

WAKO General Assembly 25th Nov 2019

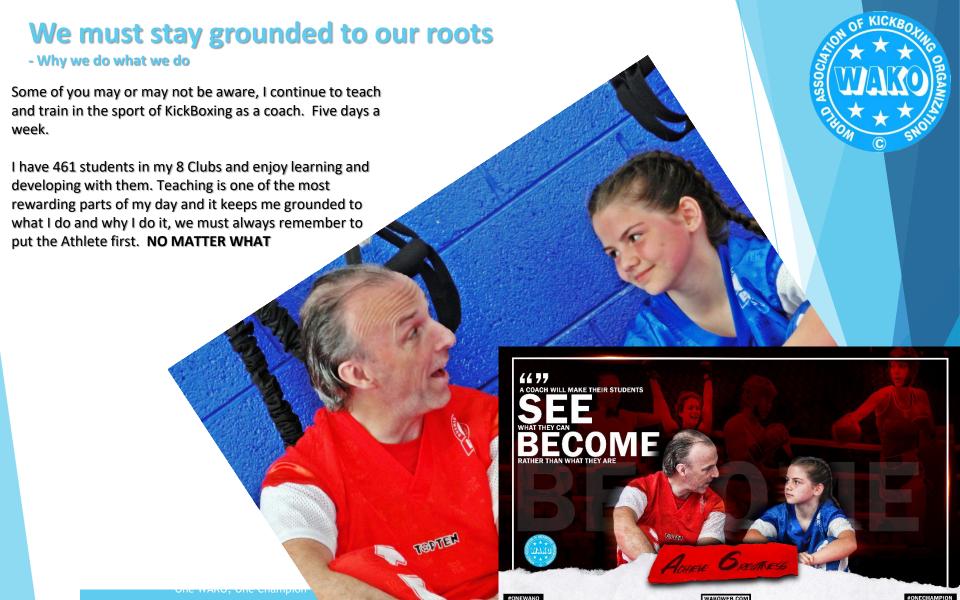
World Association of Kickboxing Orginisations

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IOC recognition gives us massive opportunities

To start a new active year with IOC recognition only gives us so many possibilities. We know it will be more hard work, but the achievment inspires us to continue to improve and achieve bigger goals for our athletes all around the world. It is up to us to exploit the situation and the only way going forward is to act as **ONE** team embrase the WAKO family. We will in the coming months have meetings with the IOC in order to outline future activities and improvements. I am confident that we all, as a team, will reach ourfuture goals.

I also encourage all our members to exploit the maximum support the federation may grant as a direct consequence of our new international recognition.







WAKO Presidential Election 2nd February 2019
Thank You

Meeting EOC President





Thank you to Tomaz Barada and Istvan Kiraly for attending with me as the WAKO team to meet with the President of the European Olympic Committees, Dr. Janez Kocijancic. The main topic was the possibility of inclusion of Kickboxing in the next European Games in 2023. It was a positive and progressive meeting and the future looks bright for our sport.

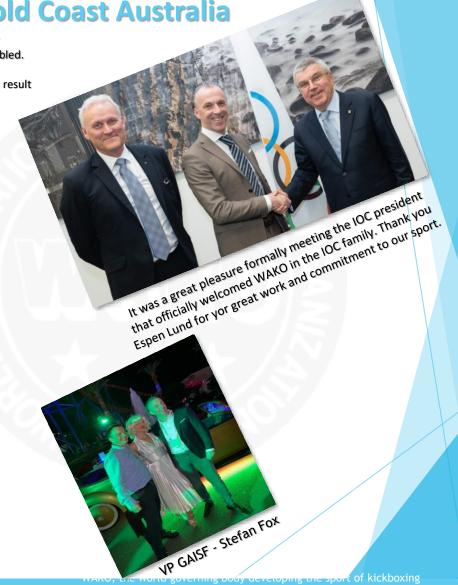


SportAccord Convention Gold Coast Australia

GAISF President mentioned especially WAKO and our approach and our willingness to share and to engage with other sports. We feel very humbled.

Ofan Sanzada was awarded by IWGA President MR. Jose Perurena as a result of our athletes 3 place as Athlete of the Year.







SportAccord Convention Schedule

Monday 6

- a VERY Busy week for Presidenr Roy Baker and VP Espen Lund.

Sunday 5

08:00	•					
08:30			Opening Conference		IWGA Assembly	
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09:00			United through sport	Protocol Sports Marketing		GAISF Assembly
					Kickboxing	
09:30				WKF - Antonio	Combat Zone	
	IOC meeting (Meeting	Nenad Lalovic Wrestline				
10:00	room1,Ground floor)	President		Francois Carrard	9:30 - 10:30	
			Francis - Planning		3.33	
10:30		Birmingham, Steve M	Combat Zone			
				N.Majali - Jordan + Joel		
11:00		Sooth	At Hotel	Bouzou		
11:30			11:45 - Thomas Bach			
	GAISF meeting (President					
12:00	office)		IOC - Andrew	Marsh - insurance		
				Various: Sport Data and Event/Nielse - Sudapest -	IWGA Coctail	Kickboxing Combat
12:30				Mesterships	Reception	Zone
13:00					песерион	12-12:50
25.00		ARISF Assembly	Hans Natoro. or			
13:30		13:30 - 17:30	Sport Event Denmark			
25.55		AIMS Assembly	Pierre Geremau, gaise		Kickbaxing	
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						Kickboxing Combat
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					Sports-Pro Paul	
15:00			FICS meeting		Guest	14:30 17:00
15:30			At booth			United through sport
16:00					WADA - Laetita	Closing Confrence
			Olympic Channel -			_
16:30			Palfrey or Farber	SportAccord Assembly		
17:00						
17:30					Judo - Larissa	
					Combat Games	I I
18:00		AIMS - ARISF reception		Sports Festival Open	meeting - Room nr 5	
18:30						
19:00			SportAccord Opening		SportAccord	
19:30			Ceremony	VIP Dining Oceanfront	Closing Event	
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20:00				Queensland Governm.		
20:30						
21:00						Roy Depart
21:30				Hats Off - AIMS		
22:00						

Tuesday 7

Wednesday 8

Thursday 9

Friday 10

Opening of the New IOC headquarters

I had the pleasure of being invited to the opening ceremony of the new IOC headquarters alongside all the IOC recognized sports presidents by Mr Bach, it was a great honor for WAKO to receive this official invitation.



