



IFAA
IRANIAN FOOTBALL
ASSOCIATION AUSTRALIA



Iranian Football Association - Australia Presents:

Ali Shahi's Memorial Futsal Tournament

Sunday 7th of March

From 10:00 – 18:00

Lindfield Sports Centre,
76A Highfield Road,
Lindfield

The rules of FIFA will generally apply except for specific Tournament rules listed below.

1. PLAYING RULES

- a. There is no offside.
- b. There is no slide tackling. A free kick will be awarded to the opposing team for any slide tackle.
- c. There are no throw-ins.

If a ball goes over the sideline play is resumed by a kick-in at the point the ball crossed the sideline. When kicked the ball must be stationary and behind the sideline.

The minimum distance an opposing player may be from a kick-in is 5 metres. A goal can be scored directly from a kick-ins.

- d. All free kicks (apart from penalties) will be indirect. The minimum distance an opposing player may be from the ball in a free kick situation is 5 metres.
- e. Penalties to be taken from a spot 6 metres out and in line with the middle of the goal.

Goalkeepers cannot be changed immediately after a penalty or free kick has been awarded (unless injured).

- f. There is unlimited interchange which can only be done when the ball is out of play. Interchanges are to take place at the halfway mark and the player leaving the field must do so before the replacement player enters the field.

A. Goalkeeping

- i. Goal kicks. If the ball has been made dead behind the goal-line by the opposing team, it is a goal kick and play can be restarted by either a place kick, a punt kick from the goalie's hands or a throw. i.e. the ball does not need to be placed on the ground as per a traditional goal kick. The most important thing is to restart the game with the minimum loss of time.
- ii. The overarching rule of a goal kick is that the ball cannot be propelled by any means past the halfway line on the full. If a ball is kicked or thrown over the halfway line on the full, an indirect free kick will be awarded to the opposition nearest to where the ball crossed the halfway line.
- iii. Similarly, in general play, after gaining control of the ball by using his/her hands, the goalkeeper cannot kick or throw the ball over the halfway line on the full. Catching, picking the ball up, or patting it down, is considered to be having control over the ball (punching the ball away for a save is not considered having control).
- iv. The only time the goalkeeper can kick the ball over the halfway line on the full is from general play where they have not used their hands (e.g. after receiving a pass from a teammate/ when clearing the ball / making a save with their feet).
- v. The goalkeeper cannot pick up or touch the ball with his/her hands directly from a kick-in by a teammate (as this will be adjudged as a back-pass). As with a back-pass made during general play, this will result in an indirect free kick to be taken on the edge on the "D" adjacent to where the offence occurred.
- vi. The goalkeeper must release the ball within 6 seconds of gaining control of the ball in his hands. If not released, this will result in an indirect free kick to be taken on the edge on the "D" adjacent to where the offence occurred.

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2. REGISTRATIONS

- a. All games are played 5v5 (including goal keepers)
- b. The minimum number of registered players in all teams is six.
- c. The maximum number of registered players in all teams is ten.
- d. No unregistered player shall take the field of play.
- e. Any team playing an unregistered or suspended player will lose competition points as determined by the Disciplinary Committee.
- f. Only eight trophies will be offered as the premium.

3. PLAYING STRIP

- a. A player cannot take the field unless he/she is wearing the official shirt.
- b. If a player does not bring their playing shirt to the game, they must show ID at the admin desk and obtain a bib for that game.
- c. It is the responsibility of each team to provide their own. All players in the same team must make an effort to wear the same (or similar) colour shorts and socks (shorts do not have to be the same colour as the socks).
- d. No player can take the field without shin pads.

4. CAUTIONS, RED CARDS & TEAM FOULS

- a. All players must abide by the spirit of Tournament, which is biased towards being non-contact and played primary for enjoyment and practice.

Any unnecessary aggression or forceful challenges slide tackling or tackling from behind will result in a free kick and a possible yellow or red card.

- b. Should the players in a team commit a total of four contact fouls within any 20 minute half each subsequent contact foul (the 5th, 6th, 7th etc.) by the same team in that half will result in the opposition team being awarded a penalty kick, taken as per Rule 1.(e)
- c. Any player who accumulates three yellow cards in the tournament will receive a one game suspension.
- d. Any player receiving a red card cannot be substituted in the game and that player will receive a one game suspension.
- e. To enforce the ethos of this tournament, the Disciplinary Committee has the authority to impose an appropriate suspension on any player (or team) who does not abide by the rules or the spirit by which the rules are intended.

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5. FINALS

- a. If teams are equal on competition points at the end of the first round [Group stages], the finals placing shall be decided by the following order.
 - The teams with the better goal difference. (i.e. goals for less goals against)
 - If still equal, the team with the most goals scored.
 - If still equal, a toss of the coin will decide the higher placed team.
- b. The first two teams of each group with most points will qualify for the “knock-out” Semi Finals, therefore only the teams finishing 1st and 2nd of each group will advance to the next round. In Semi Finals the 1st team of each Group will play against the 2nd place of the opposite group.
- c. The Final which determines the competition winner will be between the winning teams of the knock-out Semi Finals stage.
- d. In case of draws in the Finals (i.e. Semis and Major Final), there will be extra time and in case of draw again at the end of the extra times, the winners will be determined by penalties shoot outs.
- e. If any round on the draw is designated as "TBA" then games for this round may be played based on the team's position on the table after the previous game. There will be "knock-out" type semi-final games and only the winners of the Semi Finals will qualify to play in the Final game.
- f. If, for any reason, games are unable to be played, priority will be given to complete a full round of the draw before playing any additional rounds. In the unlikely event of being unable to replay every game on finals night only the Major Final (between teams that finished 1st and 2nd may be played to determine the tournament winner.
- g. To be eligible to play in a Major Final a player must have played at least three (3) previous games for that team or seek approval from the Tournament Manager.

