



# Soccer Info Pack



DIVISION	# TEAMS IN DIVISION	PLAYING LEVEL GUIDELINE & AGE RESTRICTION	DIVISION DESCRIPTION
Men's	10	Premier +18 years	The Premier division is aimed at individuals who have played for a club or league or who just rate themselves quite highly and feel their FIFA skills can translate into real life.
Ladies	10	Premier +18 years	The Ladies division is aimed at individuals who have played for a club or league or who just rate themselves quite highly and feel their FIFA skills can translate into real life.
Vets	10	Premier +40 years	More competitive style of "golden oldies" Soccer.



# Entry includes:

## ENTRYFEE INCLUDES

- Festival weekend entry
- 5-a-side Soccer tournament entry
- 5 guaranteed games
- 10s event merchandise
- Live entertainment
- Massage & strapping services



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# Soccer Rules





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## **5-A-SIDE SOCCER DIVISIONS – Social, Ladies, Vets & Premier**

The rules and information below is for both the premier and social 5-a-side soccer divisions

### **SQUADS & REPLACEMENTS**

10 players in squad  
5 players on the court at once  
5 subs allowed

### **MATCH LENGTH**

10 min per half  
2 min half time  
3 min between matches

### **POINTS/SCORING**

3 points for a win  
1 point for a draw  
0 points for a loss



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## Soccer RULES

- All teams must take the field with five players
- Unlimited interchange will be allowed for all matches
- Kick offs will be taken from half way
- No studded/bladed Boots
- No slide tackles
- No offsides
- No throw ins – only kick ins
- If the ball hits any part of the net behind the goalkeeper off a shot, keeper save or deflection, the ball automatically goes to the goalkeeper for a restart. An indirect free kick shall be awarded at the referees discretion should a player kick the ball into their own back net.
- Goalkeepers can pass the ball out with their feet or throw it out with their hands
- Goalkeepers cannot come outside of their goal circle at anytime
- Goalkeepers may not pick the ball up if it has been passed to them from a teammate
- Goalkeepers cannot kick the ball out of their hands
- Goalkeepers must release the ball within 6 seconds



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- If a team kicks the ball out of the pitch, the match will be a restart with the goalkeeper of the opposing team
- All free kicks are indirect
- Serious foul play will be punishable by yellow and red cards
- In the event of a penalty being awarded all penalty takers can only take one step before striking the ball **BOX**
- No player aside from the goalkeeper is allowed into their goalie area (D BOX). If a defender enters the area to block a goal or shot, a penalty is awarded. If an attacker enters the area to attempt to score it will simply be goalies ball or advantage played. If a goalie handles outside the area the result is a penalty.

