



# GERMAN BAREFOOT HISTORY



Steffi Kirsch, multiple World and European champion

If German barefoot history officially began in 1978 with the organization of the first national championships in Palzem, Norbert Grzegorzcyk and Franz Kirsch have entered competitions in Europe earlier. Both of them entered the 1974 European trophy in Banolas, one of the very first competition in Europe.

Norbert won the bronze medal in tricks at the first Region II barefoot championships in 1976 and during 1978, the first Region II championships on a German river was held in Schweich Issel and a team built with Otto Fleckenstein and Carl Meier took the 9th place at the first World Championships in Canberra.

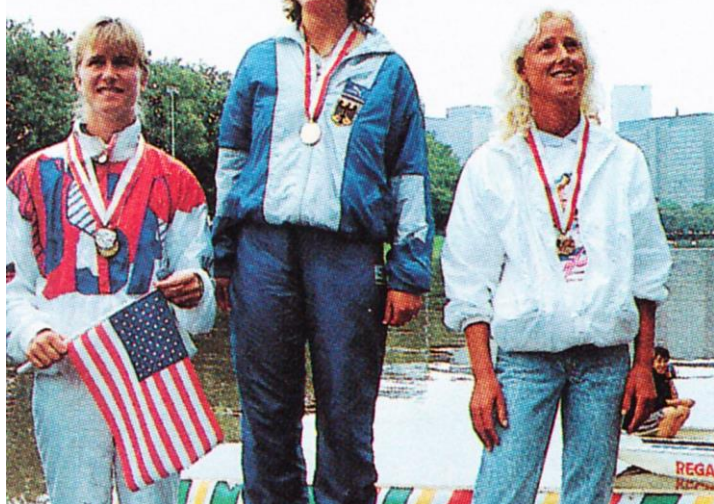


Franz Kirsch



Norbert Grzegorzcyk

**Steffi Herrmann,  
At 1988 Worlds**



Two years later, Germany won its first individual titles in Europe with Adriane Mansdorfer (slalom) and Renate Maschl (overall). In 1982, Germany took the bronze medal at the Region II championships, as well as the following year in Kelheim, where the German girls won all titles: Tanja Robbe in slalom and Adi Mansdorfer in tricks and overall.

Kelheim was the center of barefoot World in 1986, for the first World Championships organized in Europe, where the German team took the 7<sup>th</sup> place. Two years later in Melbourne, Steffi Herrmann won the jump event at the Worlds and give Germany its first gold medal; This is also the beginning of a long European titles series for Steffi, winning gold medals in each event, including the overall crown in 1990, 1993 and 1998. She won three more gold medals at a World level in senior division: slalom in 2012 and jump in 2012 and 2014.

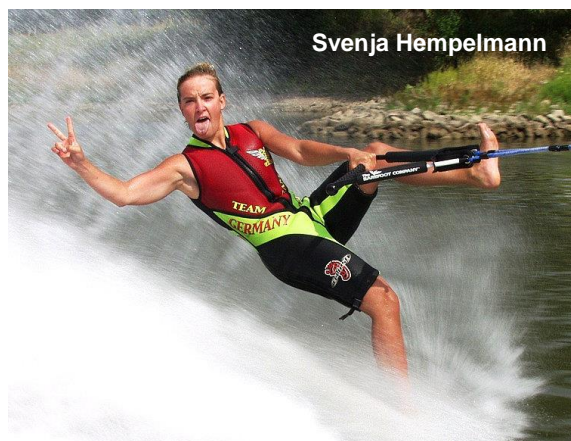
At the Region EAME championships held in 1993 at Viverone, Germany won its first team title, whilst Patrick Wehner took gold in tricks and Mario Moser was first in the jump event. The German team does it again the year after in Albarella, winning its second overall team title in Europe. This same year saw also Patrick winning slalom, tricks and overall. Patrick also won slalom and overall for Germany in 1995, before choosing to compete with the French barefoot national team.

Then, "super Mario" Moser won the European jump title in 1995 and 1996. Mario Moser was also crowned in jump at a World level in 1996 during the World Championships in Fergus Falls, a few months after having landed a World record of 28.10 metres. This was the last World and European record before the new video measurement system.



Terry Gregory was anew on the highest place at a World level when he won the slalom at 1999 World junior championships in Houston and the jump event at 2000 EAME junior championships and 2001 World Games. The German junior national team won with him the gold Medal at 2000 Region EAME championships. Mainly renown as a jump specialist, he was silver medallist at 2010 open Worlds in his home country.

Svenja Hempelmann won her first Region EA open title in 2003 with the slalom event. Very consistent skier, she won again a lot of continental titles, including overall in 2005, 2014 & 2016. At a World level, she won the bronze medal in jump during 2004 Worlds and alos a bronze in slalom at 2010 Worlds, held near Berlin.



