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To all of the ABAF Members Federation

Dear Friends,

In the preparations for the next edition of the Balkan Half Marathon Championships to be staged in Kyiv/UKR on 07 April 2019, we are pleased to present you the following important information:

Competition: Balkan Half Marathon Championships

Date: 06-08 April 2019

Venue: Kyiv

Participants: Senior Men and Women

Two (2) male and two (2) female athletes from each country may compete. The athletes must be entered by their Federation to be eligible for Balkan classification.

No athletes younger than 18 years on 31 December 2019 shall be accepted.

Program: one-day competition program

Male: half marathon (21,0975 km)

Female: half marathon (21,0975 km)

Competitions will be conducted in accordance with the IAAF Competition Rules, Anti-Doping Rules and competition regulations approved by Balkan Athletics and the organizers.

Composition and Structure of Participating Teams

Teams Composition: 4 athletes (two men and two women), 1 official.

Determination of Winners

Winners of the competitions are determined separately by the events of the competition program, as well as in the team competition. Scoring in team competitions is carried out according to the Competition Regulations.

The finishing positions of the teams in each event shall be decided according to the aggregates of the finishing places of the finishers of each team. The team with the lowest aggregate being the winner, and so on.



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If two or more teams have an equality of scores the tie shall be decided in favor of the team with the best-placed athlete.

Financing Costs & Conditions of Travel & Accommodation Expenses

The hosting Federation is covering the board and lodging expenses for a maximum of 2 nights (from 6th to 8th of April 2019), of a maximum of 4 athletes and 1 official per member federation.

Each team shall pay the cost of international travel expenses to / from Kyiv, entry visas (in case of late submitting, visa fee is required), medical insurance.

Competition organizers will cover the local transportation expenses to / from airport / railway station to / from the hotel/stadium to a place of competition / training, sports facilities, etc.

Additional participants can be entered, at their own cost The full board price as agreed will be per day/person as follows:

TEAMS	Single (price/person)	Twin (price/person)
Out of ratio/quota officials (full board) and Out of period rate (all team members/full board)	EUR 90	EUR 75

Each participating team shall be allocated a minimum number of single rooms equal to 10 per cent of the total number of athletes entered, for the price of a twin room. Any extra single rooms for in quota athletes and officials will be charged at EUR 90,00.- per person, per night in full board. The full board cost for additional nights, out of quota officials and additional single rooms are paid for by the relevant Member Federation.

The Ukrainian Athletic Federation cooperates with the Association of Balkan Athletic Federation within the framework of the cooperation agreement.

Official airport

The official airport is international airport "Borispol", Kyiv, which is located 75 minutes' drive to the Team's hotel, where team members will be accommodated

Visas

Countries requiring visas to enter Ukraine should obtain them from Ukraine Embassy or Consulate in their country. In case there is the Ukraine Embassy in your country, please contact the nearest Embassy. The following countries require visas to enter the Ukraine:



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MKD (FYR of Macedonia)

KOS (Kosovo) – Participants can apply only with Serbian passports!

It is the federations' own responsibility to apply for visas at the embassies or consulates and to make sure that all documents required for the application are complete. Incomplete applications slow down the process and may lead to a visa not being issued on time.

Participants who require a visa should contact the LOC to obtain a special invitation letter by sending an e-mail to yabocharska@uaf.org.ua with the following information:

- Full name (first name and FAMILY NAME as shown in passport)
- Nationality - Date of birth - Passport Number
- Function in the Team (athlete or official)

Procedure and Deadlines for Submitting entries for Participation in Competitions

Preliminary entries specifying the number of participants and details of arrival must be submitted by email: yabocharska@uaf.org.ua by March 15, 2019.

Final Entries specifying the names of participants s must be submitted by March 31, 2019.

Best regards,

General Secretary



Mykhailo Medved