TOURNAMENT RULES

MADRID FOOTBALL CUP

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OFFICIAL FIFA MATCH AGENT

1.- RULES

- The international tournament F-11 Madrid Football Cup Boys U14 2022 Alcobendas Edition will be played according to the R.F.E.F. (FIFA) rules.

2.- TOURNAMENT FORMAT

- **4 groups of 6 teams** in each one of them will be formed (Group A, Group B, Group C, Group D).

- All teams in the group will play against the other teams of the same group in a qualifying Playoff round.

- Each game won results in 3 points.
- Each game tied results in 1 point.
- Each game lost results in 0 points.

- If at the end of the Playoff round classification, two or more teams have summed the same number of points, the classification of one or the other team shall be determined in the following manner:

    1. Result of the game between the tied teams. If more than two teams tied, the points of the matches played between them are counted
    2. Overall goal difference, both in favor and against
    3. Greater number of goals scored
    4. The least goals received
    5. Overall goal difference (excluding penalties)
    6. Fairness (fewer cards received. The sum of the cards will be measured the following way: yellow card=1, red card=2)
    7. Tossing a coin

3.- CATEGORY

- Players participating in the tournament were born after 1st of January **2009**.

4.- TOURNAMENT PROGRAM

- The qualifying Playoff round will be played on the 16th and 17th of September 2022.

- The semifinals, the final, 3rd and 4th position and the rest of the final classification matches will be played on the 17th of September in the afternoon and the 18th of September 2022 in the morning.

5.- GAME TIME

- All tournament matches, expect the final will be played with a duration of **2 x 20 minutes** and a **break of 5 minutes** between the two parts.

- The final will be played with a duration of **2 x 25 minutes** and a **break of 5 minutes**.

- If at the end of the final classification matches the result is a tie, **3 penalties** will be played directly and if the tie persists, the penalties will continue until a penalty failure for one of the teams. Except for the **semifinals, 3rd and 4th position and the Final** in which **5 penalties** will be played directly and if the tie persists, the penalties will continue until a penalty failure for one of the teams. Only the players who finish the regular time on the pitch can play the penalties.

6.- PLAYERS INFORMATION / SUBSTITUTIONS

- All players must present a **valid ID or Passport** before the first match via the delegates. They will then be given the accreditation for tournament participants.

- Each team must have a maximum of **22 players** for the entire tournament, previously registered.

- In each match, a maximum of **20 players** can be registered.

- The organization is free to authorize more registrations in case of duly justified reasons.

- A total of **7 substitutions** can be made in each match, with a maximum of two stops and 4 substitutions during the second period. Substitutions may be made at half-time, these do not count as used substitution opportunities. In the event of both teams making a substitution at the same time, the stop will be subtracted from each of them.

- Substituted players are allowed to reenter the match (always within the total allowed number of changes)

- The players not participating in the match, may not sit on the bench next to the coaching staff and other substitutes.

- A player, who has been expelled with direct red card or two yellow cards during a match, **CAN NOT** play at least during the next match, depending on what the Disciplinary Committee decides. All players who are expelled for cutting off an obvious scoring opportunity will be excluded from this rule, and may be part of the squad in the next match.

- Any **sports claim** may be submitted in writing to the Tournament Competition Committee within **30 minutes after the match** in question. **See point 8 for conditions.**

- Yellow cards will not be accumulated and several yellow cards throughout the tournament will not result in the suspension of the player in a match.

7.- REFEREES

- All referees and assistant referees will be assigned by CAFM (Comité de Árbitros de la Federación de Fútbol de Madrid)

8.- RECLAMATIONS

At the time of positioning a claim, the claiming club must **deposit 50 euros for each player claimed**. In case the player claimed certifies his legality by submitting any of the original documents requested, the committee will end the claim.
In any case, if the legality of the player claimed is proved, **the claimant will lose the deposit and otherwise it will be returned**.
Claims on arbitration errors cannot modify the outcome of the match.
The decision of the Organizing Committee is final and irrevocable. The interpretation of the facts and the rules will be final and irrevocable.

9.- EQUIPMENT

- All the teams must bring both their **1st and their 2nd kit, duly numbered** to the tournament.
- **In case of matching uniforms, it will be the visiting team (named in second place) which has to change.**
- Each player will **have the same number**, on both the 1st and the 2nd kit and must **maintain it throughout the tournament.**

10.- REQUIRED PAPERWORK IN EACH MATCH

- The delegate of each team must present **45 minutes before the match**, the squad of the players for the match. It shall contain the name of the player and the number.
- No match will start without the organization having the lists of players.

11.- PUNTUALITY

- All teams must be in the changing rooms at least **60 minutes** prior to the start of the match.

12.- STAFF

- All teams will have a **person from the organization during the duration of the Tournament at their disposal** for whatever they need.

