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**TEAM HANDBALL NEWSLETTER #005-07**

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To: Provincial Federations and Management Committee Members

From: François LeBeau, Chief Operating Officer

Object: Senior National Championships in Quebec City, Quebec  
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*In order to maintain communication, this letter will be sent to all PTHF twice a month.  
Please inform your members*

## **Senior National Championships in Quebec City, Quebec**

For the duration of the Senior National Championship and the CTHF Annual General Meeting, the Hotel Quebec Plaza (3031, Laurier Blvd, Quebec, J1V 2M2, phone: 418-658-2727; fax: 418-658-6587; toll free: 1-800-567-5276; [www.hotelsjaro.com](http://www.hotelsjaro.com)) offers a special rate are \$85.00 for a quad occupancy and continental breakfast included. For room reservation, you contact Ms Caroline Jobin at the following e-mail address: [carolinejobin@jaro.qc.ca](mailto:carolinejobin@jaro.qc.ca).

All weekend festivities including meetings and banquet will take place there, including the CTHF Annual General Meeting. More information regarding the playing venues and the banquet will follow under separate cover.

When calling please ask for Caroline (1-800-567-5276) and quote "Canadian Team Handball". Booking must be confirmed by April 28<sup>th</sup>.

Be informed that there are numerous other activities in Quebec City, Quebec, the same weekend of the senior national championships, May 18<sup>th</sup> to May 20<sup>th</sup>, 2007. Therefore it would be in the best interest of all participating provinces and teams, to reserve their lodging as early as possible. Information was sent to all PTHFs earlier.

## **Junior National Championships in Edmonton, Alberta**

Games will be played at the University of Alberta, Edmonton, Alberta. Official Hotel of the Championships is Edmonton House Suites Hotel, 10205-100 ave, Edmonton, T5J 4B5, Toll Free number is 1-888-962-2522. Rate is \$99.00. When booking you must say it's with Alberta team handball Federation. You must book before April 10<sup>th</sup> 2007 to get this Rate.

## **Juvenile National Championships in Quebec City, Quebec**

For the duration of the Juvenile National Championship, the JARO Hotels (toll free: 1-800-567-5276; [www.hotelsjaro.com](http://www.hotelsjaro.com)) offers a special rate are \$85.00 for a quad occupancy and continental breakfast included. For room reservation, you contact Ms Caroline Jobin at the following e-mail address: [carolinejobin@jaro.qc.ca](mailto:carolinejobin@jaro.qc.ca).

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Be informed that there are numerous other activities in Quebec City, Quebec, the same weekend of the juvenile national championships, May 25<sup>th</sup> to May 27<sup>th</sup>, 2007. Therefore it would be in the best interest of all participating provinces and teams, to reserve their lodging as early as possible. Information was sent to all PTHFs earlier.

## Coaches and Referees' Meetings

Please Inform Your Coaches and Officials

### Coach's Meeting

**When:** Thursday, May 10<sup>th</sup>, 17<sup>th</sup> and 24<sup>th</sup>, 2007, 9:00pm

**Where:** In team hotel

**Note:** **Coaches must attend the meeting and have in their possession the colours of the player's shirts and shorts as well as the colours for the goalie's shirts and pants.**

**All junior and juvenile players must provide proof of age (birth certificate) at the coach's meeting. Consequently, in order to avoid any bad experiences, please have in your possession before you leave from your own province, the proper proof of age.**

#### Agenda:

1. Welcome
2. Information relevant to the efficient conduct of the Canadian Championship
3. Rules and Regulations
4. All Star Teams, Most Valuable Players, Procedure for the awards ceremonies
5. Other business
6. Questions
7. Selection of uniform colours
8. Proof of age ( junior and juvenile categories )
9. Adjournment

### Referees Meeting

**When:** Thursday, May 10<sup>th</sup>, 17<sup>th</sup> and 24<sup>th</sup>, 2007, 10:00pm

**Where:** In team hotel

#### Agenda:

1. Welcome and Introduction
2. Code of Conduct (Dress)
3. Blood Procedure Policy
4. Rules and Regulations
5. Game Responsibility
6. Transportation
7. Questions
8. Assignments
9. Adjournment

## Nationals 2007 – Intent to Participate

Feb 28<sup>th</sup> was the deadline for PTHF to declare their intent to participate. As of February 28<sup>th</sup>, the following information was provided to the CTHF.

Deadline for all provinces to pay Entry Fee and Good Conduct/Performance Bonds is April 13<sup>th</sup>, 2007. Please meet the deadline in order to avoid any unnecessary fines.

|                           | Senior Men | Senior Women | Junior Men | Junior Women  | Juvenile Men | Juvenile Women | Total per Province |
|---------------------------|------------|--------------|------------|---------------|--------------|----------------|--------------------|
| Alberta                   | 2          |              | 3          | 3             | 1            | 1              | 10                 |
| British Columbia          | 0          |              |            |               |              |                | 0                  |
| Manitoba                  | 1          | 1            | 1          | 1             | 1            | 1              | 6                  |
| Ontario                   | 1          |              |            |               |              |                | 1                  |
| New-Brunswick             |            |              |            |               |              | 1              | 1                  |
| Nova-Scotia               |            |              |            |               | 0            |                | 0                  |
| Quebec                    | 3          | 3            | 1          | 1 or 2        | 3            | 3              | 14 or 15           |
| Saskatchewan              | 1          | 1            | 1          | 1             | 1            | 1              | 6                  |
| <b>Total per category</b> | <b>8</b>   | <b>5</b>     | <b>6</b>   | <b>6 or 7</b> | <b>6</b>     | <b>7</b>       | <b>38 or 39</b>    |

We are waiting for the official registration of the USA Senior Women and USA Men's Club Team in our Senior National Championships.

