

**Prot. 29/2019**

**12th of september 2019**

**To:**

**GAISF - Global Association of International Sport Federations**

Dear Davide,

The Board of World Kettlebell Sport Federation comes to you to **invite** you to come to WKSF EUROPEAN KETTLEBELL SPORT FEDERATION 2019, to be hosted in Ukraine, Uzhgorod during 16.10.2019 and 20.10.2019.

WKSF is now available and structured with resources to be able to unify the Kettlebell Sport around all over the World. The Board of WKSF created a guideline to try to unify our sport. Before WKSF foundation and during our foundation all WKSF community worked hard to bring our sport to a new level and bring the discussion of a real democratic union to our sport.

Before WKSF foundation:

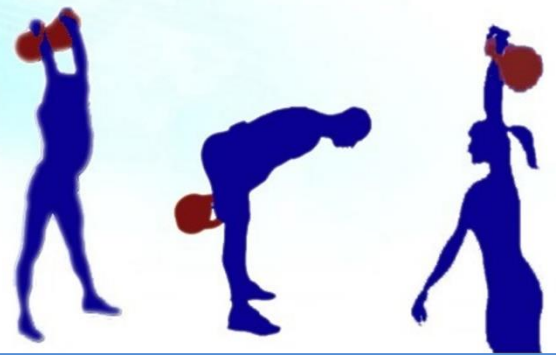
. Some founders of WKSF were already supporting and working directly with IGSF. For several years (believe 2015,2016 and 2017) were subject on statutes to realize new elections, something didn't happen with the abandonment of several Members of General Meeting in 2017 at World's in Greece.

Before and Durinf WKSF foundation:

. During process of foundation of WKSF existed an "agreement" with IKMF to talk and make the discipline of this organization into WKSF, without needing to introduce the discipline of 30 minutes and 60 minutes without this partnership. Unfortunately, our president went to World's in Spain 2018 and the IKMF board decided to abandon the decision of it.

After WKSF foundation:

. IUKL already contacted us! At our World's in 2018 and 2/3 days before contacted us to WKSF join IUKL under IUKL umbrella (we believe to extinguish WKSF) - WKSF needs to remember that 24 nations decided to create a new organization abandoning IUKL and IGSF - At time, the WKSF declined and weren't prepared and was an unacceptable at eyes of our Board and Executive Commission. Non-democratic policy, nonexistent communication, lack of healthy atmosphere and transparency were the spark to several members raise arm to create a new organization. At same time, in 2019 and 2/3 days before our World's, the IUKL return with same proposal, without a new and clear proposal in benefit of Kettlebell Sport, all about unification inside IUKL Board and Umbrella.

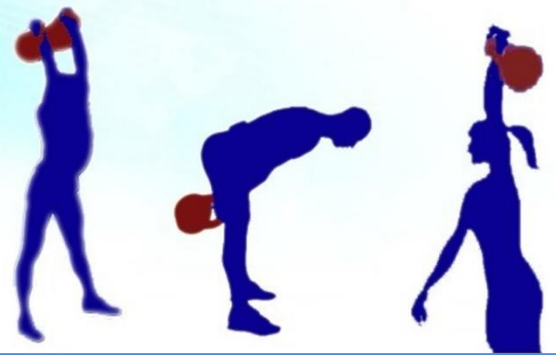


The Mission and Values of WKSF is "From All & To All". It involves all countries, all continents, doesn't matter gender, ethnicity, color or capacity. WKSF created specific protocols respecting Muslim Religion, Disable and Foreigners (Refugees) that want to compete on WKSF.

With contacts with international organizations all WKSF expect really good feedbacks and vibes to keep our focus on our Mission and Values. Nothing or No One is over the athletes and the sport, all our efforts are in prol of athletes and create the best conditions to make more people enjoying our sport.

All feedbacks of participants on our competitions were great and we can enumerate several points, as:

- . Fast communication between Representatives and WKSF Board / Commissions
  - Website / Facebook Page / Facebook Continental Groups / Facebook Commission / Email / Instagram
  - Specific Protocols announced (Website, Email, Facebook)
  - Specific Pré-Forms for Registrations (Online)
  - Specific Pré-Payment for Registrations (Online)
  - Specific Rules & Regulations for Pré- Registrations (bring high level and professional organization of each Representatives)
- . LIVESTREAM (Competitions, Ceremony, General Meeting)
- . LIVE photos online
- . Daily Results Online
- . Price Money for WKSF Records (last World's WKSF pay around 3000€ on price moneys to promote athletes and our sport)
- . Competition Area with specific Regulations
- . All Official Judges receive 50€/daily
- . All Official Staff receive 50€/daily
- . Special prices to all Judges, Staff and Commissions
- . Specific Mini Cameras in each platform for fairy judgment of our Judge Commission
- . Protocols for Team Protest
- . Standard and official Kettlebells at World's and European's



With all effort, we believe that WKSF is on way to continue offering best oportunity to all to join, be part, create new relations and work side by side to make our sport bigger with democracy and transparency.

Now, WKSF is prepared to accept all to unify our sport without an umbrella of anyone but our Mission and Values in representation of each athlete.

WKSF invites you to come to our European Championship 2019, follow us during all this great atmosphere and expecting some other organizations to come and create new points of conversation and unification for our sport.

with friendship,



Eduardo Fonseca,  
WKSF Secretary General