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## I. VISION – MISSION – HISTORY

### Our Vision

Carrying out our activities to encourage people with disabilities to live active and full lives, as well as activities to inspire people without disabilities to cooperate with us on a long-term basis. Influencing each other to contribute to the creation of the value system where the primary objective is to address the needs of others, and where communication is based on grasping and understanding the differences from the majority appearance.

### Our Mission

The primary environment for fulfilling the association's mission is water. The main features of its activities include activity, independence, self-sufficiency and intense communication, based on comprehension and understanding. Our core activity consists of swimming lessons for people with disabilities. The conceptual, continuous and methodically managed swimming programme for physically disabled people is carried out at all levels, from rehabilitation to top-performance sport, and this concept is therefore globally unique. All areas of association's activities draw from, build on and appropriately complement the swimming lessons for physically disabled people.

- Elimination of barriers between people with disabilities and people without disabilities by setting an example of the active lifestyle, which requires cooperation of both groups, whose only difference is their appearance
- Leading the participants in the association's programme to the independent concept of life, and motivating them to live active lives so that they set an example and activate people around them
- Helping to achieve a high degree of the programme participants' self-sufficiency so that the degree of the necessary assistance during their active involvement in social life could be as low as possible
- Implementing a programme primarily for children and the young with disabilities and, if the capacity is large enough, opening the programme for all age categories and all types of disabilities (the scope of people for which our service is designed is exactly defined by document "Swimming Lessons – Scope of People and Service Capacity")
- Our main activity is divided in four areas – I. Swimming Lessons, II. Stayovers, III. Sport, IV. Supplementary Activities – all areas are based on the programme of disabled people's swimming lessons; all areas have the same basis but specific features
- The swimming lessons are carried out as a service of social activation, and the process is managed according to the basic document for this area – "Metodické \_ady výuky plavání tělesně postižených" (Series of Methodical Instructions to Swimming Lessons for Physically Disabled People) by Jan Nevrkla and Martin Kovář, the founders of conceptual teaching of swimming for physically disabled people in the Czech Republic.
- The purpose of our professional and high-quality swimming lessons is to teach the swimmers to move on the water level without someone else's assistance and, in a figurative sense, helps them manage their ordinary lives without someone else's assistance
- The objective of our swimming lessons is the overall personality development – we aim to encourage self-confidence, the courage to start something new, the ability to make individual decisions; the rehabilitation aspects included in our lessons contribute to the increase of the joint range of motion, the vital capacity of lungs, strengthening the residual functional potential, elimination of muscular unbalances and scolioses, prevention of decubitus and other secondary complications, stemming from a particular type of disability and diagnosis.

### Our History

- 1985 Jan Nevrkla and Martin Kovář meet quite often inside and in the vicinity of the Kajetánka hall of residence, at the Faculty of Physical Education and Sport in the Tyrš House of the Lessor Town, and in the student canteen of the Faculty of Physical Education and Sport of the Charles University in the Všešrdova street, but without being interested in each other to any great extent
- 1989 Martin Kovář stopped skiing and, one day, he arrived at the canteen on a wheelchair
- 1991 Martin Kovář persuades Jan Nevrkla, and both of them start to visit a swimming pool
- 1992 Martin Kovář organises the first course at Strahov while Jan Nevrkla and Milena Vavříčková (Dušková) manage the course
- 1993 Start of the cooperation between Jan Nevrkla and Roman "Doudy" Vojáček
- 1994 During their one-year stay in Israel, Jan Nevrkla and Milena Vavříčková (Dušková) teach physically disabled people in the Ilan centre at Kiriát Haim, near Haifa, swimming and modern gymnastics; Radka Kučirková, Stáň a Soukupová (Hrachová) and Roman Vojáček keep running the swimming courses in the Czech Republic and manage weekly stays in Strakonice and at Strahov.
- 1995 Owing to Zdeněk Škaroupka, the Kontakt programme is launched, under the umbrella of Brno's League for Wheelchair Users' Rights. Jan Nevrkla makes the rounds at rehabilitation hospitals, contacts the men and women who have just broken something in their bodies, holds stayovers with swimming lessons for them at Strahov and in Strakonice. Regular intense coaching starts in Prague. The core members of the future national team, Martin Kovář, Tomáš Scharf with coach Jan Nevrkla, set out for the European Championship in Perpignon for the first time, with the journey being financed by their

