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## CALENDAR

### • Calendar 2007 : Reminder

We are kindly requesting all National Federations to send information regarding the international competitions they plan to hold in the year 2007 to the ICF Headquarters and the respectful Chairman by **August 1st 2006**.

Information should include the date, the venue, the organizer, type of competition, contact phones, website and e-mail address.

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## NATIONAL FEDERATION

### • New Officer for Chinese Taipei Canoe Association

The Chinese Taipei Canoe Association is pleased to inform you that Mr. Lo Fu Ju has been elected as the new President of the Chinese Canoe Association.

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### • New E-mail for Netherlands Antilles Canoe Federation

The Netherlands Antilles Canoe Federation is pleased to inform you that they have a new e-mail address : [aho.canoekayak@gmail.com](mailto:aho.canoekayak@gmail.com)

### • The Passing of Gert Fredriksson, Olympic Medallist

The Swedish Canoe Federation just announced that the celebrity Gert Fredriksson has passed away.

Fredriksson was born on November 21<sup>st</sup>, 1919, in Nyköping, Sweden.

He earned his first Olympic medals at the 1948 London Games, winning gold in the 1,000- and 10,000-meter kayak singles. His margin of victory in the 10,000 — 30.5 seconds — is the largest in the sport, according to the International Olympic Committee.

Fredriksson won six more medals — four gold, one silver and one bronze — at the next three Olympics, becoming the only Swede to win gold medals in four Olympics. He also won seven gold medals at the canoeing world championships and 71 individual and team titles in the Swedish championships.

Fredriksson competed well into his 40's. In 1968, at age 48, he could have made the Swedish Olympic squad, but decided to coach the team instead, the federation's Secretary General, Anders Danielsson, said.

Fredriksson's Olympic medal tally in canoeing is surpassed only by Birgit Fischer of Germany, who won eight gold and four silver medals in six Games.

Mr Fredriksson's funeral will be held on Friday, August 4th at 1:00 pm in Alla helgona kyrka in Nyköping. After the funeral, there will be a memorial ceremony, arranged by Arvidssons begravningsbyrå. If you wish to attend, call 00 46 155 20 56 60 at the latest 28 July. Instead of flowers, think about Gert Fredrikssons stipendiefond (scholarship foundation).

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## JOB OFFER

- **Coach for Indian National Canoe Team**

The Indian Kayaking and Canoeing Association needs to prepare a panel of coaches for their National Teams in Canoeing and Kayaking, especially Slalom Racing Dragon Boat Racing and also for Rafting.

They require these positions for the period of Asian Games 2010-2014, Olympics 2012-2016 and also for other International Competitions.

Candidates should send their profile and ensure that the following information is included:

- Individual performance at International levels;
- Coaching performance of teams at national and international levels;
- Language written and spoken.

Terms and conditions for the coaches will be as per the Government of India norms applicable from time to time which is presently US\$ 2000/- per month plus board and lodging, medical facilities, local travel and air travel from overseas to India and back.

More info : [info@ikcasports.com](mailto:info@ikcasports.com)

## COMMUNICATION

- **Mrs Maree Burnett, New Board Member**

The ICF is pleased to advise that Maree Burnett, from New Zealand, was elected as the second representative for Oceania for the ICF Board of Directors at a meeting of the Oceanian Continental Association on June 21, 2006. The OCA was established at the beginning of the year 2006 and Mrs Helen Brownlee was elected as President.

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