6. REFEREES

- a. Official referees will be appointed to all games.

Please after reading this page sign here:

Competition Registration, Participant Waiver

In the memory of Ali SHAHI

Sunday 7 March 2021



I (we) understand that I (we) hold Iranian Football Association – Australia [IFAA] and any affiliated entity, and their officials, and agents harmless from any and all liability or claims, which may arise out of or in connection with my (our) participation in the IFAA Ali Shai's Futsal competition and all pertaining events. I (we) fully understand that participants are to abide by all rules and regulations governing conduct during the competition. Any violation of these rules and regulations may result in individual or team being excluded and banned from the competition.

Misconduct, which includes but is not limited to any drug or alcohol use, at "the event", during competition or in activities or location related to surrounding "the event", may disqualify a participant or the participant's team from awards or further participation. Should any misconduct come to IFAA's attention, the matter will be investigated, as IFAA deem appropriate. Any decision and sanction as to appropriate action due to misconduct is at the sole discretion of IFAA and is final. By entering the contest, the player and the team accept this requirement as well as all other conditions of the Tournament.

I (we) hereby consent that IFAA, its representatives, successors, or assigns, shall have the right to publish or use any photographs, movie films, videos, digital images and/or sound recordings, submitted text or any part thereof, they have taken or made of me (player/official) on this date or in which I (player) may have been included, for publicity, advertising, internet usage or any other lawful purpose in conjunction with my (player/official) own or a fictitious name or image, or in reproduction thereof in colour.

I (we) hereby waive all claims for any compensation for use or for damages. I (we) hereby waive any right that I (we) may have to inspect and/or approve the finished product or the use to which it may be applied.

I (we) state further that I (we) have read the above authorisation and release, prior to its execution, and that I (we) have read the above authorisation and release, prior to its execution, and that I (we) am fully familiar with the contents thereof.

I (we) will have 2 uniform team jerseys [1 x dark & 1 x white colours] and every player should wear one.

This form must be completed, paid registration fees, and signed before teams are eligible to participate in the IFAA invitational competition. I (we) have read, understand, and agree to comply with the information in this document.

Please after reading carefully this page sign here:

Team's Name:	
Team Manager:	
Manager's contact number:	
Manager's email:	

Team Players details:

No.	Player's full name	Date of Birth	Phone number	Email address
1				
2				
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Declaration:

To be filled, signed and returned to IFAA by each individual Team manager by 21:00 on Sunday 21 February 2020.

Please deposit the \$200 team registration fees for up to 10 players in each team, to the following bank account and include the Direct Debit Receipt number in the following:

Account name: Iranian Football Association Australia

BSB: 082 309

Account Number: 24 377 9928

Team's name:	
Team Manager's full name	
Team Manager's signature	
Date	
Direct Debit Receipt Number	

We thank you for joining us and participating in this event and sincerely hope you have a pleasant and enjoy taking part in a great memory of our good friend Ali.

Iranian Football Association – Australia

IFAA - Ali SHAHI Competition's Code of Conduct

I _____ of _____ team, Mobile Number: _____

Agree to the following:

- Play by the rules,
- Play fair,
- Never argue with an official,
- Fair play means respect,
- Control your temper,
- Verbal abuse of officials, and sledging other players and deliberately distracting or provoking an opponent, are not acceptable or permitted,
- Be honest with the coach concerning illness and ability to train and compete to the best of your ability,
- Work equally hard for yourself and/or your team. You and your team's performance will benefit,
- A professional appearance relating to language, manner, temper, and punctuality is always to be adopted,
- Accept defeat with dignity. Nobody wins all the time. Learn to lose graciously. Do not seek excuses for defeat, genuine reasons will always be self-evident. Congratulate the winners with good grace. Do not blame the referee or anyone else. Good losers earn more respect than bad winners,
- Promote the interests of football/futsal, it is the world's greatest game. Think of football's interests before your own. Think how your actions may affect the image of the game. Talk about the positive things in the game. Be an ambassador for the game,
- Treat all participants in your sport as you like to be treated. Do not bully or take unfair advantage of another competitor. Watch out for attempts to tempt you into cheating or using drugs. Drugs and alcohol are not permitted at the venue,
- Co-operate with your coach, team-mates and opponents. Without them there would be no competition. They have the same rights as you have, including the right to be respected,
- Participate for your own enjoyment and benefit, not just to please coaches and others. Respect the rights, dignity and worth of all participants regardless of their gender, ability, cultural background or religion.

Team manager Full Name: _____

Team manager Signature: _____

Date: _____

For any further information please contact Kamran on 0412 119 167 or simply email: info@ifaa.org.au

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