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Part 1 Proposals of the Executive Board,

1. Proposal for lower membership fee and adjustment of participation fees

The executive Board proposes to abolish the difference between A and B-members and decrease the FMJD membership fee from 460 or 230 euro to 120 euro.
The fee for candidate members for the first two years will be 25 euro.
The enrolment fees for official FMJD tournaments will be changed to a fee which is somewhat lower than the current B-members fee.
The enrolment fee for youth tournaments will be decreased to 25 euro.
Decreasing the membership fee makes it easier for federations to become member of FMJD. Many federations are not supported by their government or National Olympic Committee, so it is important not to let the membership fee be too high.
Coupled to this proposal to decrease the membership fee is the proposal to adjust the enrolment fees for FMJD competitions:
The enrolment fee per participating player is set at:

- World Championship seniors or challenge €200
- World Championship Rapid, Blitz or Olympiad €100
- World Cup Tournament, World Mind Sport Games €125
- World Title Match Seniors ` €300
- World Title Match Women €200
- World Championship Women €100
- World Championships Youth or Youth Olympiad € 25

The council may decide to set other (higher) tariffs when the enrolment fee also includes, i.e., travel and/or hospitality.

2. Proposal right for membership fee for section 64: proposal withdrawn by Executive Board

3. No members of the FMJD Executive Board in the financial committee of the General Assembly

The Executive Board proposes not to nominate Executive Board members in the financial committee any more. The Executive Board considers it to be not correct if Executive Board members are involved in controlling the financial administration of the Executive Boards treasurer. It is better if this is done by FMJD members who are independent from the Executive Board.

4. Procedure for treatment of complaints by the Ethical committee

The Executive Board proposes to set a procedure and terms for the treatment of complaints by the Ethical Committee. A complaint should be treated within a period of three months.
Because the current Ethical Committee takes far too much time in treating cases put before the committee there should be some rules for this.
The Executive Board proposes to set the following procedure and the following terms:
The ethical committee treats a protest only when all formal requirements in statutes and bye-laws are met.
The Ethical committee has to inform all persons involved about the complaint directly after receiving a complaint which meets all formal requirements and give them one month to react on the complaint.
From the moment a complaint is received and the final verdict no more than three months should pass.

5. Revision of GA decision 1998 about title M. Shulman and others

The Executive Board has received a request from Mr. M. Shulman about the GMI title he earned in the Challenge Mondial 1997 but which was taken from him by the General Assembly based on a proposal of the Belarus Federation and/or Mr. Gantwarg.
The Executive Board and Technical Committee have studied this request and based on the regulations which were valid in 1997 they conclude that the General Assembly did not take the right decision and that there should be “justice in the end” for Mr. Shulman and some others whose titles were taken away.
The Executive Board has the opinion that Belarus has misled the General Assembly and that personal reasons from Belarus against Mr. Shulman were the reason for their attempt to take away the title and that there was no ground for it in the regulations of FMJD.
The result of this proposal being accepted will be that Mr. M. Shulman will get his GMI title back and P.Chmiel his MI title. All other players from “Stadskanaal” whose titles were taken away have earned their title in another way.

Part 2: Proposals of the Tournament director and the Technical committee, see the document "GA 2013 proposals Tournament Director and Technical Committee"

1. Confirmation Annex 5 Swiss system

Based on the FMJD Annex 5 in French and the English Annex 5 about the Swiss system on rating, a new Annex 5 has been developed by the Technical committee. FMJD proposes to accept this new Annex 5 as our official Swiss system regulations.
See the Annex 5 document for the full text.