### Age limit:

Juvenile: cannot exceed 18 years of age during the championship year

Junior: cannot exceed 21 years of age on the first day of the tournament

## Other News

- Invoices for **provincial affiliation fee 2007-2008** were sent to all PTHF; deadline for provincial team handball federations to pay affiliation fee is April 28<sup>th</sup>, 2007.
- The **Pan-American junior men's championship** have been confirmed; the CTHF received an official invitation by the PATHF.
- **A bit of history - national championships**

| Category       | First year | Edition 2007     |
|----------------|------------|------------------|
| Senior men     | 1968       | 40 <sup>th</sup> |
| Senior women   | 1973       | 35 <sup>th</sup> |
| Junior men     | 1974       | 34 <sup>rd</sup> |
| Junior women   | 1977       | 31 <sup>th</sup> |
| Juvenile men   | 1995       | 13 <sup>th</sup> |
| Juvenile women | 1996       | 12 <sup>th</sup> |

- **Elections at the AGM**

The VP official and the VP National teams are concluding their 2 years mandate. They will be elections for those positions at the AGM.

## **Equipment for sale**

### *Trial Beach Handball Balls*

In order to promote and to develop Beach Handball in Canada, the CTHF just purchased 225 Trial Beach Handball Balls. Beach Handball balls can also be used for Mini-Handball.

|    |                 |                   |        |      |
|----|-----------------|-------------------|--------|------|
| 75 | Trial Ultima 35 | Beach handball #0 | Red    | \$20 |
| 75 | Trial Ultima 36 | Beach handball #1 | Green  | \$20 |
| 75 | Trial Ultima 37 | Beach handball #2 | Orange | \$20 |

*You can go ahead and place an order, this promotional price includes shipping (minimum 5 balls), while available*

### *Clearance sale on Handball balls*

Handball Balls Select #2 (World Championships)

Price: 3 balls for 75\$ and get the 4th one free

*Shipping and handling: 10\$*

Handball Balls Select for mini Handball

Price: 3 balls for 60\$ and get the 4th one free

*Shipping and handling: 10\$*

Beach Handball Balls

Price: 3 balls for 50\$ and get the 4th one free

*Shipping and handling: 10\$*

[Click here to order](#)

## Deadlines - Dates to Remember

| <b>Date</b>                               | <b>Project</b> | <b>Activity</b>   |
|---|----------------|---|
| March 25 <sup>th</sup>                    | Officials      | Deadline for PTHF to provide list of officials for Nationals            |
| April 1 <sup>st</sup>                     | Nationals      | Deadline to bid to host a 2008 national championship                    |
| April 13 <sup>th</sup>                    | Nationals      | Deadline for PTHF to pay entree fees and good conduct/performance bonds |
| April 14 <sup>th</sup> – 15 <sup>th</sup> | Nat team       | Junior Men preparation camp for the Junior Men Pan-AM Championships     |
| April 20 <sup>th</sup>                    | Nationals      | Deadline for PTHF to pay affiliation fees provide membership lists      |
| April 20 <sup>th</sup>                    | Nationals      | Deadline for PTHF to submit team rosters for Junior teams               |
| April 27 <sup>th</sup>                    | Nationals      | Deadline for PTHF to submit team rosters for Senior teams               |
| April 28 <sup>th</sup>                    | CTHF           | Deadline to submit year-end reports, nominations and proposals for AGM  |
| April 30 <sup>th</sup>                    | CTHF           | Deadline for submissions to Ron Gorgichuk Scholarship Fund              |
| April 30 <sup>th</sup>                    | CTHF           | Deadline to send application for CTHF Hall of Fame                      |
| May 4 <sup>th</sup>                       | Nationals      | Deadline for PTHF to submit team rosters for Juvenile teams             |
| May 11 <sup>th</sup> – 13 <sup>th</sup>   | Nationals      | Junior nationals in Edmonton, Alberta                                   |
| May 18 <sup>th</sup> – 20 <sup>th</sup>   | Nationals      | Senior nationals in Quebec City, Quebec                                 |
| May 18 <sup>th</sup> – 20 <sup>th</sup>   | CTHF           | Annual General Meeting  |
| May 21 <sup>st</sup>                      | Nat Team       | Senior Men selection camp (Quebec City)                                 |
| May 25 <sup>th</sup> – 27 <sup>th</sup>   | Nationals      | Juvenile nationals in Quebec City, Quebec                               |