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The Opening Ceremony officially inaugurated the 2020 AmpSurf ISA World Para Surfing Championship on Wednesday in La Jolla, California, USA.

A record-breaking 131 athletes from 22 nations participated in the Parade of Nations and iconic Sands of the World at La Jolla Shores beach, displaying the joy and healing power of Para Surfing for athletes with physical challenges.

Representatives from each nation took to the stage for the Sands of the World Ceremony, pouring sand from their nations into a container to symbolize the peaceful gathering of nations through Para Surfing.