2. Confirmation / acceptation Annex 17 World Championship all categories

Annex 17 was created some years ago by the Technical committee but has not yet been accepted / confirmed by the General Assembly. FMJD proposes to accept this Annex about the World Championship all categories with an amendment about the creation of the reserve list because the Tournament Director did not agree with the procedure for the reserve list.
The article about the reserve list is now: (new text underlined)
This list is formed by the Executive Board of the FMJD after all qualification tournaments have been played and will be based, amongst others, upon the following criteria:

- *Players with the highest rating on the active players rating list*
- *Players who did just not qualify from any of the qualification tournaments.*
- *Priority for young talented players*
- *No reserve place for a player who participated in a previous World Championship via the reserve list.*

See the Annex 17 document for the full text.
Remark 1: The annex 17 will also be changed according to the accepted proposal 4 and the accepted amendment of that proposal of the Chinese Draughts Association.
Remark 2: The annex 17 will also be changed according to the accepted proposal 10 about the use of the standard Fischer time schedule for the world Championship.

3. Confirmation / acceptation annex 12 World Championship Women

Annex 12 was created some years ago by the Technical committee but has not yet been accepted / confirmed by the General Assembly. FMJD proposes to accept this Annex about the World Championship Women with an amendment about the creation of the reserve list.
The article about the reserve list is now: (new text underlined)
This list is formed by the Executive Board of the FMJD after all qualification tournaments have been played and will be based, amongst others, upon the following criteria:

- *Players with the highest rating on the FMJD women rating list*
- *Players who did just not qualify from any of the qualification tournaments.*
- *players from active countries not yet qualified*
- *Priority for young talented players*
- *No reserve place for a player who participated in a previous World Championship via the reserve list.*

See the Annex 12 document for the full text.

Remark 1: The annex 12 will also be changed according to the accepted proposal 5.

Remark 2: The annex 12 will also be changed according to the accepted proposal 10 about the use of the standard Fischer time schedule for the world Championship.

4. Qualification for World Championship all categories 2015

FMJD proposes the following changes in the qualification rules for the World Championship 2015:

- No two direct places for the strongest countries (Russia, Netherlands) but add these places to the places for Europe.
- For the qualification via the continental tournaments a maximum of 2 players per country who organised their national championships in 2013 and reported the results to the FMJD and maximum 1 player per country for other countries.

This means that the full qualification rules for the World Championship 2015 are :
1-2 the two players qualified to play the title match in 2014 (Georgiev and Ndjofang)

4. A third player from the World Championship 2013 (Boomstra)
5. Sponsor place
6. Organisation place

For the following players a maximum of 2 players per country who organised their national championships in 2013 and reported the results to the FMJD and maximum 1 player per country for other countries:

Places 6-7	Panamerican zone: 2 places, organisation PADCF
Places 8-11	African zone : 4 places, organisation CAJD
Places 12-13	Asian zone: 2 places, organisation ADC
Place 14-20	European zone : 7 places, Organisation EDC

Accepted amendment of the Chinese Draughts Association:

If the qualified players for 2015 world championship cannot participate, different treating ways should be adopted according to different situations. We assume there are two different situations. First, if the qualified players are the players who are qualified from 2014 world title match or player from 2013 world championship, then FMJD select the reserve players from reserve list. Second, if the nonparticipating player is qualified from continental championship or recommended by the continental confederation, then the places should be reallocated. We suggest to allocate the place to the organizer of 2015 championship in order to encourage the tournament organizer and promote the championship. Besides that, the places should be decreased in next championship from the continent where the qualified players cancel his participation. For example, if the continent has 4 places, but one player cancels his participation, then in next championship, only three places should be given to the continent.

5. Qualification for World Championship 2015 Women

FMJD proposes the following changes in the qualification rules for the World Championship Women 2015:

- Not three places fixed for the strongest countries on the FMJD rating list but add these 3 places to Europe.

- 16 players instead of 14 players on request of the organizing federation China
- There will be one extra player for Asia (2 instead of 1) and a place for the strongest player on the FMJD women rating list at 1-1-2015 who is not yet qualified.
  For the qualification via the continental tournaments a maximum of 2 players per country who organised their national championships in 2013 and reported the results to the FMJD and maximum 1 player per country for other countries.