IOC President Mr Bach receiving a sustainability award for the new IOC Headquarters. Congratulations to our President



Nadia Comăneci 10 times Olympic Champion. I can remember watching her incredible performance as a boy with my family a great honour to meet her



The NEW IOC Headquarters one of the most sustainable buildings in the world today.



Internal staircases mimics the five ring design

Be PROUD

BE PROUD = Development of the Za'atary project

- Mrs Nesrin Ahmad Mjarish will be our new resource

It is a pleasure and pride for for me to introduce our new hero in the Za'tary refugee camp in Jordan, Mrs Nesrin Ahmad Mjarish. In June she will start the woman self-defence programme after a thorough guidance from our former world champion Emanuele Bozzolani assisted by Tirill Nanett Bjørnestad Næss. Emanuele is a specialist also in self-defence programmes and have coached Nesrin and other female coaches.

Nesrin will indeed make a difference to give our fellow Syrian friends hope in a situation difficult for others to understand. WAKO will follow up Nesrins daily development and we wish her good luck as our new hero.

Already implemented and well developed is the aggression management programme under the leadership of Ali Hussein Alkhaldi.

Thank you to our partner Peace and Sport that make us able to be a part of what matters – Live together programme

#BecauseWeCare











"LIVE TOGETHER" PROGRAM

ZA'ATARI REFUGEE CAMP JORDAN







This program aims to address the educational, social and developmental **needs** of refugees of all ages through sport.

The UNHCR, NGOs, the Jordan Olympic Committee and International Federations are involved.





Women and girls training on self-defence











Boys learning to manage aggressiveness through kickboxing

WAKO cooperates with Peace and Sport to foster the **self-esteem** and **confidence** of refugees through the practice of kickboxing.

25 Syrians have been trained to become Kickboxing **instructors**.

Hundreds of children will benefit from the **positive values** transmitted by **kickboxing**.



BE Proud Australia receive Government Recoognition in November

- Thank you WAKO Australia

Great activity during the Sports Festival at the Gold Coast, where WAKO Austalia organized both demonastration and also some very entertaining K-1 fights for the audience in the park. Congratulations to an amazing winner Khudadad Haidiri, a future star in WAKO.

May I as President also congratulate WAKO Australia and President Francis McArdle for a massive development in the region. You inspire us Francis.





Be Proud: 1st Spanish Championship for disabilities

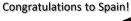
- It is all about inclusion

It is with great pleasure to announce that during the Spanish Championship 3-5 May the first competition for disabilities was organized ad with 16 participants.

We congratulate the federation for the initiatives and for being in front to develop such important activities.

As a consequence of this WAKO will during its next Athlete Corner invite for a presentation in order to learn an share of this experience and to ensure other NFs follow in the same pathway.

It is all about respect and inclusion, simply because we care and to have the guts to actually do it.









Be Proud: WAKO Kickboxing Included in 2019, 30th Sea Games of Kickeon



All 11 members of Southeast Asian Games Federation are expected to take part in the 2019 SEA Games. Below is a list of all the participating NOCs.

- Brunei
- Cambodia
- Indonesia
- Laos
- Malaysia
- Myanmar
- Philippines
- Singapore
- Thailand
- East Timor
- Vietnam







Be Proud. WAKO Asia Activity

- Great developemt in Palestine

WAKO activities in Asia are mobilizing and developing



Tamer Baker WAKO IF A class referee, was honoured to receive an Excellence in Sports award presented by the Palestinian Olympic committee's president, Jibreel Rjoub





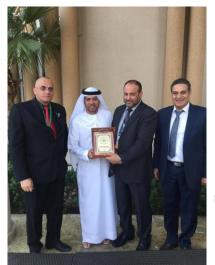
WAKO Arabian Federation Leadership



WAKO Korea Activity

Be Proud: WAKO represented in the arabic community and leading the way in gender equality/Asia





A great achievement by President of Arab Federation of Kickboxing Sport Basel Al-Shaer. The congratulations of WAKO IF. Dr. Basel Al-Shaer, President of the Arab Federation of Kickboxing and Advisor to the Union of Arab National Committees, was appointed as a member of the Executive Office of the Union of Arab Sports Federations, chaired by His Royal Highness Prince Talal bin Bader bin Saud bin Abdul Aziz. Chairman of the Arab Sports Council.



Arab Leaders, congratulating the New President of WAKO at the EGA in February



Sunday, December 9th, 2018, in Dubai (United Arab Emirates) Mr. Driss EL HILALI, WAKO Board member, was appointed as a member of the Executive Office of the Union of Arab Sports Federations, chaired by His Royal Highness Prince Talal bin Bader bin Saud bin Abdul Aziz, Chairman of the Arab Sports Council.

We are pleased of informing that on

Under Direction of
Arabian National Olympic
Committee, The Arabian
Kickboxing federtion
appointed its first Female
board member and in
honour appointed her VP.
Congratulations Mrs
Suzanne Mustafa



Be Proud: Great inspiration in Amman, Jordan 14-17 March

Tournament - Frienship -Learn and Share -Understanding - Peace -Harmony - Development -Publicity

This was the result of a weekend packed with activities.





