



News from the 62nd EJU Ordinary Congress (27th November 2010, Kiev UKR)

General:

- Mr Pavel Yasenovski BLR has been approved unanimously as EJU Sports Director.
- The 2011 EJU Ordinary Congress will be in August in Paris, FRA.

Treasury:

- New fees for EC Veterans: Veterans accommodated in official hotels: € 100 per athlete (€ 50 for EJU) and Veterans accommodated in other hotels € 150 per athlete (€ 50 for EJU).
- Dr Toth explains that the JUMAS system will now be obligatory for all European Cups as well, however the NFs will have to authorise the membership of the clubs.

Marketing:

- Starting from next year, the organisers may either buy the EJU Eventproducts from the EJU Store or produce the equipment themselves.
- Exact instructions will be available to produce the products identical to the EJU corporate image products. All the designs must be approved in advance by the EJU Marketing Section before the production. The event store also reduced its prices with about 20%.
- The EJU will also support the organisers of the European Cups who fulfil the Marketing requirements by refunding 1500 – 2000 Euro.
- NFs are invited to send in their articles about their events and their athletes in English, together with photos. (media@eju.net)
- The EJU will also give 50% of the back numbers (blue Judogi) to the organisers of the European Cups and World Cups (in this case, the costs for the printing of the back numbers will be at the expense of the organisers). The name of the event has been removed from the sponsor back number, which makes the name of the sponsor bigger. The Logo of the domestic sponsor must be sent at latest 2 months before the event to mybacknumber.com for printing. In case no logo is received until 2 months before the event, EJU will use 100% of backnumbers with EJU Sponsor.
- Due to several problems with the manufacturers, the new rule of IJF Approved Judogi will start in August at the World Championships in Paris.
- The EJU will sponsor the reserved white and blue Judogi for 2011 European Cups (Cadets, Juniors, Seniors), World Cups and European Championships.
- EJU Marketing Seminar for all organisers will be held in springtime 2011.
- Medical:
- 2 new Medical Commission members were appointed: Dr Nikos Malliaropoulos GRE and Dr Pavel Chekeres RUS.
- Only Medical Doctors will be accredited in the near future, and therefore a Medical Doctor database is being created.
- Presentations of medical interest will be uploaded on www.judoknowledge.org



Sports:

- The EJU will follow the decisions of the IJF, and starting in 2011, each country may be represented by 2 athletes in each category at the EC Cadets, Juniors, U23 and Seniors.
- At the World Team Championships, the EJU will have the following allocation:
 - Men: 4 teams (qualification will be the European Team Championships 2011 in Istanbul TUR) + FRA (organising country)
 - Women: 4 teams (qualification will be the European Team Championships 2011 in Istanbul TUR) + FRA (organising country) + NED (winner of 2010 World Team Championships)
 - In case NED and FRA in the women teams or FRA in the men teams, win a medal at the European Team Championships in TUR, one (or both) of the 5th places in the women or men teams respectively will qualify.
- European Championships for Clubs 2011:
 - Format of competition: 1 contest between the clubs included 5 competitors, and 3 of them should represent the country the club is coming from
 - Numerical inscription: 01 March
 - Bid book application: 15 April
 - EJU DC decision: 01 June
 - Nominative inscription: 01 August
 - Date of events: 22 October
- If a federation is interested in hosting EJU events should follow the process:
 - The bid books should be presented during Paris Congress in August.
 - The DC will visit the candidate cities and during the DC Meeting, the organiser of the event will be selected.
 - The contracts will be signed during the EC Seniors in April 2012.

Education:

- All 4 Education Seminars will be organised in 2011 again:
 - Seminar for Teachers
 - Seminar for High Grades
 - Education Seminar
 - Judo English
- The poster exhibition in 2011 will again be held during the EC Seniors in Istanbul.
- The Combined Services European Championships will be organised in April 2011 with a new name: OPEN EC FOR ARMY, POLICE & FIRE FORCES.
- The EC Kata will be organised with the same formula as this year: younger and older age brackets.
- EJU Kata seminar will be organised by the EJU together with Kodokan Experts. The participants will receive the Kodokan Kata Certificate at the end of the seminar, however for only 1 Kata.
- EJU seminar for teachers will be organised in 5 federations. The invitation for candidature has been circulated. The deadline for the submission of the bid is the 20th of December.
- The EJU will be the intermediary for a Club Exchange for teenagers where the EJU will help to get the clubs in contact together. The clubs will then be responsible of organising the exchange.