Proposal for full qualification rules:
1-2 the two players qualified to play the title match in 2014
3. Sponsor place
4. Organization place
5. FMJD wild card

For the following players a maximum of 2 players per country who organised their national championships in 2013 and reported the results to the FMJD and maximum 1 player per country for other countries:
6-15 places divided over continents: Asia 2,America 1, Africa 1, Europe 6
16 best player on the FMJD women's rating list of 1-1-2015 who is not yet qualified.

- Additional condition for all continents (places 6-15): Nomination of players only from a qualification tournament !
- Reserves - in order of rating list from different countries not represented yet (*if 2 free places → 2 countries*).
- The qualification tournaments have to be played before the end of 2014 !!

6. Already qualified players may participate in a continental championship with qualification for the World Championship

FMJD proposes to delete the rule that already qualified players may not participate in a continental championship with qualification for a World Championship, which was accepted some years ago, because it appears to be not practical.
This rule that qualified players for the World Championship could not participate in a continental championship led to a situation in which a continental confederation had to organize other qualification tournaments if they wanted all their players participating in the continental championship. FMJD wants to let the continental confederations decide for themselves how they organize the qualification for a world Championship.

7. Proposal for standard in payment for appeal to appeal jury

A player appealing to an appeal jury in an official FMJD tournament should pay an amount of 50 euro which is returned to him only if the appeal is granted.
FMJD proposes to add to the article about the Appeal Jury, Annex 2, article 2.11, the following text: The protest must be accompanied with the sum of 50 **€** as a deposit from the signatory. The deposit must be handed to the Chairman of the appeals committee. If the appeal is granted, the sum shall be returned immediately. If the appeal is refused, the deposit is forfeited to the FMJD.

8. More players on official FMJD rating list

FMJD proposes to put all players with an FMJD rating on the official FMJD rating list. Only for the top places, with a rating above 2350, the players have to be active enough. For the promotion of draughts it is important that there are many players on the official FMJD rating list. Some years ago we created a shorter official rating list because special

rights (for reserve places and wild cards) were given to the top players on the list. This led to a very short official rating list which is not good for the image of draughts.
FMJD proposes to put almost all players on the official rating list. Only for the top players with a rating above 2350 there are conditions to be on the list:

- at least 30 games counting for rating in the last **3** years
- **or** at least 7 games played in **individual** competitions in the last 3 years.

9. title MI and GMI without first becoming MF (and MI)

FMJD proposes that it is no longer necessary first to become MF, then MI, then GMI. A player with enough MI master results directly receives the MI title and a player who has enough grandmaster results for the GMI title immediately receives the GMI title. Some striking examples:
Cheick Drame (Mali) 4 MI norms and rating 2298 but only MF should be MI.
Iwan Tokusarov (Russia) 1 GMI norm and 4 MI norms, rating 2312 but only MF, should be MI
Example of the past: Mark Podolski, number 7 on rating list with rating 2390 but with title MF
With this proposal we return to the situation before 2003. A young and talented player who reaches international master level or even international grandmaster level quickly should not have to wait until he has realized norms for all three titles MF, MI and GMI. He may become MI without first being MF or even GMI without first becoming MI or MF.
The following articles in Annex 10 have to be changed: (new text underlined, deleted text crossed out)

5. Title of International Grandmaster (GMI)

This title is awarded ~~to an MI~~ a player who realises 3 or more ~~new~~ norms of GMI in approved international tournaments with at least 40 games in total. .....