With a strong women squad, some newcomers and experienced talents, Germany won 2012 Region EA team overall and was undefeated between 2014 and 2017, winning the first combined team event in Lydd, during 2015 championships.

Young Kenneth Eissler won the junior boys jump event at 2014 World championships and then 2015 open jump at Region EA championships. Then Jacky Kirch, daughter from Franz and Steffi took bronze medals in slalom and tricks at 2016 Worlds.

# GERMAN NATIONAL BAREFOOT CHAMPIONS

year	place	year	place	year	place	year	place
1978	Palzem	1989	Münster	2000	Duisburg	2011	Kell am See
1979	Palzem	1990		2001	Pommern	2012	Pommern
1980	Mainaschaff	1991		2002	Schleich	2013	Wallsee, Austria
1981	Kelheim	1992	Deggendorf	2003	Duisburg	2014	Wallsee, Austria
1982	Kelheim	1993		2004	Duisburg	2015	Röllfeld am Main
1983	Röllfeld	1994	Feldberg	2005	Duisburg	2016	
1984	Hannover	1995	Palzem	2006	Duisburg	2017	
1985	Röllfeld	1996	Wetzlar	2007	Lommel, Belgium	2018	Lommel, Belgium
1986	<i>no championships</i>	1997	Pölich	2008	Pommern		
1987	Schleich	1998	Brandenburg	2009	Pommern		
1988	Palzem	1999	Pommern	2010	<i>no championships</i>		

## START METHODS WINNERS

year	open men	open women
1978	Grzegorzcyk Norbert	-
1979	Grzegorzcyk Norbert	-
1980	Grzegorzcyk Norbert	Maschl Renate
1981	Robbe Thorsten	Mansdorfer Adriane
1982	Bencina Eckhard	Robbe Tanja



## OPEN MEN'S DIVISION

year	slalom	tricks	jump	overall
1978	Grzegorzcyk Norbert	Kirsch Franz		Grzegorzcyk Norbert
1979	Grzegorzcyk Norbert	Schmaldt Fritz	Grzegorzcyk Norbert	Grzegorzcyk Norbert
1980	Grzegorzcyk Norbert	Meier Carl	Grzegorzcyk Norbert	Grzegorzcyk Norbert
1981	Grzegorzcyk Norbert	Hartmann Werner	Hartmann Werner	Hartmann Werner
1982	Dick Heinrich	Robbe Thorsten	Waldbauer Sepp	Bencina Eckhard
1983	Robbe Thorsten	Bencina Eckhard	Hartmann Werner	Robbe Thorsten
1984	Mansdorfer Dieter	Körper Heiner	Oelschlegel Wolfgang	Waldbauer Sepp
1985	Robbe Thorsten	Robbe Thorsten	Moser Mario	Waldbauer Sepp
1986		<i>no championships in</i>	<i>open men division</i>	
1987	Bencina Eckhard	Moser Mario	Schmidt Rainer	Bencina Eckhard
1988	Moser Mario	Moser Mario	Moser Mario	Moser Mario
1989	Wehner Patrick	Moser Mario	Moser Mario	Moser Mario
1990	Wehner Patrick	Wehner Patrick	Bruckschlegel Hans	Wehner Patrick
1991	Wehner Patrick	Wehner Patrick	Moser Mario	Wehner Patrick
1992	Wehner Patrick	Wehner Patrick	Moser Mario	Moser Mario
1993	Wehner Patrick	Jurczyk Christian	Moser Mario	Moser Mario
1994	Wehner Patrick	Wehner Patrick	Moser Mario	Wehner Patrick
1995	Wehner Patrick	Wehner Patrick	Moser Mario	Wehner Patrick
1996	Wehner Patrick	Wehner Patrick	Wehner Patrick	Wehner Patrick

