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VISITS FROM MEMBERS TO WEC

The Vice President of the International Belt Wrestling Koresh Federation and the First Deputy Prime Minister of Sports of the Republic of Tatarstan visited the World Ethnosport Confederation (WEC).

WEC pays a great attention about strengthening ties with members and attaches importance to mutual visits in order to improve communication and coordination. WEC hosted the Vice President of the International Belt Wrestling Koresh Federation Ravil Nohumanov and the First Deputy Prime Minister of Sports of the Republic of Tatarstan Khalil Shaikhutdinov. The meeting touched upon the issues of international events and intercultural activities with WEC the member, International Belt Wrestling Koresh Federation.

First Deputy Prime Minister of Sports of the Republic of Tatarstan Khalil Shaikhutdinov stated that they appreciate the efforts of WEC for the coordination with its members.





OFFICIAL VISITS TO WEC

Governor of the Republic of Moldova's Autonomous Territorial Unit of Gagauzia HE Irina Vlah and the Moldovan Ambassador to Ankara HE Dmitri Croitor visited WEC President Necmeddin Bilal Erdoğan. Consultations were held during the meeting on possible cooperation between the countries within the framework of promoting and increasing the awareness of traditional sports and games.







APPLICATIONS FOR WEC PHD SCHOLARSHIPS HAVE BEGUN

The World Ethnosport Confederation (WEC) continues maintaining its support for academic studies in the field of traditional sports and games. The new period of applications has begun for the WEC PhD Scholarships, which are awarded to students in various countries of the world who are engaged in doctoral studies on traditional sports and games. WEC, in addition to financial support, offers various experience opportunities within WEC to scholarship awardees who will perform studies in the field. Those who would like to benefit from scholarship can submit an application at the following website: www.worldethnosport.org







WEC TSG RESEARCH EXECUTIVES HAVE BEGUN THE STUDIES

WEC, which has turned the pandemic process into an opportunity for development within the academic framework of traditional sports and games, has accelerated the efforts of the Traditional Sports and Games (TSG) Research Executives. The Research Executives have come together through online meetings with 14 academicians from nine countries and exchanged a wide range of ideas about the studies to be done.





WEC CONTINUED ITS ONLINE MEETINGS THROUGHOUT THE **PANDEMIC PROCESS**

The World Ethnosport Confederation has maintained its communications with member associations and federations online throughout the course of the COVID-19 pandemic affecting the whole world.

The measures taken throughout the world in general due to the COVID-19 outbreak have caused changes in the field of traditional sports and games, as in every area. Meetings that had been planned to be carried out face to face have occurred online within the framework of the measures taken against the virus under the leadership of the World Ethnosport Confederation.







THE RESEARCH AND APPLICATION CENTER FOR TRADITIONAL SPORTS HAS BEEN ESTABLISHED

The Research and Application Center for Traditional Sports and Games has been established with the aim of preserving traditional sports and games by keeping them alive.

The Center, established at Ankara Hacı Bayram Veli University, will maintain its efforts by addressing all the processes of traditional sports and games, from the process of compiling them to the process of their implementation.

The Center will carry out work in academic fields such as training, compilation, and research, also will make applications on preserving traditional sports and games by transferring them from generation to generation. The activity areas of the Center, which will meet the information, equipment, and specialist needs for all organizations and NGOs in the world related to this topic, will extend to all geographies where traditional sports and games exist.

