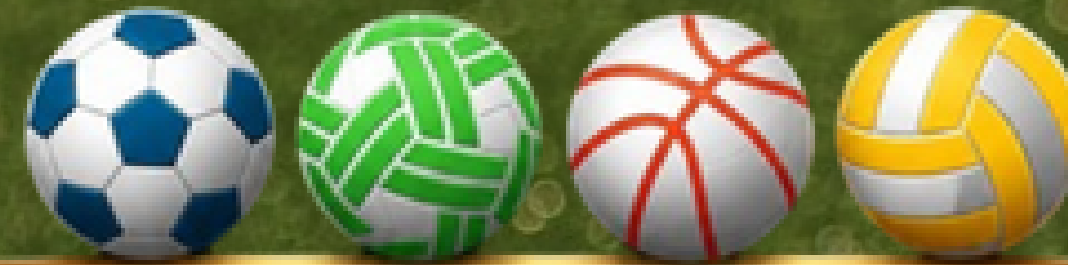


• SUMMER TOURNAMENT

# CHALLENGE CUP 2027

Sun, beach and top-level  
football in the Algarve

📍 ALGARVE • 24-27 JUNE



# CHALLENGE — CUP — TOURNAMENTS



SUMMER TOURNAMENT  
ALGARVE  
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# WELCOME TO THE CHALLENGE CUP

WELCOME



Summer 2027 already has a date. **The Challenge Cup Algarve** returns for its 7th edition — bigger, more international and more electrifying than ever. For 4 days, Lagos, Portimão, Lagoa and Albufeira become the world epicentre of youth football, with over 200 teams and thousands of athletes, coaches and families from various countries and continents.

Because the **Challenge Cup** was never just about football. It's about the shout at the last minute, the friendships that cross borders and the memories that last a lifetime. Since 2019, each edition has surpassed the last—and 2027 promises to be the biggest ever.

**GET READY: THE BIGGEST SUMMER IN YOUTH FOOTBALL IS ALMOST HERE! |  
CHALLENGE CUP ALGARVE 2027**



# ALGARVE IN THE SUN ALL YEAR ROUND.

THE TOURNAMENT VENUE



## 4 MUNICIPALITIES

LAGOS, PORTIMÃO, LAGOA AND ALBUFEIRA

## 35 MINUTES

FROM FARO AIRPORT

## A1/A22

DIRECT ACCESS VIA “VIA DO INFANTE”

## 300+ DAYS OF SUN

PER YEAR IN THE ALGARVE

### ALGARVE - THE REGION

#### ELITE TRAINING CAMPS

REFERENCE ZONE FOR PRE-SEASON TRAINING OF EUROPEAN PROFESSIONAL CLUBS.

#### BLUE FLAG BEACHES

ONE OF THE REGIONS WITH THE MOST BLUE FLAGS IN ALL OF EUROPE.

#### WATER PARKS

INCLUDED IN THE TOURNAMENT PROGRAM — PART OF THE CHALLENGE CUP EXPERIENCE.

#### GASTRONOMY

GRILLED FISH, SEAFOOD AND TRADITIONAL ALGARVE CONVENT SWEETS.