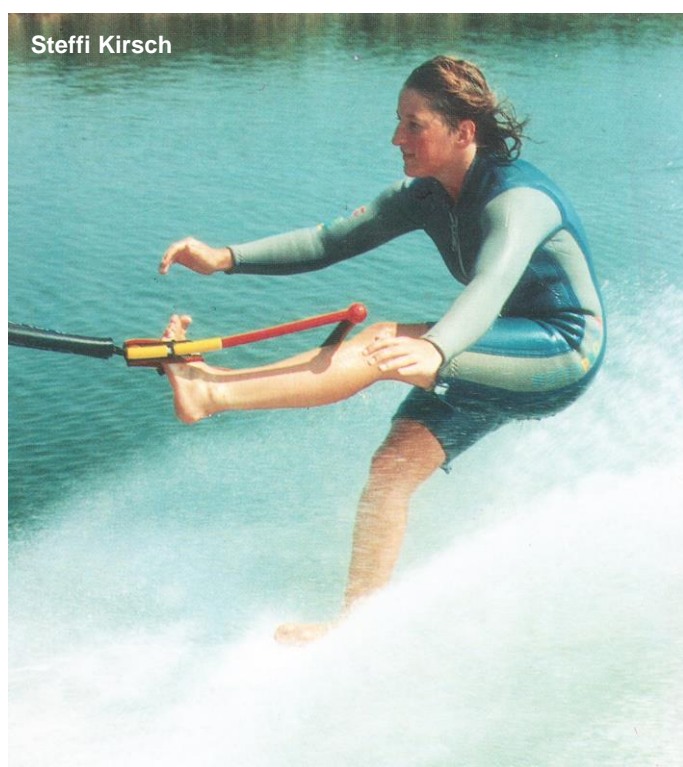


year	slalom	tricks	jump	overall
1997	Kurz Christian	Gregory Terry	Kurz Christian	Kurz Christian
1998	Gregory Terry	Gregory Terry	Gregory Terry	Gregory Terry
1999	Niemeyer Dirk	Kurz Christian	Gregory Terry	Gregory Terry
2000	Gregory Terry	Kurz Christian	Gregory Terry	Gregory Terry
2001	Gregory Terry	Kurz Christian	Gregory Terry	Gregory Terry
2002	Bruckschlegel Sven	Kurz Christian	Kurz Christian	Kurz Christian
2003	Bruckschlegel Sven	Siekmann Dirk	Gregory Terry	Gregory Terry
2004	Siekmann Dirk	Kurz Christian	Kurz Christian	Kurz Christian
2005	Kurz Christian	Kurz Christian	Kurz Christian	Kurz Christian
2006	Renelt Frank	Heiss Lukas	Renelt Frank	Kurz Christian
2007	Kurz Christian	Kurz Christian	Kurz Christian	Kurz Christian
2008	Niemeyer Dirk	Kurz Christian	Gregory Terry	Kurz Christian
2009	Niemeyer Dirk	Gregory Terry	Gregory Terry	Gregory Terry
2010		<i>no championships in open men division</i>		
2011	Kurz Christian	Kurz Christian	Kurz Christian	Kurz Christian
2012	Siekmann Dirk	Kurz Christian	Weigand Stefan	Kurz Christian
2013	Kurz Christian	Kurz Christian	Heiss Lukas	Renelt Frank
2014	Heiss Lukas	Kurz Christian	Eissler Kenneth	Kurz Christian
2015	Heiss Lukas	Kurz Christian	Heiss Lukas	Kurz Christian
2016				
2017				
2018	Heiss Lukas	Kurz Christian	Eissler Kenneth	Kurz Christian



## OPEN WOMEN'S DIVISION

year	slalom	tricks	jump	overall
1980	Mansdorfer Adriane	Maschl Renate	-	-
1981	Maschl Renate	Maschl Renate	-	Maschl Renate
1982	Mansdorfer Adriane	Robbe Tanja	-	Robbe Tanja
1983	Robbe Tanja	Robbe Tanja	-	Robbe Tanja
1984	Robbe Tanja	Mansdorfer Adriane	-	Robbe Tanja
1985	Mansdorfer Adriane	Mansdorfer Adriane	-	Mansdorfer Adriane
1986		<i>no championships in open women division</i>		
1987	Herrmann Steffi	Mansdorfer Adriane	Mansdorfer Adriane	Mansdorfer Adriane
1988	Herrmann Steffi	Herrmann Steffi	Herrmann Steffi	Herrmann Steffi
1989	Herrmann Steffi	Herrmann Steffi	Herrmann Steffi	Herrmann Steffi
1990	Herrmann Steffi	Herrmann Steffi	Herrmann Steffi	Herrmann Steffi
1991	Kleine-Nathland Rita	Kleine-Nathland Rita	-	Kleine-Nathland Rita
1992	Herrmann Steffi	Herrmann Steffi	Herrmann Steffi	Herrmann Steffi
1993	Herrmann Steffi	Herrmann Steffi	Brunnbauer Ulrike	Herrmann Steffi
1994	Herrmann Steffi	Herrmann Steffi	Herrmann Steffi	Herrmann Steffi
1995	Herrmann Steffi	Herrmann Steffi	Herrmann Steffi	Herrmann Steffi
1996		<i>no championships in open women division</i>		
1997	Herrmann Steffi	Herrmann Steffi	Herrmann Steffi	Herrmann Steffi
1998	Herrmann Steffi	Herrmann Steffi	Herrmann Steffi	Herrmann Steffi
1999	Kleine-Nathland Rita	Sieg Alexandra	Nette Julia	Nette Julia
2000	Kirsch Steffi	Kirsch Steffi	Kirsch Steffi	Kirsch Steffi
2001	Kirsch Steffi	Moers Regina	Kirsch Steffi	Kirsch Steffi
2002	Moers Regina	Kirsch Steffi	Moers Regina	Kirsch Steffi
2003	Moers Regina	Hempelmann Svenja	Hempelmann Svenja	Hempelmann Svenja
2004	Hempelmann Svenja	Hempelmann Svenja	Hempelmann Svenja	Hempelmann Svenja
2005	Hempelmann Svenja	Hempelmann Svenja	Hempelmann Svenja	Hempelmann Svenja
2006	Hempelmann Svenja	Hempelmann Svenja	Hempelmann Svenja	Hempelmann Svenja
2007	Hempelmann Svenja	Hempelmann Svenja	Hempelmann Svenja	Hempelmann Svenja
2008	Hempelmann Svenja	Hempelmann Svenja	Hempelmann Svenja	Hempelmann Svenja
2009	Hempelmann Svenja	Hempelmann Svenja	Hempelmann Svenja	Hempelmann Svenja
2010		<i>no championships in open women division</i>		
2011	Hempelmann Svenja	Kirsch Steffi	Kirsch Steffi	Kirsch Steffi
2012	Hempelmann Svenja	Hempelmann Svenja	Hempelmann Svenja	Hempelmann Svenja
2013	Hempelmann Svenja	Hempelmann Svenja	Hempelmann Svenja	Hempelmann Svenja
2014	Hempelmann Svenja	Hempelmann Svenja	Hempelmann Svenja	Hempelmann Svenja
2015	Hempelmann Svenja	Hempelmann Svenja	Kirsch Steffi	Hempelmann Svenja
2016				
2017				
2018	Kirsch Steffi	Hempelmann Svenja	Kirsch Steffi	Kirsch Steffi



