## INFORMATION LETTER ABOUT "THE INTERNATIONAL STUDENT GO FESTIVAL 2020" AND THE EUROPEAN STUDENT GO CHAMPIONSHIP 2020.

In 2020 the traditional annual "International student go-festival (22.08.20 – 30.08.20) will take place in Petrozavodsk in the hotel "Karelia"(<u>http://karelia-hotel.ru/</u>).

Advertising video about the International student go-festival:

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=I8jx4Jjo\_Tk&feature=youtu.be

Preliminary program of festival events:

1. 21.08.20 - Day of arrival of participants and check-in to the hotel "Karelia";

Registration of participants.

Press-conference for Mass Media.

2. 22-23.08.20 - European Student GO Championship.

3. 24.08.20 - Holding of joint international youth cultural events:

- Excursion to Museum-reserve "Kiji" for participants of the Student European GO Championship. Day of departure of participants of the Student European GO Championship.

- Master classes on various intellectual table games (Mankala (ovar, gabata), Chinese and Japanese chess, chase, Chinese beasts chess (jungle), reversi, randzu).

4. 25-26.08.20 - Russian Student Sports Union (RSSS) Team Championship (International name - «International University Team GO Championship»);

5. 27-28.08.20 - Open RSSS Go Championship (International name - «International Student GO Championship»);

7. 29-30.08.20 - Open All-Russian GO tournament "Karelia Cup";

8. 31.08.19 - Day of departure of the festival participants.

In 2019 russian and foreign participants of the International Student Go-Festival (19-26.08.19) actively communicated with each other and became convinced that through the game of go it is possible to understand each other without even knowing the language:

https://vk.com/video-60810949\_456239025

(video about the go-festival, containing interviews of participants of the festival).

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