

Thanks for registering for the VI World Dwarf Games (WDG) Eblast updates!

- Keep an eye on our website at <a href="http://www.2013WorldDwarfGames.org/">http://www.2013WorldDwarfGames.org/</a>
- And follow us on Facebook at <a href="http://www.facebook.com/WorldDwarfGames2013">http://www.facebook.com/WorldDwarfGames2013</a>
- Who's on the Eblast list? Australia, Canada, Denmark, Djibouti, France, India, Spain, United Kingdom, and host United States. Not bad for being online for less than a month!
- WDG has contacted all of the National Paralympic Committees around the world, with formal acknowledgements from Poland, Liberia, Botswana, Djibouti, Ghana, Tajikistan, Congo, Trinidad/Tobago, Iran, Thailand, Namibia, Kenya, Mexico, Netherlands, and Australia.
- Iran informed us they have a dwarf soccer team.
- We have received preliminary national team counts from Great Britain (80), France (50), and Australia (50). The USA expects about 350 'local' athletes. What about your country?
- WDG Basketball and Swimming rules, as approved by the International Dwarf Athletic Federation, are now on the WDG web site.
- We are pleased to announce that Rick Atkinson and Kellie Dean have been named VI World Dwarf Games Honorary Games Directors. Look for their Bios soon on our web site.
- Questions and suggestions for the Games are appreciated <u>Len@Sawisch.com</u>

It's BIG – The largest sporting event in history exclusively for athletes with dwarfism!