## JUNIOR BOYS DIVISION

year	slalom	tricks	jump	overall
1987	Moser Mario	Moser Mario	Moser Mario	Moser Mario
1988-1991		<i>no championships in junior boys division</i>		
1992	Kühn Tino	Wehner Patrick	-	Wehner Patrick
1993	Wehner Patrick	Kühn Tony	Wehner Patrick	Kühn Tony
1994	Kühn Tino	Kühn Tino	Kühn Tino	Kühn Tino
1995		<i>no championships in junior boys division</i>		
1996	Kühn Tony	Bruckschlegel Sven	Kurz Christian	Bruckschlegel Sven
1997-2003		<i>no championships in junior boys division</i>		
2004				
2005				
2006				
2007	Heiss Lukas	Heiss Lukas	Heiss Lukas	Heiss Lukas
2008		<i>no championships in junior boys division</i>		
2009	Niebuhr Marc	Niebuhr Marc	Niebuhr Marc	Niebuhr Marc
2010		<i>no championships in junior boys division</i>		
2011	Niebuhr Marc	Niebuhr Marc	Niebuhr Marc	Niebuhr Marc
2012		<i>no championships in junior boys division</i>		
2013		<i>no championships in junior boys division</i>		
2014		<i>no championships in junior boys division</i>		
2015				
2016				
2017				
2018	Zinn Ben	Zinn Ben	Zinn Ben	Zinn Ben



Tony Kuhn



Tino Kuhn



Christian Kurz



Marc Niebuhr



Pablo Adolph

## JUNIOR GIRLS DIVISION

year	slalom	tricks	jump	overall
1992	Schelten Nadine	Schelten Nadine	-	Schelten Nadine
1993-1995		<i>no championships in junior girls division</i>		
1996	Kurz Yvonne	Kurz Yvonne	-	-
1997-2003		<i>no championships in junior girls division</i>		
2004				
2005				
2006				
2007-2010		<i>no championships in junior girls division</i>		
2011	Braun Tosca	Eissler Lavinia	-	-
2012		<i>no championships in junior girls division</i>		
2013		<i>no championships in junior girls division</i>		
2014		<i>no championships in junior girls division</i>		
2015				
2016				
2017				
2018		<i>no championships in junior girls division</i>		



Yvonne Kurz



Tosca Braun



Lavinia Eissler



## SENIOR MEN DIVISION

year	slalom	tricks	jump	overall
1995	Niemeyer Dirk	Bruckschlegel Hans	Bruckschlegel Hans	Bruckschlegel Hans
1996	Bencina Eckhard	Bencina Eckhard	Niemeyer Dirk	Bencina Eckhard
2008	Niemeyer Dirk	Niemeyer Dirk	Niemeyer Dirk	Niemeyer Dirk
2009	Niemeyer Dirk	Zinn Frank	Zinn Frank	Zinn Frank
2010		<i>no championships in senior men division</i>		
2011	Zinn Frank	Zinn Frank	Zinn Frank	Zinn Frank
2012		<i>no championships in senior men division</i>		
2013		<i>no championships in senior men division</i>		
2014		<i>no championships in senior men division</i>		
2015				
2016				
2017				
2018	Zinn Frank	Zinn Frank	Zinn Frank	Zinn Frank



