Education

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The Status of ICHPER-SD Oceania Region
Agenda

1. A Critique and Challenge for Executing the Duties and Responsibilities as Stipulated in the Bylaws and Operating Codes

2. A prospect on the 2017 ICHPER-SD Anniversary World Congress and Exposition in Oceania region
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1. Regional Website & twitter
http://www.ichpersd-oceania.org/

2. Google Ad-Grant *(advertising campaign)*

3. Connect with organisations
Success

- Running (fast)
- Promotes the proud history of ICHPER-SD
- Connects with organisations
- Updates Oceania information (communication)
- Lists specific details about Oceania & news
- Links to ICHPER-SD website, policies & promotes WC & forums
- Details memberships & benefits
- Links to twitter account
- Celebrates past Oceania Vice Presidents
- Highlights Bahrain 56th Anniversary World Congress

Goals

- Complete details about past Vice Presidents (Research)
- Supplement with Division Commissioners
- Supplement with highlights of the 130th SHAPE America Convention & ICHPER-SD Forum

http://www.ichpersd-oceania.org/
Google Ad Grants
(USD 330 per day - $10,000 a month)
As of 12 March 2015 4:59am...
3. Connect with Organisations

- Pacific Islands

- Sportanddev.org

- ACHPER

The umbrella international organisation ICHPER was first conceived in 1980, and officially founded in Rome, Italy in 1988. The theme of the first ICHPER world congress was "Child Health and the School". There have since been 38 world congresses, 32 regional congresses and numerous forums, conferences and symposia. The ICHPER name was extended to include 'Sport' and 'Dance' (ICHPER-SD) in Yokohama, Japan in 1993. The latest congress, the 50th ICHPER-SD Anniversary World Congress & Exposition was recently held in Bahrain (December, 2014). ACHPER was formally known as Australian Physical Education Association (APEA) and the name change was a direct result of the ICHPER-SD first and only world congress to be held in Oceania (Sydney, 1970). Some may remember the ICHPER-SD (Oceania) first Regional congress, held in Wellington, NZ in 2006. The title of the 1970 Sydney world congress was "New Endeavours in Physical Education, Health Education and Recreation", it was of international significance, the best attended conference in the history of APEA and a milestone for "Health, Physical Education and Recreation" (Kirk & Macdonald, 1998). Proud ACHPER member and ACHPER-SD Vice-President (representing Oceania region), Dr. Timothy Lynch shares the strong history, direction and opportunity for working collaboratively with one of the oldest, largest and most prestigious international umbrella organisations.
UNESCO

HISTORY


CONTRIBUTION TO UNESCO’S PROGRAMMES

ICHPEResD, with its limited geographical extension offset by numerous projects and activities spread across the region, is a longstanding partner of UNESCO. Admitted to former Category B in 1979 and former Category A in 1984, its co-operation in promoting physical education and sport is regarded as important by the Education Sector. It recently submitted a draft revision of the UNESCO charter on physical education adopted in 1978. Nonetheless, over the past 10 years, ICHPEResD has not responded to the Director-General’s consultations on preparing the C/5 and C/4 documents nor responded in time to preparation of the sexennial report on NGOs. For the time being, relations could be further developed on the operational plane.

http://ngo-db.unesco.org/r/or/en/1100062724

• **Letter of introduction** to the Manager for External Relations and Public Information – Non Government Organisations UNESCO

• **E-mailed Nancy McLennan** n.mclennan@unesco.org as a follow up (and in regards to a possible research project extending from the UNESCO-NWCPEA World Wide Survey of School Physical Education.

  http://unesdoc.unesco.org/images/0022/002293/229335e.pdf

• No reply
World wide survey of school Physical Education

1 message

Timothy Lynch <timothy.lynnch@monash.edu> To: n.mclenahan@unesco.org

Wed, Feb 4, 2015 at 10:57 PM

Dear Nancy,

I am writing in regards to a study that extends from the UNESCO-NWCPEA World wide Survey of School Physical Education.

Briefly, I am the Vice-President (representing Oceania) of the International Council for Health, Physical Education, Recreation, Sport and Dance (ICHPER-SD). I have attached my letter of introduction that I posted (air mail) to the UNESCO Headquarters in Paris, 12 months ago.

ICHPER-SD have a strong and proud history working in partnership with UNESCO (Please see Literature Review attached).

At the 56th ICHPER-SD Anniversary World Congress & Exposition held in Manama (Bahrain), December 18-20 2014, the Executive Committee discussed in great depth various research projects. These discussions will continue on March 17, 2015 at the ICHPER-SD Forum to be held in Seattle, Washington (US) in conjunction with the 133th SHAPE America (AAMPERSD) Convention and Exposition.

One research project that ICHPER-SD are discussing relates to the World wide Survey of School Physical Education. The possible project will be in more depth. This link is to a report that I completed for the Australian Government [Australian Institute of Teachers and School Leaders (AITS/L)]. It shares insights of how Physical Education is implemented in primary schools in Australia.


This study was specifically for Government primary schools (376 principal participants from a cross-section of Australian Government schools representing every state and territory, region and size). Data was also collected for Catholic Education Schools (making up 25% of schools in Australia) and Independent Schools. In total the study has approximately 700 surveys completed by school principals giving an accurate and detailed account of how PE is implemented in Australia. This extends from the UNESCO-NWCPEA World wide Survey of School Physical Education which had 11 surveys completed for Oceania (Australia, New Zealand and the Pacific Islands).

ICHPER-SD are interested in extending this primary school survey across New Zealand and the Pacific Islands to represent Oceania. Also across all eight regions of ICHPER-SD; Africa, Asia, Caribbean, Europe, Latin America, Middle East, North America (Oceania).