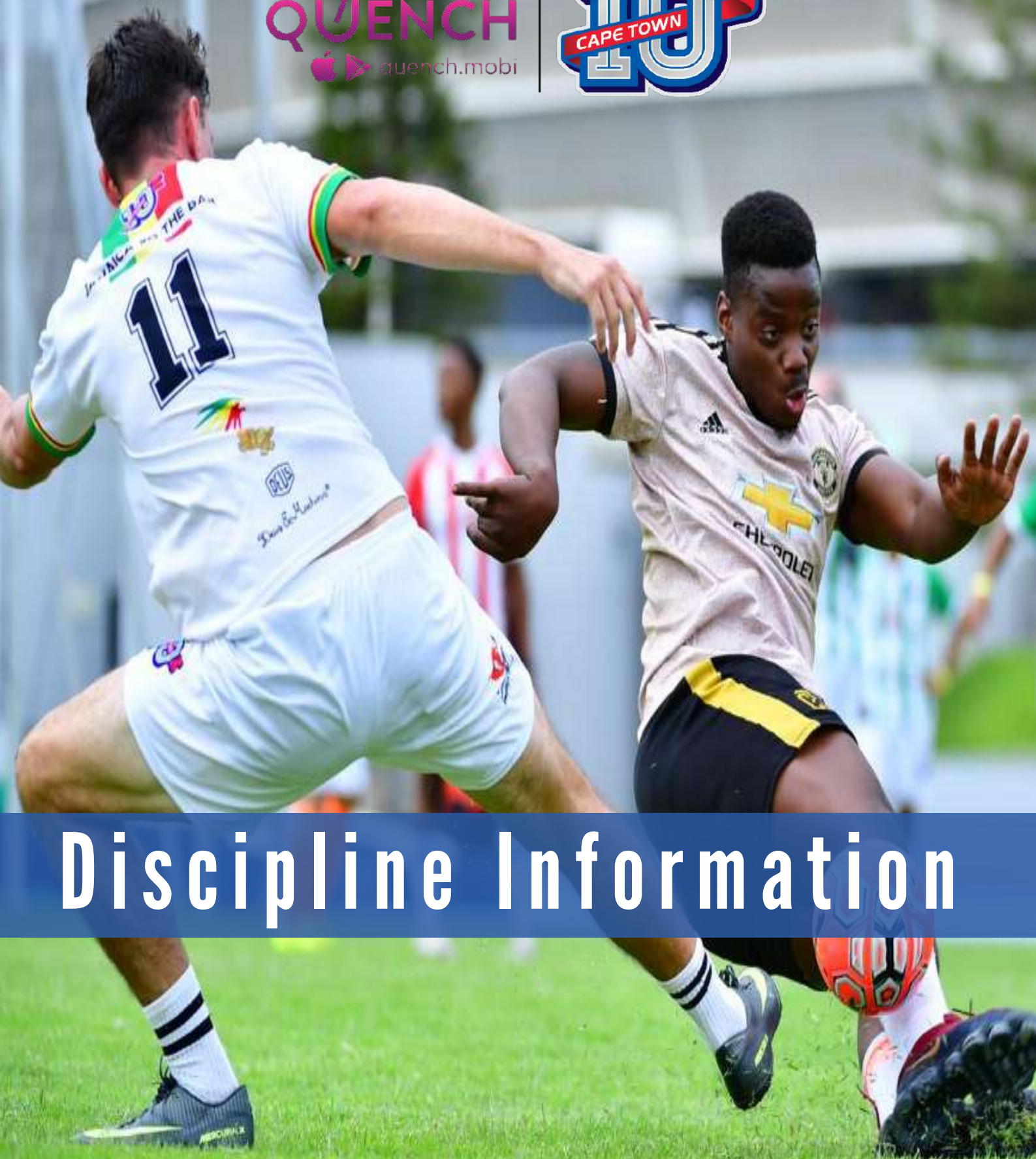


# Age Restrictions

## AGE RESTRICTIONS

- No u18s are allowed to participate in any of the sporting codes. I.e. You need to be 18+ on the event days
- If teams are found to have u18 player(s) in their team, the following process will take place:
- The player in question will be asked for their ID document or drivers license to prove that they are over 18 years
  - If a valid ID document or drivers license is shown, games for that team will carry on as per the fixtures
  - If no valid ID document or drivers license is shown, the below steps will apply
  - The team captain and captain of 'informing' team (if applicable) will be brought together for a discussion with the sport manager
  - The team at fault may forfeit their points for the current match as well as any preceding matches
    - Unless stated otherwise by their opponent(s)
  - The under-age player will need to leave the team and will no longer be allowed to take to the field/court for the remaining matches





# Discipline Information



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## Soccer DISCIPLINE

- Event organisers and referees have the right to intervene if there is disrespectful, unruly or unsafe behaviour and play
- If a team does not arrive in time for the start of their game, the game will be considered a forfeit and a 6-0 score will be given to the punctual team - no exceptions, no excuses
- 10s BLUE CARD
  - A referee has a BLUE CARD that may be shown to a player at any stage of the match. A blue card enables the referee to send a player off for unsportsmanlike behaviour or for being disorderly/intoxicated on the
- field/court. The referee may use this card at his/her own discretion and their decision is final. This is to protect the safety of all players.
  - The guilty player will have to leave the field/court for the remainder of the match.
  - No substitutions will be allowed on for the remainder of the half that the guilty player was given the blue card.
  - The team may replace the guilty player in the 2<sup>nd</sup> half if the incident happened in the 1<sup>st</sup> half.





# Prizes



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## 1. Divisional Cup Winners

10s Winners trophy presentation on Main Stage

## 2. Best Dressed ON the Field

We encourage teams to bring out their creative side and design their own funky kit. The best and most creative design per sport is awarded FREE kit for the following year.

## 3. Best Dressed OFF the Field

Friday night at the 10s is "Fancy Dress Friday". Rally your team around getting the best fancy-dress outfits and be awarded with FREE entry into the event for the following year.

## 4. Gees Award

The team to post and share the best social media posts, as determined by the 10s event organisers, will win cheerleaders for the Saturday of the event. The prize will be awarded to two teams – male OR female OR mixed teams.

## 5. Captain of the Year

Collect all 5 badges and win!

1. Recruitment – Invite your entire team and get them to register on the website

2. Kit – Submit your kit design and get it approved and signed off

3. Gees – Set up at least 1 social media account for your team. Post content, images, training videos and other collateral to show the other teams what you have been up to. Get a following of at least 20 people or more

4. Responsibility – All players are to fill in and complete their medical form, sign the indemnity form and agree to the T&C's

5. Payment – Make full payment to complete team entry

**The 1st team to earn all 5 badges will receive a 50% reduction of the current tournament fee.**

