

Charity Match on the Opening Evening of the 32nd EUROFEST

Eurofest – the European Handball Festival has, for many years, gone beyond the framework of a sporting event. In addition to competitive spirit, socialising and connecting young handball players from different countries, EUROFEST has always carried a charitable note.

This year, Eurofest will dedicate its attention to former coastal handball player Marko Stanonik, who lost one of his legs after a serious illness.

The charity match will be organised on the opening evening of the 32nd Eurofest, on **3 July at 9:00 p.m.**, when the **WORLD:SLOVENIA** selections will face each other. The selections will be composed of boys and girls, Eurofest participants born in 2009 and younger. The event is intended to connect young people from all over the world and to develop a sense of mutual solidarity.

During the 32nd EUROFEST, there will also be an auction of sports jerseys donated by top handball players. All funds raised will be used for Marko's recovery and for the purchase of an orthopaedic aid that will enable him to participate more easily in everyday life.

The organisers of Eurofest invite visitors, sports friends, clubs, companies and individuals to join the campaign and contribute to helping a former handball player who is an important part of the coastal handball story.

Hoping that, together, we will manage to raise as much financial support as possible and thereby help Marko, we send you our warm regards.

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