not only is this the first time the ITU Multisport World Championships Festival is hosting in one location, it also gives the City a chance to welcome athletes from as many as 50 countries. The City will see athletes competing from:

Canada	1030
Great Britain	335
Mexico	69
New Zealand	181
United States of America	1077
Australia	200
Brazil	81
Ireland	25
Trinidad & Tobago	1
Spain	3
Japan	217
Austria	2
Switzerland	5
Denmark	13
China	1
South Africa	10
Germany	18
Sweden	3
Italy	2
Columbia	2
France	11

Burundi	2
Belgium	9
Poland	1
Finland	1
Netherland	3
India	1
Bahrain	1
Greece	2
Estonia	1
Russia	7
Bermuda	7
Czech Republic	1
Slovakia	1
Costa Rica	1
Gibraltar	1

**these numbers do not include Open wave athletes.

For more information on the upcoming events, a community version of the events schedule is available at Penticton.ca and additional information can be found at Penticton2017.com

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