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Cc: WBSC Executive Board

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Subject: *Virtual Youth Festival*

Dear Members,

I hope that this letter finds you safe and in good health.

As previously announced last month via the WBSC digital channels, the WBSC is participating in the United Through Sport (UTS) Virtual Youth Festival 2020, where the baseball, softball youth of today can #stayactive and #stayhealthy by participating in this online festival.

The festival aims to engage young people from around the world in a virtual online sport and talent competition in different youth age categories. It utilises the digital platform, providing a level playing field for youth to participate in health and fitness regardless to ability.

The WBSC's campaign is now officially open and we encourage all of you to enter your members, athletes and fans across the different categories listed below:

'MAX FIT': This competition is focused on contestants' strength, power and stamina.
Age categories: U10, U11, U12, U13, U14, U15, U16, U17, U18

'AERO FIT': Max. 3-minute choreographed sequence to music.
Age categories: U-10, U-12, U-14, U-16 and U-18

'TALENT SHOW': This competition is for any talent across Vocal, Dance, Theatre/Drama, Instrumental, Group and Other.
Age categories: U-10, U-12, U-14, U-16, U-18 and exceptional performances for all ages +18

For entries into the 'ALL ABILITIES' category, which is run in Partnership with the IPC and Special Olympics, please contact the WBSC headquarters for more information.

Visit the WBSC's OTT channel [social media platforms](#) for more details.

HOW TO PARTICIPATE

15-30 September: Baseball and softball players can compete against athletes from other sports by recording a video of themselves doing the challenges and then submitting it to the WBSC via its OTT platform (GameTime.sport) email or tagging @gametime.sport on social media.

1-14 October: Videos will then be reviewed by a panel of judges with four people from each age category (20 participants in total) progressing to the final.

The UTS Virtual Youth Festival Finals will be hosted in Bangkok, Thailand, on 20 November 2020 to coincide with World Children's Day.

The official social media handle and hashtag of the Virtual Youth Festival are @aimsadmin and #ThisIsUs.

Please stay safe and stay healthy.

Best regards,



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