



AMERICAS REPORT MAY 2014

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- **BRAZIL**
 - o The Brazilian Association has launched an official school program
 - In conjunction with the University of Sao Paulo, they have a formal program to bring floorball to schools:
http://www.vitalbrazilsp.com.br/www/acontece_sabin/noticia.php?id=258
 - The next stage of this program is to launch a video and training material for which ABF has requested support
- **JAMAICA**
 - o Participated in the Canada Cup, fielding a team in the recreational division. A first, this was a historic moment for the tournament and Jamaica floorball.
- **CANADA**
 - o The Canadian National Championship was concluded on May 18th with Cambridge FC winning over Ottawa Blizzard.
 - o The 11th Canada Cup was held in Toronto May 16-19 with 63 teams across 9 divisions.
 - o The IFF in partnership with Floorball Canada conducted coaching and referee seminars at the Canada Cup May 16-18
 - o Floorball Canada held their AGM on May 16th during which it was announced that the number of registered members is 1786.
- **USA**
 - o The 2014 Floorball Madness Tournament was played March 1 in Huntington Beach, California with 5 local (state) teams
 - o USA Floorball will be entering a U19 men's team for the 2015 WFC. Tryouts will be held at Chelsea Piers, CT, June 7-8th. There will be a total of 3-4 camps and information sessions between now and the Championships.
- **ARGENTINA**
 - o No confirmed update
- **MEXICO**
 - o No confirmed update

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- Nothing to report