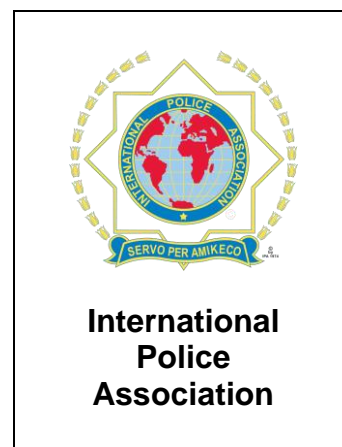


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All Sections are reminded of the IAC Website at <www.ipa-iac.org> and the IPA House site, which can be accessed direct at < www.ipa-houses.info >

IPC Members meet in Athens

IPC Chairman, Stephen Crockard, and members of his Commission met in Athens from the 24th to 27th March. You can read Stephen's report of the meeting in **Appendix 'A'**.

Example of IPA Hospitality

On a recent visit to Kenya, Kathy Bird, the daughter of a Canadian IPA member, was warmly received by 1st Vice President Shuaib Adam and his wife. Kathy's report can be found at **Appendix 'B'**.

Arthur Troop book – Service Through Friendship

The cost of the book, written by our Founder Arthur Troop and now updated by his son Kevin Troop, has been confirmed at £12 within the UK and £14 for orders from abroad per book, including postage. For larger orders the postage costs will be reduced. Payment is to be made in Sterling by international money order. Please send orders to the IAC.

IPA Romania celebrates International Women's Day

Section Romania held several events to celebrate International Women's Day (8th March). In Timisoara over 450 friends enjoyed a music and dance show at "Aurora" hall (restaurant). Among those invited were the President and six members from IPA Csongrad Region (Hungary), the President of Subotica IPA Region (Serbia) and the Secretary General of IPA Serbia.

In Arad county 438 friends from the police, gendarmerie, fire service and prison service enjoyed a musical show in the "Park Hotel" restaurant.

About 200 policewomen from Sibiu and Galati counties were invited to parties where they enjoyed gifts and flowers, music and dance.

Request from South African member

IPA member and member of the South Africa Police Band, Lt. Col. Michael TOBIAS, is studying for a Masters Degree in Music. As part of his studies, he would like to make contact with any police bands internationally. Could responses please be sent via Section South Africa (e-mail: ipasa@lantic.net).

IPA Trinidad & Tobago

Trinidad and Tobago, a twin-island state, lies at the southern end of the Caribbean chain of islands just seven miles from South America. The total land area for both islands is 1,980 sq. miles, Trinidad being the larger of the two. With a population of approximately 1.3 million, Trinidad and Tobago boasts a rich and exciting diversity. The major ethnic groups are African and Indian descendants followed by Europeans, Middle Easterners, and Chinese.

There are currently 60 IPA members in Trinidad & Tobago and together, as Foreign Associate Members, they form Region 101 of IPA Section USA. One of their members, Francis Biput successfully completed the Arthur Troop Scholarship recently and the current President, Curtis Belford and his team would be happy to welcome visiting IPA colleagues from around the world.

Curtis can be contacted on belfordc@aol.com . Check out the IPA TT webpage at www.ipatt.myeweb.net

Survey on Stress in Policing

We have received a request from Dr. Kim S. Ménard, Assistant Professor of Criminal Justice at Penn State Altoona, part of the Pennsylvania State University system (USA). Dr. Ménard is conducting a study examining stress in policing and would like members from as many countries as possible to take part in an online survey at - www.surveymonkey.com/s/policestudy. Participation is voluntary and anonymous and should take about 20 minutes to complete. The survey is approved by the Pennsylvania State University Institutional Review Board. See **Appendix 'C'** for more information.

