

Bernar Borges commenting on his selection to represent Shuffleboard to the World by attending the TAFISA Event in Lithuania!! \*\*

*Bernar Speaks: "It was fantastic to hear from Michael Zellner that he would like me to be one of the nine ISA delegates to go with him to this huge event! I am so happy to have the opportunity to demonstrate shuffleboard to many people, it's an honor for me, and I said to myself that I couldn't miss it at all."*



Pic: Torben Hussmann on the left; Bernar Borges on the right!!

*I would like to add the fact that I have made 3 international trips in my life. The first one was in 2007, when I was 17 years old, I went to Canada, to play the ISA Tournament. The second trip was last year, I went to Germany to play the ISA Tournament. The third time was this year, I went to Canada to play the ISA Tournament. Travelling is wonderful, playing shuffleboard is wonderful, having foreign friends is wonderful, what can I say about travelling to play shuffleboard among friends??*

*So I think I am not exaggerating if I say that I owe my life to shuffleboard. I can't wait to be in Lithuania next year!*

Bernar Borges writing in 2011.

**\*\* Stan Speaks:** That is correct Shufflers: On July 4th, 2012, Gus Bondi, Jim Bailey, Lois McCormack, Stan McCormack from North America will fly to Frankfurt Germany where they will meet up with Michael Zellner, Bernar Borges, Camile Caldas, and Gabriel Zellner of South America. From Frankfurt they will fly to Riga in Latvia and then travel to Siauliai, Lithuania where they will be joined by Dieter Hussmann and Marius Runge of Germany. All will participate in this TAFISA (The Association For International Sport Assn.) world class presentation of Sports. Held every four years, the week-long Games are a vibrant and entertaining experience, offering a unique opportunity for the public to discover the traditional and contemporary games and sports of cultures from across the globe. Since their beginning in Bonn, Germany, in 1992, Games have been held around the world, with the most recent games in Busan, Korea, in 2008