- medical companion Jan Hnízdil. He decided to support the new programme in this way using the money he had earned during his healthcare activities with professional cycling teams.
- 1996 Kovář and Coufalová are the first swimmers who represent the Czech Republic at the Paralympic Games. Kateřina Coufalová, coached at Slavia by Daniela Kočovská, is the first Czech paralympic swimming winner.
- 1997 At the European Championship in Badajoz, where the participants travelled by a bus of the Ta Fantastika theatre, KONTAKT won its first medals at a large competition – by Kovář, Kunová and Tunzer; Coufalová became the European Champion.
- 1998 The preparation committee, consisting of Jan Nevrlka, Michaela Žertová (Grey) and Roman Vojáček, prepares the association statutes, name and registration. KONTAKT bB is established at its first General Assembly in the “U kaskadéra” restaurant in Strahov, Prague. Milada Kunová wins the first medal in the World Swimming Championship in New Zealand; the medal is bronze. Coufalová wins silver, while Martin Kovář spends the World Championship in a hospital.
- 1999 Roman “Doudy” Vojáček establishes a centre in Brno, and becomes a pioneer in building up a programme primarily focused on swimming by children with congenital disabilities. Kovář and Hoffmanová become European Champions in Braunschweig, Germany; Coufalová repeats her previous success; Machala wins another medal, and yet more evidence of the swimming progress is the medal won by the men’s relay team.
- 2000 Two gold medals from Sydney plus seven additional ones; Kovář and Hoffmanová become Paralympic Champions and world record holders; moreover, they win three additional bronze medals together. The legendary relay team of Kovář, Kuna, Povýšil, Scharf finishes the entrancing race by two tenths of a second behind the third British to improve the Czech record by six seconds. Machala adds bronze in a fantastic crawl sprint, while Coufalová wins the same medal in a 200m medley with a great improvement of her personal record. Swimmers of the young and new generation, namely Lišková and Povýšil, win the silver and bronze.
- 2001 Michael Johnson, the world’s best athlete for 2000, becomes patron of the project Doing Sport to Live a Life Without Barriers, while Doc. Pavel Kolář is the expert guarantor of the project, and Tipsport, a.s. is the main partner. Owing to the project, we establish centres in Karlovy Vary, České Budějovice, Janské Lázně and Jindřichův Hradec. Even without Kovář, who takes a breather in 2001, and Coufalová, who announces the end of her top-performance swimming career after the Paralympic Games in Sydney, Czech swimmers confirm at the European Championship in Stockholm that they are some of the world’s best. Hoffmanová wins four European Championship titles; additional titles are won by Blaž Hlaváčková, a new member of the team, who is coached in Náchod by Roman Hakl; and the women’s medley relay team of Hoffmanová, Hrozná, Hlaváčková, Kunová defeats the relay teams of the swimming great powers from the United Kingdom and Germany – Milada Kunová, who has returned after her maternity leave, wins the gold in the finish again.
- 2002 KONTAKT bB comes to Ostrava. We carry out a programme for 500 people a year. Kovář wins two titles in the World Championship in Argentina; Hlaváčková wins one; and the men’s crawl relay team wins silver, which has been the greatest team success in the Czech paralympic sport so far.
- 2003 KONTAKT bB comes to Kladruby – swimming becomes part of the rehabilitation process and, compared to the beginnings of our activities in the middle of the 1990’s, when water was taboo for paraplegics and quadriplegics, this has been a great breakthrough, with great job done by KONTAKTbB. Zbyněk Švehla becomes the first European to finish the Hawaiian Ironman; in Brno, we host the first EUROWAVES, with the participation of 28 countries, as a substitute for the European Championship that is not held.
- 2004 Kovář wins three gold paralympic medals and breaks three world records under Acropolis - the best result of the Czech sportsman in the Summer Paralympic Games, which nobody has outdone so far. More paralympic titles won by Hlaváčková and Coufalová, who resumed swimming in 2003 and fully practises at KONTAKT. Kadeřávek wins the bronze in the S1 class, thus confirming the quality of the swimming programme, primarily oriented, especially at the beginning, on people severely affected by spinal lesion.
- 2005 Launch of the swimming programme in Jihlava, under the umbrella of SK Vodomílek. We hold another year of EUROWAVES. In October, Zbyněk Švehla finished Hawaiian Ironman for the second time, and the long triathlon in the total time of 13:38:33, fourth in his category of “physically challenged”, with 1,300th position of all 1,800 participants.
- 2006 KONTAKT bB implements full-year swimming lessons in 7 centres. One gold, two silver and five bronze medals won by swimmers at the World Championship in Durban, South Africa. Although a new generation has largely replaced the previous one, the team remained among the top fifteen countries; Hlaváčková confirmed her unrivalled position among the world’s best; Lišková and Povýšil returned to the medal podium after a period of stagnation; Petrůšek debuted in the team with a silver medal; and Hlavinka also made his way among the best of the world.
- 2007 The association is registered as a provider of social service. This involves higher requirements for the implementation of our programme, which is concentrated in five centres, three of which being main ones, in Prague, Brno and Karlovy Vary, and two smaller ones in České Budějovice and Ostrava. We hold another successful EUROWAVES. In an effort to take part in the Paralympic Games in China, some, previously successful, swimmers and a former coach, who had been provided with the

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background and whose way to the world's elite level had been paved by KONTAKT bB in particular, decided to join a different organisation in late 2007 and early 2008, and to secede from the association and people who had led them to date. On the other hand, swimmers Lišková, Franěk, Mach, Andrýsek, Hlavinka, who had also met the criteria to take part in the Paralympics, stayed where they had learnt to swim, had drunk their first beers, experienced intense coaching sessions as well as evenings with swimmers and coaches who are close to them, even though they could not take part in the Paralympics, with a chance of achieving individual success.

2008 Brněnský Drak has increased the number of the race series. Zbyněk Švehla went to Kona, Hawaii to become the Iron man for the fourth time already taking with him and being of tremendous support to Michal Šiška, who stands as a shining example of the realization of the mission of KONTAKT. The international swimming contest EUROWAVES was held for the first time in Chomutov. Four world records were surpassed as well as one European record. Martin Kovář, the founder of the swimming program, has fathered a child called Jan. For the first time since the founding of the program, we witnessed the Summer Paralympics as mere spectators. The Paralympics hosted six followers of the KONTAKT bB program, who half a year before the venue of the Paralympics transferred under obscure circumstances to another organisation. Two of them, the most experienced ones won one silver and four bronze medals. The others fell behind their personal records in the balance of a single final race. The exit of the seven swimmers did not interpolate the fact that we organise the program for 300 people, the majority of whom are not interested in paralympic-like grand projects. KONTAKT bB did celebrate its tenth anniversary of its founding with peace and dignity.

## II. ACTIVITIES

### 1. Swimming Lessons as a Service of Social Activation – Motto: “On the Wave of Belonging”

Since 2007, we have been a registered provider of social service. The social activation service primarily consists of swimming lessons for the physically disabled, which we carry out at three levels: 1. Compensation rehabilitation, 2. performance rehabilitation, 3. sports rehabilitation. An integral part of our swimming lessons is the contact programme (trips to the Kladrubby Rehabilitation Hospital, to the Spinal Unit of Bajza's Specialised Hospital in Luže – Kušumberk, to the Children's Hospital for Locomotive Disorders in Boskovice), and the training programme (training the volunteers who cooperate with the centres; cooperation with special schools and faculties).

The regular activities involve not only the improvement of physical condition but, at the social level, they offer the possibility of establishing friendships and relationships, meeting each other during ordinary activities outside medical facilities, exchanging experiences – whether from school, profession or various 'tricks' important for better self-care to encourage an active and independent way of life. The element of involvement in the ordinary leisure activities is crucial. It opens new horizons, particularly for parents with children affected by congenital disabilities. The existing horizon has only been constrained to medical operations, rehabilitation and specialised healthcare facilities. The possibility of taking their child to swimming lessons, just like their neighbours take their children to football sessions, may be a strong stimulus for their family lives. Owing to the methodical series by Jan Nevřkla and Martin Kovář, we can even teach people with severe physical disabilities to swim. A total of 306 people with disabilities were involved in our full-year swimming lessons in all centres, 60% of whom being children and young people under the age of 18.

Swimming lessons took place in six centres of the association and, owing to our training programme, they are also held in five other locations of the Czech Republic under a single branch of the association and four independent legal entities. Our activities are methodically managed by Jan Nevřkla and Štěpánka Řehořková while the leaders of the respective centres and the leaders of swimming lessons take care of the actual activities in the centres.

