

INTERNATIONAL PARALYMPIC TABLE TENNIS
COMMITTEE



TECHNICAL DELEGATE

EVALUATION REPORT

Name of Tournament: Hungarian Open 2004

Ranking Factor Approved for : 20

Name of the National Federation : Hungarian Paralympic Committee

Chairman of Organising Committee : Janos Kaiser

Dates of Play : 12-13-14th March, 2004

Name of Technical Delegate : Leandro Olvech - ARG

Report submitted to IPC and ITTC the : March 26th, 2004

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| <u>Participants:</u> | 19 Nations: | 67 Men WC 53 Men ST 12 Women WC 10 Women ST |
| | Total Players: | 142 |
| | | 14 Coaches 7 Team Leaders 3 Support Staff |
| | Total Staff: | 24 |
| | Total: | 166 People |

* 2 Nations didn't arrived, Nigeria and Vietnam

Accommodation: Hotel "Platanus" ***
The accommodation was good, 1,5km from the main venue and 2,5km from the second one.
The accessibility enough, there was chairs in the showers, It was not perfect but good enough for wheelchair users.

Meals: Breakfast and Dinner in the hotel with good level of quality.
The Lunch was served in the Venue with bags very complete and consist about bread, 2 sandwiches, 2 snack packets, a fruit juice, 2 fruits and an ice cream.

Transport: 5 Buses and Shuttle Vans loaded by ramp.
Very good service from and to Airport with no complains received. Distance of 15 minutes.
During the Competition days, between hotel and venues with very good services each morning and evening
During the day and between venues when needed.
The main sport hall was only 20 minutes by walk or 10 by bus. The second venue 15 minutes by bus.
Some nations were in Budapest with their own transport.

Main Venue: SINOSZ Sport Center

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| Floor: | Parquet Floor |
| Lighting: | Perfect, more than 1000 Lux |
| Spectator Seats: | not foresee |
| Referee's Table: | In the middle of the venue |
| Gluing Room: | in the corridor |

Officials Rooms: - Organising Committee Room
- TD + Doctor Room

Second Venue:

Puskas Tivadar Tavkozlesi Technikum
It was in a School and was used only during first day of competition by standing male players

Floor: Parquet Floor

Lightning: Very Good

Spectators Seats: not foresee

Referees Table: In the middle of the hall

Gluing Room: Special Room

Equipment:

Tables: 22 Joola

Net: Joola

Scorers: Joola

Surroundings: Joola

Balls: Joola White ***

Competition Days:

March 11th: Arrivals – Classification

March 12th: Open event and Start of Teams

March 13th: Teams

March 14th: Singles and Medal Ceremony

Vey good timetable foresee by the referee and very good respect of the schedule.

Competition started at 9 am and finished around 19.30 first and second day and at 15.00 last day.

Meetings:

A technical meeting was held in the evening of arrival day and included some words from the organizers and the open and teams draw. All information given to organizers during following morning.

Opening Ceremony: Very Short with some speeches. There was a minute of silence for the people dead in Madrid tragedy the day before.

Honorary Personalities: Mr Andras Fuleki,
Deputy Secretary of State
Ministry of Children, Youth and Sport
Sport Responsible

Education Program: not any education program was foresee

Classifications: Just 1 classifier was present, the second one appointed had some health problems at the last moment.
15 players were tested.
Very good and profesional classifications!

Results: All results book was given to each Nation on Sunday evening.
All electronical results will be sent to the Ranking Director in term of 15 days.
Very good and professional work by computer man.

Officials:

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| Classifier: | Dr. Juraj Stefak – SVK |
| Referee: | Mr. Tibor Kekedi – HUN |
| Deputy Referee: | Mr. Attila Bodis – HUN |
| Computer Man: | Mr. Erno Sipos |
| Umpires: | 36 from Hungary |
| Ball boys and girls: | 75 |
| Medical: | Ambulance of Fonix and a Doctor with permanent presence to help players. Very Good! |
| Interpreters: | Mrs. Eva Cesar Mr. Robert Szentgyorgyi |

Organizing Committee:

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| Chairman: | Dr. Janos Kaiser |
| Volunteers: | Mrs. Kaiser Mrs. Eva Cesar Mr. Robert Szentgyorgyi Ms. Judith Kaiser |

Evaluation:

Accommodations: good, but the Nations had to wait a long time in the lobby of the hotel. There was a problem with Great Britain when OC offered a mixed gender pair to share a double room, but finally solved.

The level of the hotel is not according the entry fee.

Transport: Very Good!

Venues: Very Good, but **not enough surroundings** in main hall and **NO surroundings** in second one, that is not good conditions for playing.

Two tables in main hall had no access to coaches, next year it is necessary to foresee one corridor more.

Tables: good conditions and accessible for wheelchair users.

Umpires: Very good level and work!

Ball People: There was enough and made good work.

Competitions: Very good organization. Most of the matches started as scheduled.

Information: **The team leaders didn't have the information of the competition the day before.** Pigeon boxes were not foresee and can be a good solution in conjunction of an information desk in the hotel.

Computer: very professional work!

Organising Committee: **Not enough people involved during the tournament also the Chairperson competed!**

It is necessary to have a OC with more people and with established positions and roles.

At least one Accommodation responsible that can help nations on arrival with no long waiting

An information desk is necessary in the hotel!

Conclusion: I had the opportunity to talk with many team leaders and the most common complain was about the information for competition received, not enough and sometimes late. I think It's not difficult to do it better next time.

It is not so good to read the same or similar comments in the TD reports of past years.

In general the tournament was good enough but with your experience I think you can organise a great tournament in the next edition if you want to!

March 17th, 2004

Leandro Olvech

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