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Number of participating clubs -

Number of fighter's 320

Countries

16 participating referees

- 36 referees from countries - 10

Participants in coach seminar - 32



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Informasjon og annonser



الجمعية العمومية للاشحاد العربى للكيك بوكسينغ تعقد اجتماعها في اهرا التفاصيل: www.joc.jo/ar/news/2757 #الاردن #الرياسة_الاردنية

اللجنة الأولمبية الأردنية Jordan Olympic Committee

الله العزيز القدير ان يوفقني في اخمال مسرة احواني رؤساء الانجاد السابقين الذين ساهموا مع شخصات عربية

مختلفة مرتبطة بالحرخة النواميية لترقي يمستوى المنافسات العربية و نطوير الحرخة النواميية العربية، ولنشاء ال

🕵 أنداد الثجان الأولمبية الوطنية العربية



Be Proud: Peace and Sport White Card 2019



















Congratulations: New Acting President in WAKO Europe

- WAKO know the organization is in good hands with Istvan Kiraly

Statement From Mr. Kiraly

Anyone who worked or has been working in kickboxing for the past 35 years has heard my name. You all know me, and know that I have always been aiming for the maximum. Every time I had set an objective for myself, I tried to achieve it fully and maximally. I always work in a team. I believe that carrying out a huge task is only possible if the best possible team is behind it. Now that I can lead WAKO Europe, my goal is to create a team like that.

Therefore I am asking all of you to aid my work in this. Let us create a team where we, the coaches and leaders can effectively help the work of the athletes, coaches and of course, the work of the referees.

Just like in a company, those who start from the bottom can truly become good executives, maybe starting by writing mails and then working their way up to the position of executive officer. I feel something similar regarding my position in the sport of kickboxing. Naturally, I have experience in leadership, as I manage my several companies in Hungary, so the leadership itself not exactly new to me. However, in sports, I think I started out where anyone who strives to become a good leader does. Some started at the ring, some at the tatami. I began my career at the tatami and I enjoyed it very much. I experienced everything that makes kickboxing a sport. I experienced every joy and sadness that helps in shaping the soul and personality. I think I can make great use of these experiences in leading the European Federation.

In the last 33 years, since I started to coach, I had discussions and tried to make progress with many of you, luckily with great success. I encourage you all to keep up with this work friendship, this experience-based, forward-looking and always effective communication. Let us work together on keeping European kickboxing on the same high level of quality it has kept for years. Let us achieve the level in which the athletes, coaches, referees and the Board of WAKO Europe communicate through the same channel.

I have made it my objective to help the problems and unresolved tasks of the athletes, coaches and referees reach the Board and its decision-making body more effectively. This way we can sit at the table with those who created and who sustain and improve this sport: the athletes, the coaches and the referees.

I, as a leader, must always strive with cooperation to sustain this healthy symbiosis which must be present between the management and the elements that make up the sport itself just like you do. This is based on humility and service, just as a leader treats the sport as well as the people, organisations and units within it with humility and service.

Please, do not think that you cannot turn to the European leader with smaller issues. I am asking you to open up your mind and soul and to not hesitate to come to me with your problems and complaints either as an athlete, referee, coach or a leader. I believe that solving our problems and conflicts is the way to progress. When everything is clear and we are all looking in the same direction regarding the future of WAKO Europe, we will fight as one for the development of our sport, and when we fight as one for inclusion at the Olympic Games, these small issues can affect the outcome. I truly trust our cooperation will be fruitful, that my strength will last and that I can count on you in this work.



Be Proud Nigeria

- Nigeria is very active in Africa

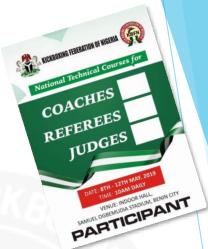
WAKO Nigeria NG organized Referees, Coaches and Judges seminar. Pictures from the recently National Kickboxing Technical Courses for Coaches Referees and Judges holding at the indoor Hall of Samuel Ogbemudia Stadium Benin City, Edo State.

The National Federations Presidents, Secretary Generals and Technical Directors Meetings with the Sports Minister of FMYS. MYS - Federal Ministry of Youth and Sports. Anti Doping Seminar was organised for All National Sports Federations to be WADA Current Compliance. It is also important to mention the splendid relationship with the Ivory Coast.













BE Proud WAKO Africa Region 5

- Solid event again in South Africa

WAKO Africa Region 5 Kickboxing Confederation hosted its International Ring Event in Low Kicks between Angola AO, Mauritius Mu and South Africa zA held at the Sandton Convention Centre/ Arnold Classics Africa on the 18th of May 2019. The Athletes gave a phenomenal performance creating a great interest in Kickboxing at this event The crowd cheered these athletes on from start to finish creating a great ambiance as the athletes put on a professional performance. Special Thanks to WAKO Angola President Mr Carlos Ramjanali, WAKO Mauritius Mu President Ms Isabelle Jeannot, WAKO South Africa zA President Mr Patrick Carney and Mr Aslam Mahomed for creating great opportunities for our African Kickboxers. The event was a huge success showing true African Kickboxing Spirit. Well done to All the African Athletes that competed and all those that made the event a huge success. Arnold Schwarzenegger came to the ring to visit the Kickboxing athletes, Referees and Organizers. It was a very special moment as everyone gathered around to meet the "Terminator" and take photos with him.









FOCUS

The kickboxing focus

Inclusion Disability Inclusion **Immigration** groups vulnerable women and and refugees girls groups PEACE AND SPORT Minorities **Downs Syndrome** INTERNATIONAL WORKING GROUP 28 WOMEN AND SPERT Blind & Visually impaired Training and Physical activity Live together Education Equality Inclusion Diplomatic events Involvement Aggression management Health WAKO for Peace solidarity Role Models Adjust Mental satisfcation April 6th Coaching To master

After School Programmes



Development

Management Committees Referees

Campaigns

Social

involvement

Breast cancer Stop violence against women He for She Gender equality Charity



Equality & Hope

Referee Camps

- Great development in Italy

Referees are a big part of WAKOs development and success. It is therefore a pleasure to see the seminars held in Cesenatico in Italy. Thank you Italy, you inspire us and Bulgaria great job







Coming up is the Referee Academy 18th to 22nd of July in Bansko, Bulgaria.

