



# WFDF JUNIOR WORLDS 2010

# VOICE

Newsletter

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## Final Announcements

- There are still places left on the bus to Frankfurt airport, anyone who requires a place please enquire at the school reception.
- Check out Facebook, Twitter, and the WFDF2010.de website to relive the whole fantastic week.
- The GB bus drivers Wayne and Keith would like to thank the GB team for a wonderful time and they wish to express their love for all of them.
- Volunteers for WFDF Heilbronn 2020 please sign up as soon as possible

## Weather Today



20° - 23° Celsius

## Final Rankings

### U20 Open

- USA
- Canada
- Great Britain
- Germany
- Colombia
- Finland
- Italy
- Australia
- France
- Austria
- Belgium
- Sweden
- Japan
- Latvia
- Ireland
- Czech Republic
- Israel
- Switzerland

### U20 Women

- Colombia
- Canada
- USA
- Australia
- Sweden
- Italy
- Japan
- Finland
- Latvia
- Germany
- Great Britain
- Israel
- Austria
- Belgium

### U17 Open

- Germany
- Great Britain
- Sweden
- Belgium
- Netherlands
- France
- Italy

### U17 Girls

- Germany
- Sweden
- Great Britain
- Germany II

## Spirit Winners

### Junior Open

Israel  
13.8 Average

### Junior Women

Columbia  
13.44 Average

### U17 Open

Belgium  
15.0 Average

### U17 Girls

Germany I  
13.57 Average



# The Final Day

## Match reports

### GBR V GER U 20 OPEN 3rd 4th PLAYOFF

Field three, in some of the best sunshine we have seen all week, is the venue for the U20 Open 3rd/4th place playoff. There is a fantastic atmosphere round the field with many German fans chanting their loudest and British fans singing the "Chocolate Biscuit" song. GB start with the pull and the amount of excitement and emotion can be measured in the pace the players start off at. Germany post a score first after 3 minutes and score again taking an early 0-2 lead. GB get on the scoreboard and both teams trade points throughout this half. It is a very close well contested match with some fantastic D from both sides. At half time it is 7-6 to GB. The second half begins again with excitement. GB get off to a flying start and score almost instantly after half time they stretch to a lead of 9-6 with the help of some excellent fast dump and swing routines. The game progresses at a very fast pace with some big D's from both sides but GB seem to be much more of a dominant force in the second half. The play of the match from my point of view was GB's 9th point where Matthew Codd (3) makes a fantastic grab, passes back to a dump, runs to the end zone and makes a big layout to score. Germany have a glimmer of a comeback but GB manage to squash this and come out on top 16-10 winners. Congratulations to both teams.

### Womens U20 3/4

The third place play off match kicks off in the baking sunshine and a good sized crowd makes for an excellent atmosphere. Right from the start it is apparent that the USA are determined to make up for their loss to Colombia yesterday and they pick their way through the Aussies zone defence very well to score their first point. The Americans

are giving nothing away and continue to play well; they get some strong defences in and counter attack very well. Australia try hard to break down USA but the States dominate both the scoring and the defence managing to go into half time unanswered at 9-0. After the break it looks like USA will continue to dominate and they score again but in the next play a huge cheer goes up as Australia manage to get themselves onto the score board. USA score next and then the Aussie manage to post their second. This seems to stimulate the Americans who step up their game; they give away very little on O and D and this is a winning formula for the States who take the game 17-2 and finish in 3rd place. After the game both male teams form a tunnel for the playing teams and this I feel is a fitting send off for two great teams who played in excellent spirit.

### EUf Open Final Germany v Great Britain

Music fills the air as the crowds begin to gather. There is a slight delay in proceedings as the show pitch is rolled in preparation for this final. This only adds to the tension and excitement. As Robbie Williams blasts out of the PA with "Let me entertain you" everyone hopes this is some kind of signal for the match itself. For the benefit of the less experienced spectators, Thomas the stadium announcer gives a brief outline of the way the game is played and soon the game is underway. It is a tense start, there are chances at both ends but it is the home team that breaks the deadlock and this is followed up with some great German D to force a stall out and a hammer from Mo Brucklacher to Fabian Binder takes it to 2-0. GB respond with a huge huck from Matt Grimes to Tom Hodgett reduces the deficit and the pattern is repeated to bring the score level. After a strategic time out GB take the lead for the first time to make it 2-3 and by the time

a hammer from Liam Cockrell (67) to Will Allen (94) comes in it is 2-6. The half time cap is set at 7 but it is Germany that start to claw their way back into the game. Another Mo and Fabian double act brings it to 6-5, GB respond and it is 7-5 at half time.

