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If your sport is a minority sport then getting a television channel to show your particular sport depends on the interest that is shown in it. **The ITF Xith. World Championships will be televised by Argentinian television but that does not mean that your local television channel will automatically show it. We are asking everyone to write to their local TV channel and to ask them to televise the world championships** so please be kind enough to be one of the people who write. The person in charge of the commercialisation where the owners of the Local Broadcasting should be contacted is **Ms. Heather White: tel. +44 171 4623400, Fox Sport International, Commercial Agency in England.** When you get an answer back then please send it to the ITF so that we may judge the response.

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INTERNATIONAL SEMINARS

1999

**Instructed by Gen. Choi
Hong Hi**

OCTOBER – 1/3 – Zakopane, POLAND. Phone: Mr. Tadeusz Loboda, +48 81730606, Fax: 7431150. **8/10** – GERMANY, Phone/Fax Mr. Paul Weiler +49 221 639518. **23/25** – Dublin, IRELAND, Mr. Derek Colman, 57 Sycamore Road, Finglas East, Dublin 11, e-mail derekcolman@clubi.ie.

NOVEMBER – 19/21 – MALAYSIA. **29/31** – New Brunswick, CANADA.

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AUGUST – 13/17 – ROMANIA.

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CHAMPIONSHIPS

1999

JULY - 10/11 – USTF Region 1, Master Robert Wheatley, Phone +1 775 3242700.

August - 28 to September 5
- Xlth. Senior World -
ARGENTINA. Phone/Fax
Master Nestor Galarraga +54 1
2816552.

OCT – 17 – Waterford, Ireland
Open.

NOV – 7 – Rio de Janeiro
Championship, Brazil.

20/21 – Balkan Seniors in
Alexandroupolis, GREECE, Phone
Master Stylianides +30 31 223282,
Fax 262945.

2000

HONDURAS, CANADA and
KOREA have applied to host the
Vth. Junior World.

2001

POLAND and ITALY have applied
to host the XIIth. Senior World.
RUSSIA have applied to host the
VIth. Junior World.

**We remind you that for
Continental Championships you
must have written permission
from the ITF.**

**OTHER EVENTS
PROMOTIONS
1998**

Vth. Dan

DEC - 21 - Kevin Humphreys - USA.

IVth. Dan

JUN - 06 - Steven LeGrow - Canada.

AUG - 02 - Jamie Campins - UK.

DEC - 17 - Emilio Cariati, John Kotsiou - Canada.

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Vth. Dan

FEB - 02 - Michel Mampisanjy - Madagaskar. **10** - Michael Pang Hin Siong - Singapore. **14** - Michael Shmelev, Igor Shcheglov, Yury Zimakov. - Russia. **28** - Ray Nicolaisen - Norway.

MAR - 14 - Sergey Lvov, Murat Sunetov, Alexander Simakov - Russia. **21** - Hakan Hansson - Sweden.

SEP - 08 - Alexey Shulyov - Tajikistan.

OCT - 23 - Vladimir Dubtsov, Oleg Petrovski - Ukraine.

IVth. Dan

FEB - 10 - Hanbala Orudzev - Russia. **14** - Alexander Tararaev, Yuri Kang, Andrey Golubev - Russia. Alexander Kozachenko - Belarus. Kalymdzan Utemysov - Ukraine. Vitaly Son - Latvia. **19** - Qassim Naimi - Canada. **21** - Frank lindsay - UK.

MAR - 01 - Russell MacLellan - Canada. **21** - John McIlvaney - UK.

In the last newsletter we put the promotion of Scott Downey as 1998 but it should have been 1997.

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WORLD CAMP 2000

To be held at Christian Youth Camp (CYC), Ngaruawahia, NEW ZEALAND from 28th. January to 2nd. February 2000. Details from Human Weapon or internet site at www.itfnz.org.nz and Mr. Evan Davidson, E-mail evand@clear.net.nz. Guest instructor Master Robert Wheatley.

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It should be noted that hosts for seminars should not be given certificate fees as the

responsibility is with the National Association of the person who is grading. The certificate application form should be taken to the grading with the examiner fee plus an ITF grading form and handed to the examiner. The examiner will then sign the form if the applicant is successful and give it back to the person who took the grading. The form should then be sent to the NGB(or the ITF direct) along with the certificate fee to process the application for the certificate. Should this procedure not be followed then the ITF take no responsibility for what happens.

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The ITF take no responsibility for incorrect details which are published in the newsletter for items submitted by members.

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The ITF have the facilities to allow members to transact with their **VISA cards**. VISA may be used for all transactions, including certificate fees, but there is a surcharge of 4% on all transactions. Please quote your card number and expiry date to use this facility.

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New address for Mr. Amando Ribeiro is Rua do Parque, Lote 249, Sete Casas, 2670-350 Loures, PORTUGAL, Phone/Fax: 9831274.

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We have asked, in the past, that all matters of ITF business should go through official channels and not be discussed with or sent in the post or otherwise to Gen. Choi Hong Hi. However, some people continue to think that they have a personal right to bypass the system. It is rather difficult for Gen. Choi Hong Hi to refuse people and some people try to take advantage of this. Please note for the future that we have been asked by our President to make this announcement that all official business go through the secretariat in Vienna. Personal items may be sent to Gen. Choi, naturally, but personal items do not include any sort of ITF business. Please follow the correct procedures for ITF business.

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This is a reminder that for all promotions to 4th. Dan and above the ITF must be first asked in writing for permission for the person to take the examination. The ITF will appoint the examiner. The letter asking for permission should be sent 3 months before the proposed grading date. Should you not have ITF permission, in writing, then the grading will not be recognised.

**15 VOLUME
ENCYCLOPAEDIA**

Some enquiries are still being made about purchasing the 15 volume encyclopaedia. The ITF are interested to know how many people would like to buy a set or some sets. Please be kind enough to let us know if you want the encyclopaedia and how many sets.

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One of the new countries in the ITF is Togo and we print a couple of photos of the leader in that country Mr. Aloedzi Hukporti.

