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Directive Rules

for the

INTERNATIONAL YOUTH CAMP

Gentlemen,

In the following we beg to forward to the nations participating in the International Youth Camp during the forthcoming Olympic Games several informations which are important for the organization of the camp.

This Youth Camp is not thought to serve merely as an accomodation but it shall give the youth of the world an opportunity to come to know each other, it is to embrace the young boys in mutual understanding and friendship, it will be a place for gay comradship! This comradship demands that every single participant must adapt oneself to the whole. He cannot have his own way but he is entirely placed under his team-leader to whom he is also responsible. The team-leader, on his part, works in close touch with the chief of the camp. Already now we want to point out that the camp must be left and entered only together or in appointed groups.

The programme will be seen by the enclosed time-table. Of course, this is only to be a preliminary plan that may be altered in due time. In any case, care will be taken that all participants will witness the Olympic Games. Besides this, there will be other measures to insure gaiety and cheerfulness in the camp. It ought to go by itself that alcohol and nicotin is strictly forbidden. If there is anybody who thinks that he cannot give up smoking and drinking, we kindly ask him to withdraw his nomination in favour of another companion. The participants will be lodged in large tents which are furnished with beds (mattress and covers). Probably each group is going to have its own tent. The meals will be

taken in two groups in large restaurant-tents.

The camp is situated at the Heerstraße, near to the "Stössenseebrücke", on a large and charming glade, 10 minutes distance from the "Reichssportfeld".

Dresses: It would be very much appreciated if each group will be dressed alike, as far as this is possible. This is to consider also for the streetdress as well as for the sport-dress. Besides the sport-dress it has also to be brought along. Linen for changing, bathing-dress, bath-towel or towel, comb, brush, teeth-brush, boot-polishing. It is strictly forbidden to bring along matches; pocket-torches will be very useful. It is recommendable to have a rain coat.

It is expected that each group possesses some musical instruments. Also, it would be very much appreciated if songs as well as all sorts of entertainments would accomplish the programme of the Youth Camp in order to make the life in the camp as cheerful and happy as possible.

Participation, nomination and address of the team-leader must be received by June 1st at the office of the Organizing Committee.

Duration of the camp: The journey has to be arranged in that way that the teams arrive at Berlin in the course of July 30th. The departure must be fixed for Monday or Tuesday after the closing of the Games.

Trips through Germany: Advice will be given on request to teams which desire after the camp is closed to make trips at their own expense through beautiful centres of Germany. In such cases the cost of the return journey from Berlin to the nearest frontier station will be refunded.

Let us start with the work! Witnessing the contests of the world's best athletes we are going to have a wonderful time in gayness and comradeship!

signed Dr. Herbert Kestner  
Chief of the Camp

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