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The teqball family welcomed the return of Challenger Cups to Europe this month, with the world's best athletes competing in the same field for the first time this year. There were also Challenger Cups in Cape Verde, the US and Lebanon, as well as National Challenger Series events in Ivory Coast and Sierra Leone. Off the court, the Teqball Roadshow reached a number of new countries and FITEQ General Secretary Marius Vizer Jr sat down to share his views on the roadshow's progress so far. FITEQ also celebrated the major milestones of Play True Day and Earth Day, as it continues to promote the importance of clean sport and the role sport can play in the global climate action effort.

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INTERVIEW WITH MARIUS VIZER JR - TEQBALL ROADSHOW

FITEQ General Secretary Marius Vizer Jr is leading the Teqball Roadshow, a programme launched in February 2021 with the aim of accelerating National Teqball Federation's development in key areas such as education, governance, sustainability, CSR, competitions, and club development.



TREE PLANTING PROGRAMME UNITES TEQBALL FAMILY IN COLLECTIVE CLIMATE ACTION EFFORT

FITEQ is supporting its global network of National Teqball Federations with the implementation of tree planting programmes in their local communities. The programme, under the banner of "Plant Together", is an example of FITEQ engaging and assisting tegball family members.





ADAM BLAZSOVICS TRIUMPHED IN BUDAÖRS CHALLENGER CUP

World Number Two Adam Blazsovics came through a highly competitive field to secure his first singles Challenger Cup title of the year in Budaörs, Hungary. The event, held on 24 April, featured the top five ranked singles players in the world and a number of the sport's rising stars.



PARA TEQBALL STAR COMPETED AGAINST WORLD'S BEST TEQBALL PLAYERS

Para teqball player Attila Laszlo, who is a pioneer of the sport, competed in a teqball Challenger Cup on 24 April, where he will faced the top 5 singles players in the world. Laszlo's participation will be an inspiration to the growing para teqball community, following its official launch in March this year.



FITEQ URGES TEQBALL FAMILY TO COMMIT TO A SUSTAINABLE FUTURE ON EARTH DAY

FITEQ is celebrated Earth Day with a call to action to all members of the teqball family. FITEQ is urging all National Teqball Federations, clubs and players to be part of a more sustainable future and to passionately advocate the urgent need for climate action.



ROMANIAN DOUBLES DUO WON TRIPOLI CHALLENGER CUP GOLD

Romanian doubles pair Szabolcs Ilyes and Apor Gyorgydeak secured their second Challenger Cup title of the year in Tripoli, Lebanon on 17 April. The experience and skill of Ilyes, who is ranked 4th in the world for doubles, and Gyorgydeak, who is ranked third for singles, proved too much for the rest of the field.





FITEQ EDUCATION PROGRAMME IS RAISING GLOBAL REFEREEING STANDARDS

FITEQ's Referee Education Programme is supporting the development of refereeing standards all around the world and the appointment of two FIFA referees, Hungarian duo Péter Herbály and István Vad, as Teqball Referee Advisors has given further impetus to FITEQ's efforts.



TEQBALL ROADSHOW HIGHLIGHTS GROWING PASSION FOR THE SPORT IN AFRICA

A FITEQ delegation led by General Secretary Marius Vizer Jr concluded its Teqball Roadshow visit to South Africa on Friday (9 April), after a highly productive week of meetings with key sports leaders, players, coaches and referees in the country.



WORLD ANTI-DOPING AGENCY



FITEQ RE-EMPHASISES COMMITMENT TO CLEAN SPORT ON PLAY TRUE DAY

FITEQ has re-emphasised its commitment to promoting clean sport by joining the sporting world in the celebration of the World Anti-Doping Agency's (WADA) Play True Day. FITEQ is a strong and active advocate for clean sport and is committed to being a role model for all teqball stakeholders on this critical area of the sport.



TEQBALL CHALLENGER CUPS

Tarrafal, Cape Verde Los Angeles, USA Los Angeles, USA - All Female Rácalmás, Hungary Tripoli, Lebanon Budaörs, Hungary





NATIONAL CHALLENGER SERIES

Ivory Coast - Round 3 Ivory Coast - Round 4 Sierra Leone - Round 3

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