# 18 COUNTRIES HAVE ALREADY PARTICIPATED IN THE CHALLENGE CUP

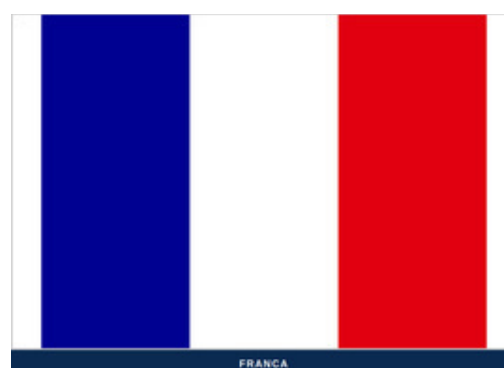
PARTICIPATING COUNTRIES



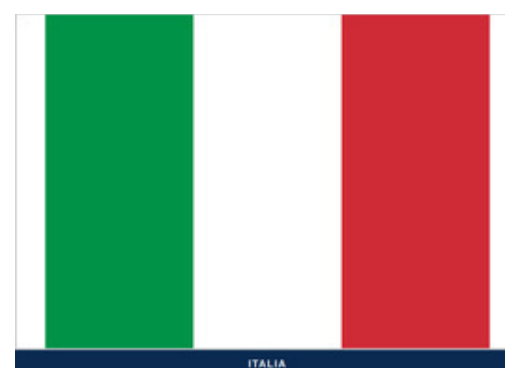
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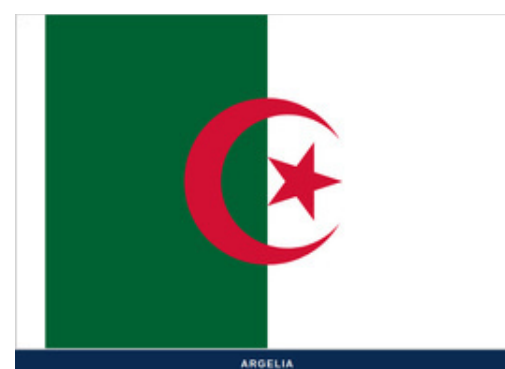
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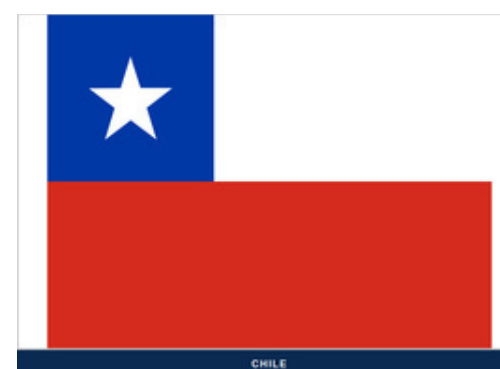
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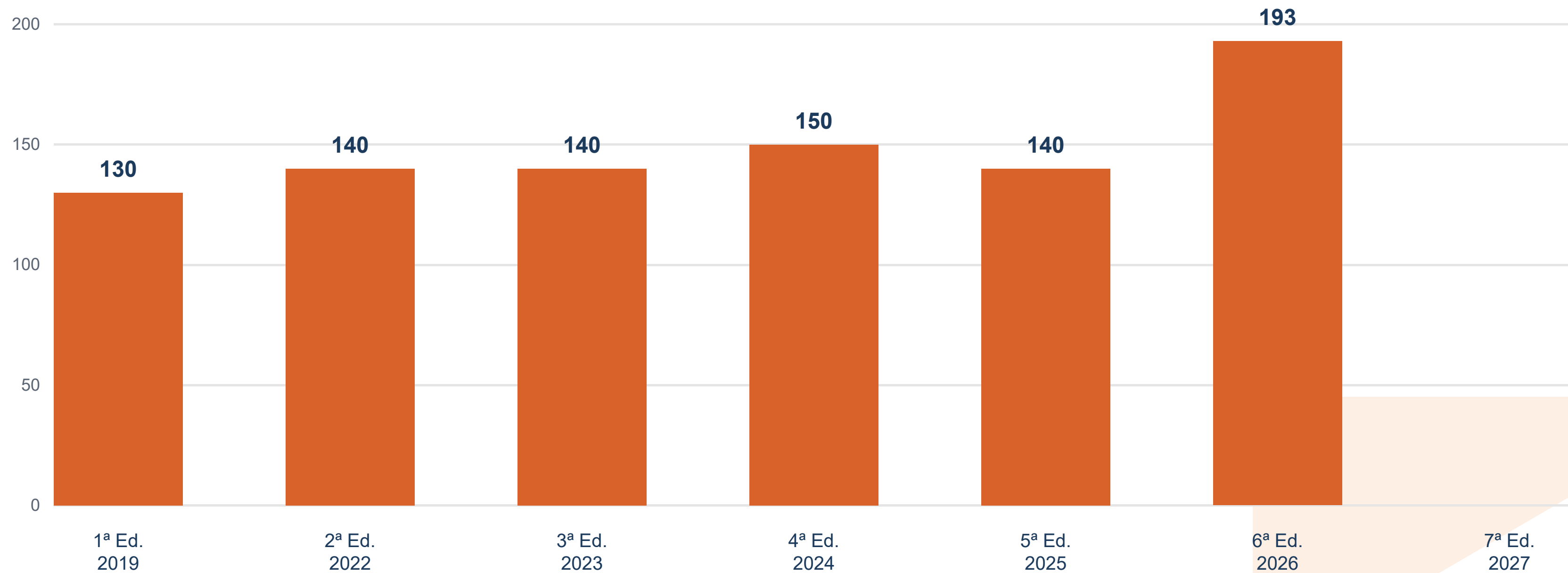
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# CHALLENGE CUP GROWTH

