

## 4<sup>th</sup> EBL NBO Officers' Seminar 1<sup>st</sup> to 4<sup>th</sup>February 2007 Centro Giulio Onesti – Acqua Acetosa Rome, Italy

#### **PROGRAMME**

## Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> February

## **Seminar Opening**

- 16.00 Welcome cocktail
- 16.15 Greetings
- 16.30 "Aims of Seminar" by David Harris, Chairman of Liaison Committee

#### 1<sup>st</sup> Session

# The League towards the new Legislature Moderator David Harris

- 16.45	- "Amendments to the EBL Statutes"
- 17.10	<ul><li>by the President and General Counsel</li><li>- "Restructuring of the WBF and position of the EBL"</li><li>by the President</li></ul>
- 17.35	- "The resources of the League: Membership-dues Policy" by the Treasurer
- 18.00	- Coffee Break
- 18.10	<ul> <li>"Organisation &amp; Role in the League of the Small States" by Jean-Charles Allavena</li> </ul>
- 18.30	<ul> <li>"The EBL Events: Rules &amp; Policy" by the President</li> </ul>
- 18.50	- "Ethics, Behaviour and Discipline: Policy & Procedure" by the General Counsel
- 19.15	- Discussion

- 20.15 End of the session
- 20.30 Dinner
- 21.30 Presentation of the 2007 EBL events:

  "3<sup>rd</sup> Eur. Open Bridge Championship", Antalya, June

  "21<sup>st</sup> Eur. Youth Teams Championship, Jesolo, July
- 22.30 End of the session

## Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> February

- 10.00 Morning free
- 13.00 Lunch

## 2<sup>nd</sup> Session Work-shops

- 15.00 Start of working groups.

  Participants will be divided, on the basis of the strength of the NBO, into three homogeneous groups for sections A, B and C. The groups will rotate in order to have a session with its group-leaders:
- (A) Administration, Organisation, Development (Gianarrigo Rona, Radek Kielbasinski, Marc De Pauw, David Harris)
- (B) Teaching Bridge (Marijke Blanken-Burgers, Odile Beineix, Philippe Cronier, Gianni Bertotto)
- (C) Technique and Technology (Panos Gerontopoulos, Jean-Claude Beineix, Micke Melander, Tomas Brenning, Maurizio Di Sacco)

#### Working Schedule:

- 15.00 1st round session
- 16.30 Coffee break
- 16.45 2<sup>nd</sup> round session
- 18,15 Coffee break
- 18.30 3<sup>rd</sup> round session
- 20.00 End of the session
- 20.15 Dinner

#### 3<sup>rd</sup> Session

The Federation's activity – 1<sup>st</sup> Part Moderator David Harris

- 21.30 "The Web-site: the way to inform and to develop the Federation image" by Giuliano Bianucci, M&C Company, Milano
- 22.15 End of the session

# Saturday 3<sup>rd</sup> February

#### 4<sup>th</sup> Session

The Federation's activity – 2<sup>nd</sup> Part Moderator Gianarrigo Rona

- 10.00 "The role of the Sport Officer" by Roberto Fabbricini, CONI Manager
- 10.30 "Marketing and Sponsorship in Sport" by Luigi Intendente, Luiss University, Roma
- 11.00 Coffee Break
- 11.15 "The role of the Federation and its services to Clubs and Players":
  - 1. The Dutch organisation
  - 2. The Swedish organisation

- 3. The Italian organisation
- 12.15 "Bridge at School: an investment for the future"
  By Marijke Blanken-Burger
- 12.30 "The importance of teaching bridge at school" by
- 12.55 End of the Session
- 13.00 Lunch

## 5<sup>th</sup> Session Work-shops

- 14.30 Start of working groups
- (D) Youth Bridge (Gianarrigo Rona, Panos Gerontopoulos, Radek Kielbasinski, Gert Magerman, Andrea Pagani)
- (E) Women Bridge (Annamaria Torlontano, Sevinc Atay)
- (F) Senior Bridge (Goran Mattsson, David Harris, Guido Resta) Working Schedule:
  - 14.30 1<sup>st</sup> round session
  - 16.00 Coffee break
  - 16.15 2<sup>nd</sup> round session
  - 17,45 Coffee break
  - 18.00 3<sup>rd</sup> round session
- 19.25 End of the session
- 19.30 Lunch
  - Evening free

# Sunday 4th February

6<sup>th</sup> Session EBL Matters Moderator David Harris

- 10.00	- "EBL Medical & Prevention Commission – Antidoping
	Policy and Procedure" by, Yves Aubry, Paolo W. Gabriele

- 10.30 Coffee Break
- 11.00 "49<sup>th</sup> European Teams Championship", Pau, June 2008 By Yves Aubry
- 11.30 "Works Synthesis", by the President
  - Congress' Final Document
- 12.30 Farewell Lunch