



RUGBY YOUTH FESTIVAL

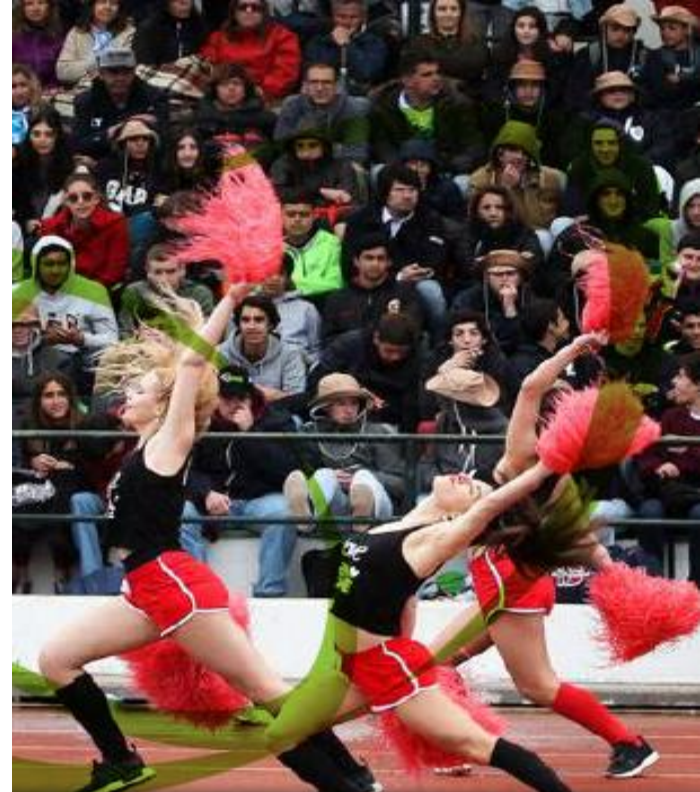
11TH EDITION | PORTUGAL

2019

13 & 14 APRIL
estádio universitário de lisboa

+100 TEAMS

COMING FROM ALL
OVER THE WORLD



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WELCOME TO THE 10TH EDITION

The Portugal Rugby Youth Festival has already established itself as one of the best and most international youth rugby festivals for clubs and school teams in Europe. It is known for its excellent organization and standard of play.

Our goal is to keep improving every year to provide an unforgettable experience to

every participant. To all Portuguese players we hope that they benefit and enjoy the opportunity to play with teams from all over the world. As for the foreign participating teams, we want them to have a "taste" of our developed standard of rugby and, at the same time, take the best memories from Lisbon and the Portuguese people, which will definitely make them desire to

come back again, as happens with most of our visitors.

The Portugal Rugby Youth Festival was created to be a meeting point for young players from many parts of the world where Rugby is the common element and the language that all understand. Regardless of each team level, all of them

are welcomed in Portugal. In fact, it's exactly that combination of different origins and goals that make the Portugal Rugby Youth Festival an absolutely unique event! Be part of it!

PASSION FOR THE SPORT

The passion for rugby is the major key reason to take part in an event such as this. More than 300 Rugby matches in only 2 days. A total of 8 rugby pitches, where Estádio

Universitário de Lisboa is a theatre of dreams for so many young rugby players. Every year there are more and more foreign teams who wish to participate.

The referees, who are many times forgotten, are essential. To all teams and players we ask to always respect them. We also invite refs from different countries and always ask

visiting teams if they want to bring one in their touring parties.

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31 DECEMBER 2007



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ACCOMMODATION

All our tournament packages include accommodation for players & team officials at holiday parks, youth hostels and hotels in

Lisbon within easy and quick access to the festival area. It is our goal that every team stays well & comfortably accommodated at

the cheapest possible price. Each team will have its own team liaison officer 24h per day during the entire period of stay for any kind

of assistance. Bath and toilet facilities at the accommodation sites and festival Centre are of good quality.

FESTIVAL PROGRAMME

ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE

On Friday, April the 12th, there will be an opening event (Welcome Cocktail) for all team officials, referees, sponsors and organization in a local venue to be announced. First round & preliminary matches start Saturday morning. All finals

will be played Sunday. The organization will coordinate and make all travel arrangements for foreign teams arriving by air at the Lisbon International Airport. Teams arriving by coach or train should make their way to the accommodation site on Friday and will be assisted by its own Team Liaison for the whole period of stay.