#### • The Prague Centre

##### Characteristics and basic data about the centre

The Prague centre is the largest in the number of swimmers involved and for many of them commuting is quite demanding in terms of reaching the swimming pool in Strahov in a reasonable time as the swimming lessons often take place in rush hours. The quick sequences of the swimming lessons restrict the possibility to converse with swimmers and with their parents about other topics than moving in the water. Despite these specific drawbacks of the city life, strong ties and friendships exceeding the walls of the swimming pool do develop. The lessons take place in Strahov in a six-lane pool five times a week in twenty half-an-hour lessons and eight one-hour lessons. 119 swimmers have gone through such lessons, 63 of whom being under 18 years of age. 24 swimmers were newly involved in the lessons. The realization of the program has been supported by 28 volunteers have led lessons in the amount of 601 hours leaving 446 hours of pool work for association's employees.

##### Staff

The centre was managed by Jan Janoušek whom we would like to express big thanks for he's managed to keep the swimming program running despite the difficult staff situation with Milka Stuchlíková being on the maternity leave and Jarda Kolař having left for a long-term stay in Africa. At the end of the year Honza returned to his native soil with his family, taking over the management of our centre in České Budějovice in January 2009. As a result we expect a dynamic development from our swimming program in South Bohemia. Honza has given managerial training to Míra Vaňek and at the time of the making of this annual report we hear that Jarda Kolař will come back from Africa, to return to our Prague centre, which is great news for all the swimmers as well as for the representatives of the organization. The financial background has been administered by Krystyna Poloková. Bára Smékalová, Jana Lišková a Táňa Lállová have been of a great support to the realization of the swimming lessons.

##### Major events of the centre

We were happy to congratulate Vojta Franěk to his defence of the rigorosum thesis and gaining the doctor degree in mathematics at the Charles University. Kateřina Lišková has successfully finished her bachelor's degree at the Charles University. By the end of the year, on the very day of the X<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the foundation of the association we heard news from Africa about the conception of the descendant of Jarda and Candice which brought about their decision to come back to the Czech Republic.

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- **The Brno Centre**

**Characteristics and basic data about the centre**

The Brno Centre was founded by Roman "Doudy" Vojáček, who has been the first to start working systematically with a larger group of children with congenital disabilities. The baton was passed on Jana „fifi“ Nastoupilová, who became manager of the centre in 2004. In ten years of the existence of Kontakt bB the children have grown up to become young adolescents making up the majority age group. Brno has a typical atmosphere of solidarity, warmth and a number of support events that help to propagate the swimming program and to make it an extraordinary event. Full-year swimming lessons were held in swimming pools in Brno and in its vicinity - Kraví Hora, Za Lužánkami, Kuřim and Boskovice (till June 2008). The swimming took place five times a week in 11 lessons. Forty volunteers together with our staff have devoted their time and talent to 78 disabled swimmers to bring out the best of the swimmer in them. In Brno we provide swimming lessons for children of the Children Centre in Brno. Iva Tesařová commutes once a month to the Child's sanatorium of movement disorders in Boskovice. There she brings knowledge about swimming and the KONTAKT bB program to the children and their parents. In the first half of the year we organized swimming lessons for the elementary school Kociánka within framework of the physical education lessons.

**Staff**

Today the Brno Centre is a female run centre and these three women Jana Nastoupilová, the manager, Ivana Tesařová, the centre representative, Marta Vojáčková, PR and FR manager cooperate genuinely.

**Major events of the centre** – Alongside swimming Mike Crhonek has taken on dancing in the group Cyrano's Shoes performing on the main boulevard of the city of Brno. The audience appreciated his artistic performance with a long applause. Last year he attracted the public attention by a tandem parachute jump.

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- **The Karlovy Vary Centre**

**Characteristics and basic data about the centre**

The Karlovy Vary Centre operates on a family-like basis. Everything here is just as big as the needs of the centre. The centre was built on the enthusiasm of its current staff and an excellent team of volunteers. The perfectly prepared events organized by the centre and a number of supporting events create a specific atmosphere of this centre.

The year-round swimming training involves a total of 50 swimmers, 31 of whom are under the age of 18. On the initiative of the centre, a swimming program has developed in Děčín passing on to the Nursery Centre Bělásek during the course of the year and is being led by Adéla Macháčková. 22 instructors and volunteers have helped to realize the lessons in two swimming pools – a 25m pool of Alžbětiny Lázně (Elisabeth Spa) and a 16m pool in the Elementary School Krušnohorská in Růžový vrch.

### **Staff**

The centre is run by Štěpánka Řehořková in strong cooperation with Míša Tůmová who is responsible for the financing and the propagation of the centre working as the centre's PR and FR manager. With Míša going on maternity leave in May a staff vacancy was made possible to be taken by a long-standing volunteer Monika Violová. The Řehořková – Violová tandem is backed by a lasting cooperation of Míša.

### **Major events of the centre**

In June 6, 2008 Míša Tůmová gave birth to her son Jan and in December 2008 the long-standing volunteer Jan "Hrzi" Ržounek's wife gave birth to their son Krisitan Ržounek. Veronika Šímová, a long-standing instructor, gained her Bachelor's degree academic title Bc in May 2008 and carries on in the Master's programme of study.

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### **The České Budějovice Centre**

#### **Characteristics and basic data about the centre**

The extent of the program has always been limited owing to the centre not having full-time employees in 2008. The number of swimmers involved regularly in the program was 15. The change come with the January 2009 and Jan Janoušek becoming a full-time centre manager. The aim is to develop the program in České Budějovice in two years to reach the extent of the Karlovy Vary Centre. The swimming lessons are currently taking place twice a week in the FAKTORYPRO relax centre in the IGY shopping centre

### **Staff**

The centre has been led by the full-time centre physiotherapist Mr. Aripid Lubo Bičej handing down the leadership to Jan Janoušek.

### **Major events of the centre**

Jitka Burianová a swimmer and a collaborator of the centre has successfully accomplished her studies at the Faculty Of Natural Sciences in České Budějovice

### **Poděkování**

The year-round lessons were co-organized by the following volunteers and instructors: Lubomír Bičej, Kateřina Krotká, Pavla Vinzensová (maiden name Slavíčková), Barbora Fuksová, Eva Šustrová, Viera Soukupová, Alena Lánová, Petra Hovorková.