GB are first to score in the second half through Tom Hodgett. With a crossover into ballet Will Allen makes it 9-5 as the GB fans encourage their team to "risk it, for a choccy biscuit". To add to the tension Thomas, the stadium announcer, informs the crowd that there is only 9 minutes to the time cap. At 6-9 regulation time ends Germany score through Fabian Binder and the game is to 11 points. Matt Grimes hucks another "monster" to Will Allen and the score is 7-10.

Chants of "Deutschland, Deutschland" begin to build as the home fans implore their team to summon up all their energy reserves. Their response comes quickly through another hammer and it is the Mo/Fabian on the score sheet again. Things are really hotting up now, the sun beats down, a much needed time out is called and fluids are taken on by both teams. Nerves seem to be getting the better of both teams and there are several dropped discs and misplaced passes. This brings a time out from Germany and a score to take it to 9-10.

Suddenly the sound of Vuvuzelas fill the air and this reporter wonders if we have been transported suddenly to South Africa. It is now 10-10, sudden death and the noise is deafening from up in the announcers box. As the nerves jangle a GB time out is called. The game restarts with more massive D from both teams forcing turnover after turnover. However it is a speculative hammer from Marcel Hartmann to Mo Brucklacher who leaps under pressure to secure the victory for Germany, final score 11-10. This reporter is pleased to inform Mr Williams that we have in-

deed been entertained. Germany are EUF under 17 Champions, well done to the hosts and commiserations to GB who put up a great fight.

### WFDF Womens Final Canada v Colombia

There is no time for the dust to settle or for the atmosphere to die down as Colombia and Canada take the field. If this match is to be decided on noise levels then the Colombian fans have this match won already however it is Canada that takes the lead yet it is the Colombians who dance and skip their way back to the line. A "sick" huck from Canadian number 19 Mira Donaldson to a full layout from number 88 Katie Scarth takes it to 2-1 Canada and another layout from Jo-Hannah Yeo makes it 3-1. Not to be outdone Colombia produce a huck of their own to set up a score from Valentina Obregon Valencia (9). The standard of play is outstanding and both teams are matching each other in every department. There are layout passes, layout scores, awesome D's, monster hucks, this game really has it all. "Time cap in 3 minutes" is announced by Thomas and the score is 6-6, it cannot get much closer. Canada score to take it to 7-6, the halftime cap is set at 8 and to show how tight it is Colombia respond to take it to 7-7. The closeness of the match is unfortunately resulting in an increasing number of foul calls which may just be within the spirit of the game but in the opinion of this reporter it is doing nothing for the atmosphere previously generated by the fans. Half time eventually arrives with a Colombian hammer pass from Karen Rico Acero to Ana Maria Rojas to take it to 7-8.

Once again music fills the stadium and Colombia spend the entire half time dancing whilst the Canadians spend the time practicing. This reporter is unsure which strategy is best but Colombia extend their lead to two and a big huck from Claire Williams to Katie Scarth brings it back to one. The pace of the game is hotting up and once again the atmosphere begins to reach previous levels as Eliana Patricia Perez Alvarez takes the score to 8-10 a coup-

le of minutes later Colombia stretch their lead to 3 for the first time in the match through Valentina Obregon Valencia. Canada respond with a time out to attempt to regroup and reorganise. It seems to work as a pass from Canadian number 20 Lauren Kimura is grabbed full layout style by Katherine Ho. It may be unlucky for some but an unorthodox clutch to the chest catch from Daniela Benjumea Restrepo takes Colombia to 13 and soon after Alejandra Uribe takes it to 9-14 and another Canadian time out. The response from the Canadian team is swift and Chantal Africa and Erica Tucker combine to bring it back to 10-14 only for this to be emulated by Mira Donaldson and Laura Hatch and now it is 11-14 and the time cap announced, with the score at 12-14, the game is to 16. Colombia grab one back as Alejandra Uribe takes the catch. Now its Canada's turn as Lauren Kimura and Mira Donaldson combine to take it to 13-15 and a bit of quick thinking and even quicker feet from Lauren Kimura brings it to 14-15 and for the first time the chants of "Canada, Canada" begin to match that of Colombia's vocal support but it is all in vain as Elizabeth Mosquera Aguilar throws to Laura Bueno to secure victory and the WFDF Junior Womens World Championships for Colombia with a final score of 14-16.

