

# International Racquetball Federation

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## International Racquetball Federation (IRF) prepares for Pan American Games 2011

The Pan American Games in 2011 are not really on everybody's agenda but the International Racquetball Federation (IRF) is already making the first steps towards this important international competition.

Secretary General Luke St. Onge and Fito Baca, President of the Mexican Racquetball Federation, visited the Local Organizing Committee of the 2011 Pan American Games to review the proposed venue and organizational plan should Racquetball be included on the 2011 program.

Guadalajara, Mexico will host the 2011 Pan American Games and is supportive of the inclusion of Racquetball on the program.

St. Onge and Baca met with Carlos Andraede, Director of the Institute of Sport in Jalisco and President of the Guadalajara Organizing Committee, Ivar Sisniega, President of the Sports Federations of the Americas and a member of the Organizing Committee, Martin Padilla President of the Jalisco State Racquetball Association and Director of the Jalisco Racquetball Center to review the proposed venue for the Games.



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The proposed Racquetball venue boasts 5 Championship glass Racquetball courts and all the required amenities to host the Racquetball competition for the 2011 Games.

The next step for the IRF is to make a final presentation to the PASO Executive Board and for the PASO General Assembly Meeting in Rio de Janeiro to approve Racquetball for the 2011 Games.

11 sports including Racquetball are being proposed for the Unidad Revolucion Sports Complex which is the Jalisco State Sports Complex.

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