



INVITATION

to the

INTERNATIONAL JUBILEE 6-A-SIDE INDOOR FOOTBALL (SOCCER) TOURNAMENT FOR LEISURE, AMATEUR AND CORPORATE FOOTBALL (SOCCER) CLUBS/TEAMS



DATE:



PRELIMINARY ROUND OPTIONAL:

FRIDAY, JANUARY 9, 2026 AT 18:30 PM
OR SATURDAY, JANUARY 10, 2026



INTERMEDIATE AND FINAL ROUND:
SUNDAY, JANUARY 11, 2026



VENUE:

SPORTS HALL SOLARCITY PICHLING
WITH BOARDS AND 5 X 2 METRES GOALS
A-4030 LINZ, UPPER AUSTRIA



Contact to us/How to get the tournament documents:
About www.fc-cosmos.at
By scanning the QR Code
By email to office@fc-cosmos.at



TOURNAMENT REGULATIONS:

- **35 teams in total**
- **Preliminary round:** 5 groups of 7. All teams within a particular group play against one another.
- **Promoted teams to the intermediate round (12 participants):** Teams finishing first and second in each preliminary group as well as 2 “**Lucky Losers**” from all preliminary groups. *Note on the “Lucky Losers”: These are those 2 teams having the longest travel distance and which are not qualified for the intermediate round according to their ranking in the preliminary round, i. e. teams that did not finish first or second in their groups. Exclusively “Google Maps” is used for measuring the distance (b e l i n e) between hometown of the teams and tournament venue.*
- **Intermediate round:** 3 groups of 4. All teams within a particular group play against one another.
- **Teams promoted to the quarter-finals:** The group winners and runners-up as well as the 2 best third place finishers from all intermediate groups.
- **Quarter-finals:**
 - Game 1: 1st Intermediate Group A vs. 2nd Intermediate Group B
 - Game 2: 1st Intermediate Group B vs. 3rd Intermediate Group A/B/C
 - Game 3: 1st Intermediate Group C vs. 3rd Intermediate Group A/B/C
 - Game 4: 2nd Intermediate Group A vs. 2nd Intermediate Group C*Note: The 2 best third placed teams from the intermediate groups A - C will be allocated to the quarter-final games 2 and 3 by drawing lots.*
- **Semi-finals:**
 - Game 1: Winner of the quarter-final game 1 vs. Winner of the quarter-final game 3
 - Game 2: Winner of the quarter-final game 2 vs. Winner of the quarter-final game 4
- **Tournament 3rd place game:**
 - Loser of the semi-final games
- **Final:**
 - Winner of the semi-final games

CLASSIFICATION CRITERIA ⇨ PRELIMINARY AND INTERMEDIATE GROUPS:

- Firstly the number of points (3 points for a win, 1 point for a tie, 0 points for a loss),
- Secondly the goal difference
- Thirdly which team has scored more goals in case of equality of points and goal difference
- Fourthly the winner of the game against each other in case of equality of points and goals for and goals against
- Fifthly by taking 5 penalty kicks (from the 7-metres mark) per team. If, after both teams have taken five kicks, both have scored the same number of goals or have not scored any goals, kicks continue to be taken in the same order, until one team has scored one goal more than the other from the same number of kicks

PROCEDURE FOR DETERMINING THE PROMOTED TEAM IN THE EVENT OF A DRAW

AFTER REGULAR TIME FROM THE QUARTER-FINALS:

In case of a draw after the regular time in the quarter-final and semi-final games, in the 3rd place game and/or in the final a penalty shootout will determine the winner

DURATION PER GAME:

- Preliminary games: 10 minutes without changing sides
- Intermediate games, quarter-final and semi-final games and 3rd place game: 15 minutes without changing sides
- Final: 20 minutes with changing sides

NUMBER OF PLAYERS, NUMBER OF SUBSTITUTES, METHOD OF SUBSTITUTION:

5 outfield players and 1 goalkeeper. The number of substitutes is unlimited. “Rolling substitution” up to a maximum of two outfield players at the same time in the own half is allowed except for the last minute of a game. Substitutions from 3 or more players simultaneously are permitted only during a stoppage of the game.

RULES: It will be played in accordance with the modified Indoor Football Laws of the Game. An extract of the “Laws of the game for Indoor Football” will be given to the contact person prior to the start of the tournament. The referee’s decisions regarding facts connected with play are final!

The organizer reserves the right to make any necessary changes to the regulations!

PITCH SURFACE: Plastic flooring

BOARDS/GOALS: The pitch is surrounded by boards with an approximate height of 1 metre. Indoor football goals (5 X 2 metres) are anchored to the boards.

BALL: Indoor ball size 5 (no felt ball!)

SUPPORTING PROGRAMME: Players` Party on Saturday evening, January 10, 2026

CATERING: During the tournament a buffet in the sports hall will see that neither players nor spectators and fans must suffer from hunger and thirst!

