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Dear FIDE National Federations,

Please accept this letter as an invitation to the First additions of the FIDE World Disabled Youth and Cadet Chess Championships. These new world championships will be held in Wales from November 26th to December 4th, 2019.

World Championships and prizes

- Open competitions for Youth plus Youth Female with 1st, 2nd & 3rd prizes available
- Open competitions for Cadet plus Cadet Girls with 1st, 2nd & 3rd prizes available
- There will also be Best Game and Brilliancy Game Prizes.

Venue - Cardiff - Welsh Millennium Centre

Cardiff is the capital city of Wales and is a significant UK tourist destination. It was ranked sixth best alternative tourist destinations in the world by the National Geographic. Cardiff was also the European Capital of Sport. The Welsh Millennium Centre is a very large iconic building that was created as a stage for Wales, to reflect the spirit of a nation, and to become a home for Welsh performing arts, communities and cultural expression. It is one of the top three Opera Houses in the UK and is the home of the Welsh National Opera.

Closing ceremony

The closing ceremony will coincide with the United Nations 'International Day of Persons with Disabilities' -3^{rd} December. The celebrations will include many other organisations and members of the Government allowing for all the positive cultural and political synergies.

Please also see our attached regulations.

Yours sincerely

Jon Luxton