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- **The Ostrava Centre**

#### **Characteristics and basic data about the centre**

The Ostrava Centre is also run by a part-time manager being a full-time physiotherapist. This situation limits the functioning of the program in terms of the number of hours and swimmers, just as the České Budějovice centre. But there is a good atmosphere of mutuality and enthusiasm among the 20 swimmers and 8 volunteers. Swimmers with mental handicaps are involved significantly in the program and in races organized by the Organization for support to Mentally Handicapped people in Ostrava, Petr Kovář, Petr Slanina and Ondřej Lövy reach medal positions. At the end of the swimming season the centre organized a race open also to parents and fans of the program and also organized a swimming training camp in Hotel Tanečnica in Poustevny.

The swimming lessons take place three hours twice a week in the Swimming Pool of Vítek in Ostrava Hrabivce. Forced by the fact that there is no permanent staff of KONTAKT bB planning to settle in Ostrava the activity of the centre were to a full extent passed on the Sport Club SK KONTAKT OSTRAVA in the beginning of the 2009. The requirements resulting from the dynamic development of the association and the criteria required by the provider of the social service cannot be met in the situation when the centre is not run by a full-time executive. Both sides felt that the best decision is to pass on the activities under a club that is going to be supported by the KONTAKT bB by means of paying for the swimming pool rental costs and by offering training courses for club's instructors.

#### **Staff**

The centre is lead by Petr Musálek who is helped by a team of volunteers.

#### **Major events of the centre**

Peter's wife Jana Peter and his wife Jana gave birth to Kryštof Musálek in December 21. The long-term volunteer is a proud bearer of the Master degree academic title Mgr. after having finished studying the Applied physical education in Olomouc.

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We wish to the swimming lessons organizer Kateřina Ševčíková, Alexander Gebauer, Jan Stoszek, Zuzana Sumarová, Jiří Šváb, Michaela Henkelová, Pavel Musálek, Veronika Dostálová. The running and development of the centre was carried out by the cooperation of Jana Musálková, Mr. And Mrs. Slanina, Mr. And Mrs. Lövy. We would like to thank the management and the staff of the Indoor swimming pool Vítek in Ostrava-Hrabůvka as well as the staff of the Tanečnica Hotel in Poustevny, managed by Mr. Zetka and Mr. Mikundy.

## 2. Stayovers – motto: “i want to enjoy, survive, experience!”

Stayovers are the activities which the association's programme derives from. They embody the vision, mission and goals of the association in a concentrated form and within the timeframe of one week. The programme is full of events and the intense swimming course with two training sessions every day is set within the framework of a thematically-oriented programme which also focuses on different target age groups. Our employees and volunteers not only give the actual professional swimming lessons at the event but also provide the necessary personal assistance and supplementary activities and arrange matters associated with rendering social services (basic consulting services and so on). Stayovers allow you to experience them with a member of your family or as a holiday with all your family at Strakonice. A premiere one-week stay for children or adults recovering from an injury outside their family or a medical facility can be one of the steps to their mental self-sufficiency. We offer stayovers for children, young people and adults and swimming beginners and improvers. Jana Nastoupilová is the event coordinator in charge of the biggest stay-over in Strakonice. Other stay-over events are managed by selected officials of the centre offering the particular stay-over.

- **Svitavy February – 10 – 16, 2008 Brno Centre – Theme: “The Students symposium --THE WORLD AROUND US – future promises”**

It was a continuing stay-over event for children and youngsters of the age 10 to 19, involved in the regular year-round KONTAKT bB course. The combination of individual lessons and a sports training brought about great improvement in swimming of all participants. The majority of the swimmers participate without being helped by their family members being assisted by our volunteers, which leads to an improvement in the area of self-efficiency as well.

The event was attended by 28 swimmers and 4 employees and 22 volunteers.

The swimmers underwent a total of 7 swimming lessons crowned by the Friday race of the Svitavy Cup. A swimming instructor was appointed for each swimmer for the whole week in order to work together on the individual aims, which at the end were revised by a supervisor in charge of the particular track. The terrestrial part of the event was filled with a series of Students symposium lectures, bowling and going to the concert of the group Bedna odložených hraček (A Box of Put-away Toys) as well as with the adventurous search of the “tribe of Evil”. This program was prepared by academicians Iva Tesařová and Marta Vojáčková who invited a number of interesting personalities of our science such as Dr. Anna Omšelá, Doc. Krakatit and other masterminds to give lectures.

- **Strakonice I.–III. – July 13.– August 2. 2008, the Prague, Brno, Karlovy Vary Centres – Theme: „A Strakonice summer with KONTAKT bB“**

In the 2008 we changed the sequence of the courses according to age groups. The adult age group started the first week of the event and it worked. The camp had the traditional atmosphere allowing the swimmers to stay without having to have a personal accompaniment, or allowing whole families. The training program arranged mainly for volunteers and collaborators of individual centres is an integral part of this summer event. Every week 40-44 swimmers led by 9 employees and about 20 volunteers could work on their skills in the swimming pool. During five swimming days, 8 lessons and one race took place.

The supplementary program aimed to widen the horizons in the field of swimming. MUDr. Jan Hnízdil's lectures on Psychosomatic approaches to physiotherapy were very successful. Michal Stark, one of our best cyclers in the Paralympics arrived on his bicycle, to talk about this type of sport.

The supplementary program themed to the Ancient Greece were led by the muses Iľé and Maté and attempted to lead the swimmers to improve their self-consciousness and to develop their personality. The summer camp is organized by all the employees of the centre and is coordinated by Jana Nastoupilová and supervised by Jan Nevřkla.

- **Bystré u Poličky – September 14.– September 20. 2008, the Brno Centre – theme: „A Week with Mach and Šebestová“**

The event was targeted to pre-school children and the younger school-age group (age range 2 to 10 years of age) 15 swimmers, 3 volunteers, 3 employees and 17 family members were involved in the event. The swimmers were divided in two parts according to the age group and swimming levels and during the week went through 5 to 9 lessons. The swimming was supplemented by hippo-therapy twice a week, by canistherapy twice a week, by graphic activities and by an evening program in the atmosphere of the cartoon characters Mach and Šebestová, followed by their dog friend Jonatán and the magic ripped-off telephone receiver. The course was organized by the female workers of the Brno Centre Marta Machová, Iva Šebestová, Jana Kadrožková. The supplement program the swimmers

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were given the possibility to caress the Champion of the Republic – a rabbit. At the end of the stay the swimmers completed the swimming races that for many attendants were taking place for the first time in their lives. Parents were also involved in the race (the parents' relay race – 2 sides) who had to learn individual swimming styles under the leadership of the female workers of the Association Ivana Tesařová and Jana Nastoupilová.

