



Talkin' Turkey



Newsletter of the Australian WUSG Team...3 DAYS TO GO!!! 8 August 2005

WELCOME TO IZMIR

After all the planning and training the majority of the Australian WUSG team has arrived in Izmir ahead of the 23rd Universiade.

Congratulations on being selected in the Australian WUSG team, we wish you all the very best in the days of competition ahead.

Remember the important things Chef-de-Mission, Mick Poulton, said on your arrival:

1. Do all that you need to do to perform at your best
2. Do all that you need to do to recover for your events
3. Do all that you can to support your fellow team mates in their events
4. Finally do not do anything illegal

FLAG RAISING CEREMONY

On August 7 members of the Australian WUSG team attended the Official Flag Raising Ceremony in the Athletes Village. Also in attendance was the team mascot, "Skip the Kangaroo".



AUS TEAM OFFICE OPENING HOURS

08.00 – 12.00
14.00 – 16.00
20.00 – 21.00 or whenever the door is open.
These hours are subject to change.

WHAT'S ON

Wed 10/8

Team managers meeting	17.00
Team Dinner	18.30 – 21.00
Australian Consular visit	TBA
Ms Jean Dunn - Australian Ambassador to Turkey	

WHAT'S ON

Thu 11/8

Opening Ceremony details to come!

IMPORTANT ROOM NO's

Room 5 – Australian Team Office and Media Office
Room 4 – Medical Room

IMPORTANT NUMBERS

24hr Emergency Line/Admin	0543 340 1700
Chef de Mission	0543 340 1770
24hr Medical Line	0543 340 1649

TEAM UNIFORM

Remember to wear you team uniform at ALL times. Remember also do NOT swap you green singlet or yellow board shorts as this is the team uniform for the closing ceremony, organize to swap it at the closing ceremony or after.

Team uniform for the Opening Ceremony is Green dress shirt, ¾ shorts and sun visor for ALL team members (athletes, team managers and senior management).

Any problems with sizing, in particular, the tracksuit top, please give it to your team manager and tell them what size you would prefer and we will do our best to swap it.

NOTABLE QUOTABLES

"I am willing to jump off the 10m platform". *Rob "Jono" Neesham, Security Official*

"God this ice is cold"
Anonymous, Volleyball

"I will eat three jars of pickles and drink the juice". *Jaclyn Anderson, Administration Manager*

"Oh shit I forgot my kneepads" while wearing her kneepads!
Anonymous, Volleyball

"Where's your Karak".
Jaclyn Anderson, Administration Manager

GUESS WHO?

Which Taekwondo team member's phone ring tone went off in the welcome team meeting to the tune of Black Eyed Pees "Don't Funk with my Heart"???????

Which "junior" member (or bottom of the rung) of the medical team, got all the medical and senior management team lost in the town of Izmir on their first outing on the night of August 7???????

All contributions to "Talkin' Turkey" are welcomed and encouraged. Please see Kate Robinson, Media Manager in the Australian Team Office.



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