

Notes on the Methods Commission Meeting prior to the 2018 EHF Congress in Glasgow/SCO Monday, 18 June 2018 / 09:00 – 12:30 hrs. / Tay Room

Participants:

EHF MC : Jerzy Eliasz Chairman

Sjors Röttger Methods and Coaching Peter Kovacs Education and Training

Klaus Feldmann Youth, School and Non-competitive Sports

Pedro Sequeira Development Marta Bon Member

EHF Office: Helmut Höritsch BG Education & Development – Senior Manager

Doru Simion BG Additional Activities / Transfers – Senior Manager

Beata Kozłowska BG Education & Development (partly)

Notes:

1. Welcome

Jerzy Eliasz welcomes the participants and opens the meeting.

2. MC Minutes 04/2018

The MC Minutes 04/2018 are approved without any remarks. Jerzy Eliasz will report to the subsequent EHF Executive Committee meeting in the afternoon of the same day.

3. Methods and Coaching

Marta Bon and Sjors Röttger report on the Women's Handball promotional video produced by the EHF Women's Handball Board with women's handball role models to be used by National Federations as well as in the framework of the 2018 EHF Women's EURO in FRA.

Sjors Röttger will present a concept for a Dutch video production highlighting female coaches in handball at the MC Meeting in August this year.

Furthermore the upcoming EHF Congress shall be used for talks with interested nations in the new EHF "Coaches' Mentoring Programme" in female youth handball.

Pedro Sequeira reports on the interest of the International Coaches Association to carry-out informal talks with the EHF. The representative from HUN shall be invited to the EHF Office in autumn this year.

4. Education and Training

BIH and KOS will sign the EHF RINCK Convention at the upcoming EHF Congress.

The second module of the 2018 EHF and National Master Coach Courses was completed in Györ/HUN one day prior to the EHF Congress The third module will commence in December within the framework of the EHF EURO 2018 in France. At this time, 11 national master coach courses are ongoing in Europe with a "record number" of EHF Lecturer nominations. Eliasz underlines that it is the objective to increase the number of master coaches up to 1000 before



2020. All EHF CL clubs are to be reminded that as of the 2020/21 season PRO licenses (one team official on the "bench") are needed for all phases of competition. The same holds good for the 2020 EHF Men's and Women's EURO final rounds. This information will be delivered via a circular and at the workshop in September.

Peter Kovacs reports on the 2018 EHF Young Coaches Workshop in Szczyrk/POL from 3 – 8 June. Participants: 7 male and 7 female coaches out of 14 Member Federations (BIH, CZE, ESP, EST, GRE, ENG, ISR, ITA, MLT, NED, POL, SLO, SRB, SWE). Two additional participants from Poland got the chance from the Polish Handball Federation to audit the classes.

The Lecturers were Peter Kovacs / MC member, Milan Petronijevic / EHF Lecturer, Bojana Jelicić / EHF Scientific Network- Mental Coach, Carlos Prieto Martos / EHF Scientific Network, Florian Retter / Sport Scientist and Ryszard Jarząbek / Goalcha Expert

The Course was held in English. The age limit for coaches was 33 years. Every participant was asked to prepare two practical sessions (one in advance and one during the workshop) and present it with the demonstration teams. The demonstration teams were the Polish Junior National Teams (W U98 & W U02). All trainings and presentations were recorded. The EHF Lecturers were providing an individual feedback after every session, as well as an overall group feedback at the end of the day. The participants were very satisfied with the organization and the content of the Course. They have already received an access to the workshop documentation-photos, videos, presentations. The MC members shortly discussed the option of carrying-out EHF Young Coaches Workshops twice a year in the future.

Peter Kovacs proposes that Mattias Andersson/SWE and Vlado Sola/CRO shall be added to the EHF Scientific Network list as goalkeeper specialists.

5. Youth, School and Non-Competitive Sports

Pedro Sequeira reports that the 2018 EHF European Wheelchair Handball Nations' Tournament will take place in Leiria/POR from 30 November to 2 December 2018. The matches will be played in Pousos Handball Hall. Within the framework of the event, the first workshop on player classification will be held. Over the past working period, the Methods Commission has worked on the unification of the rules of the game and classification has begun. As it is not the intention to exclude players, this will be flexible. Information on the tournament has already been distributed.

Beata Kozłowska reports on the preparations for the EHF Grassroots Market Place which is planned for the final weekend of EHF EURO 2018 FRA and will take place in the new Educational Centre of the FFHB in Creteil. The activities proposed by the EHF will be combined with the 'innovation fair' planned and prepared by the Local Organiser. The overall schedule and details will be finalized in cooperation with the FFHB.



174 persons attended the EHF supported Handball-at-School Conference in Kielce/POL with the EHF Scientific Network expert C. Prieto Martos (ESP).

120 participants, including 2 teams from DEN, are expected at the EHF supported Summer Camp in Gdansk/POL at the beginning of August. A conference for YAC coaches will be run parallel to the Summer Camp.

Initiated by Klaus Feldmann concerning EHF teaching materials the EHF Office will prepare a "tick-off list" for EHF MC members to decide upon EHF web publications on the activities.eurohandball.com website in August this year.

6. Development

The EHF – MNE SMART programme shall be signed officially at the 14th EHF Congress the next day. Pedro Sequeira reports that all EHF development programmes are running due to schedule as foreseen.

7. Further Activities

The 2018 EHF Club Management Seminar in Cologne/GER from 24 - 26 May on the fringes of the Final4 was attended by seventeen participants. The e-learning and testing platform (blended learning programme) will be operational at the end of July.

The 2018 European Week of Sport will take place from 23 - 30 September 2018 with the EHF as a sporting partner as in the previous years. EHF Info 1 to the EHF Member Federations is planned for the beginning of July, EHF Info 2 for mid of July. Marta Bon will support activities in SLO and Jerzy Eliasz in POL.

Klaus Feldmann recommends the EHF cooperation with the University Bochum concerning the parameter based algorithm method as the basis for finding the MVP in an EHF EURO tournament.

8. MC Congress Report

Jerzy Eliasz will present an EHF MC 2016-18 activity report to the EHF Congress.

9. EHF CAN Congress Report

Helmut Höritsch will present an EHF CAN report to the EHF Congress because of the 10th anniversary of EHF CAN.

10. Miscellaneous

Jerzy Eliasz thanks the participants and closes the meeting.

Note-taking by Helmut Höritsch Vienna, 03 July 2018