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Election of the World Handball Players of the Year 2009

The users of the official IHF website have the choice: Who will be World Handball Player of the Year 2009? An expert selection committee has chosen three male and female candidates for each category – and now it's your turn. Until 22 May you have the possibility to elect your male and female World Handball Players of the Year. You simply have to cast your vote for one of the male/female nominees.

Concerning the male players, you can choose between Igor Vori (Croatia), Slawomir Szmal (Poland) and Nikola Karabatic (France). The female nominees are Alison Pineau (France), Liudmila Postnova (Russia) and Katrine Lunde-Haraldsen (Norway). You will find a short presentation of all nominees as well as the election on www.ihf.info.

II. Extraordinary IHF Congress

From 23 to 24 April, the second Extraordinary IHF Congress will take place in Rome. This Congress was enacted and called during the last Ordinary Congress in Cairo in June 2009.

For any further information, please visit our official website of the II Extraordinary IHF Congress by clicking on the following link: http://www.ihf2010congress.com/home/.

The next Ordinary Congress will take place in Marrakech (Morocco) in 2011.

IHF agenda until June 2010

| Date | Place | | Organiser | Event |
|-------------|------------|-----|-----------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| April | | | | |
| 05/04-11/04 | Bangladesh | IND | IHF | Challenge Trophy |
| 06/04-10/04 | Rosario | ARG | PATHF | Women's Junior Pan American Championship/Qualification for 2010 WJWCh |
| 09/04-10/04 | Basel | SUI | IHF | Meeting of Commission for Promotion and Public Relation (CPP) |
| 10/04-16/04 | Muscat | OMA | ОНА | Masters course for Beach Handball Referees |
| 13/04-17/04 | Camboriu | BRA | PATHF | Men's and Women's Youth Pan American Championship |
| 21/04 | Rome | ITA | IHF | Executive Committee Meeting |
| 22/04 | Rome | ITA | IHF | Council Meeting |
| 23/04-24/04 | Rome | ITA | IHF | Il Extraordinary Congress |

| May | | | | |
|-------------|-------------|-----|-------|-------------------------------------------------------------|
| 04/05-08/05 | | | PATHF | Men's Pan American Club Championship |
| 17/05-21/05 | Doha | QAT | IHF | Super Globe |
| June | | | | |
| 12/06-13/06 | | | EHF | Play-off matches/Qualification for 2011 MWCh |
| 19/06-20/06 | | | EHF | Play-off matches/Qualification for 2011 MWCh |
| 21/06-04/07 | Nyiregyhaza | HUN | | FISU 20th World University Handball Championship |
| 22/06-27/06 | Antalya | TUR | IHF | Men's and Women's Beach World Championship |
| 22/06-26/06 | Santiago | СНІ | PATHF | Men's Pan American Championship/Qualification for 2011 MWCh |