International Kickboxing Day Saturday 30th November

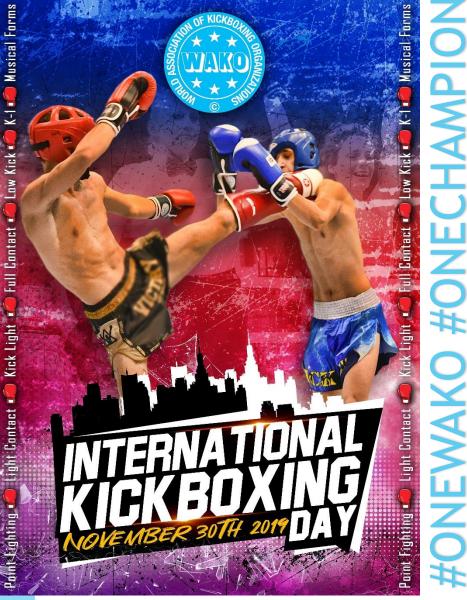
We ask All Presidents to

 Initiate your members and clubs in this very special day annually

 Use the branding material we send you (This week)

- Activate on Social media
- Focus on the Athlete
- Focus on fair play
- Focus on Kickboxing





H INTERNATIONAL KICKBOXING DAY NOVEMBER 3 /EMBER 30TH INTERNATIONAL KICKBOXING DAY NOVE! NOVEMBER 30TH 2019 LOW KICK * K-1 RULES * FULL CONTACT * POINT FIGHTING * LIGHT CONTACT * KICK LIGHT * MUSICAL FORMS







Focus on Discipline Growth/Development



Focus on Athlete Empowerment



Focus on Achieving Greatness for our sport



























WE ARE ON THE RIGHT WAY

Next Steps – European Games - Asian Games – African Games – Pan America Games – Oceania Games <u>University Games – Youth Olympic Games – Summer Olympic Games – Mediterianian Games – </u> **Commonwealth Games – Sea Games**

BUT WE HAVE ISSUES

- 1: Continental Activity
- 2: Discipline development
- 3: Gender participation (Asia)
- 4: Doping Education
- 5: Rules understanding and adherence
- 6: Consistency in standards at championships (Hotels/Transport)

Focus

Discipline/Referee Development Seminar Australia (June)
Discipline/Referee Development Seminar South Africa (March)
National Governing Body weekend workshop (Sharing best practice)

Removal of Non active/Payment - Non Responsive countries (Ghost)

The following countries have not paid their fees in the last four years and have not responded to numerous requests from the Administration office of WAKO

Africa	Asia	Europe	Oceania	DOMINICAN
Congo	AFGHANISTN	LUXEMBOURG	SAMOA	REPUBLIC
Egypt	BARHAIN	MALTA		GUYANA
MAURITANIA	LAO PDR			PARAGUAY
ZIMBABWE	MONGOLIA			URUGUAY
	OMAN			