13.- PITCHES / MATERIAL

- The fields where the games will be taking place:

  Jose Caballero pitch 2
  Jose Caballero pitch 3
  Valdelasfuentes pitch 1
  Valdelasfuentes pitch 2
  Valdelasfuentes pitch 3
  Campo de fútbol Navarra Alcobendas

  SEMIFINALS José Caballero pitch 2 and 3
  3-4 position / FINAL José Caballero pitch 3

- The tournament will be played with Kappa balls **nº 5**.

14.- TROPHIES

- Trophies will be awarded at the final ceremony of the tournament which will take place at the end of the tournament, being **mandatory** the presence of all participating teams.

  The following trophies will be awarded:

  - Fair Play
  - Best Coach
  - Best Scorer*
  - Best Goalkeeper
  - Best Player
  - Best 11 of the tournament
  - Trophies for all participating teams

*In case of a tie, it will be determined the following manner:

1) Penalty goals will not count
2) Higher number of goals scored in different matches
3) Best Classification of the team
4) Tossing a coin

15.- MODIFICATION

- Any circumstance that has not been reflected in the regulations is exclusive competence of those responsible for the Organization, being their final decision, reserving the right to add, interpret, modify and apply the rules according to their criteria and the needs of the tournament.

16.- INFORMATION

- In case of doubts or questions refer to the Organizing Committee of the tournament.

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IMPORTANT NOTES

The fields are artificial grass and with dimensions adapted to the regulation of the Real Federación Española de Fútbol.

Within the aforementioned facilities, teams will have a changing room in all matches.

By **needs of television**, both the schedules, the match duration and the venue can be altered.

Any damage produced by misuse, both the sports facilities and accommodation places, will be assumed by each of the clubs.

Everyone registered for the tournament (players and staff) must have their **own health care insurance** as well as **federal approval by their Federation of football in their country.**

In each of the venues there is a doctor to treat and evaluate any injuries that may occur.

In addition, each venue has a physiotherapy service for all players who need the services.

All people registered to participate in the tournament must carry visible accreditation at all times to be able to move through the areas that require this type of identification.

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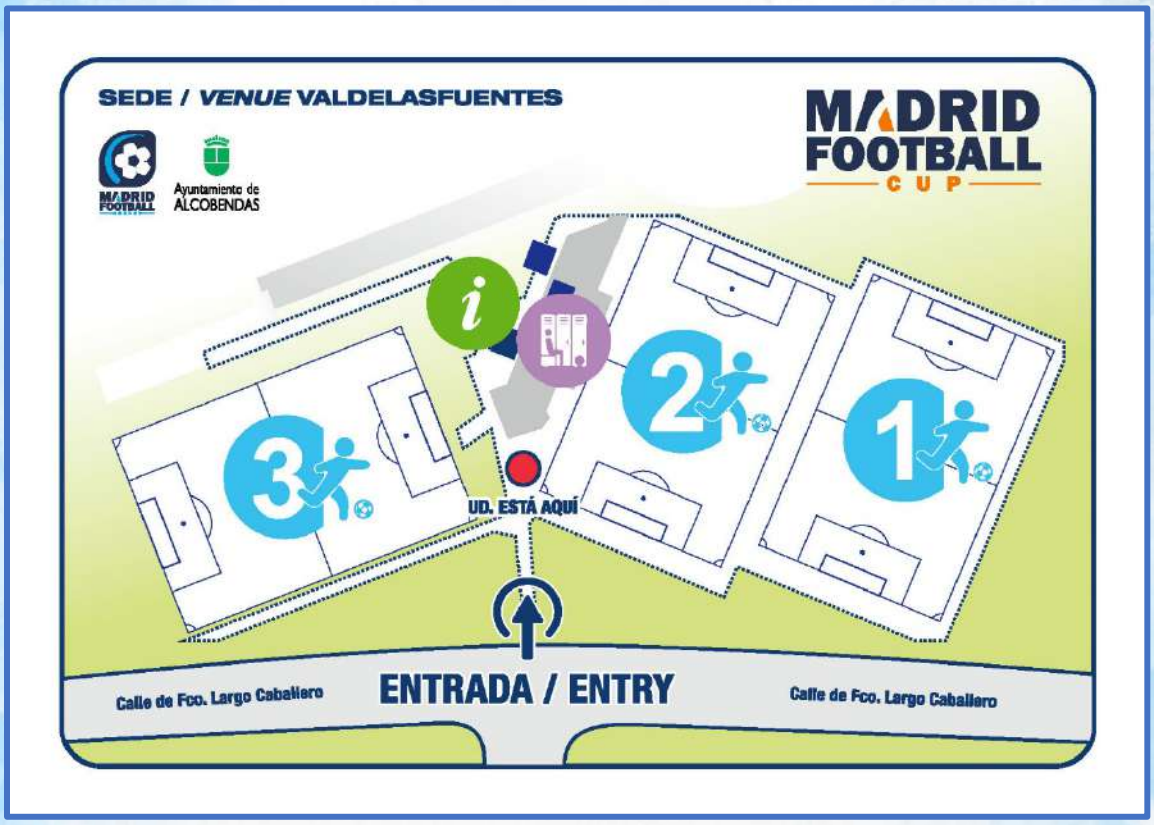

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