6. Title of International Master (MI)

This title is awarded to ~~an MF~~ a player who realises 3 or more ~~new~~ norms of MI or GMI in approved international tournaments with at least 30 games in total. At least one of the norms has to be obtained in an International title tournament (TIT). The candidate needs to have a rating of at least 2250 at the moment of realizing his last norm or in the future or in the past

Article 4.6 is deleted entirely

4.6 Reserved ~~Application of norms & attribution of titles~~

~~*When a player has obtained the MF title by also realising MI or GMI norms he needs new norms for the title MI and GMI.*~~

~~*However, the already realised MI and GMI norms may be used for the MI or GMI title if the player realises new MF norms. The player may then exchange the already realised MI or GMI norm with the new MF norm in such a way that the MI or GMI norm may be counted for th MI or GMI title.*~~

~~*The same holds for the MI title obtained by one or more GMI norms.*~~

The following players will get another title when this proposal is accepted (all players will become MI instead of MF):

Cheick sadibou DRAME (Mali)
Bruno FOPA (Cameroon)
Michiel KLOOSTERZIEL (Netherlands)
Jacob OKKEN (Netherlands)
Iwan TOKUSAROV (Russia)

10. Standard Fischer time schedule for World Championship all categories and women

FMJD proposes to change the time schedule for the World Championship all categories and the World Championship women to the standard Fischer time schedule of 1 hour 20 minutes plus 1 minute per move from the start of the game.
At the moment the standard time schedule for the World Championship all categories and the World Championship women is the old standard official FMJD time schedule of 2 hours for 50 moves followed by 1 hour for 25 moves (for these World Championships followed by 20 seconds per move Fischer system from the moment the first flag falls).
As much as possible the time schedule for all official tournaments of the FMJD and for major international competitions should be the same.
More and more the standard time schedule in international competitions is changed to the Fischer time schedule with 1 hour 20 minutes plus 1 minute per move.
With this time schedule it is also easier for players and organizations to have days with two rounds.

11. Proposal for light and temperature in playing room

FMJD proposes preferred temperature in the playing room of 20-23 degrees Celsius and preferred light of 500-700 lux on the playing table.
Add to Annex 3 article 3.1.1
The light intensity on the playing table should be 500 (minimum) to 700 lux
Add to Annex 3, article 3.1.2
The temperature in the playing room should be between 20 and 23 degrees Celsius. Depending on the level of the competition the referee may be more flexible or less flexible with the conditions for light and temperature.

12. Allow shorter games counting for rating and titles

More and more tournaments are played with shorter thinking time than the official FMJD time schedules of minimum 5 hours for a game.
FMJD proposes to accept games with minimum 3 ½ hour playing time for the first 60 moves counting for rating and titles and games with minimum 2 hours thinking time for the first 60 moves counting only for 50 % for rating and not counting for titles.
Change in annex 9 article 1.2.2.1:
1.2.2.1 Official time control described in Annex 3 article 6.1 with minimum 3 ½ hours for the first 60 moves.
Change in annex 9 article 1.2.2.2: (3 hours changed in 2 hours)
1.2.2.2 Other time controls (not shorter than ~~3~~ 2 hours per round) are also possible but such competitions are not calculated for titles and the development factor is reduced by 50% compared to art. 3.2.3
Change in Annex 10, article 4.4.3.6:

4.4.3.6 The tournament has to be played following the international regulations for game and competition. The time schedules ~~used has to be one of the official time schedules~~ to be used are described in Annex 3 (see Annex 3, article 6.1).
Time schedules with minimum 3 ½ hour for the first 60 moves are accepted for title norms. Tournaments with shorter time schedules do not count for titles.

13. More flexible time schedules for normal games including 30 seconds Fischer system

At the moment the FMJD regulations still define the time schedule of 2 hours for 50 moves plus 1 hour for each subsequent 25 moves as the standard time schedule.
However the practice has changed and this schedule is rarely used any more.
Many tournaments are played with less time than the standard time of minimal 5 hours in the current regulations.
FMJD proposes the possibility for more flexible time schedules for official competitions including the possibility for normal games with 30 seconds per move Fischer system .