WAKO Championship 2020 - 2023

2020 WAKO World Championships Belgrade Serbia Junior/Cadet

2020 WAKO EC, Antalya, Turkey. All Disciplines October 3rd - October

2020 WAKO Asian Championships, ?, Korea,

2020 WAKO Pan American Championships, Brazil.

2020 WAKO African Championships, Cameroun,

2020 WAKO Oceania Championships, Senior/Junior/Cadet, Australia

2020 WAKO Europe . Antalya. Turkey.

2020 WAKO IF Cadets and Junior Championships, Belgrade, Serbia,

2021 WAKO EC, Seniors / Vetrans Hungary.

2021 WAKO WC, Senior, Moscow Russia

2022 WAKO World Championship Cadet and Junior championships, Hungary.

2022 WAKO EC, Junior Cadet Hungary.

2023 WAKO Senior WC, Dublin Ireland

2023 WAKO Junior/Cadet EC, Ishmir, Turkey (TBC)



WAKO World Championships 2016 -2019 Inclusive

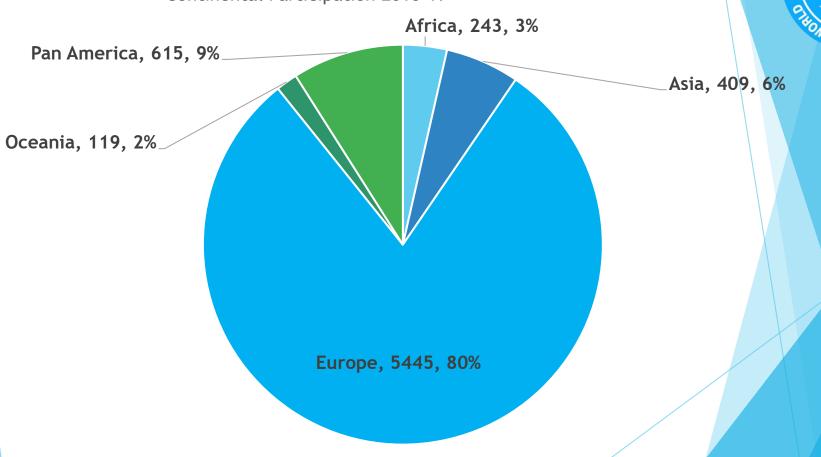




CONTINENTAL PARTICIPATION

Participation



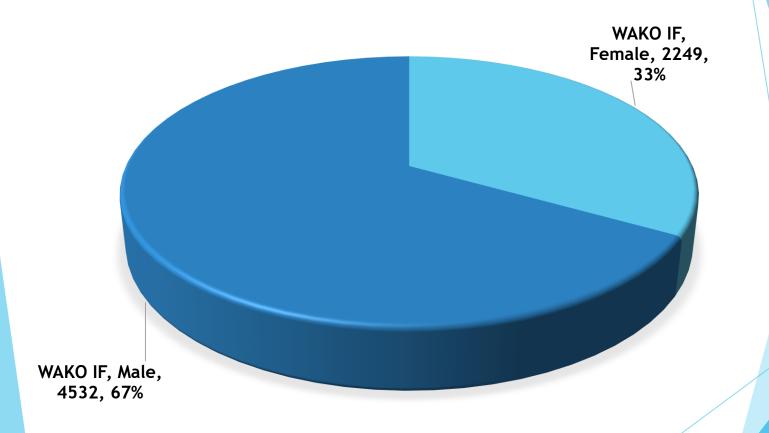






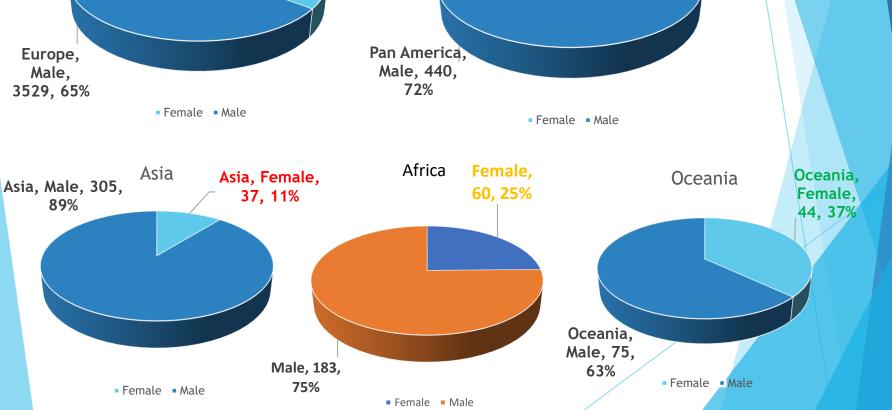
Gender Balance

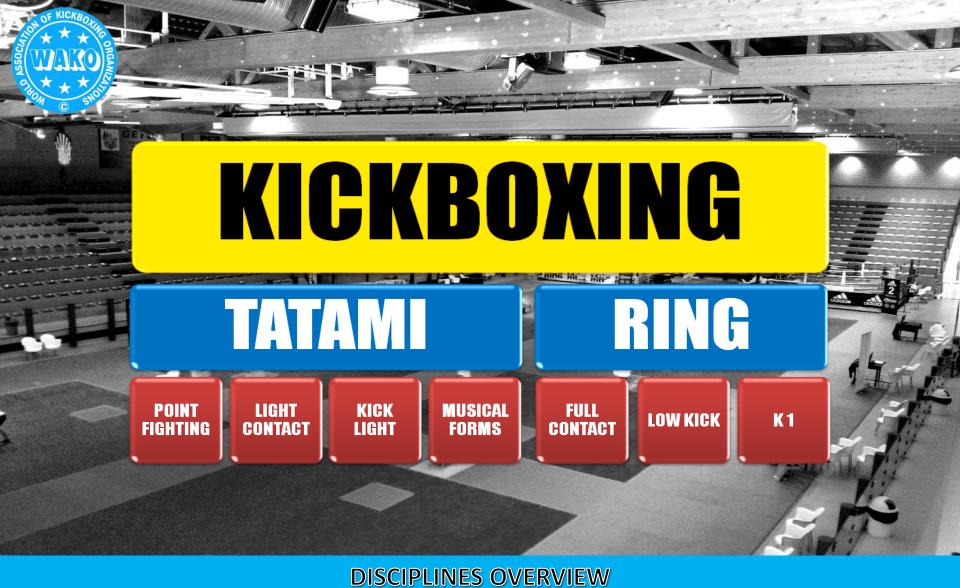
WAKO IF Gender Balance 2016-2019



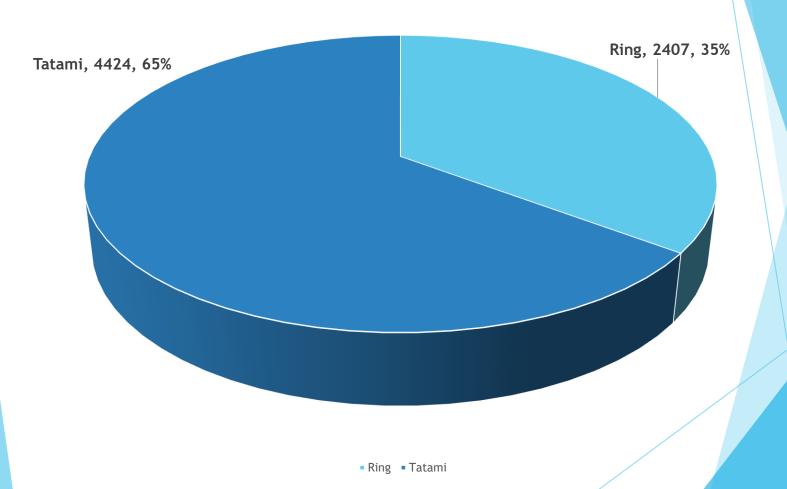


Europe Europe, Female, 1933, 35% Pan America, Female, 175, 28% Pan America, Female, 175, 28%



