



INTERNATIONAL TENNIS TABLE FEDERATION
PARA TABLE TENNIS

TECHNICAL DELEGATE
REPORT

Name of Tournament: 6th Slovenia Open thermana Laško 2009

Ranking Factor: 40

Name of Responsible Paralympic Committee of Slovenia and Svaza za
sport invalidov Slovenije

**Name of Chairman of
Organising Committee:** Mr. Gorazd Vecko

Dates of inspection: May 5. – 10. 2009

Name of Technical Delegate: Nico Verspeelt
Name of Deputy Technical Delegate: Margita Homolova

**Report submitted to IPC
and IPTTC the:** May 12, 2009

Airport: **Ljubljana** International Airport – 1 hour to the Hotels
Maribor airport – 30 minutes to the Hotels
Graz, Austria – 1 hour and 30 minutes to the Hotels

Accommodation:

HOTEL ZDRAVILISČE****

Zdraviliska str. 4
www.zdravilisce-lasko.si

Hotel WELLNESS PARK LAŠKO****

Zdraviliska str. 4.
www.zdravilisce-lasko.si

Hotel HUM

Trg svobode 1
For umpires only.

Accommodation was about 5 minutes walk distance to the venue. There was prepared transport between venue and all hotels based on 20 minutes schedule.

Transport from / to airport / Hotel /Venue:

Organizers will have sufficient number of busses accessible for wheelchair users.

Venue: Sport hall TRI LILJE
Playing hall: With 20 tables – STIGA, Premium Compact W, blue
Floor: sports flooring
Lighting: Suitable
Toilets: 1 in the hall accessible toilet, 1 TOY TOY outside of the hall
Restaurant: for snacks and drinks

Water was available during whole tournament – galoons

Referee's table : No special room .
: Deputy Referee, computer staff in playing hall
Medical service : First aid and paramedical presented all the time in the sport hall
Officials' room : No special room
Umpires : CZE – 1, GER – 2, HRV – 11, HUN – 2,
ITA – 3, SRB – 36, SVK – 6, SVN - 17
In total – **45**

Equipment:

Tables: 20 tables – STIGA, Premium Compact W, blue accessible for wheelchair users.
All tables ITTF approved
Balls: STIGA Competition *** white
Scorers: STIGA, , ITTF approved
Net/Post: STIGA, ITTF approved
Surroundings: STIGA, ITTF approved
Boxes for towels: STIGA

Program: Playing days May 6 – May 9, 2009

May 5, 2009	Participants arrival. Draw for Open event made by Referee and TD + team leaders meeting at the evening at 21, 00.
May 6, 2009	Start of competition Open and draw for Singles events- first round for 8 classes (Male 1-4 and Male 6-9)
May 7, 2009	Continue of Singles and draw of Teams events
May 8, 2009	Team competition and medal ceremony for singles
May 9, 2009	Farewell Dinner at 20, 00 with medal ceremony for Open and Teams
May 10, 2009	Departure day of teams

Competition hours:	May 6	09:00 – 21, 00
	May 7- 8	09,00 – 21, 00
	May 9	09:00 – 18, 00

Number of Participants:	Women	69
	Men	183
	Staff	85
	Total	337

Players of 27 countries were present at the tournament:

Americas region:	ARG, BRA, CRC - 3
EU Region:	AUT, BEL, CRO, CZE, FIN, FRA, GER, GBR, HUN, IRL, ISR, ITA, NED, NOR, POL, SLO, SRB, SUI, SVK, SWE, TUR, – 21
Asia Region:	JOR, KOR, TPE - 3

Transport: Transport (from Airports to hotel) was organized well.
The organizing committee had possibility to use the sufficient number of wheelchairs acceptable buses and vans. At the airports were welcome volunteers to meet the participants.

Meetings: There was the meeting for team leaders on May 5 at 21, 00.
A players meeting was foresee on May 7 at 21,00 – invitation and leading by the athletes.

EDP: No courses were organized during the tournament

Classification: No classifications of new players was organized !

Total number of athletes to be observed	:	19 (class 5)
Number of not showing up	:	3 did not come for tournament
Total number	:	16

Results: The Tournament Director, Mr. Vecko Gorazd passed the results on CDs to the participating countries during the farewell party and also to the ITTF PTT Ranking Officer, Mr. Gael Marziou.

Officials:

Referee	: Mr.	Matija KRNC	SVN
Deputy Referees	: Mr.	Gaj VIDMAR	SVN
	: Mr.	Mladen SOLAR	HRV
Competition manager	: Mr.	Janez STIBRIC	SVN
Umpires leader	: Mrs.	Milana KRMLEJ	SVN
Technical Delegate	: Mr.	Nico VERSPEELT	BEL
Deputy Technical Delegate	: Mrs.	Margita HOMOLOVA	SVK
Classifiers	: Mr.	Juraj STEFAK	SVK
	Mr.	Miroslav HAVRDA	CZE
Transport	: Mr.	Gorazd VECKO	

Medical services: Medical service was present the whole time during the tournament at the venue

Ball boys: During the tournament were enough ball boys presented for wheelchair players – daily about 30.

Evaluation :

Accommodations : very good also for wheelchairs
Transport : very good
Meals : good, all served in the hotels
Venue : good
Water : available during the 4 days from barrels
Tables : 20 ITTF approved Stiga Premium Compac all accessible for wheelchair players
Referee : international level – professional work
Deputy Referees : international level – professional work
Umpires : good international level
Computer : very good professional work !
Organisation : very good organization with very welcoming people
Medal presentation : good presentation for the single events in playing venue just after the finals,
good presentation for team events and open events during the party in hotel.

TO FORESEE : after tree years of promises, it is now **MANDATORY** that 2 new additional lift will be build for the next edition of the TT open !

**CONGRATULATIONS to Gorazd and his complete team.
THANK YOU FOR THIS VERY NICE TOURNAMENT.**

Nico VERSPEELT - BEL
TD of the tournament

Margita HOMOLOVA – SVK
Deputy TD