WDSF WORLD DANCE SPORT GAMES 2013 INFORMATION

To all WRRC National federations and officials

Dear President, Dear Members, Dear couples, Dear officials

INTRODUCTION

As you have already been informed, a special event will take place this year in September - the 1st WDSF World DanceSport Games.

The purpose of these games is to unite all DanceSport disciplines belonging to WDSF and its associated members on a special event periodically every 2-3 years. The Games shall promote DanceSport all around the World and show the diversity of different dance styles belonging to the same sport family.

The Games will go on from September 14 to September 21 in Kaohsiung, Chinese Taipei (e.g. Taiwan) in the beautiful Kaohsiung arena which has been the host of DanceSport events already in 2009 during the World Games.

WRRC has a right to send 24 Rock'n'Roll and 18 Boogie Woogie couples to this event. The selection of couples has been done with an aim to guarantee the diversity of countries and continents as well as the quality of the couples.

The local organizer from Kaohsiung pays a part of travelling expenses (max 1000 US \$ per person, three overnight stays for all dancers and officials including full board and transportation between hotel and venue.

WDSF and WRRC wish that as many dancers as possible shall be present at opening and closing ceremony, therefore the WRRC Presidium has decided to pay two extra nights for all the dancers.

Attached you can find the detailed schedule for the whole week as well as day by day overview for each discipline. You will notice that there is a combination of classical qualification system and KO system as well some modifications regarding 1st round Boogie Woogie (also slow round will be performed).

Detailed and accurate information will be published on WRRC home page in special section called World DanceSport Games. At the moment the most important thing is

that we receive a confirmation of participants as soon as possible in order to start with logistic details or look for a replacement. We need your confirmation of the dancers latest on February 28th. It is very important that you notify us at once if any of the couples will not be able to attend the competition. Also in case of later cancellations for whatever reason please contact us to make sure we find an appropriate replacement couple.

COUPLES

As mentioned there will be RR and BW couples on the event. They compete on separate days, but our wish is that all couples arrive and depart on the same date so they can participate at the opening and closing ceremony:

The list of the couples is listed later on in this document. Please check the couples from your country and send us a confirmation or cancellation. The couples have been nominated directly by their ranking positions so any changes of the couples must be first coordinated with the Presidium.

ARRIVAL: Sunday September 15, 2013 or Monday September 16, 2013 - in the morning, the opening ceremony will be at 17:30, so you should be registered and checked-in in the hotel latest by 15:00 or preferably earlier.

DEPARTURE: Saturday, September 21, 2013

OVERNIGHT STAYS

5 – including full board and transportation to all locations (training hall, competition venue, Plaza, Love river)

Paid by organizer (3 nights) and WRRC (3 nights) – one double room for each couple, alterations are not possible.

Any extra days shall be paid by each person alone. The cost for a double room is 70US\$, the cost is the same for a single room.

We must know the info about your arrival/departure as soon as possible.

TRAVEL:

Each dancer is responsible to organize his/her own travel to Kaohsiung. The organizer will reimburse the travel expenses to the maximum amount of 1000 US \$ per person for couples travelling from Europe. A valid airfare Invoice will be requested in order to claim the expenses. Please make sure that you request also the Invoice when purchasing the plane ticket – without the Invoice the costs will not be reimbursed.

The costs over this amount shall be paid by dancers alone or their national federation. The organizer proposes everyone to fly to Taipei and then take the speed train to Kaohsiung since the prices are lower and there will be a special train price about 30 € return ticket. There will also be a welcome desk in Taipei airport.

INSURANCE:

Each person must have a health insurance which also covers sports accidents. The WRRC or WDSF or local organizers are not responsible for any insurance claims.

SCHEDULE:

For every discipline the time line is similar and marked in the attachment.

- DAY 1: Arrival day
- DAY 2: Training day
- DAY 3: Competition day
- DAY 4: Departure day

Please check out the attached schedule for details for RR and B

OTHER ACTIVITIES:

During the day and at night several workshops will go on for different dance styles including some smaller shows. The couples will be invited to take part. The details will follow.

CLOSING CEREMONY: There is a wish of gala performance of all winners during the closing ceremony, so it is important that you all stay until Friday. Perhaps there will be also a special show from all present couples on one chosen song. The details will follow.

COUNTRY REPRESENTATION

Each couple represents the country for which it is registered in WRRC.

PLEASE FILL OUT THE ATTACHED FORM AND SEND IT BACK TO WRRC OFFICE LATEST ON FEBRUARY 28, 2013.

It is very important that we know the exact number of overnight stays as soon as possible.

OFFICIALS

WRRC has nominated the following officials for Kaohsiung

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-	Federation representative	Miriam Kerpan Izak	16/09 to 21/09
-	Technical delegate	Daniel Bachmann	16/09 to 21/09
-	Chairman (Observer)	Peter Herrmann	16/09 to 21/09
-	Scrutineer (Protocol)	Kresimir Bosnar	16/09 to 21/09
-	Judge – RR + BW	Manfred Mohab	16/09 to 21/09
-	Judge – RR + BW	Marina Eskolin	16/09 to 21/09
-	Judge – RR + BW	Renzo Maoggi	16/09 to 21/09
-	Judge – RR	Susi Huber	16/09 to 21/09
-	Judge – RR	Ralf M. Schieswohl	16/09 to 21/09
-	Judge – BW	Michelle Planques	16/09 to 20/09

- Judge – BW

Tom Skamo

16/09 to 21/09

The reimbursement limitation of 1000 US \$ per person is also valid for the officials.

