



## Olympic Day countdown with the WOA

Dear Members,

With Olympic Day just around the corner, we're putting the spotlight on what Olympians across the globe are doing to promote this special day. You may have been following the Olympic Day countdown on the WOA website that profiles some of the wonderful upcoming activities. It makes me very proud to see so many Olympians working hard to spread the Olympic values of excellence, friendship and respect across communities all around the world.

Teaching the educational and cultural values of sport and encouraging young people to get involved in sport is of great importance to the WOA and Olympic Day provides the perfect platform for us to do this.

We would love to hear all about what you get up to on Olympic Day so please share with us your stories and pictures for us to feature on the site. Don't forget to also tag your photos on social media with the hash tag #olympicday so everyone can enjoy all the inspirational work going on around the world to celebrate the spirit of Olympism.

All the best for a successful Olympic Day.



Joel Bouzou



### Countdown to Olympic Day – 3 days to go!

**20 Jun 2014** Young athletes will be the focus of Olympic Day celebrations in Fiji this year as one of the country's most prolific Olympians, Carl Probert, prepares to lead the team to the 2014 Youth Olympic Games in Nanjing, China later this year. Probert... [more](#)



### Countdown to Olympic Day – 4 days to go!

**19 Jun 2014** Rosa Mota, Olympic Gold Medallist in the Marathon at Seoul in 1988 and President of the Portuguese Olympic Committee (COP), and Nuno Delgado, Bronze Medallist in Judo at Sydney in 2000, will accompany local children when they kick off Olympic Day... [more](#)



### Canadians celebrate Olympic achievements

**9 Jun 2014** Last week the Canadian Olympic Committee held a three day 'Celebration of Excellence' commemorating and honouring Canada's most distinguished Olympic athletes and coaches over the last year and celebrating their tremendous success within the Olympic... [more](#)



### Check-mate! Tajikistan children enjoy checkers

**6 Jun 2014** The Tajikistan Olympians Association celebrated International Children's Day last week by organising a checkers competition for 24 disabled children from different areas of the country including, Khujand, Isfara and... [more](#)