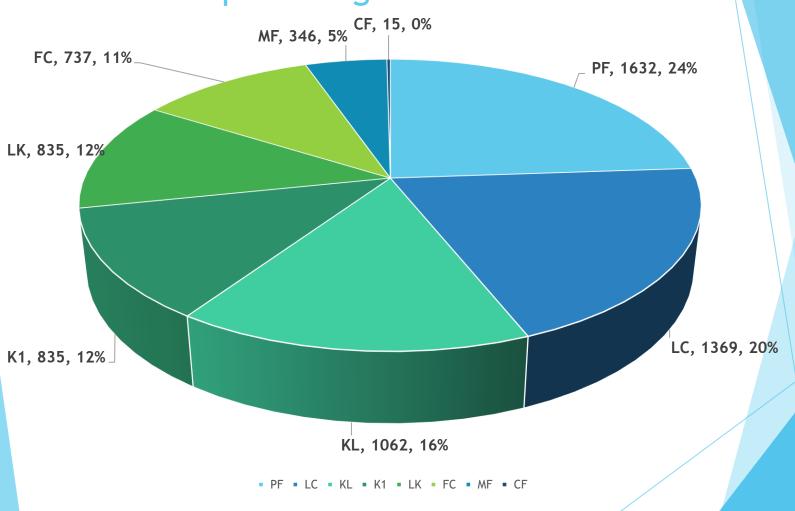


Ring/Tatami Split 2016-2019



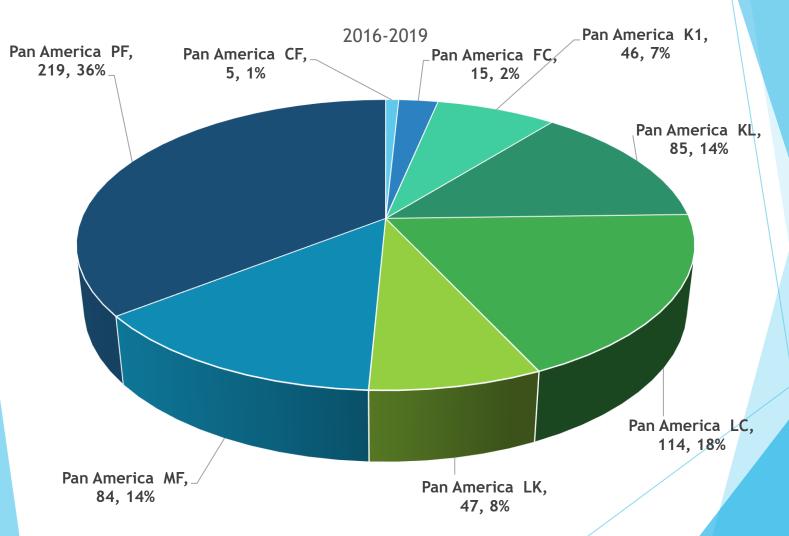


WAKO IF Discipline Registrations 2016-2019



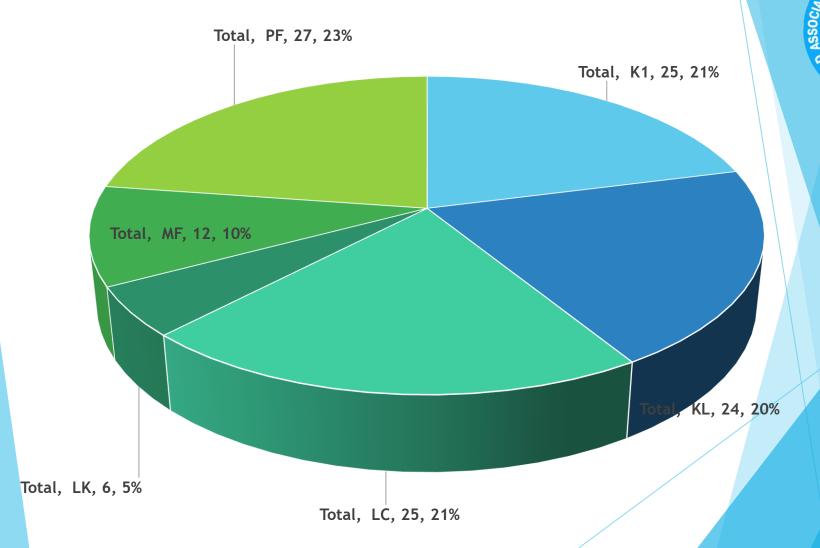


Pan America Discipline Breakdown

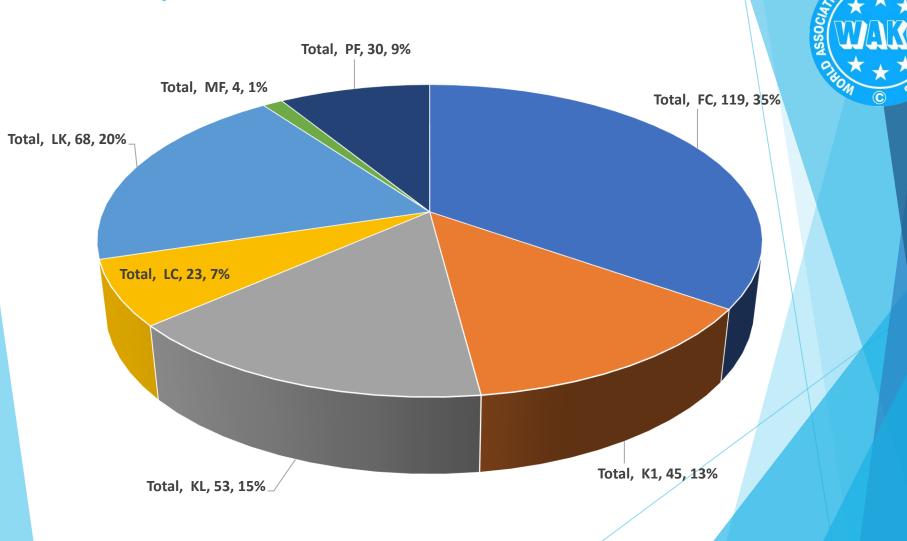




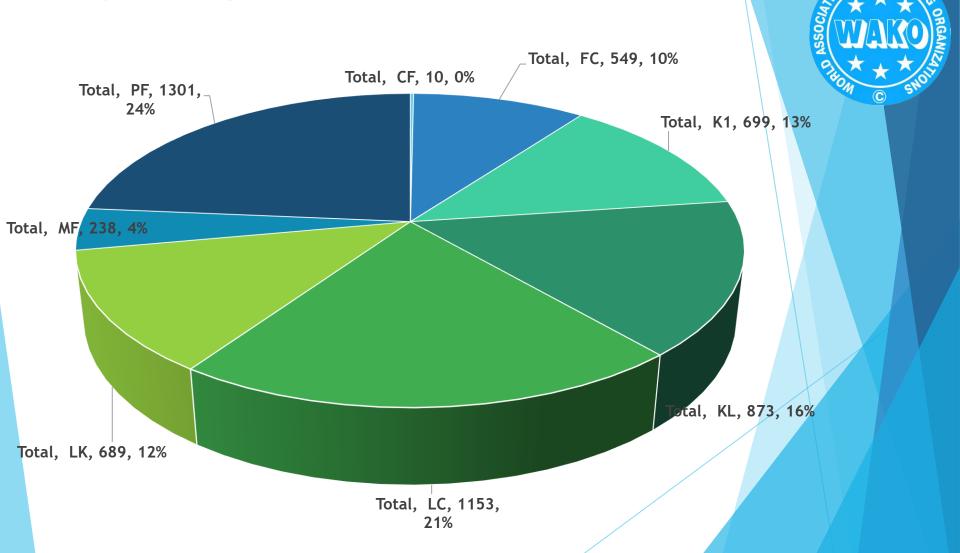
Oceania Discipline Breakdown 2016-2019

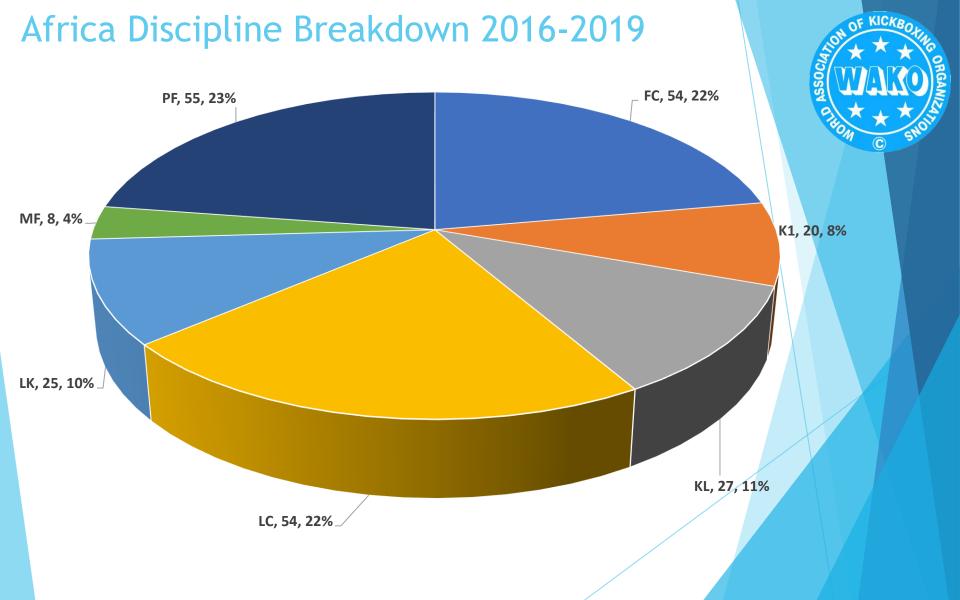


Asia Discipline Breakdown 2016-2019



Europe Discipline Breakdown 2016-2019