- **Kynžvart – November 2.–8. 2008, the Karlovy Vary Centre – theme: „ With Music around the World“**

The age range was between 8 to 26 years of age (16 children from 8 to 15 years of age and 3 people aged 26) The event was attended by 19 swimmers, 3 employees and 15 volunteers.

It was the first time for Monika Violová to coordinate the camp so she was backed up by Štěpánka Řehořková. A whole different first timer was Míša Tůmava in being a mother to her five-month son Jan.

The swimming training was lead by the organizing centre manager Štěpánka Řehořková together with Jan Nevrkla. The swimmers were divided in two swimming groups. In seven lessons the swimmers focused on the development of new swimming styles and after the training they could relax in a sauna room. The main theme of the supplementary program was “Experience the World through Music”. By solving tasks the groups travelled across continents and across different musical styles of the regions. Jana Švarcová made sure everybody stretched out properly in the Orlík Spa House gym. The swimming race “Chebský Špalíček” taking place in November 11, 2008 marked the end of the whole event of the swimming preparation event in Lázně Kynžvart (The Spa Town Od Kynžvart) Wonderful personal improvements in the relay race, the fan club of Simona Buchnerová and some other first-time events were both to the swimmers and to the workers a great reward for the week had spent they together.

### 3. Sport -- motto: "More than just sport"

Sport activities are the main field of activity that has a logical link to giving swimming classes and to stay-over events. In the realisation of this field the associations collaborate with sport clubs founded as individual legal subjects at individual centres from the initiative of the association. It is the area encompasses mainly the organisation of races in the home ground. A series of races of the Czech Cup has gained prestige and the international meeting EUROWAVES has entered to the world's most favourite races. The home races are being frequented by about 100 physically disabled swimmers.

A young talent of the Karovy Vary Centre Milan Man introduced himself in the Sheffield races alongside the experienced medallist Kateřina Lišková. The line-up of Lišková, Franěk, Mach entered the race in Berlin. The preparation of the sportsmen for a first-rate international level is a part of the field of work. By the end of 2007 and beginning of 2008 seven swimmers went over to the Czech Association of the Handicapped Sportsmen owing to the Czech Paralympics Committee's approach excluding anyone who does not enter the Association will not be able to take part in the Paralympics. Of all other sports, the swimmers were the sole enclave, refusing to transfer. Splitting this unity caused that the swimmers who entered the Association did participate in the Paralympics, those who refused were restricted from taking part. Had the approach been united the Czech Paralympics team could not have sent the swimmers. The quota given to the Czech Republic from the International Paralympics Committee for IPC swimming was 11 and there would not have been much space for explanations as to why the Czech swimmers belonging to the world elite would choose not to go. (all the elite swimmers had been swimming in the KONTAKT bB program). The ones defending the principals refused to feel forced to enter another Association and therefore stayed out of the first-rate game and lost the possibility to win a medal as well as financial support. From the short-term point of view and in the light of the general shared values it seems like an obvious defeat. Those who did not take part have highlighted other values and were not up to changing them just to participate in a competition, although a first-rate one in China with limited time and financial background. Kateřina Lišková lost the opportunity of a dignified representation on the Summer Paralympics Games. Her tough preparation, the march training camp in Karlovy Vary, the excellent performance in Sheffield with four personals, all these were extraordinary experience of this season. After Sheffield the motivation happened to fall owing to the representatives of the Czech Paralympics Committee who distinctly expressed that will not nominate her without switching, even she would have an medal winning performance. The participation on the Paralympics was reserved for the swimmers who entered the Association and who became part of the world elite owing to the KONTAKT bB program. A half a year before the Paralympics they switched and their preparation was taken over by Andrea Věňšková, who has learned her coaching skills in the field of swimming of physically handicapped people in KONTAKT bB as well. Two most experienced swimmers – Běla Hlaváčková and Jan Povýšil – did succeed in winning a medal- Běla won 2 gold medals, a silver one and a bronze one, "Dědek" won 3 bronze medals. He took advantage of the years of experience and reached what they had been trained to. Arnošt Petráček swam as far as the final line but was behind his personal maximums and therefore behind the medal. One final line was also reached by Filip Coufal. Their personals were not achieve neither by Tereza Diepoldová nor Kateřina Komárková who did not advance to the finals. Kateřina Lišková, Vojta Franěk and Dalibor Mach had a higher or a similar performance than these non-medal ones but did not switch and therefore did not go. Other swimmers who still met the criteria of the Paralympics Committee for participation, despite having terminated their carriers or being in the state of convalescence after an operation just as Tom Havlina, Petr Andryšek and the masters of the first swimmers generation Tomáš Scharf, Martin Kovář and Jirka Kadeřávek, preferred to stay on the side appreciating the value viewpoint. Instead of 11 swimmers who could have gone only 7 swimmers travelled to Beijing (6 of whom had stepped out from KONTAKT Bb and 1 swimmer being visually impaired). The main activity of KONTAKT Bb does not stand on a few elite swimmers. There are 300 swimmers in the program and the majority does not have Paralympics ambitions. Our main activity is headed towards those who were not born with a flair for sports, or their diagnosis does not allow them to even think about the Paralympics. It is possible to see a champion in everyone as someone may find it hard to learn correctly a new moving pattern than to win a medal. To learn this together is a wonderful consonance. At the end there may not be a medal shining and interviews for the news. The coordinator of the area is Jan Nevrla managing it together with the assistants Štěpána Řehořková and Jan Janoušek. The organization of this area is done by sport clubs founded at the centres.

## **The Czech Cup 2008 – 2<sup>nd</sup> Year of the Racing Series, or “There are no tight swimmwer, only tight swimsuits!”**

The 2<sup>nd</sup> series of the Czech Cup was extended by adding the Brněnský DRAK (The Brno Dragon) races. The results reached on individual races were recalculated according to an original point system developed by KONTAKT Bb. The overall order included the best three results (the sum of two best disciplines on the particular meeting) from four races put in the series. The point calculation model enables the swimmers to compare their performances regardless the type of disorder, classification class or gender, there is therefore room for a healthy bigger competition. The realisation of the races was a result of a cooperation among centres or among the organisation leaders with particular sport clubs.

### **2008 VII. LITTLE CUP – APRIL , 5 2008 – Karlovy Vary Centre and SK KONTAKT Karlovy Vary**

The seventh year of the swimming races of physically disabled sportsmen served as the qualification race for the international race EUROWAVES. The first Saturday in April 86 swimmers fought in the swimming pool of Sokolov. In the evening ceremonial they accepted awards from the hands of the Mayor of Karlovy Vary madamme JUDr. Veronika Vlková, who took patronage over the races. The age range of the contestants was 82 years. The youngest Matěj Hodoval from the local centre was born in 2001 whereas Marie Feiferová from Prague crawled despite being born in 1919.