## SENIOR WOMEN DIVISION

year	slalom	tricks	jump	overall
2008		<i>no championships in senior women division</i>		
2009	Kirsch Steffi	Kirsch Steffi	Kirsch Steffi	Kirsch Steffi
2010		<i>no championships in senior women division</i>		
2011	Kirsch Steffi	Kirsch Steffi	Kirsch Steffi	Kirsch Steffi
2012		<i>no championships in senior women division</i>		
2013		<i>no championships in senior women division</i>		
2014		<i>no championships in senior women division</i>		
2015				
2016				
2017				
2018				

## TEAMS DIVISION

year	team
1992	WSMC Münster
1993	WSC Metten
2001	WSC Porta Westfalica
2003	WSC Porta Westfalica
2009	WSC Porta Westfalica

# GERMAN NATIONAL OPEN TEAMS

Gold medal at 1993, 1994, 2012, 2014, 2015, 2016 & 2017 Region EA Championships

**1976**

GRZEGORCZYK Norbert  
KIRSCH Franz

**1977**

ERBEL Werner  
EWEN Manfred  
GRZEGORCZYK Norbert  
KIRSCH Franz

**1978**

EWEN Manfred  
FLECKENSTEIN Otto  
GRZEGORCZYK Norbert  
MEIER Carl  
SCHMALDT Fritz  
SUHS Conrad  
THUMULKA Rainer

**1979**

THUMULKA Rainer

**1980**

MANSDORFER Adriane  
MASCHL Renate  
EWEN Manfred  
GRZEGORCZYK Norbert  
HARTMANN Werner  
KIPP Udo  
MEIER Carl  
STACHE Detlev

**1981**

MANSDORFER Adriane  
MASCHL Renate  
BENCINA Eckhard  
DICK Heinrich  
HARTMANN Werner  
HARTUNG Marcel  
ROBBE Thorsten  
WALDBAUER Sepp

**1982**

MANSDORFER Adriane  
BENCINA Eckhard  
DICK Heinrich  
HARTMANN Werner  
MANSDORFER Dieter  
SCHMIDT Rainer  
WALDBAUER Sepp  
WEIGAND Jürgen  
WIENAND Norbert  
WIESINGER Michael

**1983**

MANSDORFER Adriane  
ROBBE Tanja  
BENCINA Eckhard  
MANSDORFER Dieter  
OELSCHLEGEL Wolfgang  
ROBBE Thorsten  
SCHMIDT Rainer  
WIENAND Norbert

**1984**

MANSDORFER Adriane  
ROBBE Tanja  
BENCINA Eckhard  
HÄCKER Peter  
MANGELSDORFF Stefan  
MANSDORFER Dieter  
SCHMIDT Rainer  
WALDBAUER Sepp  
WEHOWSKI Heiko

**1985**

MANSDORFER Adriane  
KÖRPER Heiner  
MANSDORFER Dieter  
MOSER Mario  
ROBBE Thorsten  
SCHMIDT Rainer  
WALDBAUER Sepp  
WEHOWSKI Heiko

**1986**

MANSDORFER Adriane  
BENCINA Eckhard  
HÄCKER Peter  
KÖRPER Heiner  
MANSDORFER Dieter  
MOSER Mario  
ROBBE Thorsten  
SCHMIDT Rainer  
WALDBAUER Sepp

**1987**

HERRMANN Steffi  
BENCINA Eckhard

**1988**

HASSLACHER Alexandra  
HERRMANN Steffi  
BETSCH Sasha  
HÄCKER Peter  
HASSLACHER Ralf  
HECKER Thomas  
WEHNER Patrick

**1989**

HASSLACHER Alexandra  
HERRMANN Steffi  
BRUCKSCHLEGEL Hans  
HARTUNG Marcel  
HECKER Thomas  
MANSDORFER Dieter  
MOSER Mario  
WEHNER Patrick

**1990**

HERRMANN Steffi  
BALK Klaus  
BENCINA Eckhard  
BRUCKSCHLEGEL Hans  
FRITZ Patrick  
KÖRPER Heiner  
MOSER Mario  
RIEPELMEIER Rolf  
WEHNER Patrick

**1991**

BENCINA Eckhard  
BRILL Eric  
JURCZYK Christian  
KÜHN Tino  
MOSER Mario  
WEHNER Patrick