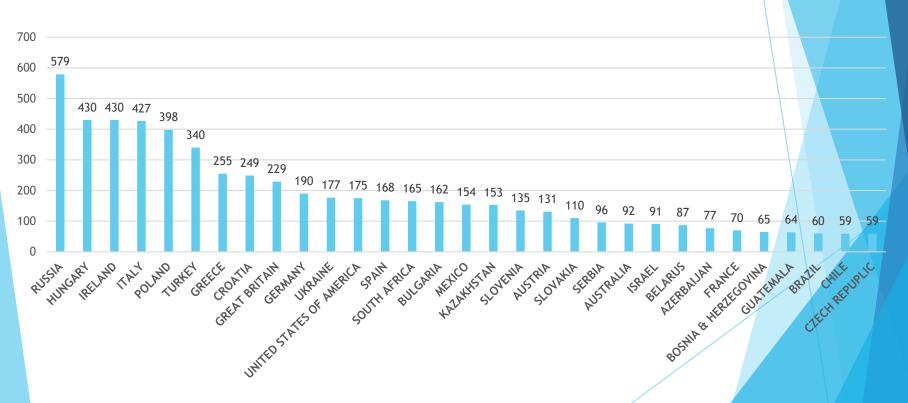


PARTICIPATION COUNTRY OVERVIEW

1 - 31 Participation WAKO WC 2016-2019



Top 31 Countries Participation



WAKO Athlete Corner





IOC Athlete Career Programme

In cooperation with The Adecco Group



Tonje Hinze, ACP manager of Norway NOC and a member of the IOC ACP coordinaton group was present in Budapest. She guided the athletes and coaches, got signtories at the athletes hub, used the IOC Apps, card games and brochures. We anticipate several hundreds visitors.