Proposal for new text annex 3, article 6.1 Rate of play:
Some standard time schedules for international competitions:
a.) Fischer system with 1 hour and 20 minutes (or more, but maximum 2 hours) + 1 minute for each move.
b.) Old standard system : 2 hours for the first 50 moves followed by 1 hour for each subsequent 25 moves. If the first 50 moves havs been made in less than 2 hours, the time not used must be credited to the player and added to his time for the next moves.
c) 5 hours round: 2 hours / 50 moves + 30 minutes till the end
Other time schedules are also acceptable with preference for time schedules with extra time per move with the Fischer system. Any combination of basis time and Fischer time is allowed under the following conditions:
The minimum added time per move with the Fischer system is 30 seconds for normal games. This may be less for semi-rapid, rapid and blitz games.
The total time for both players for a normal game should be minimum 2 hours for the first 60 moves. Games with less than total 2 hours for the first 60 moves will be considered to be semi-rapid, rapid or blitz.
A mimimum of 3 ½ hour total time for both players for the first 60 moves is necessary to fully count the game for rating and titles.
The Annexes 9 and 10 about rating and titles will exactly define which total time for the first 60 moves of the game will be acceptable for the games to count for rating and for titles.
In playing time schedules ending with a fixed time to end the whole game it is preferred to give a minor addition of extra seconds Fischer system per move from the moment that the flag falls after this fixed time.
If the tournament is played with a fixed time schedule and if electronic clocks are available it will be obligatory to use a system with extra Fischer seconds. Only when there are no electronic clocks available will it be allowed to play with a fixed time schedule without Fischer seconds at the end of the game.

Annex 3, article 6.12 last sentence : change 1 minute to 30 seconds:

However if the game is played with the Fischer system with ~~1 minute~~ 30 seconds or more for each move, the player is said never to be in time trouble.

14. Preferred method for dealing with irregular moves: calling the referee

A player whose opponent makes an irregular move preferably calls the referee who will decide what to do. In such a case the player has the right to stop the clock waiting for the referees assistance.

Because more and more games are played with the Fischer system and the importance of rapid and blitz tournaments is increasing it is necessary to have a good way of handling illegal or irregular moves.
With the current regulations the only thing a player can do, especially when he is in time trouble himself, accept the move and go on playing or push the clock and demand that his opponent corrects the move.
To avoid that a player can deliberately make an irregular move to win time when playing with the Fischer system the following rule is proposed so that the player can not benefit from his irregular move. Also it gives a guarantee that his opponent is not disadvantaged by his action.
Proposed change in the FMJD regulations:
New article Annex 3, 2.5a Procedure for irregular moves
In case a player makes an irregular or illegal move the preferred action of his opponent is to call the referee for assistance. Because the referee cannot be at his board immediately the players have the right to stop both clocks.
When the referee is at the board he will ask both players what happened, then decide if the player had a right to stop the clock and then decide what to do.
Apart from the normal actions of the referee like making an observation or giving a warning the referee may also decide to give a time penalty for the player who made the irregular move and may decide to add time for his opponent.
The time penalty should at least be equal to the time per move from the time schedule of the game if the game is played with a Fischer time schedule.

Change in article 4.4 start of the game:
From that moment on, both players are not allowed to stop both clocks, ……..
Change to:
From that moment on, both players are not allowed to stop both clocks, except in the case of an irregular move (see article 2.5a), ……

15. Right for the referee to add and/or subtract time from players in case of irregularities

The referee may subtract time from a player who makes an irregular move and may add time for the opponent. Depending on the situation this may be between 1 and 3 minutes.
Apart from the current possible sanctions in Annex 3, article 2.5 the proposal is to add the possible sanction of a time penalty for a player who acts against the regulation and/ or adding time for his opponent.

New text for article 2.5: (new text is underlined)
2.5 sanctions.
All infringements of regulations must be sanctioned by the referee:
a. with a verbal comment
b. with a verbal warning which is also publicized
c. with a time penalty and an extra 2 minutes time for the opponent
d. with loss of the game (if necessary for both players)
e. with disqualification from the competition
according to the judgment of the Main Referee on the seriousness of the infringement.

16. More errors allowed in blind simultaneous World Record attempt plus some details

The number of errors allowed in a blind simultaneous World Record attempt is changed from 5 to the number of games divided by 4. It is reasonable that when the number of games increases also the acceptable number of errors increases.
Furthermore some details are proposed for the regulations of this World Record which have become common practice during the world record attempts.