I am writing as an expression of interest for UNESCO’s support in this most valuable research project, and continued success of UNESCO and ICHPER-SD’s long affiliation. My details are found here www.timothylyncheducation.com and ICHPER-SD (Oceania region) is found here www.ichpersd-oceania.org

ICHPER-SD’s website is www.ichpersd.org

I look forward to your reply.

Thanking-you kindly,

Dr. Timothy Lynch

www.timothylyncheducation.com
Connections continued…

As the newly elect Vice-President for ICHPER-SD (Oceania), in February 2014 I began initial duties by sending letters of introduction to:

- Mr Graeme Quelch – President for the Australian Council for Health, Physical Education and Recreation (ACPER).

- Associate Professor Lisette Burrows – President for Physical Education New Zealand (PENZ)

- Mr John Wylie AM – Chair of the Australian Sports Commission (ASC).

- Dr Shin Young-soo – Regional Director WHO Western Pacific

- Manager for External Relations and Public Information – Non-Government Organisations UNESCO

Electronic mail and phone calls have been used to also contact:

- Sophie Beauvais – Director, International Sport for Development, Participation and Sustainable Sport, Australian Sports Commission

- Dr. Jacob Kool – World Health Organisation (Western Pacific Region) Country Liaison Officer for Vanuatu

- Dr. Amton Serel Mwarakurmes – University of the South Pacific (USP), Emalus Campus, Lecturer in Education, School of Education

- Henry Tavoa - Chief Executive Officer (CEO) of Vanuatu Association of Sports and National Olympic Committee (VASANOC)

- James Kalo Malua - Sports Development Officer of Vanuatu Association of Sports and National Olympic Committee (VASANOC), and member of the Oceania National Olympic Committee (ONOC) Education Commission - Governance body of Oceania Sport Education Program (OSEP)

- Alison Turner – National Executive Director, Australian Council for Health Physical Education and Recreation (ACPER)

- Hilary Shelton – Chief Executive Officer, Australian Council for Health Physical Education and Recreation (ACPER – Victorian branch)

- Dr. Bernie Holland – Professional Learning Manager, Australian Council for Health Physical Education and Recreation (ACPER – Victorian branch)

- Dr. Trent Brown – President, Australian Council for Health Physical Education and Recreation (ACPER – Victorian branch)
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- Presenting and promoting ICHPER-SD at the 29th ACHPER Conference in Adelaide 13-15 April 2015.
- Working towards 2017 World Congress! This is the drive for membership (addressed in item 2 of the Agenda).
- Google Ad Grant – extension is ‘make connections’ –

http://www.ichpersd-oceania.org/#!ichper-sd-membership/c1z0x
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Possible Research projects

- Dr. Suzuki & Dr. Hatano ICHPER-SD Fitness Research Project
- Research Project Proposal
- Oceania standards for Physical Education
ICHPER-SD Fitness Research Project

- similar research projects within Australia recently that may provide valuable data.

- Dr. Richard (Dick) Telford - LOOK (Lifestyle Of Our Kids) project - longitudinal study; commenced in 2005 with 850 participants from 29 schools. Data (measurements) were collected annually from 8 - 12 years and in 2013 measurements were taken of the children at 16 years of age. Fitness was measured and details of methods are offered in the papers.

- Active Healthy Kids Australia (AHKA) Report Card which was released for the first time in 2014. Developed by a team consisting of 26 researchers and representing 12 Australian universities and research groups. The Report Card was “developed using synthesised data from a number of national and state-based surveys” (Active Healthy Kids Australia (AHKA), 2014, p. 6). The surveys were all conducted since 2008 and involved more than 33,000 participants (boys and girls) between the ages of 2 and 17 years. The 2014 AHKA Report Card assigns letter grades across 12 different indicators.

- The magnitude of these projects are much larger than I could personally develop. I think that the best and most efficient way of providing the ICHPER-SD International Fitness Project with the data from Australia (Oceania) would be to use the data that has recently been published and/or invite Dr. Richard (Dick) Telford to become involved.

- TIME poor
How is Physical Education implemented in primary schools?

- This survey was published by the Australian Government's AITSL organisation (Australian Institute for Teachers and School Leadership).

- possible ICHPER-SD / UNESCO supported international project, providing valuable data for improving children's holistic health around the globe.


- http://media.wix.com/ugd/842c5e_6d12d32e503c434e87268532bd8c5b5c.pdf
Oceania specific standards

- Oceania specific version of the ICHPER-SD/ UNESCO (2001-2004) - 'International Standards for Physical Education & Sport for School Children/Youth'.

1. International Standards for Physical Education and Sport for School Children,

2. Global Standards for Professional Preparation of Physical Educators, and

3. A Global Vision for School Physical Education

- resulting from the joint project between ICHPER-SD and UNESCO (Contract No. 105051.0) and approved by the Intergovernmental Committee for Physical Education and Sport (CIGEPS) of UNESCO
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ICHPER-SD (Oceania region) World Congress

- Needs to bid for a world congress rather than a regional
- Unique context of the Oceania region – rebuilding phase of ICHPER-SD (Oceania)
- Cannot compete with ACHPER (need to compliment)
- WC benefits all stakeholders with HPERSD mission
- Require ACHPER’s support
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SHAPE America & ICHPER-SD Forum

Promoted

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- Victorian State Government (Melbourne Convention Bureau)
- Discussions are continuing MCB
- ACHPER support – discussions continuing

- [http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=XHrCf_mdj1s](http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=XHrCf_mdj1s)
Some things to consider…

http://www.sportanddev.org/en/newsnviews/news/?12065/1/Grant-opportunity-at-Games-4-Good-Foundation