

BY LAND

- The Sportmuseum is located on the west side of Berlin in the Olympic Park, formerly known as the “Reichssportfeld” (“Imperial Field”).
- It is home to the largest and most diverse sports collection in Germany.
- You can browse the collection at museum-digital:
- The museum is currently developing a permanent exhibition that will explore sports as a window onto the history of Berlin. It will also provide information about the Olympic Park complex.



BY SEA

- The Grünauer Wassersportmuseum is located on the south side of Berlin.
- It grew out of a private collection begun in 1980 by Werner Philipp (b. 1933), a teacher and rower.
- We are currently developing a new permanent exhibition. In addition to water sports, it will focus on the museum’s historic location.
- Until it opens, an interim exhibition is on display.

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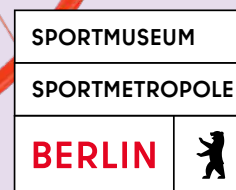
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Opening hours

Wednesdays 10 am–4 pm
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10 am–4 pm.

INCLUSIVE

COLLECTING



A pilot project of the
Sportmuseum Berlin

How should the history of sports be told?
What is the significance of sports for society
and for individual people?

- Should sports history focus on spectacular events, high emotion, and hardbodies?
- Is it a history of emancipation and self-determination?
- What does sports have to do with belonging, community, and even exclusion?



Sportmuseum Berlin, photo: M. Ganten, Grünauer Wassersportmuseum, photo: C. v. Steffelin

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- The Sportmuseum Berlin explores the significance and diversity of sports in the history of Berlin, Germany, and the world.
- The museum sees itself as a dynamic space. It is a venue for discussion and a place to experiment with novel approaches to exhibitions and communicating knowledge.
- The goal is to create a space for participation and inclusion where the history of sports is studied, communicated, and experienced in all its rich diversity.
- As part of the pilot project **“Inclusive Collecting,”** the museum will expand its collecting practice to include more objects dealing with amateur sports and athletes with disabilities.

A social history of the modern world without sports is hard to imagine. Similarly, the history of sports cannot be told without reference to social history.



This mug is a special edition commemorating the 75th anniversary in 2003 of the Berliner Blinden- und Sehbehindertensportverein (Berlin Athletic Club for the Blind and Partially Sighted). – Collection of the Sportmuseum Berlin



Clubs and individuals who offer, participate in, or represent inclusive sports in Berlin are encouraged to contact us.



This “Showdown” set from the Berliner Blinden- und Sehbehindertensportverein (Berlin Athletic Club for the Blind and Partially Sighted) entered our collection one month ago. – Collection of the Sportmuseum Berlin