**1992**

HERRMANN Steffi  
SCHELLEN Nadine  
BENCINA Eckhard  
BRUCKSCHLEGEL Hans  
JURCZYK Christian  
KÜHN Tino  
MOSER Mario  
WEHNER Patrick

**1993**

HERRMANN Steffi  
SCHELLEN Nadine  
JURCZYK Christian  
KÜHN Tino  
MOSER Mario  
WEHNER Patrick

**1994**

HERRMANN Steffi  
SCHELLEN Nadine  
JURCZYK Christian  
KÜHN Tino  
KÜHN Tony  
MOSER Mario  
WEHNER Patrick  
WÖRPEL Stefan

**1995**

HERRMANN Steffi  
JURCZYK Christian  
KÜHN Tino  
KÜHN Tony  
MOSER Mario  
WEHNER Patrick

**1996**

KÜHN Tony  
KURZ Christian  
JURCZYK Christian  
MOSER Mario  
WEHNER Patrick

**1997**

HERRMANN Steffi  
KURZ Yvonne  
KURZ Christian

**1998**

HERRMANN Steffi  
GREGORY Terry  
KURZ Christian  
NIEMEYER Dirk  
SIEKMANN Dirk  
ZINN Frank

**1999**

NETTE Julia  
BENCINA Eckhard  
KURZ Christian  
HAHN Ingo  
SIEKMANN Dirk  
ZINN Frank



1989 open national team in Kelheim



1998 open national team in Spelthorne

# GERMAN NATIONAL OPEN TEAMS

Gold medal at 1993, 1994, 2012, 2014, 2015, 2016 & 2017 Region EA Championships

**2000**

HEMPELMANN Svenja  
NETTE Julia  
GREGORY Terry  
KURZ Christian  
NIEMEYER Dirk  
SIEKMANN Dirk  
ZINN Frank

**2001**

HEMPELMANN Svenja  
MOERS Regina  
SIEG Alexandra  
KURZ Christian  
NIEMEYER Dirk  
SIEKMANN Dirk

**2002**

HEMPELMANN Svenja  
MOERS Regina  
NETTE Julia  
BRUCKSCHLEGEL Sven  
RENELT Frank  
SIEKMANN Dirk  
ZINN Frank

**2003**

HEMPELMANN Svenja  
KÜHN Tony  
KURZ Christian  
SIEKMANN Dirk  
ZINN Frank

**2004**

HEMPELMANN Svenja  
RENELT Frank

**2005**

HEMPELMANN Svenja  
KURZ Christian

**2006**

HEMPELMANN Svenja  
HEISS Lukas  
KURZ Christian

**2007**

HEMPELMANN Svenja  
KURZ Christian  
NIEBUHR Marc  
RENELT Frank

**2008**

HEMPELMANN Svenja  
KURZ Christian  
RENELT Frank

**2009**

HEMPELMANN Svenja  
GREGORY Terry  
HEISS Lukas  
KURZ Christian  
NIEBUHR Marc  
RENELT Frank  
WORPEL Stefan

**2010**

HEMPELMANN Svenja  
GREGORY Terry  
HEISS Lukas  
KURZ Christian  
RENELT Frank  
SIEKMANN Dirk

**2011**

BRAUN Tosca  
EISSLER Lavinia  
HEMPELMANN Svenja  
EISSLER Kenneth  
NIEBUHR Marc

**2012**

HEMPELMANN Svenja  
KIRSCH Steffi  
KURZ Christian  
NIEBUHR Marc  
RENELT Frank  
WEIGAND Jürgen

**2013**

EISSLER Lavinia  
HEMPELMANN Svenja  
KIRSCH Steffi  
EISSLER Kenneth  
HEISS Lukas  
KURZ Christian

**2014**

BRAUN Tosca  
EISSLER Lavinia  
HEMPELMANN Svenja  
KIRSCH Steffi  
EISSLER Kenneth  
HEISS Lukas  
KURZ Christian  
RENELT Frank  
WEIGAND Jürgen

**2015**

BRAUN Tosca  
HEMPELMANN Svenja  
KIRSCH Jacky  
KIRSCH Steffi  
EISSLER Kenneth  
KURZ Christian

**2016**

HEMPELMANN Svenja  
KIRSCH Jacky  
KIRSCH Steffi  
EISSLER Kenneth  
HEISS Lukas  
KURZ Christian  
EISSLER Lavinia \*

**2017**

HEMPELMANN Svenja  
KIRSCH Jacky  
HEISS Lukas  
ZINN Damir  
KIRSCH Steffi \*

**2018**

HEMPELMANN Svenja  
KIRSCH Jacky



# GERMAN NATIONAL JUNIOR TEAMS

Gold medal at 2000, 2012 and 2014 Region EA junior Championships

**1992**

SCHELTEN Nadine  
KÜHN Tino  
KÜHN Tony  
WEHNER Patrick

**1993**

*no team*

**1994**

KURZ Yvonne  
BRUCKSCHLEGEL Sven  
GREGORY Terry  
KÜHN Tino  
KÜHN Tony  
KURZ Christian