HISTORY



PARTICIPATING TEAMS BY EDITION · ALGARVE · 2019–2027



# CATEGORIES 2027

CATEGORIES



**7X7**

**U9 - Born in 2018**

**U10 - Born in 2017**

**U11 - Born in 2016**

**U12 - Born in 2015**

**9X9**

**U13 - Born in 2014**

**11X11**

**U13 - Born in 2014**

**U14 - Born in 2013**

**U15 - Born in 2012**

**U17 - Born in 2010**

**G15 - Born in 2012**

**G17 - Born in 2010**

# NEW COMPETITIVE MODEL 2027

HISTORY



4

TOURNAMENT DAYS

5

GUARANTEED MATCHES



24

TEAMS BY CATEGORY

6

Phase 1  
GROUPS OF 4 TEAMS

37

MATCHES BY CATEGORY  
THROUGHOUT THE ENTIRE TOURNAMENT

1+1

FINALS  
FINAL + 3RD AND 4TH

NOTE: THE NUMBER OF TEAMS / NUMBER OF GROUPS / TOTAL NUMBER OF GAMES PER CATEGORY MAY BE ADJUSTED DEPENDING ON THE NUMBER OF REGISTRATIONS.

# TEAMS WITH REGULAR PRESENCE

CLUBS



## NATIONAL



FC PORTO



SL BENFICA



SPORTING CP



VITORIA SC



SC BRAGA



FC FAMALICÃO



RIO AVE FC



BOAVISTA FC

## OTHER TEAMS

## INTERNATIONAL



SEVILLE FC



RAYO VALLECANO



BLACKBURN ROVERS



NORWICH CITY



C. ATLETICO MADRID



REAL BETIS



RC DEPORTIVO CORUÑA



RC CELTA VIGO

## OTHER TEAMS

# PROGRAM | JUNE 24

PROGRAM



## DAY 1 - ARRIVAL

### ARRIVAL IN THE ALGARVE

Morning trip - Reception of the teams in Lagos, Portimão, Lagoa and Albufeira.

### SCHOOL / HOTEL

First meal - Lunch - at the accommodation.

### GAMES

1st Round during the afternoon

### OPENING CEREMONY

Ceremony at the end of the first round.



# PROGRAM | JUNE 25 AND 26

PROGRAM



## DAYS 2 AND 3 - COMPETITION - FIRST GROUP STAGE AND SUBSEQUENT STAGES

### FULL BOARD

Accommodation; breakfast, lunch and dinner at school/hotel.

### TOURNAMENT

Games in the morning and afternoon, spread across the complexes of Lagos, Portimão, Lagoa and Albufeira.



# PROGRAM | JUNE 27

PROGRAM



## DAY 4 - CONCLUSION AND FINALS

### FULL BOARD

Accommodation and breakfast at school/hotel. Packed lunch.

### WATER PARK

Participation in the water park during the morning, with a packed lunch and return at 2:30 PM.

### TOURNAMENT FINALS

The finals will be played in the morning.

### AWARDS CEREMONY

Presentation of medals and trophies after the respective finals.



