

FITEQ NEWSLETTER - SEPTEMBER 2020

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Welcome to your monthly newsletter from the International Federation of Teqball (FITEQ).

This edition celebrates another impactful month for FITEQ, where the organisation became an official World Anti-Doping Code Signatory. After several months without competitive teqball events, FITEQ was delighted to launch the exciting, new National Challenger Series and to also publish an update to the FITEQ World Rankings. The busy but productive month has seen FITEQ continue to build strong partnerships and provide athletes with opportunities to showcase their skills to the world, driving the organisation forward on its journey towards its ambitious goals.

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FITEQ APPROVED AS OFFICIAL SIGNATORY BY WADA

FITEQ has been approved by the [World Anti-Doping Agency](#) (WADA) as an official Signatory to the World Anti-Doping Code, further reinforcing the federation's commitment to delivering clean sport. The announcement is a major milestone for FITEQ and is the latest step in the ongoing professionalisation of the sport of teqball.



FITEQ CELEBRATES WORLD FAIR PLAY DAY

FITEQ is joining the International [Fair Play Committee](#) (CIFP) in celebrating the first-ever World Fair Play Day. From this year onwards, 7 September will be an occasion to promote the importance of fair play in sport. As a sport based on the values of honesty and integrity, the teqball family is delighted to support the CIFP with the start of this global movement.

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FITEQ UPDATES WORLD RANKINGS FOLLOWING COMPETITION RETURN

FITEQ has issued an update to its [World Rankings](#), following the return of FITEQ sanctioned teqball competitions with the [Eger Beach Challenger Cup](#) and the commencement of the exciting new [National Challenger Series](#). World Rankings were not updated during the COVID-19 enforced break in competition.



INTERVIEW WITH STEPHAN FOX, PRESIDENT OF AIMS

Stephan Fox is a former Muaythai world champion, who now holds various administrative roles in sport including the Presidency of the Alliance of Independent Recognised Members of Sport (AIMS). Fox is also Vice President of the Global Association of International Sports Federations (GAISF).



BLÁZSOVICS SECURES TRIPLE GOLD IN SUCCESSFUL FIRST NATIONAL CHALLENGER SERIES

World Champion Ádám Blázsovics was the star of the show during the world's first [National Challenger Series](#) event (29-30 August), taking home gold in the singles, doubles and mixed doubles at a high-quality tournament.



FITEQ PARTNERS WITH SPORT TV TO HELP BUILD AWARENESS OF TEQBALL IN CROATIA

Croatia's most watched sports television channel, Sport TV, is increasing awareness of teqball through broadcasting a variety of content, including the most recent World Championships. The partnership is helping FITEQ continue building the momentum of the world's fastest growing sport.



COUNTRIES EMBRACE FITEQ'S BACK2TEQ VISION

Czech Republic, Ghana, Indonesia and Eswatini are amongst the countries that have organised teqball-related activities to encourage people to stay active in recent weeks. FITEQ's **BACK2TEQ** vision embraces the world's fastest growing sport to support communities in the COVID-19 recovery phase.



FITEQ CSR PROJECT WITH PEACE AND SPORT FEATURES ON GAISF'S SUSTAINABILITY.SPORT PORTAL

FITEQ is delighted to confirm that the ongoing success of the Teqball in Zaatari Refugee Camp project has led to the initiative's inclusion as a case study on GAISF's sustainability.sport portal.



TEQBALL INDIA EDUCATION WEBINAR DRAWS NATIONAL INTEREST

FA successful education webinar, organised by Teqball India, was attended by over 150 players and coaches from across the country. The objective of the three-day webinar was to use an online platform to build awareness of the sport whilst the country remains largely under lockdown.

INSIDE TEQBALL



STORIES FROM THE TEQBALL WORLD

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