



TO THE WARRIORS OF OCEANIA

The Oceania National Olympic Committees (ONOC) Athletes' Commission wholeheartedly supports the IOC decision to postpone the Tokyo 2020 Olympic Games until 2021 to protect the health and safety of all athletes, officials and our wider community.

We applaud the positive attitude of athletes all over the world and in doing so, we respect our fellow athletes, and agree that everyone is given an equal opportunity to qualify and prepare.

Our community spirit, our togetherness and our oneness, bind us and make us strong, as we sail through the uncharted times ahead.

As natural voyagers and warriors, we are resilient, assertive, decisive, creative and agile people, so we encourage you to use your instincts and tap into these attributes to remain active and healthy and to continue to live out the Olympic values in your homes, your villages, your townships, your communities, your cities, and your respective countries.

More than ever we are here for you – we will:

- Listen to your voices and concerns
- Understand your challenges and escalate your feedback
- Advocate for your needs
- Give you sound advice if you need it
- Be an ear whenever you need to talk

We remain in discussions with ONOC as well as the IOC Athletes' Commission who are our voice at the highest level, to ensure that the athletes' viewpoint remains at the heart of the decisions by the Olympic Movement. We will communicate and share relevant updates that come to hand.

We also encourage you to stay in touch with your respective local Athletes' Commissions and also follow the digital platforms of Athlete365 for COVID-19 updates.

Finally, we remind you to be the natural community champions and ambassadors that you are, by practising and advocating all hygiene protocols for COVID-19.

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