



About the Coronavirus PANDEMIC, we are facing a global situation of social and economic emergency. We have seen how all of Europe has wasted a great opportunity to implement the pertinent mechanisms to stop this contagion curve and has even demonstrated an inability to make global and much more effective decisions in the face of this invisible enemy that knows no borders, who did not know how, when and where it was going to attack and it seems that we have had no weapons to defend ourselves (in the so-called first world)

Today we continue on the stage where there is no coordinated action, not even in the same regions of each country, even less effective beyond the borders.

The evidence has left us helpless, taking El Salvador as an example... without any contagion it has closed borders and declared the alert and its president Nayib Bukele, sent a message to the world to take extreme measures and warned that the victims could be equivalent to 7 holocausts... together.

I do not intend now to make an analysis of the past, but to ask those who command to rely on experience and knowledge to situate themselves in the current critical moment and make a consensual, coordinated and responsible reflection without distinction of parties, colors or ideologies, but also with a responsible and committed society and a single protocol will definitely be put in place to take "extreme measures" globally, where we know what we can and should do with the pandemic.

The day that human beings understand that we have come to this world to help each other, to be in solidarity among peoples without distinction of race, religion, political ideologies ... we will probably begin to live in a better world, this COVID-19 may be asking for this, it may be now that humanity realizes that it is time to put it into practice.

Mundialito 2020 "27th Edition"

1.- In this situation of general closure or blockade and the State of Alarm, according to a statement from the Catalan Football Federation to suspend football activity for two weeks and the closure of all sports facilities in the different venues where the Mundialito will be played and considering the life of thousands of children and youth as a priority, more than 7,000 players from more than 45 countries of the 5 continents who were preparing their participation with a great enthusiasm, for which reason I ratify the previous statement published in our Web.

With deep sadness but without evading the high level of responsibility required of us by the largest world event of Youth Soccer where we maintain the commitment to protect all the participants and their thousands of accompanying family members, I

ratify the official statement to postpone the 2020 Mundialito edition for the year 2021 that will be dated from March 27th to April 4 th in Costa Daurada, with headquarters in the Municipality of Cambrils.

Therefore, all the clubs have the possibility to participate in Mundialito 2021, since it is not suspended or canceled, this is for clubs in Catalonia as well as the rest of the national and foreign geography.

We make available the email [info@mundialito.org](mailto:info@mundialito.org) for any type of information that is necessary.

Throughout 27 consecutive editions we have had to face many difficult situations but never like this, we have always had participants whose ages are very vulnerable, thousands of children and young people from all continents visiting us every year and as we have always assumed the role of caring for everyone as if it were our own children.

I apologize for all the inconvenience caused by this Force Majeure Reason.

We look forward to your understanding and wish with all my heart to see you all at Mundialito 2021.

**Ricardo Godoy-Founder of Mundialito**