The maximum number of errors allowed is the total number of opponents divided by 4 rounded up to the nearest integer value.
Remark: This maximum is set to avoid that the simultaneous event derails totally. If it becomes clear that the expert loses control of too much games the games have to be declared lost.
This maximum of 5 errors was set when the number of opponents was about 20. The last 3 blind simultaneous events the number of errors was somewhat larger than this 5 without the players losing control of too much positions.
It makes sense to have a number of acceptable errors somewhat in comparison to the increasing number of opponents. With the current World Record of 30 games this would mean 8 errors allowed instead of 5.
The new text of annex 8c, article 19:
If he repeatedly makes illegal or impossible moves the game will be declared lost for him. If the expert makes more than 2 errors in one game or more than the maximum number of errors allowed in the total simultaneous match the game where the error occurs will be declared lost for him.
This maximum number of errors allowed is the total number of opponents divided by 4 rounded up to the nearest integer value.

Some details which are common practice in the blind simultaneous world record attempts:
Addition to Annex 8c, article 19:
If the expert makes an impossible move the referee will inform him about the status of the two fields on the board related to this move. He will inform him about the status of the field from where the impossible move is made and about the field to which the impossible move is made.
Annex 8C , article 8, last sentence to be changed into:
The referee announces the move made by the opponent and the expert announces his move which is then repeated by the referee. Only when the move is repeated by the referee and not immediately corrected by the expert the move is considered to be

completed and is executed on the board by the referee. Directly after the referee has repeated the move the expert still has the right to correct his move.
Annex 8C , to be added to article 19
When it is clear that the expert is thinking to be playing at another board he may correct the move without it being considered an error.
When the expert makes a "notation error" (e.g. giving the notation of a move as if he was playing with black instead of white) this is not considered to be an error.

17. World Championships hopes (girls and boys) and veterans are official FMJD tournaments

Change in Annex 2, article 1.1.1
World Championships as well as world championships for women, juniors (boys and girls), cadets (boys and girls), mini-cadets (boys and girls), hopes (boys and girls) and veterans (50 plus).
Addition to Annex 2, article 3f:
The age limit for youth is, at 31 December of the year of the competition, to be 20 years for Juniors, 17 years for Cadets, 14 years for mini cadets and 11 years for hopes.

Part 3: Proposal of the Dutch Federation to change the number of rated games, required to get a title.

MF: 20 games (previously 30)
MI: 25 games (previously 30)
GMI: 40 games (previously 40)

Motivation
Titles play a central role in the motivation both of players and of federations. Titles (and the possibility to earn title norms) also are an important tool for tournament organizers to market their event. Currently, especially for ambitious players in developing draughts countries, too many rated games need to be played in order to obtain a title. This proposal aims to make a title a more realistic goal for ambitious players, while at the same time taking into account the exclusivity that needs to be attached to each of the individual three FMJD titles.
Financial consequences
It will become more interesting for more tournaments to get FMJD recognition and pay a recognition fee, so revenue for FMJD will increase. It will become more interesting for players to participate in tournaments, which means more players and more income for tournament organizers.

Part 5: Proposal of the Tournament director youth: Conditions for organization of World Championships Youth

World Championships Youth International Draughts (10x10)

1. Categories:
   1. Juniors Boys (-20) A

2. Junior Girls (-20) A
3. Cadets Boys (-17) A
4. Cadets Girls (-17) A
5. Minicadets Boys (-14) B
6. Minicadets Girls (-14) B
7. Hopes Boys (-11) B
8. Hopes Girls (-11) B
9. Youth Olympiad (national teams of 3 players: 1 junior /1 cadet / 1 minicadet – M/W)

2. Organization formula:
Priority will be given to organizations organizing 8 groups or 4 groups A or B.
Then to an organization of 2 groups e.g. Juniors M/W
In third place to organizations of just 1 group.

