

THE BIG ISSUE STREET FOOTBALL FESTIVAL DARLING HARBOUR, SYDNEY 2012



The Big Issue Street Football Festival will be returning to a purpose built floating pitch on Sydney's Darling Harbour for 11 days of competition during April 11-22, 2012.

The Corporate Cup is once again expected to be a highlight of the program, providing businesses with the chance to battle it out against their rivals to become champions of the floating pitch (all in the spirit of friendly competition!).

As well as being a great opportunity to excite and engage staff and clients, all corporate registration fees go directly to The Big Issue to enable Australia's most marginalized and disadvantaged help themselves.

The Big Issue Street Football Festival will include the following events;

- The Big Issue's Community Street Soccer National Championships (for homeless and marginalised players)
- Junior Club Competition
- Corporate Cup
- Government Agency Cup

The Corporate Cup - 2012

The Corporate Cup event structure will be based on the following:

- Each match = 15 mins, being two halves of seven minutes, plus one minute change-over
- Four (4) players on the pitch at one time – 3 outfield, one goalie
- Up to 10 people per team (for rotations)
- Each team will play a minimum of 3 round robin matches and 2 final matches

Proposed Sessions times:

- Round-robin matches - Weekday evenings between 5.30 - 7.30pm
- Finals – Sat/Sun (21-22 April) morning

Team Commitment is proposed at 1 evening session and 1 weekend session.

A final event schedule will be determined in the coming months

Entry to the Corporate Cup is \$6,000+GST per team.

See overleaf for entry form

Entries close 20 March , 2012

"The main aim of the festival is to provide a fun, friendly environment, fully inclusive of everyone, no matter what skill level, background, gender or race. We are all about trying to make their life better for them, whatever that may entail."

– Dave Connolly, North Melbourne Coach



CORPORATE CUP DARLING HARBOUR, SYDNEY 2012



CORPORATE CUP 11-22 April, 2012

The Big Issue invites your company to enter a team in the Corporate Cup to be staged at The Big Issue Street Football Festival. Pitch your team against the 'best in the business world', whilst providing invaluable support to The Big Issue in Australia.

The Big Issue delivers sustainable solutions that support Australia's homeless and marginalised.

Played on a floating pitch on Sydney's Darling Harbour, The Big Issue Street Football Festival is scheduled to be held from Wednesday 11 April to Sunday 22 April 2012*.

The Corporate Cup provides a unique experience for your team of 8 to 10 members of staff and company stakeholders. Each Corporate Cup team is expected to play three qualifying matches on one weekday evening as well as participating in a Corporate Finals series on the morning of the final weekend (April 21/22).

The Corporate Cup entry fee of \$6,000+GST per team must be paid in full before an entry is confirmed. A tax invoice will be issued. Team numbers are limited so secure your team by completing the below form today.

CONFIRMATION OF SUPPORT

I, _____
on behalf of (company name) _____

wish to enter _____ team(s) in The Big Issue Street Football Festival Corporate Cup, 2012 (at a cost of \$6,000 plus GST per team).

I understand that the dates of competition are subject to change without consultation with my company.

I acknowledge that participating in the Corporate Cup involves certain risks and I accept on behalf of my company, that my company will bear all risks of any injuries, damages, or harm which arise during or result from my company's participation in the Corporate Cup.

I understand each of my company's participating employees and stakeholders will be asked to sign a player participation waiver form assuming, as an individual player, all risks of injuries, damages, losses, claims, liabilities, demands, expenses or harm however arising from their individual participation in the Corporate Cup. This form will also provide consent to use images of the individuals participation in the Corporate Cup without the individual's acknowledgement or entitlement to remuneration.

Signed: _____
Primary contact: _____
Title: _____
Email: _____
Mobile: _____
Address: _____

To return completed forms or for further information please contact Samantha Blackstone, Event Manager via sblackstone@bigissue.org.au or call 0409 806 607 or via fax (03) 9639 4076.

Thank you for your support!