



To all the ABAF
Member Federations

Balkan Race Walking Championships

Florina (GRE) 16 April 2016

Dear Friends,

It is our pleasure to invite your Team in the Balkan Race Walking Championships, to be held in Florina (Greece) on April 16th 2016.

The Competition is open to Senior – Junior and Youth athletes (M-W). Two athletes from each team may compete in each race. “Out of Competition” athletes are accepted, but will not be eligible for medals.

The organizing Federation will cover the board and lodging expenses for a maximum of 2 nights for a maximum of 16 persons (12 athletes & 4 officials, including one race walking judge) we also kindly ask to the Federations having International Race Walking Judges to include them in the Team, as this competition will be considered as valid towards the Rio 2016 Entry Standards.

If a Team is travelling by bus, the drivers shall not count in the above quota, their accommodation shall be covered by the Organizers.

Additional participants can be entered on the cost of the visiting Federation.

Thessaloniki International Airport is the official arrival airport and the organizers shall arrange transfers for teams travelling by plane.

Hotel information will be sent in due time, however to permit us arrange your stay in the best possible way, we would kindly ask you to send us your

Preliminary Entries by 20 March 2016, at the latest.

Federations needing Visas to enter Greece, are kindly requested to send us a name list with all passport details, so that we can send the necessary invitation which will enable the participants get an entry visa, at the earliest convenience.

Looking forward to welcoming you in Florina,

Kind regards,

Kostas Panagopoulos
SEGAS President