AWARD CEREMONY/PRIZES: It happens at the end of the tournament in the sports hall. Prizes (Cups and certificates) will be awarded to all participants in the tournament. In addition, material prizes will be awarded to the teams that come in **first, second, third and fourth place**.

CLOSING DATE: **JANUARY 2, 2026 or after 35 registered teams**

ENTRY FEE: **€ 110,00 (ONE HUNDRED AND TEN EUROS)**

PAYMENT OF THE REGISTRATION FEE:

After the tournament registration you'll get the bank account details (IBAN, BIC and account holder) for the purpose of remittance of the registration fee by email.

IMPORTANT NOTE: By payment of the registration fee as well as the return of the completed registration form the registration for the tournament is fixed. Cancellation of participation in the tournament after the above has been done is impossible! If a club/team does not participate in the tournament despite registration or withdraws during the tournament or if we are forced to disqualify a club/team for grossly unsportsmanlike behaviour, the registration fee will not be refunded. Only those clubs/teams will be accepted as participants in the tournament that have paid the registration fee by no later than December 15, 2025.

DISCLAIMER: Players, coaches, supporters and spectators participate in the tournament of their own free will and of their own risk. As a consequence, the organizer cannot be held liable for hazardous injuries, damages, thefts and further unpredictable incidents.

COMPLIANCE WITH THE EU GENERAL DATA PROTECTION REGULATION:

We would like to continue to provide you with information about upcoming tournaments. We use your personal data (title, name and e-mail address) exclusively for sending our information via e-mail. The data will not be passed on to third parties under any circumstances! If you want to keep receiving information, you don't need to do anything else. You give us permission to continue to inform you. Otherwise and in order to comply with the EU General Data Protection Regulation, we ask you to unsubscribe from further information by returning e-mail to office@fc-cosmos.at with the note I REVOKE stating the e-mail address to be deleted.

CONTACT PERSON: Mr. Gerhard Mickla

E-MAIL ADDRESS: office@fc-cosmos.at

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REGISTRATION:

- Online via www.fc-cosmos.at by completing and submitting the form „REGISTRATION“
or
- By returning the COMPLETED and SIGNED registration form via email ⇒ office@fc-cosmos.at
or
- By snail mail ⇒
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Porzellangasse 27
A-4600 Wels
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by payment of the registration fee € 110,00 (ONE HUNDRED AND TEN EUROS)

We would be delighted to welcome you and your club/team to our tournament and as a guest at the Players' Party on January 10, 2026.

Kind regards

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c/o Gerhard Mickla, Tournament director

Enclosures:

- **Tournament Schedule**
- **Registration Form**



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SCHEDULE

FRIDAY, JANUARY 9, 2026:

18:30 PM – 22:20 PM: Preliminary Group 1

SATURDAY, JANUARY 10, 2026:

09:00 AM – 12:50 PM: Preliminary Group 2

13:00 PM – 16:50 PM: Preliminary Group 3

17:15 PM – 21:05 PM: Preliminary Group 4

SUNDAY, JANUARY 11, 2026:

08:30 AM – 12:20 PM: Preliminary Group 5

12:30 PM – 14:13 PM: Intermediate Group A

14:15 AM – 15:58 PM: Intermediate Group B

16:00 PM – 17:43 PM: Intermediate Group C

18:00 PM – 19:15 PM: Quarter-Finals

19:20 PM – 19:55 PM: Semi-Finals

20:00 PM – 20:15 PM: Tournament 3rd Place Game

20:20 PM – 20:40 PM: Final

About 21:00 PM: Award Ceremony

Saturday
10. January 2026
players

Party



Free entrance
Info & reservations at www.rox-linz.at



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REGISTRATION FORM

PLEASE FILL IN THE FORM CLEARLY

CLUB/TEAM NAME (exact name):

PERSON RESPONSIBLE:

First name and last name:

Postal address:

Email address:

Mobile phone number:

Daytime phone number (optional):

Desired preliminary day/preliminary start time:

Friday, January 9, 2026 ☐ 18:30 PM

Saturday, January 10, 2026 ☐ 09:00 AM ☐ 13:00 PM ☐ 17:15 PM

Sunday, January 11, 2026 ☐ 08:30 AM

Arrival in Linz:

☐ on Friday, January 9, 2026 or earlier

☐ on Saturday, January 10, 2026

Approx. number of people (players, coaches, supporters, spectators):

PLACE AND DATE OF REGISTRATION:

SIGNATURE OF THE PERSON RESPONSIBLE:

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DISCLAIMER: Players, coaches, supporters and spectators participate in the tournament of their own free will and of their own risk. Therefore the organizer cannot be held liable for bodily injury of players, coaches, supporters and spectators just as for material damages, theft and other unforeseeable occurrences. This will be accepted unconditionally on behalf of all club/team members by the signature of the person responsible on the registration form.

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ACCOMMODATION

Please tick the box below

☐ Required ⇒ Visit www.linztourismus.at/en

☐ Not required

SPACE FOR NOTICES TO THE TOURNAMENT AND/OR TO THE ACCOMMODATION ⇒

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