



**TOURNAMENT INFORMATION**

## **What is the Iconz Cup UK Edition?**

The Iconz Cup UK Edition is a prestigious U13 (2013 born) youth international soccer tournament with 8 US based teams and 8 Professional UK teams held in Nottingham, UK with all games played at stadium fields. The events will run:

Girls Event (20-27 July 2025)

Boys Event (27 July - 3 August 2025)

## **Who may participate?**

Participating teams must belong to a club or academy that is a registered with its national FIFA affiliated association. School teams from countries where school teams can participate in the official football competitions of the national football association and are registered with the national school association are also allowed to participate. All players must be registered with the club they are playing for.

Teams will divide into groups of four where all the teams will meet in a round robin series. The order among the teams will be decided according to points. 3 points will be awarded for a win, 1 point for a draw and 0 points for a loss. The tournament is played under all applicable FIFA or English FA rules.

## **Number of teams in the tournament:**

- 16 teams (8 UK, 8 USA) divided into 4 groups of 4 (2 UK teams + 2 USA teams each).
- Round-robin group stage; top 2 teams advance to gold bracket, bottom 2 to silver bracket, both straight to knockout quarter final stage.

When does the registration open?

The registration for Iconz Cup UK 2025 opens on March 11th 2024.

## **Which is the last date to register?**

Deadline for making a registration is September 15<sup>th</sup>, 2024 Please note that teams who have registered and paid their registration fee first will be given priority when we reach the maximum number of teams. The Iconz Cup 2025 is an application only event. Decisions will be made based on the level of teams ability.

## **Transfer from London Arrival**

Round trip transfer between the London Heathrow Airport Hotel (this is the team meeting point and will be allocated per team) to the Nottingham hotel, and the return journey, is included in the price. Please note that there is only one bus transfer per team/group

included. The transfer is exclusively for teams, and accompanying families and friends that are part of the Iconz Cup 2025 only.

### **Special food**

For persons with special food needs or allergies we are able to arrange this. If you wish to order vegetarian food the cost is \$10 per person, per day. Please note that we don't serve any dishes that contains nuts (including peanuts, almonds and sesame).

### **Check in online**

All teams must check in at the hotel before their first game of the tournament. All forms will be supplied in advance.

### **Age control**

All participants at Iconz Cup UK must complete the age control to participate in the tournament. This is to make sure that all participants are eligible to participate in the event.

### **Important dates**

March 10<sup>th</sup> 2024: Registration opens

September 15<sup>th</sup> 2024: Registration closes

February 2<sup>nd</sup> 2025: Mandatory Coach and/or Manager meeting via Video Conference. At least one representative from each team is required to participate

February 9<sup>th</sup> 2025: Mandatory Referee meeting via Video Conference. All referees are required to participate

June 1<sup>st</sup> 2025: Last day to confirm roster

July 20<sup>th</sup> 2025: Girls teams arrival day, no matches are played. Team Packet Pick-Up (from team hotel).

July 21<sup>st</sup> 2025: Girls event begins. Welcome Meal at Nottingham Forest FC. Last day to complete the age control

July 25<sup>th</sup> 2025: Girls event ends.

July 26<sup>th</sup> 2025: Watch Professional UK Game and head to London Heathrow Hotel

July 27<sup>th</sup> 2025: Departure day for Girls Teams  
Arrival day for Boys Teams, no matches are played.  
Team Packet Pick-Up (from team hotel).

July 28<sup>th</sup> 2025: Boys event begins. Welcome Meal at Nottingham Forest FC

August 1<sup>st</sup> 2025: Boys event ends

August 2<sup>nd</sup> 2025: Watch Professional UK Game and head to London Heathrow Hotel

August 3<sup>rd</sup> 2025: Departure day

### **Prizes**

For teams reaching the finals, each player will receive a medal, and the teams the specially designed Iconz Cup UK trophy.

### **Payments**

Player registration fees must be paid by submitting the registration online. Once we receive the payment of your registration fee, we will confirm your registration.

Please observe that we do not accept any personal or company cheques.

### **Cancellation**

If you need to cancel your registration, email [info@iconzexperience.com](mailto:info@iconzexperience.com) and note your registration number. All registration fees are non-refundable after January 1<sup>st</sup> 2025. Full cancellation terms and conditions are available on the registration site.

This is a stay to play event and all accommodation must be booked through the Iconz Cup team.

We reserve us the right during the tournament when needed to move a team from their accommodation to be lodged in another accommodation and the right to dismiss a participant from Iconz Cup accommodation if the participant commits a criminal offense or at repeated occasions violates our rules. The team manager/head coach as indicated on the participants list is responsible for the team's behavior.

### **Insurance**

All participants/parents are obligated to ensure that all participants are insured on the pitch. Each participant is responsible for his/her personal insurance off the pitch. Participants from countries that have no medical insurance agreement with the United

Kingdom must have personal medical insurance. Neither Iconz Cup nor the organizer has collective insurance to cover injuries, illness, theft or damages.

**Cancelation of the tournament and force majeure**

Neither Iconz Cup nor the organizer is responsible for compensation, and they are also not responsible for financial losses or damages that may occur due to events outside the control of Iconz Cup or the organizer, such as war-like events, fire, flood, interruptions in public transport connections, government actions, strike