VETERANS FOOTBALL TOURNAMENT REGULATIONS

- iii June 12-14, 2026
- P Campo Major David Neto 2 Portugal
- Organized by Portugal Sports Camps

1. TOURNAMENT OBJECTIVE

The Veterans Football Tournament is an event focused on sportsmanship, healthy competition, and camaraderie among veteran teams, providing a complete experience in Portugal.

2. ORGANIZATION

- The tournament is organized by Portugal Sports Camps, responsible for event management, refereeing, and logistical support.
- All teams must comply with the tournament rules and the organization's guidelines.

3. PARTICIPATION REQUIREMENTS

- The tournament is open to players aged 35 and older.
- Each team can register an unlimited number of players.
- All players must present an identification document before their first match.

4. REGISTRATION & PAYMENT

- * Registration Fee:
 - €10 per player, payable upon registration.
 - Includes tournament participation, refereeing, and logistical support.
- → Optional Accommodation & Transfer Package:

For convenience, we offer an exclusive accommodation and transport package for teams.

- Accommodation & Transfer Package (Optional, but recommended):
 - 2 nights at Hotel Oceano Atlântico (June 12 & 13)
 - Breakfast included
 - Airport-hotel-airport transfer (for international teams) upon request
- <u>Accommodation Costs (per player, per night):</u>
 - T1 (single) €132

- T1 (twin) €84.50
- T1 (triple) €78
- T2 (4 adults) €76.50
- T2 (5 adults) €70

Transfer Options (upon request):

- 4-seater vehicle (round trip) = €170
- 8-seater vehicle (round trip) = €200
- Bus = €500

Package Benefits:

- Accommodation close to the field (less travel)
- Organized transportation (no vehicle rental worries)
- Comfort and convenience for players

Payment Deadline:

- Reservation deadline: May 31, 2026.
- To book the package: manager@portugalsportscamps.com

5. COMPETITION FORMAT

- 8 teams, divided into 2 groups of 4.
- Each team plays 3 matches in the group stage.
- The top 2 teams from each group advance to the semi-finals.
- Each team plays 4 matches in total (3 in the group stage + 1 final round match).

m Match Schedule:

- Friday, June 12 → 1st Round
- Saturday, June 13 → 2nd & 3rd Rounds
- Sunday, June 14 → Finals & Award Ceremony

6. MATCH TIME & RULES

- Each match consists of 2 halves of 25 minutes, with a 5-minute halftime.
- Unlimited substitutions are allowed, with referee approval.

Group Stage Tiebreakers:

1. Points

- 2. Goal difference
- 3. Goals scored
- 4. Head-to-head result

Knockout Stage:

• If a match ends in a draw, the winner is determined by penalty shootout (5 penalties per team, following the Laws of the Game 25/26).

7. DISCIPLINE & FAIR PLAY

- **Red card** → Expulsion from the match and suspension for the next match.
- Unsportsmanlike conduct may result in the team's exclusion from the tournament with no refund.

8. ACCOMMODATION & TRANSPORT

- The Accommodation & Transfer Package is optional but highly recommended.
- Teams selecting the package will stay at Hotel Oceano Atlântico, near the field.
- For international teams, airport transfers to and from the hotel are included.
- → Teams not opting for the package must arrange their own accommodation and transport.

9. AWARDS

- Champion Trophy + Medals
- Tunner-up Medals
- 3rd Place Medals
- 🏅 Individual Awards Best Player, Best Goalkeeper

10. FINAL PROVISIONS

- Any cases not covered by this regulation will be analyzed by the organization, and its decision will be final.
- Registration implies full acceptance of these regulations.
- Questions or more information?
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