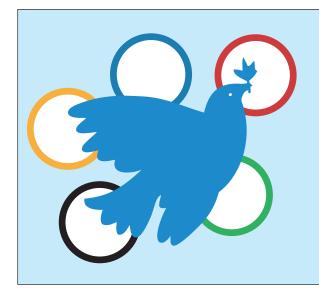
OLYMPIC TRUCE



World appeal to STOP WAR during the OLYMPIC TRUCE

WE the PEOPLES of the WORLD, men and women of all countries

We the PACIFISTS of the WORLD with the ORGANIZATIONS we have created for ourselves,

▶ WE DEMAND

THE REAL IMPLEMENTATION
OF AN OLYMPIC TRUCE (1) THROUGHOUT THE SUMMER OF 2024
ON THE OCCASION OF THE OLYMPIC AND PARALYMPIC GAMES.

(1) The Olympic Truce is a period of peace that promotes the cessation of conflict (ceasefire) by the nations of the world during the Olympic Games, the week before and the week after the Paralympic Games.

▶ WE ARE DELIGHTED:

- That this beautiful idea, inherited from the first Olympic Games in Greece in the 9th century BC, was resurrected in 1991 by the IOC.
- That as early as 1993, the UN General Assembly adopted the resolution entitled «Building a peaceful and better world through sport and the Olympic ideal».
- And in 1999, the IOC, in cooperation with Greece, created the International Olympic Truce Center.
- That on August 23, 2013, the UN General Assembly adopted resolution 67/296 establishing an International Day of Sport for Development and Peace to be celebrated on April 6 each year.

▶ WE REQUEST :

- To the 118 States out of the 193 UN members that adopted a non-binding resolution on November 21, 2023 at the UN General Assembly (78th session in New York) to do everything in their own nations and in international bodies to make the Truce a reality.
- Other states to join the ongoing peace efforts.
- To international and national sports federations.
- To the various UN bodies: Main bodies such as the General Assembly, Security Council, Economic and Social Council, and specialized agencies such as UNESCO, FAO, ILO, WHO and UNICEF to do all in their power to ensure the effective application of the vote of the 118 States.

▶ WE RESOLVE:

- To coordinate with all Peace Movements in all countries to ensure the success of this demand.
- To enlist the help of the International Olympic Truce Center, the International Peace Bureau, the World Peace Council, the World Social Forum Organizing Committee and all other international organizations working for peace.
- To work together with all these partners to ensure that the Truce becomes a GLOBAL CEASEFIRE, opening the door to negotiations that meet the needs of the peoples of all countries, without exception.



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