



Talkin' Turkey



Newsletter of the Australian WUSG Team...OPENING CEREMONY!!! 12 August 2005

OPENING CEREMONY

The 180 countries competing at the 2005 World University Summer Games were last night treated to a warm welcome by Turkey and its host city, Izmir at a spectacular Opening Ceremony.

A great night was had by all with those present taking home a memorable experience and some added "souvenirs."

HIGHLIGHTS:



TEAM PHOTO



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TOUR INFORMATION

For those teams interested in exploring Turkey further we have details on the following tours:

GALLIPOLI TOUR

Where: Izmir – Gallipoli – Izmir

(one night stay over – travel by bus)

Cost: 69 EURO for two star accommodation or 74 EURO for three star accommodation twin share

Who: Contact Gavin Pinnar on 0543 441 5487 or gavin@downundergallipoli.com

BEACH TOUR

Where: Izmir – Kusadasi half day (morning)

Cost: Dependent on numbers but starting from 12 TURKISH LIRA per person

Who: For more information see Mick Poulton in the Australian Team Office

TEAM UNIFORM

Please **DO NOT** swap your team boardshorts and green singlet prior to the Closing Ceremony as this is your team uniform for that event.

Also please **keep at least one** AUS team shirt to wear on the trip back home.

Thank you.

WHAT'S ON

Fri 12/8

- 09.30 Swim heats M 200m breast, W 4x100m
- 10.30 Men's B'ball @ Mansia GSGM AUS v LIB
- 15.00 Women's V'ball @ Evka 4 sports hall AUS v POL
- 17.15 Women's B'ball @ Celal Atik AUS v TUR
- 17.30 Swim finals M 200m breast, W 4x100m

Sat 13/8

- 09.30 Swim heats W 100 fly, W 50 back, M 800 free, W 100 free, M 4x100 free
- 10.00 Men's Gymnastics Qualifier
- 15.00 Women's V'ball @ Evka 4 Sports Hall AUS v POR
- 17.15 Men's B'ball @ Mansia 2 AUS v GBR
- 17.30 Swim finals W 100 fly, W 50 back, M 800 free, W 100 free, M 4x100 free



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RESULTS

Women's B'Ball

Our women's basketball team picked up where they left off on Wednesday with a convincing 80 – 50 win over Thailand yesterday.

Down at quarter time to a determined Thailand team, our girls bounced back with some tough defence and precise shots to take the victory.

The girls play Turkey today at 5:15pm at Celal Atik Sports Hall – a game not to be missed!

IMPORTANT ROOM & PHONE NO'S

Room 5 – Australian Team Office and Media Office
 Room 4 – Medical Room
 24hr Emergency Line/Admin 0543 340 1700
 Chef de Mission 0543 340 1770
 24hr Medical Line 0543 340 1649

NOTABLE QUOTABLES

"Hello Princess"

"Hello Shrek"

Overheard at breakfast between medical and security staff...

CRICKET UPDATE

Third Ashes Test – Old Trafford, Day One

England (batting first) 341/5

For Australia, Brett Lee 3/58

All contributions to "Talkin' Turkey" are welcomed and encouraged. Please see any of the media staff Kate Robinson, Media Manager, Toni Bush or David Lyall Media Officers in the Australian Team Office.



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