### **V. EUROWAVES 2008 – May, 5 – June, 6, 2008 – KONTAKT bB and SK KONTAKT Karlovy Vary**

The participation of 165 swimmers from 17 countries with first time participants from Brazil and China, under the patronage of the Czech Minister of Health MUDr. Tomáš Julínek, the district commissioner of the county of Ústecko, Ing. Jiří Šulc and the Mayor of the statutory city of Chomutov madamme Ing. Mgr. Ivana Řápková gave the races a magisterial frame. The Chomutov 50 brought 4 world records and 3 European records. The world maximum was pushed on the character race course by the Russians Alexander Světov-Něvolin and Konstantin Lisenkov on the Breaststroke 50 by Karolína Pelendritou from Cyprus and on the Crawl 200 the current world maximum of Martin Kovář was exceeded by the Chinese contestant Li Han Hua.

### **• XVI. STRAKONICE CUP 2008 – July 20, July, 27, and August, 1 2008 – KONTAKT Bb**

The races in Strakonice always took place at the end of each of the week sessions. The races on the Open 50 in the summer atmosphere and the announcement of the results at the local totem and fireplace give an extraordinary characteristic to sport in this concept.

### **I. Brněnský Drak2002 (The Brno Dragon) – November 1, 2008 – KONTAKT bB and SK KONTAKT BRNO**

The starting year was attended by 77 swimmers form 5 sport clubs in the age range 7 to 47. The Mayor of the city district Brno-střed Mgr. Libor Štáštka took the event under his patronage and was physically present at the site. The deputy chief magistrate Dušan Pazdírek handed over the awards in Hotel Kozák. The first year should establish a tradition and so we should be able to meet every year to fight the Brno DRAGON in a beautiful recreational sport area in Kraví hora.

### **XVII. Strahov Cup 2008 – December 13, 2008 – KONTAKT Bb and SK KONTAKT PRAGUE**

Being dated as it is, the Strahov Cup traditionally ends the calendar year. The year 2008 hosted the seventeenth year Strahov Cup. The last two years were also the last round of the year-round contest the Czech Cup of the physically disabled swimmers. With respect to the link with other events of the end of the year the whole race takes place in one day. The event list included 50 meter and 100 meter tracks in all swimming styles. 81 swimmers raced in Strahov – 23 in the pupil category, 20 in the junior category and 38 in the man/woman category. Thanks to Marie Feiferová there were swimmers of all ages ranging from the year of birth 2001 down to 1919.

## IV. STRUCTURE

KONTAKT bB is a civic association, which controls its activities according to its basic document – the Statutes. The association's top body is the General Assembly – an assembly of all its members. Pursuant to the Statutes, the assembly is convened once in two years, and elects association representatives to the Management Board and the Supervisory Board once in four years. A directly elected Chair and two Deputy Chairs, who form the Statutory Body, lead the Management Board. The Statutory Body is authorised to act on behalf of the association, is responsible for the organisation's operation, defines its policy and main directions of its development. The management board is convened at least twice a year.

Chair of the association recruits staff and appoints them to their positions. Regarding the organisation's routine activities, the association is managed by Executive Manager. Executive Manager, together with the Chief Accountant and Project Manager, forms the organisation's executive management. These are responsible for their activities to the statutory body and the management board.

The actual implementation of the main activities in the centres is the responsibility of the respective centre chiefs. Other job positions at the centres include deputy chief and project manager of the respective centre. Job positions at centres may be accumulated, depending on the actual situation in human resources. The following main areas and sections pertaining to the centres are allocated to the staff at the respective centres,

- **Bodies elected by the general assembly**

- **Management Board**

- **Statutory Body**

- Mgr. Jan Nevrkla, Chairman

- Mgr. Radka Kučírková, Deputy Chair

- Bc. Roman Vojáček, Deputy Chair

- **Members Of The Management Board:**

- Dr. Martin Kovář, Ing. Zbyněk Švehla, Mgr. Štěpánka Řehořková, Mgr. Jaroslav Chýle, Mgr. Jana Švarcová, Mgr. Vojtěch Franěk, PhD.

- **Supervisory Board:**

- RNDr. Jarmila Mrtková, Ing. Michal Chronek, Miloš Hirman

- **Organisation Management**

- Mgr. Jan Nevrkla, Executive Manager

- Renata Hlavinková, Chief Accountant

- Mgr. Krystyna Poloková, Project Manager

- **KONTAKTU bB Centres**

- **Prague Centre**

- Mgr. Jan Janoušek, centre chief

- The running of the biggest centre was arranged by the members of the management of the organization during the maternity leave of Milky Stuchlíková and during the long-term stay in Africa of Jarda Kolář. As skilled instructors of swimming lessons Jan Nevrkla and Krystyna Poloková, who covered the PR and FR managerial responsibilities of the centre and Renata Hlavinková as the centre's accountant.

- Mgr. Miloslava Stuchlíková – on maternity leave

- **Brno Centre**

- Mgr. Jana Nastoupilová, Centre Chief

- Mgr. Ivana Tesařová, Deputy Centre Chief

- Marta Vojáčková, Centre's Project Manager

- **Karlovy Vary Centre**

- Mgr. Štěpánka Řehořková, Centre Chief

- Monika Violová, zástupce Centre Chief – since September 2008

- Mgr. Michaela Tůmová, Deputy Centre Chief covering the Centre Project Manager's responsibilities –  
- since May on maternity leave

- **České Budějovice Centre**

- Bc. Lubo Bičej, Centre Chief

- **Ostrava Centre**

- Petr Musálek, Centre Chief

- **External Co-workers**

Ing. Václav Eybl, IT administrator, server and web maintenance

Mgr. Jan Stuchlík, administrator of the IT.

Mgr. Vít Franta, grafic El Magnifico graphics El Magnifico

Vítek Kulhánek, webmaster

Mgr. Jana Švarcová, Chief classification clerk (classification of swimmers to classes according to the disorder)

Mgr. Josef Dušek, The Good Spirit of the association

Mgr. Milena Dušková, excercising, choreographics a charisma

- **Supervision and Expert Guarantee**

**Project Supervisor is Dr. Martin Kovář**

Kovář graduated from the Faculty of Physical Education and Sport at the Charles University and finished his postgraduate studies with thesis entitled Aplikovaná metodická řada ve výuce plavání jedinců s míšňí lézí (Applied Series of Methodical Instructions in Swimming Lessons For Individuals Affected by Spinal Lesion).