# OUR OFFER | HOTEL

HOTEL OFFER



## 3 NIGHTS HOTEL ACCOMMODATION



## HOTEL ROOMS

7-A-SIDE FOOTBALL: QUADRUPLES · 11-A-SIDE  
FOOTBALL: QUADRUPLES OR QUINTUPLES



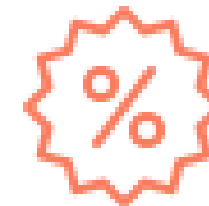
## FULL BOARD

BREAKFAST, LUNCH, AND DINNER — TAILORED FOR  
ATHLETES.



## WATER

DURING MEALS AND GAMES



## OFFER

1 FREE COACH INCLUDED

# OUR HOTELS

HOTELS



## PARTNER HOTELS IN LAGOS, PORTIMÃO, LAGOA AND ALBUFEIRA.

### LAGOS



- BOAVISTA GOLF & SPA RESORT

### PORTIMÃO



- OCEANO ATLÂNTICO
- SQUASH CLUB
- APARTAMENTOS TURÍSTICOS

### LAGOA



- UKINO TERRACE ALGARVE
- UKINO PALMEIRAS VILLAGE
- VALE DEL REI HOTEL & VILLAS
- LAGOA APARTMENT HOTEL

### ALBUFEIRA



- AMENDOEIRA GOLF RESORT

TOURIST TAX | HOTEL REGIME - €2/NIGHT FOR THOSE OVER 13 YEARS OF AGE



## IMPORTANT INFORMATION

### ACCOMMODATION POLICY

The hotels will be defined by the organization taking into account the optimization of time and distance between accommodation and playing fields for all teams included in the Challenge Cup 2027 transfer system.

For teams with private transportation, the previous clause does not apply — they can choose accommodation available from the list of partner hotels.

# OUR OFFER | SCHOOL

SCHOOL OFFER



**3 NIGHTS OF ACCOMMODATION AT SCHOOL**



**CLASSROOM**

INCLUDES MATTRESS AND BEDDING.



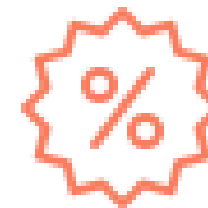
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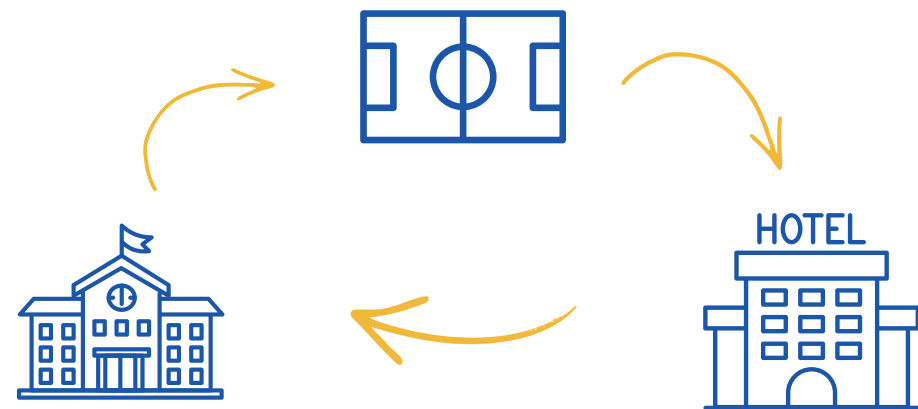


**OFFER**

1 FREE COACH INCLUDED

## NEW DYNAMICS

This year we implemented a new mobility system, designed to provide greater comfort, punctuality, and efficiency. The shuttle service ensures regular connections between the main event locations, reducing waiting times and facilitating travel. A simple, organized solution adapted to the needs of athletes, teams, and accompanying persons.



### FIXED ROUTES IN SHUTTLE SERVICE

Continuous connection between the main points of the tournament.



### FIXED DEPARTURE TIMES

Greater punctuality and reduced waiting times.