FOOD & DRINK

The Portugal Rugby Youth Festival organization will provide all participants with healthy athlete food and drinks at the accommodation sites. Breakfast and dinner are served on buffet style and dinner is always a warm meal. Lunch is included in the festival package and will be taken

on the playing venue. The lunch menu includes soup, salad, main course, dessert and drinks at the event restaurant. Foreign teams travelling to Lisbon and wishing to include lunch at the event restaurant are recommended to book it in advance. This will permit your team to reserve tables in between games avoiding any delays in your competition team arrangements.

PRICES: 3 NIGHTS PACK. This festival package was designed for teams arriving in Lisbon by air transportation and it includes everything needed for a perfect long weekend of rugby:

Participation in the tournament

3 x nights accommodation in a 3-star hotel or youth hostel or holiday park unit (see prices below)

Half-board (breakfast & evening meal)

Free admission for all activities at the festival venue

Tournament Kit including the event T/Shirt

Return transfers from/to Lisbon International Airport

Daily return transfers to/from Festival Venue

Team liaison assistance during the period of the Festival

HOLIDAY PARK / YOUTH HOSTEL ACCOMMODATION: price per person is £275 + £4.98 per person Financial Protection Insurance

3 STAR HOTEL ACCOMMODATION: price per person is £319 + £4.98 per person Financial Protection Insurance

Important Notes: Prices indicated based on minimum occupancy of 27 persons travelling.

Prices indicated based on accommodation with triple occupancy minimum. Single and double occupancy will be quoted on request.

4 AND 5 NIGHTS PACKS ALSO AVAILABLE ON REQUEST



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ATTRACTIONS

The capital, Lisbon, is a captivating city filled with fascinating history and can be explored very conveniently. Visit the famous neighborhoods of Alfama, Mouraria and Graça, the city's old quarter and perhaps its most atmospheric part. Nearby, Lisbon's dramatically located Castle dates back to Roman times and offers breathtaking city panoramas, over roof-tops and across the mighty River Tagus. The waterfront suburb of Belem, the departure point for Portugal's great discoverers of the 15th and 16th centuries and the impressive Lisbon sights, thoughtfully clustered together.

FRIENDLYNESS

Portugal is an exceedingly friendly place. Its people are some of the nicest around to visiting tourists and truly have pleasure and enjoy in being good hosts. Most locals will speak perfect English, without any visible annoyance, even with pleasure!

LEISURE

The city of Lisbon has a fantastic atmosphere. The options for spending a free day in Lisbon are almost infinite, with its ancient and modern architecture, all kinds of interesting monuments scattered around every corner, exciting touristic activities such as Bus, Tuk Tuk and Sailing Tours, or even its wide selection of high-end Shopping Centres. A must see for anyone who wants to experience southern European lifestyle at its best.

EASY ACCESS

Lisbon is only 2 hours away from most western European cities and there are now many low cost flight connections to the city main airport. The tournament venue is located 20 minutes from the Lisbon International Airport, and from almost every accommodation facilities.





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PORTUGAL LISBON

TOURNAMENT FACILITIES

Lisbon, and in particular the Estádio Universitário de Lisboa, offers unparalleled conditions for the practice of Rugby. It has hosted in the past international events such as: The World Rugby Junior Trophy 2015 and the Rugby European Championship U-18 2016 (proudly organized by Move sports). Included is one of the country's most emblematic rugby stadiums, home venue of the Portugal National Rugby.

CULTURE

The cultural scene in Lisbon today is a vibrant combination of old and new, as the ghosts of Lisbon's grand past echo evocatively around the city's contemporary venues.

MODERNITY

The heart of Lisbon is filled with wide avenues, green trees, modernist-style buildings, mosaic decorations and numerous cafes. The city is now being reborn and renovated and was recently considered one of the trendiest cities of the world.

WEATHER

In general, Portugal boasts a temperate climate all year round with long hot summers, warm spring and autumn months and relatively mild winters. The city of Lisbon and its surroundings are located in the coastal area, facing the Atlantic Ocean.