**1995**

KURZ Yvonne  
BRUCKSCHLEGEL Sven  
KÜHN Tony  
KURZ Christian

**1996**

KURZ Yvonne  
BRUCKSCHLEGEL Sven  
GREGORY Terry  
KÜHN Tony

**1997**

KURZ Yvonne  
KURZ Christian  
GREGORY Terry

**1998**

*no team*

**1999**

RENELT Beate  
GREGORY Terry  
RENELT Frank

**2000**

RENELT Beate  
GREGORY Terry  
RENELT Frank

**2001**

RENELT Frank

**2002**

RENELT Frank

**2003**

RENELT Frank

**2004**

HEISS Lukas

**2005**

HEISS Lukas

**2006**

HEISS Lukas  
SCHMITT Arthur

**2007**

HEISS Lukas  
NIEBUHR Marc

**2008**

NIEBUHR Marc

**2009**

NIEBUHR Marc

**2010**

BRAUN Tosca  
EISSLER Kenneth  
NIEBUHR Marc  
SCHMIDT Arthur

**2011**

BRAUN Tosca  
EISSLER Lavinia  
EISSLER Kenneth  
NIEBUHR Marc

**2012**

BRAUN Tosca  
EISSLER Kenneth  
SCHMIDT Arthur

**2013**

BRAUN Tosca  
KIRSCH Jacky  
EISSLER Kenneth

**2014**

KIRSCH Jacky  
EISSLER Kenneth

**2015**

KIRSCH Jacky  
ADOLPH Pablo  
EISSLER Kenneth

**2016**

KIRSCH Jacky  
ADOLPH Pablo

**2017**

ADOLPH Pablo  
ZINN Ben

**2018**

ZINN Ben



# GERMAN NATIONAL SENIOR TEAMS

**1999**

KLEINE-NATHLAND Rita  
BENCINA Eckhard  
NIEMEYER Dirk  
RIEPELMEIER Rolf

**2001**

ZINN Frank

**2003**

NIEMEYER Dirk  
RIEPELMEIER Rolf  
ZINN Frank

**2005**

*no team*

**2006**

BANITZ Rainer

**2007**

WÖRPEL Stefan

**2008**

*no team*

**2009**

*no team*

**2010**

KIRSCH Steffi  
ZINN Julia  
NIEMEYER Dirk  
ZINN Frank

**2011-2012**

*no team*

**2013**

KIRSCH Steffi

**2014**

KIRSCH Steffi  
ADOLPH Reiner  
BANITZ Rainer

**2015**

HEMPELMANN Svenja  
KIRSCH Steffi  
ADOLPH Reiner  
ZINN Frank

**2016**

HEMPELMANN Svenja  
KIRSCH Steffi  
ADOLPH Reiner  
ZINN Frank

**2017**

KIRSCH Steffi  
BEHNERT Werner  
ZINN Frank

**2018**

HEMPELMANN Svenja  
KIRSCH Steffi



2015 national team in Lydd, winner of the first ever combined overall team event



Senior ladies overall winners at 2018 World Championships : Steffi Kirsch, Rachel Normand and Svenja Hempelmann

# BAREFOOT SKIERS AND OFFICIALS FROM GERMANY



**GERMANY**



**Franz KIRSCH**

Born July 26, 1942

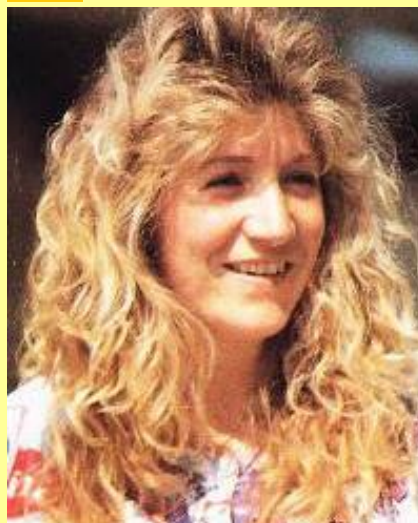
Open national team 1976-1977

1978 national open tricks champion

Former World Barefoot Council  
President (1978-1990)



**GERMANY**



**Adrienne MANSDORFER**

Open national team 1980-1986  
Region EA open champion in slalom  
(1980), tricks (1983, 1984 & 1985)  
and overall (1983 & 1985)  
Open women jump World record  
holder in 1985 (12.1 m)  
9 times national champion including  
2 overall titles



