



THE BISHOP'S SCHOOL, CAMP, PUNE
ALUMNI FOOTBALL TOURNAMENT (18th to 25th OCTOBER 2023)

R U L E S & REGULATIONS

(This tournament is organized to celebrate Founder's Day of the Bishop's School, Camp and is open to the Alumni of Camp ONLY)

- ✓ **Date of the Tournament: 18th October to 25th October 2023.**
- ✓ Teams have been divided into 2 Pools – A & B. Matches will be played on league-cum-knock-out basis.
- ✓ **Each UNDER 40 TEAM will consist of 15 playing members (8 players, 7 substitutes) OVER 40 will consist of 15 players (9 players, 6 substitutes) rolling substitute rule will be followed. (There will be No Offside rule). 3 points will be awarded for a win and 1 point for a draw. Girls will have one pool as the numbers registering are very small. There will be no bids conducted for the girls' teams.**
- ✓ **Minimum numbers of players on the turf required to begin a match: U-40 – 5 players, abv 40 – 6 if there are inadequate team members available. There will be no borrowing of players on any account, even if both the contesting teams agree to it.**
Grace period of max. 10 mins will be given. If the required numbers of players to begin a match do not turn up, a walk over will be given.
- ✓ **Top 2 Teams from each pool will qualify for the KNOCKOUT Stage (Semi-Finals)**
- ✓ Teams must report at the venue 30 minutes before the schedule of every match.
- ✓ **League matches** will be played on Jeejeebhoy Ground with 3/4 matches played per day. All matches will be played in the evening, ***kick-off time for the above 40 teams and the Girls Team will be 5.30 pm, reporting time being 5.00 pm. Below 40 matches will begin at 6.15 pm and reporting time will be 5.30 pm.***
- ✓ Duration of league matches: 15 - 5 - 15 minutes
- ✓ Duration of Knock-out matches: 20 - 5 - 20 minutes
- ✓ **In case of a TIE:** in the league stage – the goal difference will be considered to break the Tie. If the Tie persists the Team that has conceded a lesser number of goals will be the winner. **If there is still a Tie in the goal average, the Winner will be decided based on penalty shootouts.**
- ✓ **In the event of a DRAW** in the **KNOCKOUT** stage, extra time will apply where two periods of 5 minutes will be played. If the Tie persists, then the TIE BREAKER rule will be followed.
- ✓ The Cards issued in the league stage will not be carried forward to the Knock-out stage. (2 yellow = 1 red card) Misses next game.
- ✓ In case of inclement weather, one point will be awarded to each team. Kindly ensure that you play in football boots only as the dew factor or rain makes the ground slippery. You may use shin pads for your own safety.
- ✓ The purchase of **Registered team captains** will be done a few days earlier to the actual bidding date. This will assist the team owners to make their selection based on the previous performances. It could be done through an online bidding process as the numbers would be much smaller to choose from or allotted to each team if agreed upon at a base price for all teams. **Do Not** make requests to be a Team Captain, it will be decided by the Organizers based on the overall impression of the players in during the previous tournaments.

- ✓ The **rest of the registered players** will be purchased on a given date (8th October,2023 tentatively) in the B.W.Roberts Hall. Each player will go under the hammer and sold to the highest bidder at the auction. Each team will have a capping on their purse which will be 25,000/-. If the team owners over-shoot their budget prior to purchasing a full squad, a fine will be levied on each purchase for the remaining team members. So, use your purse wisely and DO NOT overspend. **Team owners will not be permitted to make requests for any unregistered players to be added to their squads or added to the lists if they failed to register in time.**
- ✓ No last-minute entries will be permitted after the registration closes on **26th September,2023**. No requests are to be made through any Staff or Heads. The registration fee for each player is 500/- which must be paid individually while registering. Details are mentioned below-

ACCOUNT HOLDER	THE BISHOPS SCHOOL CAMP
NAME OF THE BANK, BRANCH	HDFC BANK, KALYANINAGAR
ACCOUNT NUMBER	50200074230661
IFSC CODE	HDFC0000539
TYPE OF ACCOUNT	CURRENT

- ✓ **NOTE :** You will have to physically enter your aadhar number/pan card number and address. Besides this, an image of your Aadhar/ Pan Card will need to be uploaded.
- ✓ **Neutral Referees** from the Bishop's Education Society will be arranged.
- ✓ **Jury of Appeal:** Mr.Shayne Mcpherson, Principal, Mr. Christopher Gaynor, Headmaster, and Mr. Ramesh Bendre, Asst. to Headmaster and Games Secretary.

IMPORTANT:

Captains must oversee that the discipline and decorum of the team is always maintained. Unruly behaviour of players can lead to them getting banned. (We will be introducing a black/ black and white card for the use of Abusive language. First black card = warning, second black card =2nd warning, Final black and white = being debarred from the rest of the tournament.)

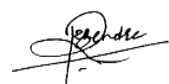
- ✓ If teams fall short of players due to an injury or illness, only the Team owners/captains may make a purchase of another player through the jury at the base price mentioned before the tournament begins. Once the tournament begins there will be no additions to teams permitted at all. Team owners kindly ensure this is adhered to.
- ✓ Consumption of alcohol and smoking on the school campus is strictly prohibited.
- ✓ 4-wheeler parking should be done outside the school campus.
- ✓ Players are requested to take of your own belongings and avoid leaving your valuables unattended. The school will not be responsible for any loss/theft.
- ✓ The registration fee/owner's purse must be deposited in same A/C mentioned above. Payment must be made by the 25th of September.
- ✓ Registration form link - <https://forms.gle/s3bGoFPA9PiCXRA56>
- ✓ **IMPORTANT: We need to keep in mind that this is a time to meet fellow Bishopites and reminiscence the fond memories of the good times spent on the ground as school students. Let Sportsmanship, Fair play, and Camaraderie overshadow fierce competition.**



Shayne McPherson
Principal



C. Gaynor
Headmaster



R. Bendre
Games Secretary