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## **IPA Turkey Earthquake Appeal**

An IPA Appeal for victims of the two recent tragic earthquakes in the Van region of Turkey was sent to Sections by e-mail earlier this month.

### Presentation of World Police Prize 2011



The International President, Michael Odysseos visited Section Israel from 29<sup>th</sup> November to 2<sup>nd</sup> December and sends the following report:

"During my short stay I was invited to the ceremony, which was organised by the Section to award the IPA World Police Prize to the families of the three police officers who died when they rushed to the scene of a huge fire on Mount Carmel to rescue 44 prison Wardens who were trapped by the fire.

The ceremony was organised at 1600 hrs on 30.11.11 at the conference room of the IPA offices of the Section and was attended by the National Executive Committee, the families of the three victims, high ranking police officers and many IPA Members.

Main speakers at the ceremony were the National IPA President and myself and the wives of two of the victims who expressed their thanks and appreciation to the PEB for the award. The whole ceremony was covered by the mass media and much publicity was given. The whole ceremony was an excellent promotion of IPA".

# **ERC Member participation in UN Anti-Corruption Forum**

Jimmy Albrecht, the IPA ERC representative to the United Nations in New York City was recently participated in an anti-corruption forum sponsored by the Alliance on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice. Please see **Appendix 'A'** 

# **Report by Arthur Troop Scholar**

Italian member Filippo Ciroi used his scholarship to attend a course, "Analysis and reconstruction of road accidents", held at the University of Pavia and Cirss. His report can be found at **Appendix 'B'**.

### New Member of IAC Staff



Elke Schülpen-Roberts is the new staff member at the IAC in Nottingham. Elke, originally from Germany, has lived in the UK for over 20 years. Fluent in English & German, she also has competency in French, Spanish and Russian. A total of 46 candidates applied for the position, including persons from a number of different countries, now resident in the UK. The ISG, AISG and Wendy interviewed 15 shortlisted candidates, in a process conforming to current UK employment legislation. Elke was the clear front candidate in the opinion of all three interviewers. She will start work in the New Year.

# Assistance to Members visiting USA

There was an incident recently where an IPA member was charged a high premium for tickets for a Dallas Cowboys US Football game purchased from an internet site. The USA Region 30 (Dallas) President has tickets available for sale to IPA members at no additional premium and other Region 30 members have access to local events in Dallas, too. Any members travelling to Dallas please contact the Dallas Region President, Jack Bragg, (e-mail: <a href="Region30@ipa-usa.org">Region30@ipa-usa.org</a>) for tickets or event information.

All USA Regions are willing to help guide overseas members to reputable websites to purchase tickets for local events at, hopefully, no additional premiums. Any members travelling to the USA are advised to contact the relevant Associate Secretary for the USA and also look on the Section USA website for additional contacts: <a href="www.ipa-usa.org">www.ipa-usa.org</a>. The website shows a break-down of the US Regions and website contact

information for each Region. The Section will not make purchases for members but will help guide them to the best websites.

# **International Diary Dates**

Sent to S	ections since the last Newsletter:
ITALY	5-a-side football tournament – 1° Lighthouse Trophy of Genoa, "La Lanterna" – which will take place from 28 <sup>th</sup> June to 1 <sup>st</sup> July 2012 in Genoa, Italy. (sent 6-12-11)
ITALY	5-a-side football tournament – the 13 <sup>th</sup> Adriatic Trophy – to be held in Giulianova (Teramo) from 9 <sup>th</sup> to 12 <sup>th</sup> May 2012. (sent 6-12-11)

CANADA There is still availability on the Rocky Mountain Tour in June 2012. Please see **Appendix 'Ci and Cii**'.

1TALY 30<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebrations of the Local Branch IPA TARVISIO (Friuli Region) will be held from 29<sup>th</sup> August to 2<sup>nd</sup> September 2012 in Tarvisio. Please see **Appendix 'Di and Dii'**.

1TALY 30<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebrations of the Local Branch IPA SAVONA (Region Liguria) will be held in Savona from 28<sup>th</sup> September to 1<sup>st</sup> October 2012. Please see **Appendix 'Ei and Eii'**.

SPAIN X International Championship football 7 in Amposta (Tarragona) between 6<sup>th</sup> and 9<sup>th</sup> September 2012. Please see **Appendix 'F'**.

POLAND XIV International Football Tournament Poznan 2012. This event will be held from 17 – 20<sup>th</sup> May in Blazejewko. Please see **Appendix 'G'**.

POLAND The World Police Volleyball Championship will take place from 03 – 06 May 2012 in Zlotow district Wielkopolska. Section Poland supports this event. Please see **Appendix 'H'.** 



Very Best Wishes for the Festive Season and a happy and healthy 2012 The Secretariat George, Stephen Wendy & Lesley

### **IPA CALENDAR OF EVENTS:**

(as advertised previously):

### 2012

JAPAN A Friendship Week beginning in Tokyo and ending in Osak is being

planned (date changed to 5<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup> April 2012) to celebrate their 50th Anniversary. Section Japan has given assurances there is no need to worry about radioactive contamination in these areas,

following the earthquake earlier this year.

(Newsletters 2011-09, 2011-10 and 2011-11)

FRANCE The France Police Women's Cup, 1st International Police Soccer

Tournament, will take place from 16th to 20th April 2012 at Longeville Sea - Vendee Region. This is NOT an IPA event but it

does have the support of Section France.

