

Bulletin II.

PRAGUE'S BARREL FOOTBALL TOURNAMENT

30 June - 3 July

Dear Barrelers,

Many warm greetings from Prague!

The year 2022 is here with the full version of your favourite football tournament - Prague's Barrel. We are about to celebrate the 30th anniversary of this unique tournament, **get ready for lots of fun and of course a quality football performance.**

In this edition we are going to **welcome 32 teams from 18 countries.**

Have a look at all enrolled teams (click here).

If you have any questions feel free to contact us anytime.

Please check the site <https://praguesbarrel.eu/board/> before the tournament for the latest information or join the channel on Telegram t.me/praguesbarrel.

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Programme



Thursday: Arrival, accommodation and welcome dinner

At 18:00 or 20:15 (your hostess will know the schedule) we will welcome you in the beautiful art nouveau Municipal House (Obecní dům). For dinner we will have great Czech beef goulash with fried onions, dumplings and the best Czech beer Pilsner Urquell, the king of them all. **After the dinner will be made the drawing lots into tournament.**

Please ask in your team whether is everybody ok with beef/pork meat or meat at all or has other diets – let us now and we'll arrange another dish.

Friday: Football, dinner and boat trip

According to the drawing you will get to the **the football pitch with our transport**. Beer will be served early in the morning, because it is the main point of our tournament. :) Don't be afraid to grab one, nobody will look at you badly, on the contrary we will encourage you to do that! :) It is also the best cure for hangover.

After you finish your games, transfer to hotel will be arranged. You can rest or throw yourself to do some tour around Prague. We will meet on the boat Cecílie, berth 4 (we will tell you the exact time on the first dinner or it will be visibly posted on the pitch). We will have a buffet dinner and you will see all the beauties of Prague from the another view. After the ride you can enjoy more of the Prague's night life with your team.

Saturday: Football and the final ceremony

Same programme as on Friday. During the day you will play another games and in the afternoon you can do some sightseeing. We will celebrate all of your achievements at the final ceremony in the PM club which will be open only for us from 19:30.

You will have dinner, you can dance and every team will get a prize! Have some more beer and enjoy the party! If you will be thirsty to enjoy Saturday's party to the fullest you can switch the club and party till the morning.

Sunday: For most of you check-out and departure

All the departures and timetables will be always visibly exposed in restaurants, football pitch and first of all, your hostess knows it. ;)



Timetable of the tournament



Thursday

all day arrival and accommodation

- 18:00/20:15 dinner at Czech restaurant in the city center and drawing lots
- 22:00 Free programme

Friday

- 7:00 – 9:00 Breakfast at the hotel

Departures to the football centre depending on your start time

- 9:00 – 16:00 Sports programme (lunch at the football centre)
- 18:00/19:00/20:30 Dinner at boat "Cecílie"
- 21:00 – ? Free programme

Saturday

- 7:00 – 9:00 Breakfast at the hotel

Departures to the football centre depending on your start time

- 9:00 – 16:00 Sports programme (lunch at the football centre)
- 19:30 Final ceremony with the announcement of the winners, dinner, music
- Free party :)

Sunday

- 7:00 – 9:00 Breakfast at the hotel
- till 12:00 check-out, free programme

Rules



We are a fun tournament but it's essential to have some rules.

Basic rules

- we apply the basic football rules of FIFA
- the playtime is 2x20 minutes
- the goals dimensions are 5mx2m
- the dimension of the pitch is approx. 35mx50m
- the number of alternates is unlimited
- in the core group you get 3 point for winning, 1 point for draw, in case there's a draw in play-off – first 3 penalties, then 1 penalty at time
- in case of contumacious the score 3:0 is counted
- the referee will not allow substitution if the aim is to delay the game
- off-side is not applied
- it's banned to use metal studs on synthetic surface
- matches are played on **a natural surface (grass) or synthetic grass** of the third generation with a size 5 ball with a standard bounce
- player who gets red card isn't allowed to play the consecutive match
- it's banned to destroy the pitch (cigarette butts etc.)
- every player plays at his/her own risk – the organizer provides only the basic medical care (have your insurance card with you everywhere)
- players play for one team only during whole tournament – lending players is allowed only with permission of referee and captain of the opposite team prior the match
- **we respect the basic rule: FAIR PLAY**

System



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- Two-day tournament of 32 teams in 8 groups
- 3 games in the groups on Friday
- Play off: 1-16 place (first teams in a group and the teams from 2nd places), 17-32 place (3rd places + 4th place). Teams are ranked by the position in the group/ points/score difference, scored goals/draw or decision of sport manager.

Criteria for placement in a group and standing for play off

- A team gets 3 points for a win, 1 point for a draw, no point for a loss. Criteria for placement in group are in the following order:
 - Summary of points
 - Mutual match
 - Score differences
 - Higher number of scored goals
 - In case of an equality of more than 2 teams a table will be prepared and final results will be made according to the above-mentioned criteria.
 - Draw or penalty kicks if it is possible or decision of sport manager



Contacts

[Just click here](#) and you will get to Google map where you will see all the main points for our tournament. You can walk with a Google figurine to be prepared for what you can see soon. During your stay in Prague the figurine will be replaced by very friendly hostess. :)

- Thursday dinner at Obecní dům, náměstí Republiky 1090/ 5, Prague 1
- Football centre: ABC Braník, Za Mlýnem 12, Prague
- Friday dinner at boat "CECILIE": berth 4th, Na Františku, Prague
- Saturday final ceremony: PM Club, Trojická 12, Prague

Covid information

Life in Prague is back in normal as it was before coronavirus pandemic. No masks, restrictions or need for tests or vaccination to enter the country. If you will need a test for your own use you can get it in most of the hospitals or testing centres in the city center for approximately 50 EUR.

Please keep in mind: if you will come with fewer players than was announced we have to charge you the cancelation fee 100% for missing players. We will do our best to decrease that, but hotels are strict in that case. Please feel free to contact us anytime with future updates, sooner = better.

Have a beerful day!

The Barrel crew

