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Welcome to Just One Minute!, a news bulletin published to give IVV members headlines, important dates and reminders. More complete details will be published in the next issue of World Report, available in mid-March.

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1. The IVV Event Book for 2013 is now available from the [IVV Office](#).
2. Your information will continue to be welcome for the new monthly edition of Just One Minute! A reminder will be sent mid-month and the deadline for submissions will be on or about the 21st of each month. The guideline is also available on the [IVV web site](#).
3. The IVV web site Discussion Forum, will open February 1, 2013. The feedback of those who replied to the December-January online Reader Survey (now closed) was greatly helpful.
Note: All users of the Discussion Forum will be asked to do several things before being able to contribute to the various Forums. (a) Read and accept online the terms of an Agreement of Use. (b) Register a User Name of their choosing. This User Name does not have to be the user's real name. (c) Create, enter and verify a unique password. A mix of letters and numbers is best. (d) Copy text from a 'Captcha' (jumbled text in a separate box) to verify that the user is not a computer, but a real person. Security provisions to protect users and the discussion forum itself from receiving or distributing spam will be set as high as possible.

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4. František Moser, Honorary President of the IVV Association in the Czech Republic, passed away on January 17, 2013 at the age of 79. He was IVV Vice-President from 1998-2007. His tireless dedication for Volkssport deserved sincere appreciation. We have lost a good friend, and will remember him with great respect for his commitment. We will honour his memory, and send our condolences to his wife, family and all relatives.

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5. The IVV Presidium will meet on March 6 & 7 in Val Gardena / Wolkenstein, South Tyrol.
6. Introducing Chengdu, China, site of the IVV 2015 Olympiad - Chengdu has been named 'China's Best Tourism City' by the United Nations World Tourism Organisation. It is also a centre for science and technology, trade, finance, and transport and communication. Within a 200 km radius, there are six World Heritage Sites for nature and culture. The [Giant Panda Habitat](#) is one of the best known natural Heritage Sites. For tourists, there are over 3,000 commercial hotels, including over 100,000 rooms and 170,000 beds. Approximately 20% of the rooms and beds are at the High and Luxurious level.

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Important dates and deadlines

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7. [IVV Olympiad 2013](#) will take place in [Val Gardena, Sud Tyrol](#) [South Tyrol, Italy] - June 25 - 29, 2013.
8. The location of the next IVV Congress of Delegates will be in [Hamburg, Germany](#) September 18 - 21, 2014.
9. The date for the second 'Europiade' has been set for June 20 - 22, 2014 in [Marostica, Italy](#) / [Naturns, South Tyrol](#).
10. [Chengdu, China](#) was chosen at the recent Congress of Delegates for the location of the 2015 Olympiad. The date has been set for September 26-29, 2015. Official city government link [here](#).

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