



Dear Members,

We hope you and your families are keeping well, and you have had a chance to take some time off over the last months to recharge!

October is always an exciting time as we return to work refreshed and reenergized for the months ahead.

October is also great time of the year for your dog. Depending on where you live, it's autumn. Nature becomes a blaze of reds and yellows, and there is a lot of joy of letting your dog leap about in piles of crisp leaves, or it's spring when weather quickly grows warmer, trees are in bloom and many flowers grow and its simple pleasure to walk together with your dog. Either way, it's a great time to get outside with your dog, since this time of the year means joy, crisp air and colorful nature.

While October can be fun, it is also a great time to continue training for your favorite dog sport with your Dutchie. It's time to have fun together or to be prepare for the WDSF World Championship & World Cup 2022 in Sweden.

This is also good time to inform you of the work of the WDSF.

Feel free to contact us if you have questions or comments.

The WDSF World Cups Mondioring & Agility 2021



The WDSF World Cups Mondioring & Agility 2021 are over.

This year we had a chance to see two beautiful active sports that require a lot of training, concentration and endurance. We really enjoyed great combinations and beautiful dog sport moments.

The first day participants were able enjoy a very creative 'Army' theme field set up. The next day the competition field was transformed into a challenging Agility course.

We want to thank the host club HHCB and location club HV Eureka Bree, for their hard work and effort in setting up this amazing event with a very professional field and a very pleasant atmosphere.

Many thanks to all the volunteers who contributed to this great event. To the decoys with their excellent work, the fair judges, the helpers at the agility field, and to the public who sympathized, supported and cheered. Thank you for coming and for your enthusiasm!

Despite of all Covid restrictions we had 27 participants from 11 different countries from all around the world!



Congratulations to Mondioring winners:

Category 3:

- 1) 🇩🇪 Andre Schöfer & Speznas – Worldcup Winners 2021
- 2) 🇪🇸 Martin Bello & J'Itzal du Royaume des Sept Iles

Category 2:

- 1) 🇮🇪 Péter Iker & Z-Mona von Mondatak
- 2) 🇧🇪 Kathleen Kums & P'Pipo
- 3) 🇮🇪 Robert Grgic & Glenn Drive Unlimited

Category 1:

- 1) 🇩🇪 Nadine Schöfer & Didi van Valesca's Home
- 2) 🇮🇪 Rita Varga & Carol Drive Unlimited
- 3) 🇮🇪 Renate Lindner & Shane Drive Limited



Congratulations to Agility winners:

Grade 3:

- 1) 🇨🇪 Jana Zvonková and Breena z Vandalky – Worldcup Winners 2021
- 2) 🇫🇷 David Coustham & Loky of Halloween
- 3) 🇫🇷 Carine Gillot & India of Halloween

Grade 2:

- 1) 🇫🇷 Jerome Scherrer & Moov de la Dynastie des Sages
- 2) 🇧🇪 Gianni Gouhie & Madness von der Herdergang
- 3) 🇫🇷 Alison Misztal & Mitsouko Guerlain dit Fayzer des Louves du Houtland

Grade 1:

- 1) 🇨🇪 Pavla Brabencová & Psuki des Lutins Darigat
- 2) 🇧🇪 Nele Deleye & Lobo du Hameau des Trois Fontaines
- 3) 🇨🇪 Lenka Blachová & Azuricoyotes Rasza Talon



We want to thank all of the participants for their hard work, sportsmanship and wonderful performances at the WDSF World Cups Mondioring & Agility 2021!

We hope you enjoyed the WDSF World Cups and we are looking forward to seeing all of you next year in Sweden at the WDSF World Championship & World Cups 2022!



General Meeting 2021

On September 5th, the WDSF General meeting took place at HV Eureka Bree.

To ensure all members had the chance to participate in the meeting, two options for joining the meeting were proposed: in person and virtually. According to the rules of the WDSF statutes only the members who were present in person at the meeting, were allowed to vote.

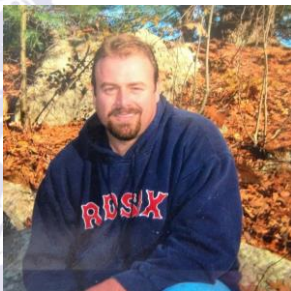
A range of topics were discussed, including financial reports from 2019 and 2020, budget 2021, resignations of board members, elections of board members & sport commission, additional bylaws, future events of the WDSF and various other topics.

Below is a short summary of the key topics:

- All members were in agreement of the Financial Reports for 2019 and 2020.
- In 2021 the HHSV and RHH will take part in the Financial Committee.
- All members agreed and gave their consent to the WDSF board for the 2021 Budget.
- President José Stienstra, treasurer Lars Brink and general board member Lars Czylwik decided not to run again for the respected positions.
- Nadine Schöfer elected not to run again for the position of Vice President. Despite this, Nadine was re-elected as general board member of the WDSF.
- New chairman, treasurer and sports committee member were elected (see below for details).
- Three current board members were re-elected due to the rotation system (see below for details).
- All members voted for amendment of Bylaws in terms of the rules on cancellation and termination of membership in the WDSF.

Board members of the WDSF

We are very pleased to introduce new board of the WDSF:



Dennis La France (USA)

President of the WDSF

(Elected to the board 100% of votes)



Sigrid Schmidt (DE)

Sport director of the WDSF

(Re-elected to the board 100% of votes)

Since Nadine Schöfer decided to not run for Vice President position, Sigrid was appointed by the board to serve as Vice President until next General meeting in May 2022.



