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THE TAEKWON-DO FEDERATION OF AFRICA INAUGURATED

The 1st African Open Taekwon-Do Championship took place in Johannesburg, South Africa on 20-22 Mar. this year with over 160 competitors in attendance from 9 countries across the African Continent.

The above Championship went well and ended in great success.

The fact to make us happier and excited was that the Taekwon-Do Federation of Africa (TFA) had officially been formed at the 1st General Meeting of TFA held in Johannesburg, South Africa on 20th this month.

All Representatives present at this meeting took part in the discussions and consultations actively and fervently to grow this BABY stronger in the near future and reached the unanimous agreement to locate its Headquarters in South Africa where the ITF Taekwon-Do has been most popular in this region.

The 2nd African Open Taekwon-Do Championship will again be held in Johannesburg, South Africa in 2011.





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Warm Congratulations and Blessings to the Taekwon-Do Federation of Africa !

THE 7th YEAR MEMORIAL SERVICE FOR LATE GEN. CHOI HONG HI TO BE HELD IN PYONGYANG



This year marks the 7th anniversary since our Father Gen. Choi Hong Hi has passed away. The Korean Taekwon-Do Committee plans to organize the big ceremony of REMEMBRANCE for the Legendary Founder of Taekwon-Do Gen. Choi Hong Hi in Pyongyang, DPR Korea on Jun. 15, this year, where Gen. Choi rests in peace, on behalf of the ITF and its entire members. The widow Mrs. Choi Chun Hi will join in this ceremony together with the allegiant Taekwon-Do disciples and students throughout the world.

The ITF HQ wishes all the members of ITF to stay with our Father Gen. Choi Hong Hi this day in Pyongyang and make Widow Mrs. Choi and her family happy and pleased, recalling the true stories in related to our Father during his lifetime.

You are cordially advised to contact the Korean Taekwon-Do Committee at the e-mail; tkdkorea@co.chesin.com for further information on it.



THE MEMORIAL CUP TOURNAMENT FOR GEN. CHOI HONG HI

According to the decision of the 18th ITF Congress held in Tashkent, Uzbekistan last September, the above event is to take place in Toronto, Canada every year where late Gen. Choi Hong Hi had spent his most time of the second half of his life and his family still lives in.

Grand Master Park Jong Soo schedules this event on 10-11 Apr. this year, exactly on the very day when the Taekwon-Do was born. The members eager to attend this event are able to approach GM Park Jong Soo at his e-mail; jongpark2@hotmail.com for the detailed information.

24th ADULT AND 15th JUNIOR & 1st VETERAN EUROPEAN CHAMPIONSHIP IN SLOVENIA

The above-mentioned Championship will be held in Slovenia from 12th to 17th May 2009. The Organizing Committee is doing its utmost to produce the great success at this event as well as to have all participants enjoyable during the stays in Slovenia in collaboration with

the European International Taekwon-Do Federation with Master Anto Nobilo as its President.

The detailed information is available on the ITF Website (www.itftkd.org).

THE 2nd MASTER SEMINAR PLANNED IN ST. PETERSBURG, RUSSIA

The Master Seminar has been proposed to promote the UNDERSTANDINGS, UNITY, FRIENDSHIP and SOLIDARITY among the Masters the world over, who are recognized as the key peoples to make ITF stronger and more dynamic, reflecting the hearts and minds of the Masters across the world.

Late Gen. Choi Hong Hi regarded it as the good opportunity to educate the Masters

mentally and technically and conducted the 1st Master Seminar in Canada during his lifetime.

The 2nd Master Seminar will be held in St. Petersburg, Russia in the period of the 16th World Championship.

The correct time and place will be on the Program of the Championship to be set forth by the Organizing Committee.