



10th Anniversary **BCX** BISHOPS CUP International 10s Rugby Tournament 11 - 13 June 2004 St.Gallen Switzerland

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Dear Rugby Enthusiasts

On behalf of the RFC The Bishops HSG ST. Gallen I'm proud to invite you to the 10th anniversary edition of the **BISHOPS CUP** to be held on **11 – 13 June 2004**. For ten years we've organised this event that represents our Rugby year's peak. Many teams from all over Europe and Switzerland have contributed their part to the tournament's great international atmosphere. If you have never been to St. Gallen, have a look at your web site and see what you missed out on.

Tournament mode: The Bishops Cup is a 10-a-side rugby tournament. The tournament consists of two categories, a women's and a men's. In general, the rules of Rugby Union do apply – the detailed tournament by-laws will be sent to you with the confirmation of your participation.

Program: As in previous years, the Bishops Cup will be held on two days. On Saturday, 12 June, the preliminary games will take place, on Sunday 13 June the cup- and the plate-tournament will be played. We recommend to arrive on Friday 11 June, unless you want to miss our great welcome party, that will take place on Friday night at Mr. Pickwick Pub in St. Gallen and is also official part of the tournament. On Saturday, it's party time on the sports ground.

Infrastructure: The Bishops-Cup will be held at the sports ground Gründenmoos in St. Gallen, which offer a perfect infrastructure. If it comes to the action besides the pitch, the Bishops' reputation as hosts is the stuff of legends, as well as the reputation of former participants as guests.

Accommodation: For overnight stay we can offer you again a camping ground right next to the pitches as well as an atomic bomb shelter, for which the costs of CHF 15 a night will be charged separately. Please keep in mind that we rely on the goodwill of the local authorities, who take hooliganism rather serious.

Registration: Unfortunately, the number of participants is limited to 24 teams, which includes 16 men's and 8 women's teams. The registration deadline is 15 March 2004. The registration fee will be CHF 300 or EUR 200 per team. This includes, amongst other things, dinner on Saturday evening and breakfast on Sunday morning for 15 players. To register please complete one entry form for each team that likes to participate and send it to the address printed on the form (Teams and Fixtures). It's also possible to send the application via email. You will get the confirmation and the invitation to pay the fee right away. Please note that your participation becomes definite as soon as the registration fee is transferred to our account.

As the tournament has a tight budget we sincerely request you not to bring beer to the ground. Beer and food will be sold at the tournament for a reasonable price. Teams not sticking to this rule can't be invited for a next Bishops Cup. Our website www.bishops.ch is intended to give you up-to-date information about our tournament as well as providing you with a one-stop access point for your individual questions about the tournament.

Our club, the Bishops, would be delighted to hear from you. If you should have any questions regarding the tournament or rugby in Switzerland, please feel free to contact us under one of the above addresses.

Ovally yours,

Tibor Németh
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TEAM REGISTRATION

(please fill out one form for each team)



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Yes, we would like to come to the 2004 Bishops Cup

Team

Address

Contact

Address
(incl. E-mail address)

Est. No. Of Participants

Where do you
plan to stay

Camping

Bunker

Other

Some words about your team

Do you have any special
needs we should cater for
(Early arrival, vegetarian
dinner, ...)

Please send this form to

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