**GERMANY**



**Mario MOSER**

Born May 5, 1969 in Straubing  
Open national team 1985-1996

1996 open men jump World  
champion

Open men jump World record holder  
in 1996 (28.1m)

open men Region EA jump  
champion in 1993, 1995 & 1996



**GERMANY**



**Terry GREGORY**

Born February 2, 1983 in Kön  
Junior national team 1994-2000  
Open national team 1998-2010

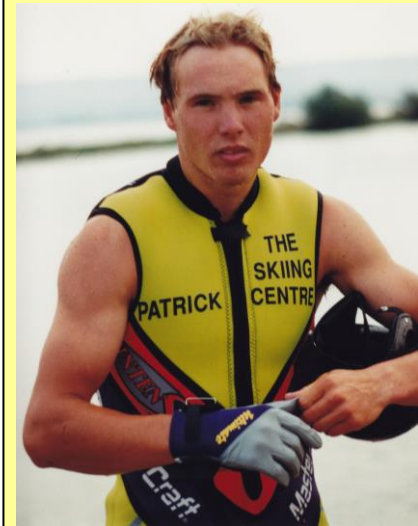
1999 junior boys slalom World  
champion

2000 junior boys jump Region EA  
champion

2001 World Games jump gold medal



**GERMANY**



**Patrick WEHNER**

Born March 5, 1976 in Haguenau (F)  
Open national team 1988-1996, then  
French national team

2002 open men tricks World  
champion

Open men tricks world record holder  
in 2001 (8400 pts)

20 times Region EA open men  
champion including 7 overall titles



**GERMANY**



**Eckhard BENCINA**

Open national team 1981-1999  
Senior national team 1999

Region EA senior trophy overall  
winner 1994 & 1996

3 times open national champion  
3 times senior national champion

International judge



## GERMANY



### **Steffi KIRSCH**

Born May 17, 1969

Open national team since 1987  
Senior national team since 2010

1988 open women jump World  
champion

2012 senior women slalom World  
champion

2012 & 2014 senior women jump  
World champion



## GERMANY



### **Svenja HEMPELMANN**

Born October 7, 1979

Open national team since 2000  
Senior national team since 2015

Open women bronze medal at  
2004 (jump) & 2010 (slalom) Worlds

16 times Region EA open women  
champion including 3 overall titles

Member of the Region EA barefoot  
council



## GERMANY



### **Jacky KIRSCH**

Born in 1999

Junior national team 2013-2016  
Open national team since 2015

Junior girls bronze medal in slalom &  
tricks at 2016 Worlds

9 times Region EA junior girls  
champion including 2 overall titles

2017 open women tricks Region EA  
champion



## GERMANY



### **Lavinia EISSLER**

Born in 1995

Junior national team 2011  
Open national team since 2011

2013 Region EA under 23 slalom &  
tricks winner

2013 junior girls tricks national  
champion



## GERMANY



### **Christian KURZ**

Born March 19, 1981

Junior national team 1994-1997  
Open national team since 1996

37 times national open champion  
including 12 overall titles

1996 junior boys national jump  
champion



## GERMANY



### **Franck ZINN**

Born in 1965

Open national team 1998-2003  
Senior national team since 2015

2015 Region EA senior men slalom &  
overall champion

2009, 2011 & 2018 senior men  
overall national champion



## GERMANY



### Lukas HEISS

Born April 24, 1990  
 Junior national team 2004-2007  
 Open national team since 2009  
 2017 open men slalom Region EA  
 champion



## GERMANY

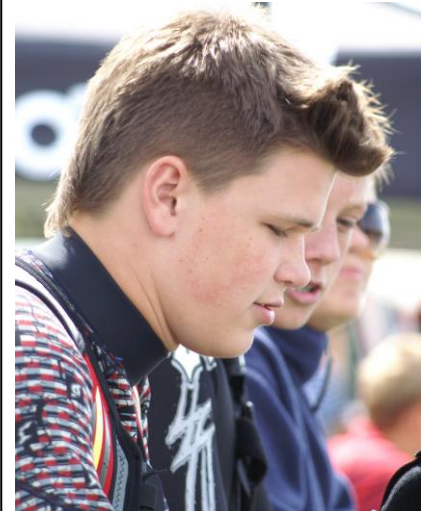


### Kenneth EISSLER

Born in 1998  
 Junior national team 2010-2015  
 Open national team since 2011  
 2014 junior boys jump World  
 champion  
 2015 open men jump Region EA  
 champion  
 10 times Region EA junior boys  
 champion including 3 overall titles



## GERMANY



### Mark NIEBUHR

Born August 13, 1994  
 Junior team since 2007  
 Open team since 2009  
 2010 Region EA junior boys slalom &  
 jump champion  
 2011 Region EA junior boys overall  
 winner



## GERMANY



2016 national team