Fair Play is essential





During the Championship week WAKO had a Fair Play campaign continously influencing athletes, referees, officials and coaches. Hundreds of pictures was taken and information handed out continously focusing on Fair Play, attitude and respect











Ownership





WAKO STREAMING

Mandatory at all Championships and World Cups



Ownership



Streaming concepts (mandatory)

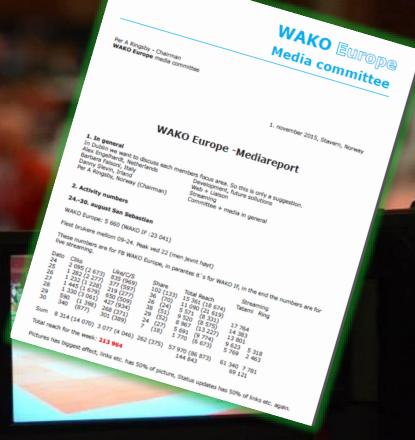
National media

(normally represented in Championships

International media (present in some events)

Social media



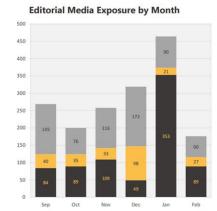


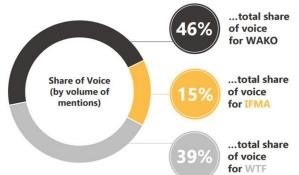
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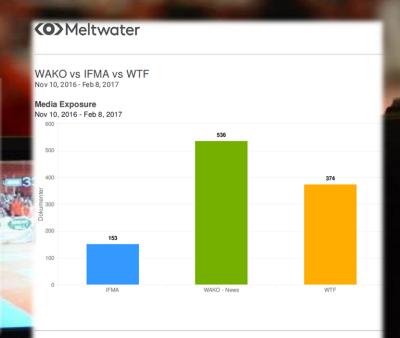




WAKO vs WTF & IFMA







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European Championships – San Sebastian, Spain 2016

2,3 m streaming views

World Championships – Belgrade, Serbia 2016

- 1.8M streaming views
- National Media

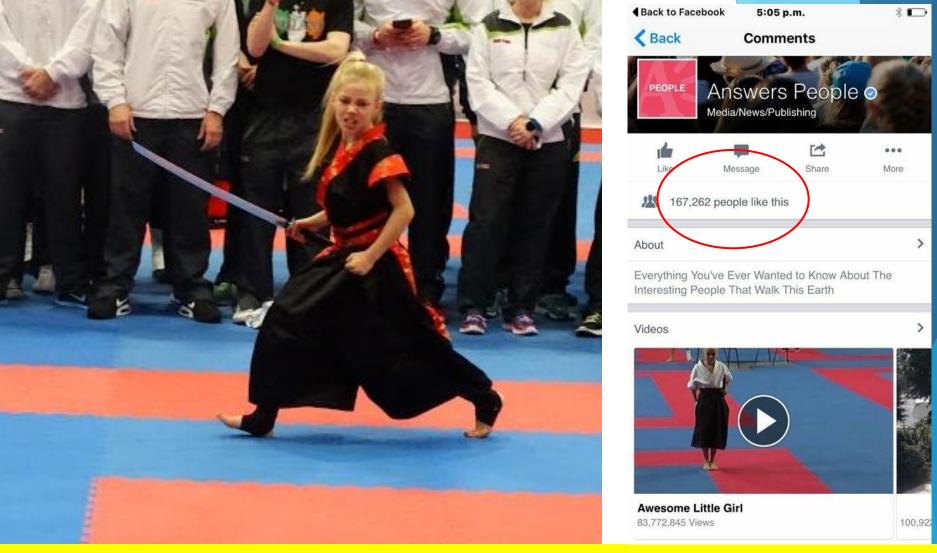
World Championships – Dublin, Ireland 2015

- 6,7 M streaming views
- 74% male viewers to 26% female with the majority of viewers aged from 25-34

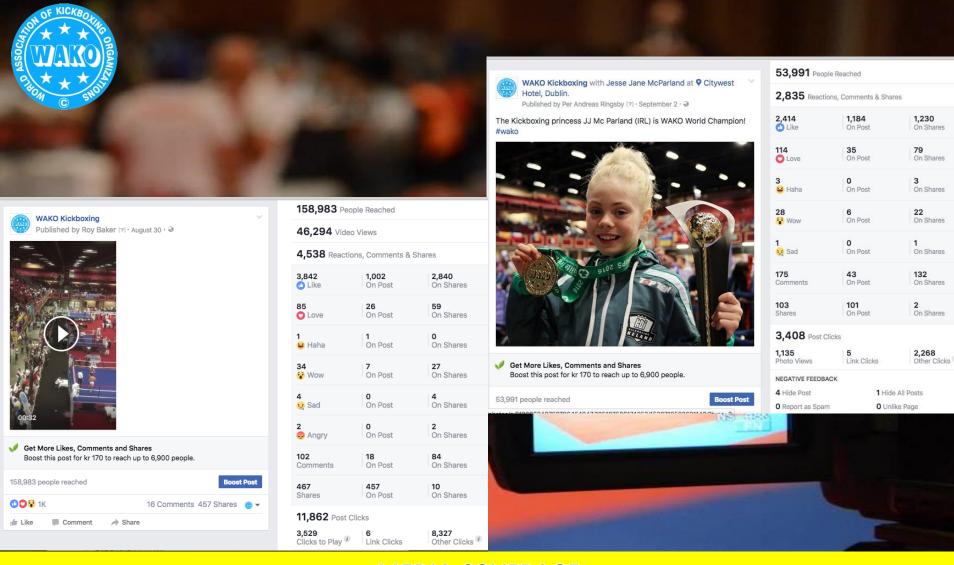
World Champonships 2018

Channel	Numbers in 6 days
WAKO YouTube	2, 156.672
Italian Sport100 YouTube	183.050
Total	2,339.722
Total watch on www.wakolive.com	775.298





Social Media Power - Jesse Jane McPharland, WAKO Cadets World Champ 650 M



MEDIA COVERAGE

KICKBOXING MEANS ACTION & POWER



KICKBOXING MEANS ENTERTAINMENT & EXCITEMENT



KICKBOXING MEANS VERSATILE & DIVERSITY



KICKBOXIG MEANS INTENSITY







KICKBOXING MEANS FUTURE



KICKBOXIGN MEANS FAIR PLAY



....AND WITH THE RIGHT FOCUS, KICKBOXING CAN MAKE YOU A CHAMPION