### WFDF Junior Open Final Canada v USA

The stadium DJ gets the crowd really revved up, the main stand is full and the terraces around the ground begin to fill up. Once again Robbie Williams wants to entertain us and hopefully so will the North American neighbours, Canada and USA. The States make the better start as signalled by the "pull" which is right to the corner of the Canadian end zone. USA make two textbook scoring plays early on epitomised by the straight up the line 2nd score but a Canadian layout brings it back to one point only for Elliot Erickson to restore the two point gap. A pattern is now developing and Tim Tsang brings it back to 2-3 but with some solid D USA force a turnover and this results in another Elliot Erickson score. Matthew

Rehdar and Simon Montague combine for team USA to take it to 5-2. The following discussion is not a dispute as it first appears but a search for a contact lens in the end zone or should that be a needle in a haystack. Following the restart Amos Adams hucks a monster to Elliot Erickson to make it 2-6. After solid D from both teams Canada score through some quick thinking from Isaiah Masek-Kelly and Robert Schmidt. This is matched by Josh Klane and Jericho Barbour and the score is 3-7. A dash along the end zone line by Joe Riedel then takes the score to 3-8 as he gets on the end of a pass from Simon Montague. This is followed by a massive up the line huck from Jimmy Mickle to Tim Morrissey to take the half time score to 3-9.

At the start of the second half USA continue where they left off in the first and they extend their lead through Simon Montague and Matthew Rehder. Once again that signature USA pull sees the disc all the way to the back of the end zone and the pressure is on again. Justin Norden and Carter Mize keep the scoreboard ticking over but Canada grind out a score through Tim Tsang and Nima Mostaghimi. A timeout is called and the next bit of superb play that has this reporter off his seat is a massive flying layout D from Elijah Kerns. Casey Bateman scores to take it to 4-13 and Canada respond with a time out call and this seems to work as Canada score through another assist from Tim Tsang and a score from Greg Moore. USA continue to grind out points though Chris Kocher and Julian Childs-Walker then Josh Klane and Elliot Erickson take it to 5-15. This is now a real show of superiority from team USA but Ryan Kremsater and Kyle Patrick score for Canada to give them a glimmer of hope. This hope is boosted further by Tim Tsang and Joel Ruelens-Lepoutre. The players are tiring but with consummate professionalism USA take the match 7-17 to become the WFDF Junior World Ultimate Champions. Tim Tsang was involved in everything that was good about Canada in the opinion of this reporter but the outstanding player for me has to be the "pocket dynamo" that is Jericho Barbour.





## Farewell Message

That's it, it's over, there is no more. I hope everyone agrees that this tournament in Heilbronn has been an outstanding success. We reporters at tournament office are not sure if the organisers have specially arranged for the sun to shine on the last day but we are very glad that it has.

The team of reporters would like to thank everyone for their contributions to the newsletter and to everyone for taking the time to read it. We would also like to express our gratitude to all the people who took the time to compliment our work and provide us with positive encouragement, it certainly helped to make the job a bit easier.

**Anyone who has missed any of our newsletters can find them on the [WJUC.2010.de](http://WJUC.2010.de) homepage.**

On behalf of all of us we hope you have had a great tournament and will be able to take away many treasured memories, have a safe journey home and remember to "keep the spirit"

Bärbel Kistner  
David Thomson  
Callum Rearie  
Jamie Blair



USA Open World Junior Champions



Colombia Women Junior World Champions



Germany boys under 17 winners



Germany girls under 17 winners

**Frisbee discs will be sold at the school registration office. The price is 150 Euros for 20 discs.**

