

NEWSLETTER

INTERNATIONAL MÖLKKY ORGANISATION



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THE WORDS OF THE PRESIDENT

Dear all,

After a few years of unknown in the Mölkky world, 2022 was finally the year we got back to meet our friends, our opponents, our teammates, and the Mölkky community got together all again in August.

You could say it was really a long time ago, and yes it was, you haven't heard from IMO but we have been working in the back scene and you can see in the next pages the new IMO Board, elected for a new 3 year period. We would like to thanks Sebastien for the great work he has done within IMO in the last three years, as he decided to refocus on other aspects of our favorite game.

Meanwhile, you can discover what 2023 has in the bag for us, with some great tournaments coming up. But to make those tournaments even better, we need YOUR feedback, so see the survey link below. Please fill up and help us to get better tournaments in the future.

Last but not least, it is time for the IMO board to wish you all an Amazing and Happy New Year 2023, full of success, of missed throws, of beautiful shots, of great wins, but also beautiful losses in a fair-play environment, waiting for the community to gather again soon.

Damien, for IMO

WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP RESULTS

The 17th World Championship took place in Samoens, France.
167 teams were registered, coming from 17 nations. Congratulations to the new champions!

Le Bâton Bronzé (France) Yann Rayjal Jean-François Rayjal Julien Freneix Didier Franque Bruno Boulay	Team Lokki (Finland) Marko Lusi Jari Haasiatarha Joosua Hiljanen Jaakko Räsänen	Tomira (Czech Republic) Pavel Tisovsky Radomir Kral Antonin Kotrla
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IMO MEETING

On 19th 2022, IMO meeting took place.

The countries present voted to make the following decisions;

- Membership Fee of 70€
 - World Championship 2023 in Hyvinkää, Finland
 - World Championship 2024 in Hakodate, Japan
 - European Championship Indoor 2023 in Gössendorf, Austria
 - European Championship Outdoor 2023 in Warsaw, Poland
 - European Championship Indoor 2024 in Saint-Amand-Les-Eaux, France
- New IMO Board (2022-2025)

President: Damien Landais

Vice President: Walter Aust



Treasurer: Suvi Soini

Vice Treasurer: Oliver Lindenmayr



Secretary: Chiho Yatsuga

Vice Secretary: Olivier Allain



Social Media: Onur Sarioglu



2023 CALENDAR OF INTERNATIONAL TOURNAMENTS

● March 4-5 2023: European Indoor Championship

Organizers: "Mölkknators" and "Mölkings"

Where: Stocksporthalle Gössendorf Sportplatzstrasse 60 A-8077 Gössendorf, Austria

Max teams: 72 (minimum 40% international teams, 2+1 substitute/team)

Fee: 50 Euros/team (Team of 2)

Registration: moelkkynators.graz@gmx.at

Application details: <https://www.facebook.com/events/442269398021516>

● June 30-July 2 2023: European Outdoor Championship

Organizers: Polish Mölkky Federation

Where: HUTNIK tennis courts, Marymoncka 42 Warsaw, Poland

Max teams: 96 (3+1 substitute/team)

Fee: 75 euro/team

Application details: <https://www.facebook.com/molkkyp>

● August 4-6 2023: World Championship

Organizer: Fipa ry

Where: Pihkala, Hyvinkää, Finland

Max teams: No maximum (4+2 substitute/team)

Fee: 99 euros/ team

Application details: <https://molkkyc2023.fi/en/index.html>

2nd Asia Mölkky Championship Results

The 2nd Mölkky Asia Championship at Kimitsu City, Chiba was held on 2022/11/26-27th. Due to a sudden thunderstorm, the games had to be shortened to one day, but 274 teams participated in the event, including 4 teams from Hong Kong.

All game results can be seen here;

<https://molkkyp.jp/info-jma/15216/>

Also, the live video of the finals can be seen here

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=BocamFf50S4>

Winner: PöMaiKai

2nd Place: Wataneconomix

Best4: Sakatabeika, WAMöwkey

SURVEY

IMO wishes to refine the quality of tournaments and for that we hope for your feedback!
Please fill out the below form for the 17th MM.

<https://forms.gle/aTDTFhip43R758HUA>