International Diary Dates

- USA We have been informed that unfortunately the Region 12 cruise planned for 1st to 8th October 2011 (announced in the October 2010 Newsletter) has been **CANCELLED** due to a lack of bookings.
- POLAND The International Motor Championships of Uniform Services "Uniform Motor Rally 2011" will take place in Toruń on the 17th and 18th September. Each National Section may enter one 2-man team. See **Appendix 'D'** for more information.
- SERBIA The 4th Vidovdan Cup 5-a-side football tournament is being organised by Region Braničevo, from 23rd to 26th June. See **Appendix 'E'** for more information.

Events sent separately –

GERMANY	International meeting of IPA friends with camper vans in Karlsruhe, Germany, from 25 th to 28 th August. (Sent 9-3-11)
ITALY	An IPA Sports Gala will take place in Senigallia (Ancona), Italy, from 1 st – 5 th September. (Sent 25-3-11)
SERBIA	Shooting competition, to be held in Kikinda, Serbia, on the 30 th April 2011. Weapons will be provided by the host. (Sent 29-3-11)
USA	2011 Western Experience, organised by Region 25 Arizona, between October 15-19 2011. This will run at the same time as the National Delegate Congress. Details and a promotional video can be seen on - www.ipa-usa-region25.org . (Sent to Sections 14-3-11)

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Georgios Katsaropoulos
International Secretary General

IPA CALENDAR OF EVENTS:

(as advertised previously):

2011

- TURKEY** 3rd International Symposium on Children at Risk and in Need of Protection will be held 20-22 April 2011 in Ankara, Turkey. The 2011 theme will be *Prevention of Children from Substance Abuse*. IPA Turkey will pay for travel and full board accommodation for one professional participant (preferably serving police) from each National Section who specialises in the field of children. If possible would applicants please provide an academic paper. To register please visit <http://www.cocuksempozyumu.info/eng/default.asp>. Then please inform the contact persons on email: Denis Yildiz: deniz.yildiz@ipa.org.tr and/or Aydin Karan cocuksempozyum@gmail.com (Newsletter 2011-02)
- SLOVENIA** Section Slovenia will celebrate its 20th anniversary. You are invited to join the celebrations from 21st to 24th April 2011. (Newsletter 2010-07 + 2011-02)

- SPAIN As part of its 50th anniversary celebrations Section Spain has organised two events:
- CANCELLED** 1) A Friendship Week, which will take place from 2nd to 8th May 2011. The Programme, hotel details and prices plus the booking form can be found in English and Spanish on the website :- www.ipavallesocc.org/semanaamistad2011, or contact - ipaspainweek2011@hotmail.es or available from the IAC
- 2) An 8-day IPA Cruise, beginning on 29th May 2011.
(Newsletter 2011-01)
- ROMANIA 6th Football Tournament – hosted by IPA Region 3 Oradea - 18/22 May.
(Newsletter 2011-01)
- ITALY 12th Adriatic Trophy – 5-a-side football competition – 18/22 May 2011.
(Newsletter 2010-12)
- LUXEMBOURG You are invited to a 50th Anniversary Celebration being held on 19/22 May 2011.
(Newsletter 2010-11)
- POLAND The XIIIth International Football Tournament Poznan 2011 is planned for 19th to 22nd May.
(Newsletter 2011-02)
- ITALY 35th Anniversary Tuscany and Umbria Tour – 23/29 May 2011.
(Newsletter 2010-11)
- ITALY 10th Trophy "Riviera del Conero" Teams are invited to this Five-a-side Football competition in Ancona, to be held 26-29 May.
(Newsletter 2010-11)
- FRANCE Round Trip/Rhône-Alpes Tour, organized by IPA-Branch Rhône, May 30th - June 5th 2011.
(Newsletter 2010-11)
- BRAZIL Eco Friendship Week to be held from 30th May to 11th June. Visit the website: www.ipaeco.com or e-mail: contact@ipaeco.com
(Newsletter 2011-02)
- AUSTRIA The 17th National Delegates Congress (NDC) will take place in St. Poelten / Lower Austria, from 2nd to 5th June 2011. At the same time the IPA Region Lower Austria will celebrate its 50th anniversary. You will find information and the registration form on <http://termine.ipa.at> (German & English).
(Newsletter 2010-11)
- UK IPA Cornwall Branch invites you to 'Friendship on the Beach Week', June 4th – 11th 2011.
(Newsletter 2010-11)

