



L'Organisation pour la Paix par le Sport

Sous le Haut Patronage  
de S.A.S. le Prince Albert II de Monaco

## TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

As President and Founder of "Peace and Sport, *L'Organisation pour la Paix par le Sport*", I would like to express my wholehearted support for the Sport Department of the Shimon Peres Center for Peace, particularly its Twinned Peace Sport Schools and Twinned Peace Kindergartens programs.

Peace and Sport, based in the Principality of Monaco and placed under the High Patronage of H.S.H. Prince Albert II of Monaco, is a politically neutral organisation with the mission of bringing together the world of peace and the world of sport in order to use sport as a tool for peace-building and peace education.

Since Peace and Sport was founded in 2007, we have worked closely with the Peres Center for Peace in its initiative to foster values of peace and coexistence between young Palestinians and Israelis.

The Twinned Peace Sport Schools program offers an opportunity to many children and adolescents by providing with weekly sports training, peace education activities and inter-language learning, leading them to focus on their similarities rather than their differences. As a ricochet effect, it provides social stability and development within communities to which they belong.

For the above reasons, I give my unconditional personal support and the backing of Peace and Sport to the Peres Center for Peace. I sincerely hope that it will be able to continue to expand the Twinned Peace Sport Schools program to relieve tension and eliminate conflict.

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