The nights paid by the organizer cover full board and competition transfers. If you want to extend you stay the price is 70 US \$ per night.

We still wait for information about partners or supporters of officials (what and how do they need to pay).

We will give you the missing info as soon as we receive it.

Please confirm by return e-mail that you can accept this position under the conditions mentioned above. We need your answer until the end of February 2013.

TRAINERS AND SUPPORTERS

We have informed the WDSF about the necessity of trainers present especially for RR. At the moment we still wait for the package prices for overnight – meals – transport and backstage pass.

The same goes also for all possible supporters.

We will give you the missing info as soon as we receive it.

With Sportive regards

Miriam Kerpan Izak WRRC President

QUALIFIED COUPLES - ROCK'N'ROLL

				WDSF	
Ranking	Couple	Nation	Points	Games	
40	Christian DEMETRESCU - Sonja DURDOVICOVA	AUT	10	1	
33	René FEIJS - Karolien DULLERS	BEL	16	2	
12	Vedran KUBOVIC - Dinka LELIC	CRO	156	3	
6	Vitezslav HORAK - Sandra CHUDOMSKA	CZE	227	4	
4	Florian BARON - Guylaine GOLF	FRA	289	5	
18	Tobias BLUDAU - Melanie FRANKE	GER	97	6	
48	Daniele MASON - Silvia BUSETTO	ITA	4	7	
11	Steinar BERG - Anne Ragnhild OLSTAD	NOR	170	8	
2	Jacek TARCZYLO - Anna MIADZIELEC	POL	348	9	
1	Ivan YOUDIN - Olga SBITNEVA	RUS	359	10	
17	Franci PEVC - Tina RABIČ	SLO	113	11	
3	Maurizio MANDORINO - Jade MANDORINO	SUI	291	12	canceled
5	René BACHMANN - Stephanie RÜEGG	SUI	248	20	
13	Filip KOCIS - Andrea HRUSKOVA	SVK	140	13	
34	Jimmy JÄRVEKVIST - Emma JONSSON	SWE	16	14	
16	Mykhaylo PETRENKO - Ekaterina SIDUNOVA	UKR	131	15	
15	Neven IVIC - Ivana MIHALIC	CRO	135	16	2nd couple from country
26	Michael SKODA - Jitka SEMBEROVA	CZE	37	17	2nd couple from country
22	Lukas MOOS - Christina BISCHOFF-MOOS	GER	61	18	2nd couple from country
7	Alexei PANFEROV - Anna AVDEEVA	RUS	211	19	2nd couple from country
8	Mikael CAFFI - Pamela GREZET	SUI	198	20	2nd couple from country
29	Štefan CSETO - Zuzana BARUTOVÁ	SVK	28	21	2nd couple from country
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	?	open		23	
	?	open		24	



QUALIFIED COUPLES – BOOGIE WOOGIE

				WDSF	
Ranking	Couple	Nation	Points	Games	
12	Markus KAKUSKA - Jessica KAISER	AUT	243	1	
112	Vladislav IVANOV - Boryana ZLATEVA	BUL	1	2	
8	Tuomas SILLANPÄÄ - Reetta KOIVUNIEMI	FIN	334	3	
14	Ludovic CHANTON - Stacy AUREL	FRA	209	4	
10	Matthias REIN - Regina KUGLSTATTER	GER	252	5	
103	Péter KERSCH - Annamária BÍRÓ	HUN	5	6	
3	Francesco PEZZO - Carolina LAMPUGNANI	ITA	403	7	
1	Thorbjorn Solvoll URSKOG - Susanne Barkhald SANDBERG	NOR	549	8	
4	Grzegorz CHERUBIŃSKI - Agnieszka CHERUBIŃSKA	POL	399	9	
40	Roman TUKHTAEV - Alina POSTOLIT	RUS	59	10	
7	Arthur CHAPPELLAZ - Flora BOUCHEREAU	SUI	352	11	
60	Peter GRIAČ - Martina ŠIMKOVÁ	SVK	25	12	
2	Rasmus HOLMQVIST - Tove HOLMQVIST	SWE	422	13	
9	Ivan KATRUNOV - Tatiana GEORGIIEVSKA	UKR	308	14	
5	Jonathan HAUG - Elin HELLBERG	SWE	397	15	2nd couple from country
11	Mirco DALLOLIO - Martina REMONDINI	ITA	249	16	2nd couple from country
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WDSF WORLD DANCESPORT GAMES - WRRC CONFIRMATION FORM

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If applicable		Departure:			
Couple no 2. BW		Arrival:			
If applicable		Departure:			
We confirm the of 2013 in Kaohsiun	couples listed above to take part at Wag (TPE).	DSF World DanceSport Games			
The following coup	les will not be able to attend:				
Date & Location:					
Signature					

Please send back this form to WRRC - no later than February 28, 2013.