



Pan American Flying Disc Federation (PAFDF)

Congress Report –

June 2017 -

Objectives and basic organization

Objectives:

The objectives of PAFDF are:

- (1) to serve as a forum for issues affecting Member associations of the World Flying Disc Federation in the Pan American region (the continents of North America and South America);
- (2) to act as the catalyst for the development and promotion of Flying Disc sports in the Pan American region including the development of new members, a growth in participation, and a higher level of competitive play;
- (3) to serve as the continental association for Flying Disc Sports in relations with the Pan American Sports Organization (PASO) and to pursue the admission of Flying Disc sports to the Pan American Games; and
- (4) to provide input and support for the organization of Pan American Championships hosted for Flying Disc sports improving the organizational level and secure participation in the events throughout the Pan American region.

Membership:

PAFDF members are the WFDF's regular and provisional Member associations in the Pan American

region. Also Countries from the region that are working on development of disc sports.

Member Countries:

Source: WFDF Regular & Provisional Members: Census Data (WFDF Report 2015)

Argentina - Census Data 69 Players

Bolivia – (New Member as of 2016)

Brazil – Census Data 250 Players

Canada – Census Data 38.171 Players

Chile (New Member as of 2016)

Colombia – Census Data 1724 Players

Costa Rica – Census Data 50 Players

Dominican Republic – Census Data 141 Players

Mexico – Census data 850 Players

Panama – Census Data 168 Players

Uruguay (New Member as of 2016)

USA Ultimate – Census Data 48.914 Players

USGPA

Venezuela – Census Data 392 Players

Contacts from Other Countries in The region:

Barbados

Bermuda

Ecuador

Haiti

Nicaragua

Peru

Puerto Rico

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Officers:

PAFDF Officers forming the Executive Committee are:

Jesus Loreto – Venezuela – President

Danny Saunders – Canada - Secretary

Nicolas Restrepo – Colombia - Member

Sergio Zapata – Mexico – Member

PAUCC 2017 REPORT:



PAUCC 2017 Will be held in Argentina in the City of Canuelas

From the 14th to the 19th In the Month of November 2017

As of February 2017 there are more than 100 teams preregistered representing 14 countries form the region.

We are working on having the largest attended PAUCC to date.

In November we are holding the PAFDF Congress along with a Spirit of The Game Conference

We will hold Elections in the 2017 Congress

(Attached* graphic on the development of PAUCC overtime.)

Other Information from The Region:

- PAFDF President Jesus Loreto is part of a task committee that is working on the translation into Spanish of the latest Ultimate Rules as well as other documents from the WFDF archives so the Spanish speaking countries from our region as well from other parts of the world can benefit of having this documents on their native language.
- The WFDF development Committee assigned Grants to tree countries from our region for 2017

Haiti

Nicaragua

Venezuela

This support will help in the development of disc sports in our region.

Also Haiti and Nicaragua will receive support from the PAFDF to start the paper work so these countries can become members of the WFDF.

Jesus Loreto

PAFDF

President

June 2, 2017