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## Padel America, here is the Board of Directors and the official logo Carraro: "Together we will write the future"

The tenth edition of the **FIP Juniors Panamerican Padel Championships** – a historic edition in terms of participation, which saw Argentina take the victory, with Mexico and Brazil in second and third place, respectively – confirmed that the prospects for the growth of padel continue at a steady pace, both in terms of technical development and overall expansion.

In this promising context for the future, the success of the youth team competition held in Aguascalientes, Mexico, serves as the perfect opening to introduce the **Board of Directors** that will lead **Padel America**, along with the official logo and other important updates about this new entity on the American continent. On one side is the future of padel on the court, and on the other is its future in terms of organizational and developmental growth.



Padel America is a reality created by the **FIP** member countries – **Argentina, Brazil, Chile, Canada, Mexico, the United States, and Paraguay** – with the specific aim of strengthening padel globally by sharing the objectives set by the FIP itself, with a vision focused on the continuous development and growth of our sport worldwide.

**THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS** The Board of Directors of Padel America is composed of the following appointments and positions:

**Jorge Mañe Rendón**, Mexico – President

**Santiago Brito**, Argentina – 1st Vice President

**Eduardo Langer**, Brazil – 2nd Vice President

**Fabian Parolin**, Chile – Treasurer

**Nancy Malone**, Canada – Member

**Martin Sweeney**, USA – Member

**Jorge Ramírez**, Paraguay – Member (designated by FIP)

**GUATEMALA** In addition to the Board of Directors, FIP and Padel America have also formalized Guatemala's entry as a member country of the continental federation. An addition that highlights Padel America's inclusive and united philosophy, welcoming all federations that wish to share its objectives and perspectives.

**SOCIAL AND MEDIA** In addition to traditional channels of information about the various activities, the new continental American reality is now present on social media and has a dedicated Instagram account, created to maintain direct and constant contact with padel enthusiasts and all those who contribute to the growth of padel in America and globally. Follow the account [here](#).

**CARRARO** *"We wanted to wait until the finalization of the FIP Juniors Panamerican Padel Championships", said FIP President Luigi Carraro, "before announcing the appointments of Padel America's Board of Directors and the other updates related to this important and strategic new reality. The great competition held in Aguascalientes, Mexico, in addition to being a celebration of friendship, padel, and talent, once again represented the future of our sport on the American continent. And after admiring our young players on the court, it seemed perfect and in*

*harmony to officially present the appointments and updates for Padel America, which will work with commitment and enthusiasm for these young players and this future”.*

**MAÑE** *“Padel America embodies the origin of our sport. Formalizing this continental union with the International Padel Federation is a very important step that will solidify the growth of padel and all the federations across the continent. And what better setting than the FIP Juniors Panamerican Padel Championships to enter this formality; the first of many actions in favor of the athletes from our countries.*

*In Padel America, we all share the intention and vision of working every day to create more and better opportunities for everyone.*

*The founding countries welcome Guatemala, which joins us as we continue writing a very important chapter in American padel history. Padel America is open to all American federations that want to be part of it, aiming for greater coordination among FIP member countries in the Americas and the pursuit of common goals to strengthen the sport through unity and shared vision, including a new outlook at the continental level”.*

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