- CANADA Section Canada will host a Friendship Week to celebrate its 50th anniversary, from 4th to 13th June 2011. *(Newsletter 2010-04)*
- SPAIN As part of the 50th anniversary celebrations of Section Spain, the IX Seven a side Police Football Championship tournament to be held in Tarragona from 9 to June 11, 2011. *(Newsletter 2010-12)*
- SAN MARINO The 1st Motorbiking and Freedom event will be held from 9th to 12th June 2011. *(Newsletter 2010-11)*
- BULGARIA *All Sections* are invited to attend the XII meeting of Central and Eastern European Sections from 15th to the 19th of June 2011. Information can be obtained from the President, Zinaida Gantcheva, at ipa_bg@club-35.com *(Newsletter 2011-02)*
- HUNGARY The Region of Győr-Moson-Sopron will hold 20th anniversary celebrations from 16th - 18th June. *(Newsletter 2011-03)*
- ITALY 50° Anniversary Celebration of IPA Region 4 Alto Adige - Sudtiroi, which will be held in Merano (Bolzano) from 16th to 19th June 2011. *(Newsletter 2010-11)*
- ITALY The 1st IPA Motorcycle Rally arranged by the Local Branch members of FIEMME e FASSA, Region 22 Trentino – 16/19th June. Those wishing to join this interesting international event will be sightseeing in the Dolomites, one of the most beautiful parts of the Italian Alps. *(Newsletter 2011-01)*
- ITALY The 1st “5-a-side aboard” football tournament will be held on the Navigator of the Seas cruise ship, departing from Civitavecchia Harbour on 26th June and returning on 3rd July 2011. *(Newsletter 2011-01)*
- UK To celebrate its 25th anniversary, the Ayrshire Branch (Scotland) will host a Friendship Week from 6th to 13th August 2011. *(Newsletter 2010-04)*
- AUSTRIA The 50th anniversary celebrations of IPA Vienna will take place from 21st to 26th August. *(Newsletter 2011-02)*
- THE NETHERLANDS The 1st IPA World Seminar for Young Police Officers – 28 August / 3 September 2011 will be held in Amsterdam. The participation fee for one police officer from each National Section **to attend this seminar will be free of charge** and will be covered by the International Treasury, as agreed by the delegates in Paris. Applications via National Sections need to be sent to treasurer@ipa-nederland.nl before 30 November 2010. *(Newsletter 2010-10)*
- THE NETHERLANDS Members are invited to join the Netherlands Section on the Airborne Walk on 3rd September. *(Newsletter 2011-02)*

SPAIN As part of the 50th anniversary celebrations of Section Spain, IPA Tarragona is organising the 4th concentration of police motorcycles from 30th September to 2nd October. *(Newsletter 2011-03)*

USA **CANCELLED** USA Region 12 will be hosting a friendship cruise from 1st to 8th October 2011, on the Royal Caribbean Jewel of the Seas. The cruise will be sailing a round trip from Boston, Massachusetts, and will be travelling to Portland, ME, Bar Harbor, ME, Saint John, New Brunswick, Canada and Halifax, Nova Scotia, Canada. All IPA members and friends are welcome. *(Newsletter 2010-10)*

THE NETHERLANDS 29th World Police Indoor Soccer Tournament in Eibergen/Groenlo and Zieuwent – 10/14 October 2011. This is not an IPA event but the Netherlands Sections always gives its support to this tournament. Please see www.wpist.nl *(Newsletter 2011-02)*

USA To run in conjunction with the NDC 2011, Region 25 is organising a “Western Experience”, to take place from 15th to 19th October 2011. *(Newsletter 2010-11)*

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CANADA The Royal Canadian Mounted Police Veterans Association is hosting an Alaskan Cruise on 27 May 2012 to coincide with its national AGM. This is not an official IPA event but IPA members are invited to join the cruise. *(Newsletter 2010-08)*

CANADA Advance notice is given of the next Rocky Mountain Tour, which is being planned for June 2012. *(Newsletter 2010-02)*

INFORMATION GUIDE 2011 AMENDMENTS

ANDORRA The position of Secretary General is currently vacant. For the time being please send correspond to the President, Lluís Reñe Picola – e-mail: president-ipa@andorra.ad.

