1. 12th Panam Taekwon-Do Games and 12th Congress of Panam Taekwon-Do Council.

12th Panam Taekwon-Do Games and 12th Congress of Panam Taekwon-Do Council took place in Lima, Peru amidst great expectations and hopes of all Taekwon-Do practitioners in the region thus making great echo across the world. The events were attended by important figures of countries of the region to start with Argentina, Bolivia, Chili, Canada, Peru, Honduras, Puerto Rico, Jamaique, Uruguay and Venezuela.

The pick point of the events was undoubtedly 12th Congress of Panam Taekwon-Do Council so proud and honored to have worked altogether in the last past years with a deep love and passion for our Taekwon-Do along with full responsibility to ensure the progress of our martial arts so as it reaches the top of our expectations.
The Congress recognized that there were times in these past years which were tough and hard, but splendid full of confidence and extremely pleased of what we all have accomplished with same trust, respect and devotion. The Congress was the time and place for sharing, exchanging, communicating for never ending development of our martial arts.

Senior Grand Master. Prof. Hwang Ho Yong, ITF SVP, Senior Grand Master Adolfo J. Villanueva, ITF Vice-President, Prof. Kim Sung Hwan, ITF Secretary General, Grand Master Osvaldo Rios Olivero, PTC President and Grand Master Eduardo Palmisano, President of TKD Argentina were invited as special guests of the events which were concluded with great success in compliance with expectations of all participants. All these achievements were inconceivable beyond tremendous efforts and commitment so deeply engraved in the whole process of the events by SM. Enrique Deacon, ITF EB Member and Secretary General of Panam Taekwon-Do Council along with all the staff members of the organizing committee with full support of lots of volunteers who invested their best to make the events a success. Prof. Mst. Ri Yong Son, ITF President sent a message of congratulation to the address of this great gala. Following is the integral part of the message:

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TO: ALL ITF NGBs
FROM: ITF HQs, Draugasse 3, Vienna, Austria
SUBJECT: CONGRATULATIONS
DATE: 4TH November 2015

I hereby would like to express my heart-felt congratulations to the address of all of you here present, in the name of myself as ITF President for the successful gathering of "XII Panam Taekwon-Do Games" and "XII Official PTC Congress" taking place in Lima, Peru. The eventful conclusion of the Games and Congress will hail world-wide echo through great expectations and hopes of all original Taekwon-Do practitioners across the world marking a new greater milestone for further promotion of Taekwon-Do thus consolidating unity, friendship and solidarity among all competitors and participants. I hope that these colorful events will bridge our memories and hearts with an eternal message of the real values of our ITF, founded by late legendary Gen. Choi Hong Hi.

With best regards, I remain
Sincerely yours

Prof. Mst. Ri Yong Son
President of International Taekwon-Do Federation

2. The World Cup of CIS sanctioned by ITF HQs was held in Minsk, Belarus from the 19th to the 23rd November 2015.

The event was attended by 1098 competitors, coaches and umpires of 44 teams coming from 14 countries. The opening ceremony was held in “Velodrom” of Minsk City on 21st November. The ceremony was honoured by the presence of H.E. Mr. Aleksandr Shamko, Minister of Sports and Tourism, Mr. Sergei Lebedev, Executive Secretary of the CIS, Mr. Andrei Shorets, mayor of Minsk City and other high ranking officials of government of Belarus Republic. On ITF side, Prof. Mst. Ri Yong Son, ITF President, Grand Master Michael Prewett, EITF President along with Mst Mario Bogdanov, ITF Vice-President in charge of Europe attended the ceremony. H.E. Minister of Sports and Tourism and GM. Michael Prewett, EITF President made respectively a congratulatory speech on the occasion which was followed by Prof. Mst. Ri Yong Son, ITF President who declared open the event. The ceremony was preceded by artistic performance deeply inspiring Belarus cultural heritage and sentimental feeling of its people which made colourful the whole process of the ceremony. Prior to that, H.E. Mr. Aleksandr Shamko, Minister
of Sports and Tourism offered an official audience to ITF HQs delegation headed by Prof. Mst. Ri Yong Son at the main office building of his ministry. They talked about different matters of bilateral interest while recognizing in the Taekwon-Do real values of social education means for future generations and wished every success for the event.

Prof. Mst. Ri Yong Son presented him, on the occasion, a 4th Dan ITF honorary Certificate.
The talks were carried out in a very friendly and constructive atmosphere.

3. Prof. Mst. Ri Yong Son, ITF President sent a message of Congratulations to all the participants of “European King of Taekwon-Do”

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SUBJECT: EUROPEAN KING OF TAEKWON-DO
DATE: 25th NOVEMBER 2015

This is my pleasure to congratulate on my behalf as ITF President as well as in the name of all ITF National Governing Bodies along with ITF HQs the Greek Taekwon-Do ITF for this big sport event “European King of Taekwon-Do” to be held in Thessaloniki on 28th & 29th November 2015.
The event where the best athletes of Greece and Czech Republic will compete won't fail to display their high skills and techniques of Taekwon-Do thus enlarging the scope of participation through other different countries across the world. Wishing you all every success in the event for the betterment of its future.

