



EMF Board Meeting – (Video Call) 8. May 2026

Members of the EMF Executive Committee

Ermes Franchini, Italy	EF – President
Peter Burri, Switzerland	PB – Secretary General
Victor Condeço, Portugal	VC – VP Finance
Christian Gobetz, Austria	CG – VP Sport
Henrique Sousa, Portugal	HS – VP Media
Wil van Disseldorp, Netherlands	WD – VP Seniors

Minutes

Attending: EF, PB, CG, HS, WD, voting rights 5, Majority 3

Agenda

1. Change EMF Board
2. Awarding EMF Championships 2027 – 2030
3. Delegates Conference 2026
4. MCLF 2025

Discussion/Decisions

1. Change in EMF Board

VC has resigned as VP Finance effective immediately. Until a new VP Finance is elected, **EF** will take this role.

PB Bank account was moved from Credit Suisse to UBS due to a take-over, signing rights will be adjusted, waiting for confirmation from UBS about the instruction on how to manage the 2 parallel signatures criteria to authorize money transfers. PB is in contact with UBS to manage it.

2. Awarding/Assigning Championships 2027 to 2030

2027

- **WC Seniors**: Cheb (CZE), Date: tbd, Contract pending → **CG** to discuss dates with Organisers
- **MCLF**: Zaton (CRO), Date: 23.-25.9. awarded
- **EAGM**: organized by WMF

2028

- **EC Seniors**: Algund (ITA). Date: tbd, Contract pending → **CG** to discuss dates with Organisers
- **MCLF**: Schriesheim (GER), Date: tbd, Contract pending → **CG** to discuss dates with Organisers

2029

- **EC General Class**: Denmark. Interest signalized, waiting for details, provisionally blocked for assignment to DK → **EF** to Follow up
- **MCLF**: open for applications

2030

- **WC Seniors**: Nykoping (SWE), Date: tbd, Contract pending , provisionally blocked for assignment to DK → **EF** to Follow up
- **MCLF**: open for applications
- **EAGM**: OPEN, probably organized by EMF (to be discussed jointly with WMF about organization)

3. **MCLF 2025**

The president will contact the jury of MCLF to obtain further information about the incident / complaints from BGK Jönköping and Uppsala BGK.

A response has been drafted and will be sent to the parties involved (see attachment).

4. **Delegates Conference 2026**

DC 2026 takes place 16.08.2026 in Bischofshofen, invitation is prepared and sent to the Federations shortly.

The agenda was discussed and is subject of next Board meeting

Still waiting for report 2018-2023 from Auditors, already stressed different times that time is passing

Meeting closure: 21:15

Next meeting: tbd

Kaiseraugst, 08.05.2026

Peter Burri
Secretary General

Ermes Franchini
President



To:

Mr. Mats Söderkvist – Swedish Minigolf Federation

Mr. Jonas Gustafsson - BKG Jönköping

Mr. Carl-Johan Ryner - Uppsala BGK

Mr. Anders Olsson - Head of Sports at SBGF

Mr. Wil van Disseldorp – Head Referee at the MCLF 2025

Mr. Rene Bos – Chairman of the Jury at the MCLF 2025

Obj: Incident at Champions League 2025

Dear Friends,

As previously communicated, we followed up in the revision of the claim raised during the last EMF Board meeting. Additionally, we sought input from the Chairman of the Jury of the MCLF 2025 in Appelscha (NL) regarding the incident and the decisions made during the event.

First and foremost, we would like to remind everyone that, as a general rule, all protests related to a specific competition must be resolved by the Jury on-site during the event.

According to this rule we asked to report to the Chairman of the Jury who provided the following statement:

“[...] Later that day, Marielle Svensson and Jennifer Goransson came to see me, and Jennifer filed a complaint. After all the rounds of that day had been played out, I discussed the complaint with the other jury members and referees. We stated that this reaction was inappropriate and should not happen again. Wil apologized to the players in question the following day. For us as a jury, no further actions should be taken. [...]”

We understand the concerns raised by some participants regarding this matter and we want to grant you that we took it very seriously.

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Within the EMF Board, we:

- reinforced the importance of maintaining appropriate behaviour at all times inside and outside sport events both for Officers, players and Representatives at any level;
- acknowledged the importance for an Official to understand deeply cultural differences that can lead to varying levels of sensitivity on certain topics;
- understand that Members and players has still to learn how to accept the decisions taken by Referees and Jury in the interest of the undergoing competitions;
- Moving forward, will ensure that our representatives continue to uphold high standards of conduct, as is typically the case.

However, we would like to emphasize that Wil itself has already issued an apology for the incident that seemed well accepted by the players.

Stated that and taking into deep consideration the Jury's decision that "no further action is required", the EMF Board considers this matter fully resolved.

We extend and remark again our sincere apologies for the solved incident.

Thank you for your understanding.

Best regards,

21.05.2026
Dr. Ermes Franchini
EMF President, on behalf of the EMF Board

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'E. Franchini', is written over the printed name and title.