CROATIA New National Board following elections:

Congratulations to President, Miljenko Vidak, on his re-election

Deputy President: Darko Dragičević
e-mail: ddragicevic@mup.hr

1st Vice President: Antun Novoselović
e-mail: anovos42@gmail.com

2nd Vice President: Pedrag Brkopac
e-mail: pbrkopac@mup.hr

3rd Vice President: Mario Medenjak
e-mail: mmedenjak@mup.hr

4th Vice President: Emil Landher
e-mail: elandher@mup.hr

Secretary General: Kristijan Potočki
e-mail: tajnik@ipa.hr

Assistant Secretary General: Domagoj Repušić
e-mail: ipa@ipa.hr

Treasurer: Barbara Čutura

IEC Delegate: Branko Kijurko
e-mail: kijurko@gmail.com

DENMARK Due to the retirement of the René Hallin, please note the following amendments:

New Official address:
IPA Denmark Sektion
Caroline Mathildesvej 3,
3150 Hellebaek

Secretary General: Niels Henrik Bak
tel: 21716619
the fax is no longer available
The e-mail address has not changed.

1st Vice President: Jan Richter Henriksen
The e-mail address has not changed.

ESTONIA

Please note the following amendments:

Vice President, Karl Põder, has a new e-mail:
karl.poder@politsei.ee

Kaja Suur replaces Alan Leego as Vice President

Secretary General, Janno Ruus, has a new phone number:
++372 489 2901

New Treasurer: Mrs Katri Bergmann
e-mail: katri.bergmann@politsei.ee

LESOTHO

Please note the following amendments to the National Board:

Vice President (Finance) and Treasurer:
Mr Simon T Bereng

Vice President (Trade):
Mrs Melinda M Letsie

LUXEMBOURG

Following recent elections, congratulations to the President and Secretary General on their re-election. Please note the following amendments:

New Treasurer: Fernand Grisius
e-mail: Fernand.Grisius@police.etat.lu

New Travel Secretary: Patrick Zimmer
e-mail: Patrick.Zimmer@police.etat.lu

NEW ZEALAND

The new Board members, announced in the February Newsletter, have new e-mail addresses:

President: Paul Visser
e-mail - president@ipa.org.nz

Vice President: Ross Pinkham
e-mail - vice-president@ipa.org.nz

Treasurer: Jillian [Jill] Craig
e-mail - treasurer@ipa.org.nz

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Lima17. Perú.
Tel: 511 6243248
Tel/Fax: 511 2619247
Email: as before

e-mail for President César Salgado Méndez:
presidente@ipa-peru.com

PORTUGAL
Please note the following change of e-mail address -
3rd Vice President, José Maria Rodrigues:
joserodrigues84@gmail.com

IPA HOUSES

DENMARK
IPA House Esbjerg – the assembly hall now accommodates up
to 90 persons (not 150 as previously stated in the Guide).

DENMARK
IPA House Røde Mølle – the address has been amended
slightly to: Faaborgvej 264, DK-5700 Svendborg.
In addition, we have been informed by Section Denmark that
unfortunately this house will close at the end of 2011.

GERMANY
The House Manager of IPA House Altes Rathaus,
Knut Schneider, has a new address and mobile phone number:
Rüdesheimer Straße 40
D-65366 Geisenheim
mobile: ++49 (0) 1717621958
All other contact information remains unchanged.

ISRAEL
New House Manager: Uri Asaf
e-mail address as before - info@ipa-israel.org.il

UK
The House Manager of IPA House Colchester, Steve Hunt, has
a new e-mail address: ipa-house-colchester@ipa-uk.org