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THREE CHEERS FOR BESANÇON!

150 participants, 92 reports, more than 20 countries represented, including the USA, New Zealand, Japan and Australia. No doubt it was a success. Many thanks go to the excellent staff: Christian Vivier, Jean François Loudcher, Paul Dietschy, Laurence Pauthier.

The organization was essential, to the point and rich in content just as the theme "Sport and ideology" would have you imagine and the experience of the organizers promise.

We now await the Acts. Remember that time has run out as the elaboration of each report was due by December 15th. Late consignments should be discussed with the editors of the Acts. The email address is <Laurence.Pauthier@univ-fcomte.fr>

AND NOW, OLYMPIA

The torch has already been passed to Olympia, where Evangelos Albanidis is busy organizing the VIII International Congress of the CESH (International Olympic Academy, 25-28 September).

A brief reminder:

-for those who book by the 31st of May, the registration fee is 100 euro. After that date it will be 130 euro. Non members of the CESH will pay 130 euro for early registration and 165 euro after the 31st of May.

-students will be charged 75 euro or 100 euro as an accompanying person. Congress by the 15th of April. cesh2003@phyed.duth.gr The scientific editors will advise the authors of the status of their work.

Details of the organization can be found on www.phyed.dulth.gr/cesh2003, email: cesh2003@phyed.dulth.gr Democritus University of Trace, Dept. of Physical Education and Sport Science, Secretariat 8th International CESH Congress 2003,

Komotini 69100, Greece. Tel. +302531039663/9735, fax +302531039623.

SCHOLARSHIPS

Scholarships will be offered at Olympia for researchers under the age of 35, who submit an original, inedited work not exceeding 15 pages. Please note that, not only the monies granted by the Danish Gymnastic Federation in memory of Franz Nachtegall and the 250 euro offered by the Centro Studi ISEF di Firenze and the Associazione Culturale Sportiva Il Gabbiano - Crotone in memory of Michele Di Donato, leading historian of physical education in Italy, but this year the periodical "Lancillotto e Nausica. Storia e critica dello sport" in an attempt to encourage historical research will publish the essay of the winner. We wish to thank the editors of this periodical for their assistance and continuing interest in the history of sport. This is the only magazine published in Italy on this subject and is recognized internationally as one of the most outstanding publications of its type.

NOVEMBER 2002: CONFERENCE IN MILAN

The 28 of November 2002 the Conference "Gregorio Draghicchio, un istriano a Milano (Italy) - il contributo giuliano-dalmata allo sport Milanese e Lombardo" took place. The event was organized by the Archivio Storico dell'Atletica Italiana Bruno Bonomelli (A.S.A.I.) and the Comitato Milanese dell'Associazione Nazionale Venezia Giulia e Dalmazia.

The conference was held in the local CONI hall. Speakers included Ferruccio Callegari, canoeing historian, Sergio Giuntini university professor and sport historian, Elio Trifari, vice director of "La Gazzetta dello Sport" and Alberto Zanetti Lorenzetti, author of the volume entitled "Olympia giuliano-dalmata - storia delle discipline olimpiche e dei campioni d'Istria, Fiume e Dalmazia nel movimento sportivo italiano" This book is an historical overview of the role Istria, Fiume and Dalmazia has played in past Olympics. Info: Aldo Capanni aldocapp@iol.it

AN OUTSTANDING CONGRESS

A congress entitled "Images de la femme sportive XIXe -XXe siècle" was held on

January 17 a Lausanne at the museum of CIO. In coincidence with this event and continuing until February 23 the exhibit "La mise en scène du corps sportif". Gianni Haver and Laurent Guido, curators of the exhibit and of the congress are young historians of the University of Lausanne, the first of the Institute of the Economic and Social History of sport, the second of the Section concerning the History and Aesthetics of Cinema have ably shown the beginning of a new vision/concept of the body, that coincides with the early years of the 20th century. At this time cinema, sports and the Olympic games were born and a new image of the body evolved. We find this image of beauty and health still valid today. This "colloque" was particularly original as it presented images from films, historical photographs, prints of styles and video games using a lively, modern rhythm of "nouvelle histoire" For additional info find the web page www.olympic.org