Kovář was Czech Prime Minister's advisor for information and communication technologies (ICT) and sport; is a member of the Management Board of the Charter 77 Foundation – Konto BARIÉRY (BARRIERS Account). In 1995-2001, he was advisor of the Minister of Labour and Social Affairs and director of the project Computers Against Barriers at the Charter 77 Foundation. In the early 1990's, he was member of the first Governmental Committee for People with Disabilities.

Kovář was a key person in the creation of the entire swimming programme and the Kontakt project. He is a co-author

of the original methodical series of swimming lessons, which are the subject of this thesis. He has applied all elements of the methodical series to himself and, as regards swimming, he has achieved the absolute top in sport, with three paralympic victories in Athens. In the early 1990's, he came up with an idea of weekly stayovers with swimming lessons and, in the second half of the 1990's, he extended these activities with a PC course.

Initially, he significantly participated in the implementation of the contact programme. Today, due to his permanent contact with practical applications, and his experience from the non-profit sector as well as business sector, he is an ideal supervisor of the project.

**Expert Guarantee:**

**Doc. Dr. Pavel Kolář, CSc.**, Head of the Rehabilitation Clinic of the General University Hospital in Motol

**Doc. PhDr. Jaroslav Potměšil, CSc.**, Faculty of Physical Education and Sport at the Charles University, Department of Pedagogy, Psychology and Didactics

**MUDr. Jan Hnízdil**, Centre of Comprehensive Medicine, Dobřichovice

## VII. FINANCE

- Profit and Loss Statement

Balance Sheet as at 31 December 2008 (thousands of CZK)

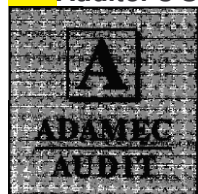
Assets	As at 1 Jan 2008	As at 31 Dec 2008
<b>Total fixed assets</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>122</b>
Low-value intangible assets	20	-
Equipment, furniture & fixtures	60	213
Low-value tangible fixed assets	342	116
Amortisation of intangible assets	- 20	-
Amortisation of equipment, furniture & fixtures	- 43	- 91
Amortisation of low-value tangible fixed assets	- 342	- 116
<b>Total short-term assets</b>	<b>3 468</b>	<b>4 350</b>
Customers	564	528
Operational advance payments provided	64	22
Other receivables	10	20
Cash	60	59
Bank accounts	2 703	3 711
Prepaid expenses	7	10
Deferred income	60	-
<b>Total assets</b>	<b>3 485</b>	<b>4 472</b>

Liabilities	As at 1 Jan 2008	As at 31 Dec 2008
<b>Total equity</b>	<b>2 855</b>	<b>3 788</b>
Equity	1 174	1 174
Funds	138	161
2007 earnings	-	910
Earnings subject to approval	265	-
Earnings of previous years	1 278	1 543
<b>Liabilities</b>	<b>630</b>	<b>684</b>
Suppliers	88	266
Other liabilities	15	-
Other liabilities to employees	128	152
Liabilities to social-security and health insurance institutions	172	182
Income tax	37	23
Other direct taxes	56	61
Liabilities in relation to the budget of authorities of self-governing territorial divisions	18	-
Deferred revenues	116	-
<b>Total liabilities</b>	<b>3 485</b>	<b>4 472</b>



Statutory social-security insurance	915
<b>Total taxes and fees</b>	<b>1</b>
Other taxes and fees	1
<b>Other costs (total)</b>	<b>177</b>
Odpis nedobytné pohľadávky	27
Exchange rate losses	9
Donations	77
Other costs not included above	64
<b>Depreciation, sold assets, creation of provisions and rectifying items (total)</b>	<b>48</b>
Depreciation of intangible and tangible fixed assets	48
<b>Total contributions granted</b>	<b>3</b>
Membership fees granted	3
<b>Total costs</b>	<b>9</b>
<b>Total costs</b>	<b>512</b>
Earnings before tax	933
Income tax	23
<b>Earnings after tax</b>	<b>910</b>

## • Auditor's Statement



### INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

To the General Assembly of organisation  
KONTAKT bB, civic association  
for education, rehabilitation and sport without barriers  
Vaníčková 7  
Praha 6  
ID No: 68402651

#### Report on Financial Statements

Today, based on the audit conducted, we have issued an Auditor's Report of the following wording, pertaining to the financial statements which are part of this Annual Report:

"We verified the financial statements enclosed, of KONTAKT bB, civic association for education, rehabilitation and sport without barriers, i.e. the Balance Sheet as at 31 December 2008, the Profit and Loss Statement from 1 January 2008 to 31 December 2008, and the annex to these financial statements, including the description of relevant accounting methods used.

#### Responsibility of Entity's Statutory Body for the Financial Statements

- The compilation and true representation of the financial statements, in accordance with Czech accounting regulations, are the responsibility of the Statutory Body of KONTAKT bB, civic association for education, rehabilitation and sport without barriers. This responsibility includes proposing, implementing and taking care of the internal supervision over the compilation and true representation of the financial statements so that the financial statements are free from material misstatement, stemming from a fraud or mistake; choosing and using appropriate accounting methods; and making accounting estimates that are adequate to a given situation.

#### Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to issue a verdict on these financial statements, on the basis of the audit conducted. We conducted the audit in compliance with the Act on Auditors and with the International Standards on Auditing and the relating application clauses of the Chamber of Auditors of the Czech Republic. These regulations require that we adhere to ethical standards and that we schedule and conduct the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free from material misstatement.

The audit includes the application of auditing procedures the objective of which is to obtain audit evidence of the amounts and facts in the financial statements. Choosing the appropriate auditing procedures is at auditor's discretion, and so is the assessment of the risks of the financial statements containing material misstatement, stemming from a fraud or mistake. In assessing those risks, the auditor shall take account of the internal supervision relevant for the compilation and true representation of the financial statements. The objective of the assessment of the internal supervision is to propose appropriate auditing procedures, and not to comment on the effectiveness of the internal supervision. The audit also includes the assessment of the appropriateness of the accounting methods used, the assessment of the adequacy of the accounting estimates performed by the management, as well as the assessment of the overall presentation of the financial statements.

**ADAMEC AUDIT s.r.o., Daliborova 130/7, 460 07 Liberec, ID No: 25826158, tel.: 482 345 566, info@adamec-audit.cz**

The company is registered in the Companies Register maintained at the Regional Court in Ústí n.L., Section C, Insert 16467, and in the List of Audit Firms maintained by the Chamber of Auditors of the Czech Republic under number 342

We believe that the audit evidence obtained constitutes a reasonable and appropriate basis for our opinion.

