



WFA NATIONAL CUP 2019 ENTRIES & FORMAT

ENTRIES:

Entries will be open Jan 1st via the WFA website

If you are a FT member and either have or will renew by 31st March, you are entitled to 2 free entries from the 3 age groups.

If you have not FT affiliated you will have to pay a £20 entrance fee per age group.

To make the registration process more simple than the past, you will now have to pay on registration (if a payment is due).

A minimum of 8 players will need to be registered by 31st March 2019.

A maximum of 15 players can be registered for each team during the tournament.

Players can play in more than one age group if eligible

Tournament rules are largely unchanged from 2018 and will be sent out with the draw.

By affiliating with the WFA you will be showing support for our work and will be able to vote on important things like changes to the LOTG.

It therefore makes financial sense to join now and benefit from the 2 free entries.

You can affiliate via the website:

Grand Finalists will be asked to make an additional nominal fee contribution.

WFA 2019 Laws of the Game to be used with no variations



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FORMAT:

March 31st—Closing date for registration. Fees to be paid and squad lists with dobs submitted by this date.

April 3rd—1st Round Draw for all 3 competitions.

May 18th/19th—weekend date for 1st Round matches.

July 6th/7th—weekend date for 2nd Round matches.

August 31st/ Sept 1st—weekend date for Regional Finals

Sept 15th—Grand Final for 65s Cup

Sept 22nd—Grand Final for 60s Cup

Sept 29th—Grand Final for 50s Cup

All games will be 6 a side with 3 rolling substitutes permitted. Squad of 9.

Match Duration—20 mins each way. In the event of a draw, extra time of 5 mins each way to be played. If still not decided best of 3 penalties followed by sudden death penalties.

The Draws— Please arrange to play on the weekend dates nominated. If this proves impossible, please contact the WFA for guidance

The home team will arrange and pay for the pitch and referee.

Exchange of team sheets—Both teams should exchange team sheets and photo ids (for proof of dobs.)

WFA Referees to be used- always.

Referees will be reporting any cases of poor conduct by teams which may result in their expulsion.