## 19. International Dance sport Festival Riesa November 23<sup>rd</sup> - December 5<sup>th</sup>, 2015

FVG Riesa mbH, Am Sportzentrum 5, 01589 Riesa, Germany phone +49 3525 601 100 fax +49 3525 601 410

e-mail: accommodation@fvg-riesa.de



24.09.2015

## An open word about accommodation!

Dear IDO-friends!

The Sachsen-Arena in Riesa is one of the best event locations to think of for the IDO World Show- and Tap dance Championships for more than 15 years!

Everything is just perfect. The hall, the audience, the ambience, the excellent dancers, are all perfect.

The City is doing everything that can be done to make the IDO World Championships a success each and every year.

The only problem is the lack of accommodation in or nearby the City of Riesa because the City of Riesa does not have sufficient accommodation for all who want to stay in Riesa. Because of this, it is not possible that "everybody" stays in the Mercure Hotel or even in a hotel in Riesa.

There is not a possibility to build a new hotel just for our two weeks so. The FVG-Riesa works very hard to accommodate everybody as good as possible in the surrounding area. They book/reserve accommodation very early based on last years' experience.

They are especially concerned with dancers who fly in and do not have their own transportation.

Because of this, the Hotel-prices for the people flying in include the "dance-shuttles" from the accommodation to the venue and back on different times daily. They are included in the hotel price (airport shuttles are extra).

They have also included the Championship party after the event for those who leave the next morning. You must understand that only two people trying to arrange hotel accommodation for almost 2.000 dancers, their family, supporters and trainers. Which is a very difficult job to fulfil in such a short time.

Some hotels publish their hotel rates in the internet and these rates may be lower than what has to be paid to by the FVG Riesa.

If you would like to compare prices please consider the "Handling", the "Dance shuttles" and "Championsparty" which are included in the FVG-price but not in the hotel-website's price.

All teams travelling with their own transportation feel free to accommodate yourself without the assistance of the FVG.

Many countries have done so for many years and have their special accommodation for years.

Please consider all options before making a choice.

Hope to have explained this thoroughly.

Michael Wendt