Melinda Fekken- de Kleijn (NL)

Secretary of the WDSF

(Re-elected to the board 100% of votes)



Ruud Peters (NL)

Treasurer of the WDSF

(Elected to the board 100% of votes)



Didier Munoz (FR)

Member of the WDSF sport commission

(Elected to the board 100% of votes)



Nadine Schöfer (DE)

General board member of the WDSF

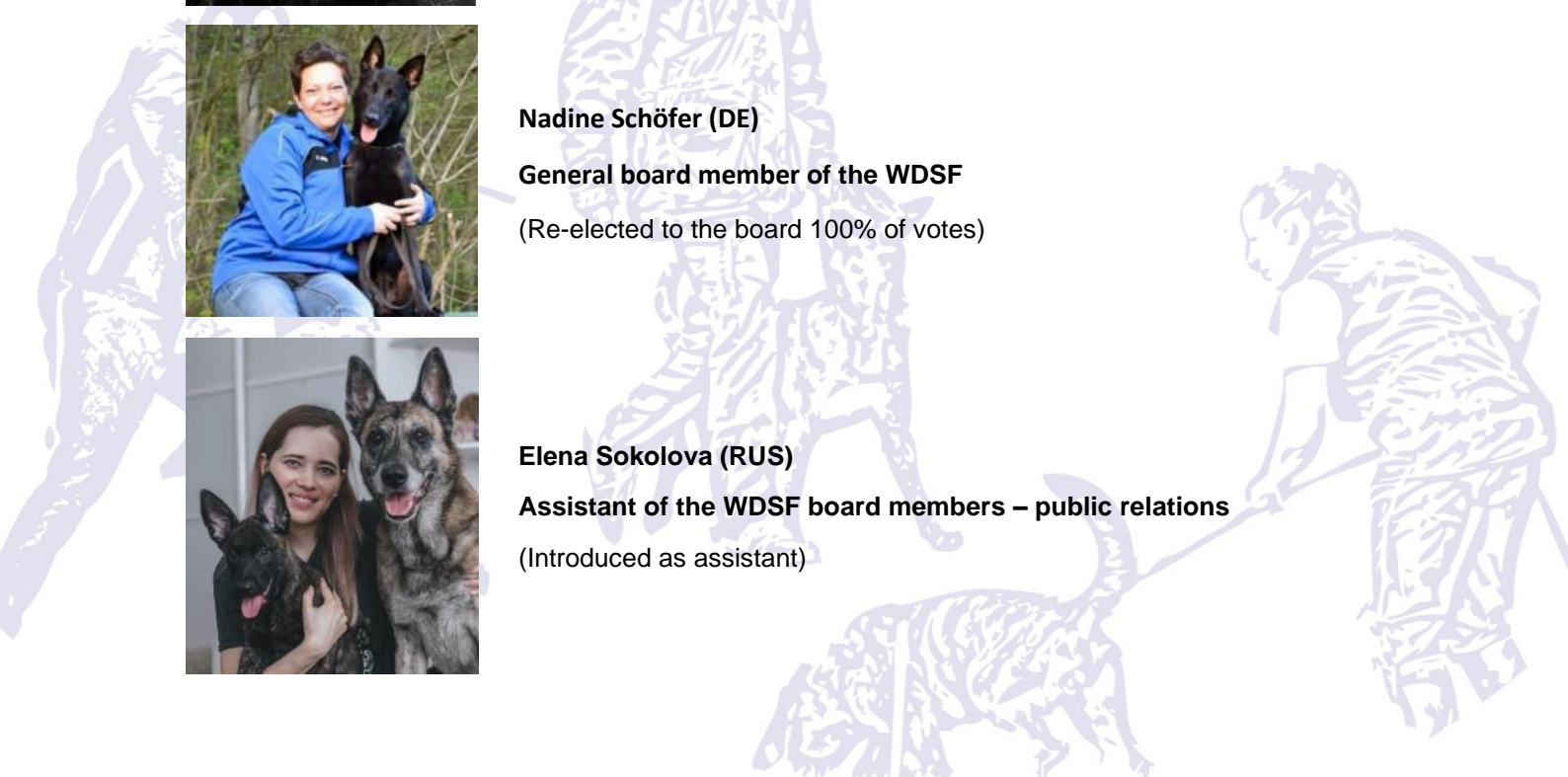
(Re-elected to the board 100% of votes)



Elena Sokolova (RUS)

Assistant of the WDSF board members – public relations

(Introduced as assistant)





The WDSF World Championship & World Cup 2022 in Sweden



Next year the WDSF World Championship & World Cup 2022 will take place in Västerås, Sweden from May 5th to May 8th .

Participants and visitors of the World Championship will have an incredible chance to witness the work of the Dutch shepherd breed in four different disciplines – IGP, Agility, Obedience and Mondioring.

We are very grateful to Rasklubben Hollandse Herdershond for hosting and organizing this event!

You can find all relevant information about the event here:

<https://www.wc-wdsf2022.eu/contact>

We hope to see you in Sweden at the WDSF World Championship & World Cups 2022!

Information about the WDSF members

We would like our members to get to know each other better, therefore, we will be happy to publish information about the WDSF members and their events in the WDSF newsletter.

The following topics can be presented:

- Introduction of the WDSF member
- Information about sport events and competitions of the WDSF member
- Information about seminars / workshops / training courses for sport events of the WDSF member

The published information will not be edited and should not contain any advertising.

The purpose of this publication is to present the activities of our members, promote sports with Dutch Shepherds and to share experiences between the WDSF members.

Thank you for your support and we are looking forward to receiving your information at newsletter@wdsf.nl !

With sporty greetings,

Your WDSF

