



**TÜRKİYE ATLETİZM FEDERASYONU**  
**Turkish Athletic Federation**

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**ABAF MEMBER FEDERATIONS**

Subject: Balkan Race Walking Championships

Dear Friends,

We have the pleasure in inviting you to participate in the Balkan Race Walking Championships to be held in Ayvalık/Balıkesir on 18 April 2015.

In conformity with the ABAF Championships Regulations, we are ready to cover the board and lodging expenses for a maximum of 2 nights of a maximum of 16 persons, that is 12 athletes and 4 officials (including 1 race walking judge) in principle. We encourage you to include a race walking judge in your delegation.

**Please find attached the Preliminary Entry Form. We would appreciate if you could return the form with your intended number of the delegation by Friday, 20 March 2015.**

The Final Entry Form will be sent along with the hotel details early-April.

Ayvalık is a seaside district of the city of Balıkesir located on the north-western Aegean coast of Turkey. The nearest airport is İzmir Adnan Menderes Airport (ADB), 170 km to Ayvalık. Transportation to and from the airport will be provided by our Federation. Teams travelling by bus may follow the main Çanakkale-İzmir highway (road number: D550/E87) through Edirne and Keşan.

Should you need any further information or need assistance, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Looking forward to welcoming you in Ayvalık.

Sincerely yours,

**Fatih ÇİNTİMAR**  
President