



## **Press Release 04: The 3<sup>rd</sup> Hungarian Betonplasztika Open is cancelled**

During some weeks the ETBF Presidium has communicated with the organizer of the 3<sup>rd</sup> Hungarian Betonplasztika Open - the 12<sup>th</sup> stop of the European Bowling Tour 2006 - since the organizer intends to cancel the tournament.

Various options has been discussed and investigated, but unfortunately without any change in the situation as an outcome. Finally to day ETBF had to give up looking for further alternatives to keep the tournament in the EBT 2006 and it is therefore a fact that the 3<sup>rd</sup> Hungarian Betonplasztika Open is cancelled and removed from the EBT 2006.

Since the tournament is cancelled even before the beginning of the EBT 2006, the ETBF Presidium has decided to invite all ETBF Federations to investigate the possibility to locate an interested organizer to include a tournament in the EBT 2006, so to say in the last minute.

All ETBF member federations will later to day receive an invitation to apply for a tournament in their jurisdiction to be adopted in the EBT 2006.

Since one and only one tournament organizer has decided to pull their tournament out of the EBT 2006, only one alternate tournament will be adopted in the EBT 2006. The selection of the one tournament will be based on the content of the incoming applications.

The application period for the one open spot in the EBT 2006 will be rather short, and when the decision is made, another press release will be issued.

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