With best regards, I remain
Sincerely yours

Prof. Mst. Ri Yong Son
ITF President

4. 6TH INTERNATIONAL MARTIAL ARTS GAMES

6TH INTERNATIONAL MARTIAL ARTS GAMES were held successfully at Thyagraj Indoor Stadium, New Delhi, India from 2nd to 6th December 2015. 1549 players from 15 countries participated in 7 Martial Art Disciplines. The Special Guest of the event was Prof. Mst. RI YONG SON, President of ITF and MR. KIM MYONG GUN, Secretary General IMGC, Prof. Dr. SGM. LEONG WAI MENG, Vice-President of ITF & IMGC, Dr. PAUL G. HOGlund, President of World Ji-Jutsu Confederation and other VIPs of Indian Government.
5. Courses & Seminars

- SGM. Prof. Hwang Ho Yon, ITF SVP Chairman of ITF Technical and Education Standing Committee conducted an ITF Course so sanctioned by ITF HQs in Switzerland from 27th till 30th November.
- Saludos envio un registro xon la alcaldesa elsa noguera de nuestra a cuidad barranquilla atlantico. Entregandoles los resultados de Lima Peru

- National Seminar with Master Carlos Martin in Andalucia.

With the new attraction which means having the first Master 7th Dan of the International Federation of Tae Kwon-Do Spain, the Doyang Club and its president Mr. Maximilian Montiel, organized a technical seminar under the direction of Sahyun Carlos Martin. For this reason the town of Arroyo de la Miel and the Maravillas School, dressed in finery to
enjoy one of the key events of the year. After the official presentation, the international instructor Mr. Maximiliano Montiel on behalf of all participants, made delivery of an special belt embroidery for the occasion as recognition to the 7th Dan promotion. After a big applause Master Carlos Martin did not want to miss this opportunity to thank all for the coveted award, promising it with pride, hoping to be an example for the rest of the instructors in their continued growth. The seminar with a maximum attendance of 70 students enjoyed the diverse range of torque procedures prepared for the occasion; intermingled the work of technical, implementation of the patterns (Tul), application and usefulness of the same, and sparring. In a constant interaction where the premise was to remain active throughout the morning, the Master encouraged everyone to participate for a better understanding. With different protocols of implementation, all the students worked intensely to get to the rest of half a day.

Entered in the afternoon session, there was a progression in the warming up with variants aimed not to cut off the digestive processes of the lunch. Doing a review of the training system used in the morning, continued with patterns (Tul) until to 2nd Dan. Alternating continuously with dynamic exercises, there was no time for relax. From white belt to black belt 4th Dan showed the fast absorption of the methods of work. At 21:00 hs was the closure, but not before to thank everyone for the work and the great atmosphere during the day. The Master did not want to say goodbye without correspond to all for their participation, the instructors responsible of teaching, and to all the relatives of the children that were giving support in the seminar, with an emphasis on that never miss the humility beyond the belt that possess, which continue learning and participating in all events to be organized, and demonstrate in each time that the Tae Kwon-Do is vital to their development as individuals.
Round of Test for 1st an 2nd Dan

Estepona and Arroyo de la Miel were selected to perform two calls for black belt test with the presence of Master Carlos Martin as head of the panel. A total of 13th candidates from the clubs Juche and Doyang led by the instructors Mr. Maximiliano Montiel and Mr. Alberto Barsemanto respectively, presented their candidature for a new promotion. The evaluation panel worked for several hours in the capacity of all applicants, which showed a good preparation. In the constant search for a proper learning, the Panel sought the continuous analysis of each exercise where the reasoning was the most widely used instrument.

The new promotions were:

Marcos Vera 2° Dan
Alvaro Alvarez 2° Dan
David Jimenez 2° Dan
Andrea Salmeron 1° Dan
Galeb Ron 1° Dan
Maria Jimenez 1° Dan
Maria Ramis 1° Dan

Verónica Barnqvist 1° Dan
Juan Miguel Gonzalez 1° Dan
Germán Pistone 1° Dan
Ismael Mellah 1° Dan
Sara Eskandari 1° Dan
Rafael Ecobar 1° Dan
- Total success of the Courses organized by ATF in Argentina.

SGM. Adolfo Villanueva, GM. Osvaldo Rios Olivero and GM. Eduardo Palmisano organized special training Courses sanctioned by ITF HQs and conducted by SGM. Prof. Kim Ung Chol, ITF Tournament Standing Committee Chair in different cities in Argentina Jujuy, Tucuman, Santiago del Estero and Chaco in the North where he was received by authorities of the Argentinean government official and Entre Rios, Santa Fe and Buenos Aires in the South.
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El evento fue dictado para los instructores, cinturones negros y disfrutar de nuestra práctica. Existen

La felicidad de Osvaldo Ríos Oller

El reto para el año 2001 fue el de incrementar el número de alumnos. Con el éxito de los últimos cursos y

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6. GM. Lim was very pleased to receive the 60th anniversary of Taekwon-Do denomination award.

   It was an honor for SM. Cindy Armstrong to travel to Stockholm, Sweden, on the 24th of October, to present the 60th anniversary award to GM. Lim Won Sup, on behalf of the ITF.