



ADRIATIC AND IONIAN YOUTH GAMES FOR SOCIAL INCLUSION

ANCONA 27 - 30 SEPTEMBER 2019

FOOTBALL

Location of play

The athletics competitions will take place on Saturday 28 September at the "Italico Conti" sports field, organized by the Marche Regional Committee of the Italian Athletics Federation. The races will take place in the afternoon, while the field will be made available in the morning for training.

Rules

Art. 1 – Participation. The Junior players delegations must consist of a maximum of 16 players, born from 1st January 2003.

Art. 2 – Players' affiliation. The participating players must be affiliated with the national football leagues of their countries for the current football season 2019 – 2020. The players must be covered by a valid medical and insurance policy.

Art. 3 – Rules and terms of the tournament. The event will take place in a single location and will be carried out as follows: the delegations will be divided, by drawing lots, into 2 (two) groups made up of four teams. The delegations will play each other in first round only matches in the respective groups. The two delegations ranking first and second in the round will enter the semi-finals and the winners of the semi-finals will play in the finals; the winner will gain the 3rd Tournament of the Ionian-Adriatic Macro-Region 2019. The losers of the semi-finals will compete for the 3rd place. The delegations ranking 3rd and 4th in the group will enter the play-offs for the 5th place, the winners will play the final for 5th place while the losers will play the final for the 7th place.

Art. 4 - Technical procedures - composition – rankings. The matches will be played in a single time lasting 40 minutes. The rankings of the single groups will be established through the allocation of the following points: victory p. 3 - draw p.1 - defeat p. 0 . Qualifying rounds - In the case of draw between two teams at the end of each round, the winner will be established according to the following criteria: - the outcome of the direct match in the round; - the best difference between the goals scored and conceded during the entire round; - the highest number of goals scored during the entire round; - the draw. If more than two teams conclude the rounds with the same ranking, to determine the ranking the so-called "classifica avulsa" (ranking where only head to head results are taken into consideration) between the teams involved will be used, taking into account the following criteria in order of priority: - points scored in direct matches; - the difference between the goals scored and those conceded in direct matches; - the highest number of goals scored in direct matches; - the difference between the goals scored and those conceded in the entire group matches; - the highest number of goals scored during the entire round; - the draw.

Art. 5 - Semi-finals and play-offs The semi-finals and play-offs will be played in a single time of 40 minutes. In the event of a tie at the end of the match, penalty shoot-out will be played according to current regulations.



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Art. 6 – Finals The Finals will be played in a single time of 40 minutes. In the event of a tie at the end of the match, penalty shoot-out will be played according to current regulations.

Art. 7 - Replacement of players During all tournament competitions, five players may be replaced regardless of the role.

Art. 8 - Sport regulation. The regulation of the competition is delegated to the Territorial Regulatory Bodies of the C.R. Marche. As the event is characterised by reduced time matches, the technical decisions adopted by the Local Sport Judge in relations with the result of the matches will be final. The following provisions and procedures will also apply: - the players will be disqualified during a match after two yellow cards. - the sending-off of a player entails the automatic disqualification of the same for the following match, except for any more serious disciplinary measure; - at the end of the first round of the Tournament (qualifying rounds) the yellow cards will be reset to zero for the following phase;

Art. 9 - Referees of the competitions. The referees and assistants will be designated by the CRA Marche. Assistants are scheduled only for the Finals. For the other competitions the assistants will be provided by the delegations.

Art. 10- Lists of players. The list must include the date of birth and the progressive jersey number allocated to each player for the entire duration of the Tournament. Only players included in these lists may take part in the Tournament. The list to be submitted to the referee before the start of the matches must include, as specified above, all the players making up the teams of the single delegations.

Art. 11 – Greetings. It is mandatory that all participants in the matches, managers, technicians and players, greet the public and greet each other by shaking hands, at the start and end of each match.



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