

7th Nakagusuku Village Football World Cup Announcement

Purpose

Through the 7th Nakagusuku Football World Cup, participants will enjoy a football tournament at one of the best grounds in Okinawa, and aim to foster friendship and physical fitness, as well as promote health and increase opportunities for people to develop a love for football.

1. Organizer: Yoshinoura Comprehensive Sports Club

2. Sponsors: Nakagusuku Village, Nakagusuku Village Sports Association

Cooperation: Gosamarufutsal Club, Day Futsal Okinawa

3. Event Schedule

▶ Date: May 18, 2025 (Sunday) ※No alternative date

▶ Gathering Time: 8:00 AM

▶ Manager's Meeting & Drawing: 8:10 AM

▶ Opening Ceremony: 9:00 AM

▶ Competition Start: 9:30 AM – Scheduled to end at 4:00 PM

▶ Closing Ceremony & Prize Lottery: 4:00 PM – 4:30 PM

4. Participation Eligibility

① Open to all futsal enthusiasts (no restrictions on age or gender).

② Teams must have uniforms (if unavailable, bibs are acceptable). Spikes are allowed.

③ Each team must provide two referees for assistance

(whistles will be provided by the organizers)

5. Venue: Gosamaru Athletics Stadium

6. Number of Teams: 24 teams (on a first-come, first-served basis)

※ If the maximum number of teams is reached, applicants will be placed on awaiting list.

7. Team Composition: One manager and up to 15 players (at least 5 players must participate)

8. Match Format & Rules:

① Match format (tournament or league style) will be determined based on the final number of participating teams.

② Match Duration: 7-1-7 minutes (no extra time).

③ In a tournament format, matches that are tied will go directly to penalty shootouts.

In a league format, teams will play round-robin matches. No extra time or penalty shootouts will be conducted.

Points will be awarded as follows: • Win: 3 points • Draw: 1 point • Lose: 0 points

Matches will be played with 6 players per team.

A minimum of 5 players is required to validate the match.

※ If a female player participates, the team can have 7 players on the field. (The skill level of female players will not be considered.)

A size 5 soccer ball will be used.

- ④ Field Dimensions: 24m (width) × 45m (length)
Goal Dimensions: 2.1m (height) × 5m (width)

⑤ Other

● Local rules will be adopted.

● Play will resume with a kick-in when the ball crosses the touchline.

Additional Match Rules

● If the ball crosses the goal line, play will resume with a goalkeeper throw-in.

● When the goalkeeper holds the ball by hand, they must release it within 4 seconds.

● Player substitutions are unlimited.

※ If a player is sent off with a red card, one substitute can replace the dismissed player, ensuring the team has 6 players on the field at all times.

• However, the sent-off player is not allowed to return to the match.

● Kick-off shots are prohibited.

● For safety reasons, waiting or cheering behind the goal is not allowed.

9. Participation Fee

• Fee: 8,000 yen per team (includes participation and insurance fees)

• The fee will be collected during the manager's meeting on the day of the tournament

• Note: In case of cancellation due to inclement weather,
participation fees will not be refunded.

10. Application Details

Application Period ※ From April 2, 2025 (Wednesday)

(Applications will close once the maximum number of teams is reached.)

• How to Apply: Fill out the required fields on the attached application form and submit it directly to the Yoshinoura Comprehensive Sports Club office or via fax.

11. Awards

Teams finishing in 1st to 3rd place will receive awards.

12. Manager's Meeting and Drawing

The meeting and drawing will take place at 8:10 AM on the day of the tournament

• Note: At least one team representative must attend.

13. Other Notes

① Injuries during the tournament will be covered within the scope of the accident insurance contracted by the organizer.

Beyond first-aid treatment, the organizer bears no additional responsibility.

② Participants agree to allow the organizer to use images, photos, articles, records, and media coverage (television, newspapers, magazines, internet, etc.) from the event.

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