

Coach Association?

During the 10 m European Championships in Winterthur, Switzerland, a coach meeting was organised. Approx 25-30 coaches from all over Europe took part in this meeting where we discussed several subjects that we want to improve and mainly we discussed the necessity for a Coach Association or Committee. The Association should protect the interest of the coaches and shooters concerning the international competition calendar, rules and regulations etc. It was also considered important for the Association to be recognized by the European Shooting Confederation, ESC.

The Presidium Member of the ESC, Mrs Ghislaine Briez, represented the ESC during this meeting and she informed that her colleagues and the President, Mrs Unni Nicolaysen, were enthusiastic about the meeting and the possibility of a future Coach Committee or Association.

At the meeting we decide to start a network for coaches. If you want to be a member of this network please send an email to: linda.andersson@sportskytte.se with your name, function (coach, sport director etc), address, phone number, mobile number and email address.

At the end of the meeting the following working group was elected:

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This was a historical meeting where so many coaches from the whole of Europe came to discuss coach subjects and we hope that the coaches of the other continents will start a similar project like the one in Europe. For obvious reasons the clay target coaches were not present, but we hope that we soon will find a place where we can have a meeting together with the clay target coaches and that they all want to join us in the network and in the future Coach Association/Committee.

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