



Summary from meeting with FIB Workgroup

FIB Workgroup, Boris Skrynnik, Stig Bertilsson, Arne Anderstedt and Bo Nyman have had a meeting with the purpose to discuss primarily, how to play World Championship in the future and also the Olympic issue.

World Championship in the future

The Workgroup identified some key factors for the coming work to prepare a proposal for FIB Annual Congress about how to play World Championship (WCS) in the future.

- Develop bandysport worldwide thru WCS. FIB has more than 20 countries (teams) taking part in WCS. Develop participating countries with assistance from ex players/coaches. To develop B-group and new countries is very important and has high priority.
- FIB Development Committee will produce a tailor made development program..
- Arrange a pool-system with participating teams on equal skill level.
- If possible reduce the costs for organizing WCS.
- Time schedule is FIB TC/FIB EC in October and FIB Annual Congress in March/April 2020.

The Olympic issue

FIB has since long time settled formal criterion for an Olympic wintersport. FIB has also produced a number of folders for Bandy presentation and had meetings with different representatives for IOC.

The influence on decision makers for Bandy as an Olympic sport will continue.

- Existing folders for Bandy presentation will be completed and focused.
- All National Federations must influence it's IOC members.
- A video presentation for Bandy will be produced.
- Time schedule is World Cup in October 2019.