All groups play in Swiss system. Juniors play in Swiss on rating. Cadets, Minicadets and Hopes play in Swiss on Solkoff.
The time rate is Fischer system: 1h.20 min. plus 1 min. each move.

3. Who can subscribe to a WC?
All countries affiliated to the FMJD can send 3 players in each group.
Extra's:
The country who organizes a WC can subscribe a 4th player in each group.
Sponsor place: It is up to the organization or sponsor to give an extra place to a player of their own country or to give a wild card or 'sell' this place to a player from another country. This can be different for each group depending on the number of reserve players available. In case of an odd number of players, the organization needs to find a reserve player to make even.

Exception: Juniors
At this moment we are testing out a new system in the juniors category.
The countries may choose out of 2 possibilities
a) Classical system with 3 players in a group with one in charge of the organization
b) 4 players in each group but with nobody in charge of the organization
There is no sponsor place any longer.

4. Hotel
There is an agreement that hotel in full hospitality (3 meals) should cost daily for players about 25 Euro with a max. of about 30 Euro.
For coaches, trainers max. 4 Euro more daily.
The cheaper the more chance many players will participate.

5. Obligations to organizers:
In each group the organization takes in charge one player of each country. The second and third player and the coaches/trainers/officials, … pay as mentioned in point 4.
Exception: Juniors category: If a participating country sends 4 players, the organization is not in charge of the first player (point 3)

The organization also takes in charge the hotel in full hospitality for the main referees and the tournament director FMJD for the whole period of their stay.

The organization has to pay 30 Euro by playing day to the main referees.

The organization can add some assistant referees, one for each group. They can be trained by the main referees who are international referees, to become technical or FMJD referee and later on international referee.

The organizers will inform FMJD about the e-mail address for visa request. They have to send urgently a correct invitation with all needed information to all countries which need this to obtain visa. For some countries an invitation by mail is not sufficient and they need an invitation by post. In that case the organization should send this invitation by priority, so those countries can participate without problem.

The organization has to communicate with the tournament director and the bureau of FMJD. They have to inform them in time and when asked about addresses, phones, connections, shuttles, …
Subscriptions have to be sent by the federations to the bureau. If organizers receive a subscription from a country who needs a visa application, they have to inform the TD and the bureau immediately.
The organization can propose a period corresponding to the priority given by FMJD tournament director, which after his agreement will be fixed and published on the FMJD tournament calendar.

It is very wishful to have an official website where at least all results will be published daily.

6. Venue

The number of players must be calculated at app. 30/40 players each group. The venue should be big enough, air-conditioned or heated in winter. The playing tables and chairs should be comfortable and give the same conditions to both players (no school banks or too small tables).
Because of the time rate, the organization should have enough electronic clocks, reserve clocks and batteries.
It is very wishful to have internet (cable or wireless) in the venue so the main referee and tournament director can make contact with the TC or the jury d'appel if needed.

7. Obligations for FMJD

The FMJD sends all needed information in an official invitation to all affiliated countries.
The FMJD nominates the main referees
The FMJD pays the travel costs of the main referees and the tournament director
The Tournament Director collects the subscription fees which belong 100% to FMJD.

The FMJD gives 3 medals (gold – silver – bronze) in each category and also a diploma for all medal winners.

The main referee sends his report with the results to the Technical Committee.
The tournament results will be calculated for the rating lists because the World Championships Youth are homologated.

8. Youth Olympiad

In case of a Youth Olympiad 3 players from each country are hosted by the organization.
Coaches, … pay for hotel accommodation.
You must count at app. 10-12 teams or 30-36 players maximum.

9. Periods

We give priority to the following periods:

2015		2014	
June/July	27 till 10	June/July	26 till 10
August	15-30 (second half)	August	15-30 (second half)
November	1 – 7	Oct/Nov	31 - 6
December	20-30 (after SAWMG)	December	20-30 (after SAWMG)