### **Auditor's Opinion**

In our opinion, the financial statements provide a true and fair picture of the assets, liabilities and the financial position of KONTAKT bB, civic association for education, rehabilitation and sport without barriers, as at 31 December 2008, and of the costs, revenues and its financial result for 2008, in compliance with Czech accounting regulations.”

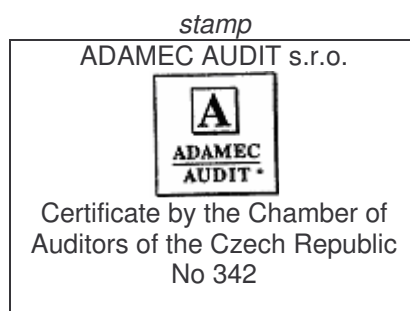
### **Report on Annual Report**

We also verified the compliance of the Annual Report of KONTAKT bB, civic association for education, rehabilitation and sport without barriers, as at 31 December 2008, with the financial statements that are included in that Annual Report. Correctness of the Annual Report is the responsibility of the Statutory Body of KONTAKT bB, civic association for education, rehabilitation and sport without barriers. Our responsibility is to issue our verdict on Annual Report's compliance with the financial statements, on the basis of the verification performed.

We carried out the verification in accordance with the International Standards on Auditing and the relating application clauses of the Chamber of Auditors of the Czech Republic. These standards require that the auditor schedules and carries out the verification to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the information that is included in the Annual Report and describes the facts that are also represented in the financial statements is, in all major aspects, in compliance with the relevant financial statements. We are confident that that verification performed provides a reasonable basis for auditor's opinion.

Our opinion is that that the information contained in the Annual Report of KONTAKT bB, civic association for education, rehabilitation and sport without barriers, as at 31 December 2008, is, in all major aspects, in compliance with the above financial statements.

In Liberec, on 12 May 2009



*signature*

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Auditors of the Czech Republic  
No 342  
Ing. Jaromír Adamec  
Auditor's Certificate Number 1719

• AN OVERVIEW OF SUPPORTERS 2008

<b>State institutions</b>	
Ministry of Labour And Social Affairs of the Czech Republic	2 225 000
<i>Prague (including the organization management)</i>	<i>1 087 000</i>
<i>Brno</i>	<i>573 000</i>
<i>Karlovy Vary</i>	<i>423 000</i>
<i>České Budějovice</i>	<i>86 000</i>
<i>Ostrava</i>	<i>86 000</i>
Ministry Of Health of the Czech Republic	350 000

<b>Municipalities, towns, urban districts</b>	
Central-Bohemia County	300 000
Karlovy Vary Region	158 000
City Hall of Karlovy Vary	75 000
Jihočeský kraj	70 000
Ústecký kraj	50 000
City of Chomutov	50 000
Urban district Prague 6	40 000
Strakonice	20 000
City of Brno	20 000
City of Sokolov	10 000
City of Krásno	5 000
<b>Urban districts of Prague (from the budget of the Capital City of Prague)</b>	
Urban district Praha 8	100 000
Urban district Praha 17	90 000
Urban district Praha 4	82 450
Urban district Praha 12	67 000
Urban district Praha 5	65 000
Urban district Praha 13	65 000
Urban district Praha 1	50 000
Urban district Praha 6	50 000
Urban district Praha 9	45 000
Urban district Praha 10	45 000
Urban district Praha 3	44 000
Urban district Praha 16	40 000
Urban district Praha 7	20 000
Urban district Praha 11	20 000
Urban district Praha 21	16 000

<b>Foundations</b>	
The Foundation for Development of the Civil Society "Help the Children"	145 550
Children-Culture-Sport Foundation	70 000
The Foundation of the Jedlička Institute	50 000
Charter 77 Foundation – the RWE TRANSGAS fund	30 000
Endowment Fund Ludmila	20 000

**Major donors**

Tipsport, a.s. - "Sportem do života bez bariér"	500 000
CITIBANK EUROPE plc	273 800
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## VIII. MAIN ACTIVITY STATISTICS

### Swimming lessons

Centre	Type of health disorder											Newly involved	Staff (employees, instructors, volunteers)
	Total number of swimmers	Of whom being under 18 in%	Spinal lesion (para/kvadru)	Amputations	Tumor disease	Infantile paralysis	Evolutionary limb disability	Optical handicap	Mental disorder	Combined disorder	Other disorder		
Prague	126	58	11	5	1	57	14	0	7	6	25	93/17/7	
Brno	91	65	4	0	1	61	12	0	1	4	8	103/15/15	
Karlovy Vary	53	60	2	3	2	20	7	0	2	3	14	12/16/15	
České Budějovice	17	41	5	0	0	5	1	1	1	1	3	01/0/10	
Ostrava	19	74	2	2	0	12	0	0	0	0	3	21/0/8	
<b>Total</b>	<b>306</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>155</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>2210/48/55</b>	

### Stay-over events

Term	Place	Characteristics	Number of swimmers (Permanent Health Disorder PHD/Disorder D, PHD, Permanent Disorder PD)	Of this children under 18 yrs	Accompaniment	Employees and skilled staff	Instructors and personal assistants
10. - 16.2.08	Svitavy	continuing children	28	21	3	4	20
13.7.-19.7.08	Strakonice	continuing adults	42	4	7	12	25
20.7.-26.7.08	Strakonice	continuing youth	45	28	7	13	26
27.7.-2.8.08	Strakonice	continuing children	46	39	17	9	26
14. - 20.9.08	Bystré u Poličky	Preschool	15	15	12	3	4
2.-8.11.08	Kynžvart	introductory children	19	15	2	5	15
<b>Total number of places</b>			<b>195</b>	<b>122</b>			

## Czech Cup 2008 swimming races organised by KONTAKTEM bB

Term	Name	Place	Characteristics	Total number of swimmers	Of the amount swimmers under 18 yrs
4.-6.4.08	VII. LITTLE CUP 2008	Sokolov	Czech cup	86	52
30.5. - 1.6.08	V. EUROWAVES	Chomutov	IPC Swimming Race	156	44
18.7., 25.7., 1.8.	XVI. Strakonice Cup	Strakonice	Czech cup	99	55
24.10.08	I. Brněnský drak	Brno	Czech cup	80	50
13.12.08	XVII. Strahov Cup	Praha	Czech cup	81	43

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