



PHOTO-COMPETITION OF DOSB AND DPA PICTURE-ALLIANCE
„MY LIFE IN THE SPORTS CLUB“

Within the framework of the Federal Program “Integration through Sport” (www.integration-durch-sport.de; https://twitter.com/DOSB_Integra) the German Olympic Sports Confederation (DOSB) in cooperation with dpa Picture-Alliance is organizing a Germany-wide photo-competition. This is aimed at people with migration background. The title of the competition is "My life in the sports club".

Be a part of the Germany wide photo-competition in sports!

Sports clubs are much more than places to run around, have fun, socialize, and share traditions. They make a significant contribution to the integration of people with migration background. In the process, the sports clubs are reshaping their own futures and that of Germany. The photo competition “My life in the sports club” is focused on people with migration background who are active in these sports clubs. The contest seeks their perspectives of these cultural institutions: of their members, athletic and non-athletic offerings, rules, competitions, social interaction, and finally traditions of the sports clubs.

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Those interested in participating have to upload their photos until October 1st 2017 to the competition website, "meinlebenimverein.de." An expert jury of photographers and elite athletes will consider both the artistic value and the photos' content and will choose photos that make the biggest contributions to the theme of integration (through sports). Afterwards, the photos will be shown in the Sports & Olympics Museum in Cologne. Moreover, there are incentives both in the form of cash prizes for the participating sports clubs (1.000 euro 1st place, 500 euro 2nd place, 250 euro 3rd place) and further professional training for hobby photographers. Moreover, there will be an audience award in the framework of the competition.

The three Competition Categories

Club Life

What distinguishes the sports club? How can it best be characterised (pennants, locker rooms, the club house, notices, parties, team trips, etc.)? What role do the club's traditions play?

Social Life

How is the social contact? How does social participation in the sports club take shape? Where do old and new members in the sports club come together? Where don't they come together? What do they learn from each other, and where do they learn it? Portraits of people who play (or played) a significant role in the sports club are also eligible for this category.

Sports Life

What types of sports are pursued? What do the offerings, the teams, the training, and the games or competitions look like?

How can I participate?

There are three categories: "Club Life," "Social Life," and "Sports Life". After registering, participants can submit up to ten photos per category. The photos can be recent or older and can be taken with either a camera or a smartphone.

The photo-competition ends on October 1st 2017, 12 pm

Further information and registration under: www.meinlebenimverein.de