For information and registration: Website: www.ffpep.com

e-mail: regis.jeanneret@ffpep.com (Newsletter 2011-10)

MALTA The 1st IPA Mediterranean Regional Shooting Competition will take

place from 25th to 28th April 2012, to run concurrently with the Mediterranean Sections meeting which will also take place in Malta.

(Newsletter 2011-07)

(Please note that IPA Malta Section is limited to extend its invitation to IPA European Sections only due to the **Weapons Ordinance Regulations**, which restricts and controls the temporary importation

of fire arms, from countries outside the European area).

(New information December 2011)

HUNGARY As part of its 20<sup>th</sup> anniversary celebrations, Section Hungary invites

you to a Friendship Week in Budapest from 13<sup>th</sup> – 19<sup>th</sup> May 2012.

(Newsletter 2011-11)

ITALY The 9<sup>th</sup> Trophy "Città di Cesena e Cervia" and the 3<sup>rd</sup> Trophy "Girls in

Uniform", both International 5 a-side Football Tournaments, the first for men and the second for women, will take place in CERVIA (Ravenna) – Emilia Romagna region, from 24<sup>th</sup> to 27<sup>th</sup> May 2012.

(*Newsletter 2011-08*)

FRANCE An International Motorcycle Rally is being organised by the Region

of Maine and Loire from 25<sup>th</sup> to 28<sup>th</sup> or 29<sup>th</sup> May 2012.

(Newsletter 2011-10)

CANADA The Royal Canadian Mounted Police Veterans Association is hosting

an Alaskan Cruise on 27 May 2012 to coincide with its national AGM. This is not an official IPA event but IPA members are invited to join the cruise. (Newsletter 2010-08)

SPAIN Information about the Police Fire Half Challenge World

Championship, to be held on 27<sup>th</sup> May 2012, can be found on the website: <a href="http://www.challenge-barcelona.es/index.php?lang=EN">http://www.challenge-barcelona.es/index.php?lang=EN</a> This is NOT an IPA event but it has the support of IPA Spain

(Newsletter 2011-11)

SWEDEN Region 3 will celebrate its 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary in Gothenburg from 1<sup>st</sup> to

6<sup>th</sup> June 2012. (Newsletter 2011-11)

CANADA IPA Canadian Rocky Mountain Tour – June 2-14, 2012.

Details are now available on:

http://ipa.ca/events/rockymountaintour2012.php

(Newsletter 2011-07)

NETHERLANDS The 'four days marches of Nijmegen' is an annual walking sport

event from 17-20 July 2012. Although this is NOT an official IPA event, Section Netherlands is happy to welcome participating members and also assist them to find accommodation. Visit the

official website for the event: www.4daagse.nl

(Newsletter 2011-11)

USA Region 57 will host a coach trip along the famous Route 66 from

Chicago to Los Angeles, from 14th to 27th July 2012.

(Newsletter 2011-07)

SPAIN The European Police & Fire Games will be held in Tenerife from 8<sup>th</sup>

- 15<sup>th</sup> July 2012. See **Appendix 'Ji - Jii'** or the website:

http://www.canarias2012epfg.eu/en/index.html

This is NOT an IPA event but it has the support of IPA Spain.

(Newsletter 2011-11)

### IYG 2012 - Czech Republic

The International Youth Gathering programme, application form and parental consent form for this event, which will be held in the Czech Republic from 4<sup>th</sup> – 18<sup>th</sup> August 2012, were sent to all Newsletter recipients on 24<sup>th</sup> November. Participants must be aged 16 or 17 and all applications must be sent via National Sections. Information is also available on the IAC website.

ISRAEL XX World Congress – Israel, 4th - 9th September with a

Friendship Week to follow, 9th - 15th September.

All information is available on the Section Israel website, www.ipa-israel.org.il, together with a video presentation.

(Newsletter 2011-10)

AUSTRALIA A Sydney Friendship Week will be held from 7th to 14th October

2012. See www.ipa-australiapolice.com.au

(Newsletter 2011-11)

NETHERLANDS The 30<sup>th</sup>World Police Indoor Soccer Tournament will be held from 8<sup>th</sup>

- 12<sup>th</sup> October 2012. This is NOT an IPA event but it has the support of IPA Netherlands. Visit the website: www.wpist.nl. (Newsletter 2011-11)

You are invited to join the 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary celebrations in Washington DC from 9<sup>th</sup> to 12<sup>th</sup> November 2012. USA

(Newsletter 2011-11)

### **2013**

As part of the Section's 50th anniversary celebrations, a midnight **ICELAND** 

golf tournament will be organised on the 25th June 2013 giving an opportunity to play golf in the midnight sun. The event, which will include three nights' accommodation and a sightseeing tour, will cost approximately 700 Euros. Information is available on the IPA Iceland website: www.ipa.is. (Newsletter 2011-10)

# **Information Guide 2011 (amendments)**

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### <u>IPA HOUSES</u> –

DENMARK We have been informed by Section Denmark that unfortunately this

house will close at the end of 2011.

### Other Accommodation for IPA Use

ITALY Unfortunately the accommodation at Tirrenia (Pisa) – Tuscany

region – (page 104 in the Information Guide), is no longer available

for IPA members.