INTERNATIONAL YOUTH SKILL OLYMPICS '89

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Please reply to:

FROM; THE BARTON, LITTLEMEAD, ASHLEY, BOX, CORSHAM, WILTS. SN14 9AH.

Dear Wichie ,

7th September 1989

I know that you will understand this 'word-processed' letter in that it will save a great deal of time in dealing with all the follow-up letters of thanks that I am anxious to complete in the quickest of time.

It is never-the-less none the less sincere for this.

I am writing to you to express our gratitude for all the work you did over the months, - in fact years, in preparation for the '89 Skill Olympics and for the concentrated efforts made over the last fortnight to ensure its success: and a resounding success it was. Many were the favourable comments made by those involved and by members of the general public.

None of these comments would have been possible had the Competitors not seemed to be so obviously settled in their work-places and concentrating upon the tests in hand. In no way would this have been possible had not their care and welfare been paramount.

Without doubt all this was due to the careful planning by your good self. I appreciate only too well the large and important role which we called upon you to fulfil as the Coordinating Team Leader. This was a most important task and without the dedication which you put into it it would not have come together so sweetly and efficiently. It is significant that there was not a single criticism of the 'digs'. I would not expect any anyway. I shall leave you to write to Martin but have enclosed a copy of this letter if you would like to use it.

I am most gratefully and sincerely yours,

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Charles Thompson, Chairman Planning/Coordinating.