ADDITIONAL NEWS

A regional conference on "Women's health, physical activity and sport" will be held from February 7-8 at the Louisiana State University in Shreveport. It will be organized by the Sport Science Institute and the Department of Education and Kinesiology and Health Science. Information Dr. Ron Bryd rbyrd@pilot.isus.educ

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The 14th International Cycle History Conference will be held from February 24-26 in Canberra, Australia. It will be organized by the Australian Cycle History Resource Centre and the Canberra Bicycle Museum. For information BicycleMuseum@ctuc.asn.au

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International Conference on "The ancient and modern Olympic games" organized by the University of Missouri in St Louis the 21-23 March. Info: www.olympicconference.org

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International "Colloque" AFRAPS, at the Université du Litoral on "Educazione per la salute e attività fisiche e sportive" Dunkerque Grand Littoral from the 27 to

the 29 March. Information: Jacques Mikulovic and Véronique Leulliette stapsdk@univ-lit.fr

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British Society of Sports History, annual conference, 12 to 13 April, 2003.

University of Southampton. Information Dr. Martin Polleu

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31st Annual Conference of the North American Society for Sport History (NASSH), 23-26 May 2003, Columbus, Ohio. Contact www.Nassh.org

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XIV Conference of the Australian Society for Sports History, 3-7 July 2003, Sydney. The theme will be "The marginalized and the mislaid".

For information: a.moore@uws.edu.au ; www.sporthistory.org

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VII ISHPES Congress in Urbino, 9-13 July 2003. Second announcement in www.umist.ac.uk/sport/urbino2.htm

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31st annual meeting of the International Association for the Philosophy of Sport, 18th-21st September 2003, organized by Leisure & Sport Research Unit, University of Gloucestershire, care of this university, Cheltenham, UK.

Info: www.glos.ac.uk/lrsu ; Jan Boxill fax: 919-962-6093

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European Network of Sport Science, Education and Employment Réseau Européen des Instituts des Sciences du Sport et pour l'Emploi : "Sport world and academic world - what relationship?" Lausanne, 26-29 September 2003.

Info: www.aists.org/ENSEE.htm or www.museum.olympic.org

MAGNA GRECIA ACTIVISM

The Center for the study of Sport, "Il Gabbiano" of Croton (Italy), sponsoring one of our scholarships, "Michele Di Donato", works since 1994 for the diffusion of sports culture in one of the South Italian areas richest of traditions connected to Magna Grecia. Every year it organizes the "Giochi della Magna Grecia", in which young boys and girls at the age of 15 to 17 years meet to compete in street running remembering the

old distances of stadium, diaulos and dolichos. This activity aims at the promotion of sports in the schools of the old cities of Magna Grecia. The initiator, Prof. Santino Mariano, is preparing, together with Angela Teja, the edition of the volume "Agonistica e ginnastica in Magna Grecia". In collaboration with the Province of Croton, with the "PeaceWaves" (a non-governmental organization operating for the peace in the world), and with "Ragazzi di Torino 2006", he is organizing a Seminar on the Olympic truce [=ekecheiria] at Croton, scheduled for May 2004 within the Educational Program of the Olympic Games.

RESURRECTION

On monday, february 3rd, 2003, the Société Française d'Histoire du Sport, founded in 1985, but perished at the beginning of 1992, was re-constituted at the university of Paris X Nanterre. The meeting, presided by prof. G. Andrieu, was attended by thirty sport historians. A board of a dozen persons was elected. The organization of the society and some new projects will be put on the vote at the next General Assembly scheduled for november 8th 2003 at Besançon. The preparation of the statutes and of a new journal is in the hands of special commissions.

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