



## **Pan American Bowling Confederation**

### **AMERICAN ZONE PRESIDENTS REPORT October 2013 – October 2015**

### **WTBA / FIQ Congress** **December 2015, Abu Dhabi, U.A.E.**

The following short report should be used for the next WTBA / FIQ congress to be conducted in Abu Dhabi on December 2015

#### **Elections**

On October 19th, 2013 PABCON conducted a Congress in San Jose, Costa Rica with elections for the board for period 2013 to 2017 with following results:

President:	Martin Faba / Costa Rica
1 <sup>st</sup> Vice President:	Jorge Franco / Colombia
2 <sup>nd</sup> Vice President:	Neil Stremmel / USA
Treasurer:	William Rodriguez / Uruguay
1 <sup>st</sup> Director:	Catherine Innes / Canada
2 <sup>nd</sup> Director:	Jose Aguilar / Mexico
3 <sup>rd</sup> Director:	Agustin de Faria / Venezuela

From October 2013 till July 2015 the Executive Board have had 2 meetings and several meeting using the Internet.

#### **Championships**

We have organized following international events since October 2013:

- 3<sup>rd</sup> Senior and 1<sup>st</sup> super Senior Pabcon Championship – San Jose, Costa Rica
- 4<sup>th</sup> Senior and 2<sup>nd</sup> Super Senior Pabcon Championship – Cali, Colombia
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Female Pabcon Championship – Cali, Colombia
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Male Pabcon Championship – San Juan, Puerto Rico
- 16<sup>th</sup> Youth Pabcon Championship – Panama City, Panama
- 1<sup>st</sup> Pan American Sports Festival – Puebla, Mexico
- Pan American Games – Toronto, Canada

Also, we have had fully recognized and sanctioned other Olympic cycle events such as:

South American Games (bowling) in Santiago, Chile  
Central America and Caribbean Games (bowling) in Veracruz, Mexico

### **Seminars**

Pabcon in cooperation with Pan American Sport Organization (Paso) and USBC conducted a Coaching Seminar in Cali, Colombia from October 4<sup>th</sup> to October 10<sup>th</sup>, 2014, in which several themes were developed, including:

Bronze coach certification  
Mental game  
Physical game  
Ball drilling  
Lane patterns

We have also conducted a referee seminar in which we have recognized 5 new referees from south America that are fully prepared to work in any international event.

### **Economics**

To this day we have 25 bowling federations or associations fully recognized by Pabcon and WTBA / FIQ and all of them are in good order with all fees up to date.

### **Legal constitution**

Since my arrival as President of Pabcon, I noticed that the organization was not fully incorporated and was just a name on a paper. With cooperation from our 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice President Mr. Neil Stremmel we have proceed to Incorporate Pabcon as a legal entity and as a Non Profit Organization in Texas, U.S.A.

### **Meetings**

We have been part and included as a recognized sport in Pan American Sport Organization (Olympic representative for the Americas) and with such rights have been part of 2 general assemblies with full rights. So we have full support and have been part of Pan Am Games and once again will be present in Lima, Peru on 2019.

Also, we have been present in all WTBA / FIQ EB meetings conducted till this day.

### **Calendar 2016**

Attached is our calendar for 2016

Martin Faba  
President

**World Tenpin Bowling Association**  
**WTBA Congress 15-16 December 2015**  
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**CALENDARIO 2016**

MONTH	DATES	EVENTO/EVENT	VENUE	REMARKS
JAN				
FEB				
MAR				
APR	3 - 10	CONCECABOL SENIOR & SUPER SR	MEDELLIN, COLOMBIA	
APR	22 - 26	PABCON CAMP DE CAMP/CHAMP OF CHAMPS	PUEBLA, MEXICO	3 countries qualify for World Games
MAY	1ST WEEK	CONCECABOL SEGUNDA FUERZA	MERIDA, YUCATAN, MEXICO	
MAY				
JUN	19 - 26	IBEROAMERICANO	PANAMA	
JUL	1ST WEEK	SURAMERICANO JUVENIL	ARUBA	
JUL	24 JUL - 2 AGO	MUNDIAL JUVENIL/WYC	LINCOLN, NEBRASKA	
JUL		JUEGOS OLIMPICOS /OLYMPIC GAMES	RIO DE JANEIRO	
AUG		PABCON SENIOR & SUPER SR.	STO. DOMINGO R.D.	
SEP		PABCON ADULTO COMB/ADULT MEN & WOMEN	RIO DE JANEIRO	2 countries qualify for World Games and 8 to World Ch
OCT	23- 29	SURAMERICANO ELITE	CALI, COLOMBIA	
NOV	1ST WEEK	CONCECABOL JUVENIL	SANTO DOMINGO, R.D.	
DEC	3 - 12	MUNDIAL INDIVIDUAL/WSC	QATAR	