# THE TOURNAMENT INCLUDES

TOURNAMENT



## A MINIMUM OF 5 GAMES FOR ALL TEAMS.

If they qualify for the final stage, there will be 6 games.



## WATER

For the games

## FOOD SUPPLEMENT AND SNACKS (SCHOOL)

Offer of fruit, juices and snacks for morning and afternoon.



## FIELDS

With natural and artificial grass.

## REFEREEING

With federated referees



## KIT FREE CHALLENGE

150 units per athlete

\*Registration open until January 31st.

## TROPHIES AND MEDALS

For all players



## ASSISTANCE AND FIRST AID

During the games

# OUR FIELDS

FIELDS



## SPORTS COMPLEXES IN LAGOS, PORTIMÃO, LAGOA AND ALBUFEIRA

- ESTÁDIO MUNICIPAL ARMAÇÃO DE PERA
- ESTÁDIO CAPITÃO JOSINO DA COSTA - LAGOA
- ESTÁDIO DR FRANCISCO VIEIRA - SILVES
- ESTÁDIO MUNICIPAL DA BELA VISTA
- ESTÁDIO DA RESTINGA - ALVOR
- PARQUE DESPORTIVO MUNICIPAL DE ESTOMBAR
- CENTRO DE FORMAÇÃO MAJOR DAVID NETO
- COMPLEXO DESPORTIVO DA MEXILHOEIRA GRANDE
- COMPLEXO DESPORTIVO DE ODIAXERE
- CAMPO ZONA VERDE BENSACRIM
- ESTÁDIO MUNICIPAL DE LAGOS
- COMPLEXO DESPORTIVO ARSÉNIO CATUNA - GUIA
- CENTRO DE ESTÁGIO DOIS IRMÃOS - PORTIMÃO



# EXTRA FEES

FEES



SCHOOL DEPOSIT | €100 (REFUNDED AT THE END OF THE TOURNAMENT IF THERE ARE NO INCIDENTS WITH THE TEAM AT THE SCHOOL)

SECURITY DEPOSIT - HOTELS | SUBJECT TO THE AMOUNT DETERMINED BY EACH HOTEL (REFUNDED AT THE END OF THE TOURNAMENT IF THERE ARE NO INCIDENTS WITH THE TEAM AT THE HOTEL)

TOURIST TAX | HOTEL REGIME - €2/NIGHT FOR THOSE OVER 13 YEARS OF AGE

# TEAM CHANGES

REQUESTS AND CHANGES



## DURING THE PERIOD BETWEEN 30 AND 15 DAYS PRIOR TO THE TOURNAMENT

SCHOOL | +15€ PER REGISTERED ATHLETE

HOTEL | + €30 PER REGISTERED ATHLETE

## DURING THE 15 DAYS LEADING UP TO THE TOURNAMENT

 NO CHANGES ARE ALLOWED.

Withdrawals within the last 30 days prior to the tournament.



NO REFUND OF THE AMOUNT PAID TO DATE



## APPLICATION DEADLINE - MARCH 31, 2027

### MINIMUM AND MAXIMUM NUMBER OF ATHLETES REGISTERED PER TEAM

**7-A-SIDE FOOTBALL:** Minimum - 8 players and Maximum - 15 players

**9-A-SIDE FOOTBALL:** Minimum - 11 players and Maximum - 19 players

**11-A-SIDE FOOTBALL:** Minimum - 14 players and Maximum - 23 players

TO REGISTER, USE THE WEBSITE:

**[WWW.CHALLENGECUPTOURNAMENTS.COM](http://WWW.CHALLENGECUPTOURNAMENTS.COM)**

When you access the website and request registration, you will be redirected to the registration and team management portal for the tournament.

# PARTNERS 2027

PARTNERS



**Portimão**  
Câmara Municipal

**Lagos**  
Câmara Municipal



**Want to be a partner?**

CONTACT US AND DISCOVER THE SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES AVAILABLE FOR THE CHALLENGE CUP ALGARVE 2027.

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# THANK YOU

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