U20 Indoor Championship 2023-2024

GENERAL RULES

1. FORMAT

The National U20 Indoor Championship 2023-2024 will be played in three phases. Phase one consists of two qualifying days which will be played on Sunday 19th November and **Saturday** 24th February. The third phase will be a final day on 24th March. The top 4 of the qualifying day will play the play-off. The winner of the final day is crowned Belgian Ultimate Indoor U20 Champion 2023-2024

2. Deadlines

Subscription Deadline: 8th October

Twizzit Form: https://app.twizzit.com/v2/public/form/dfb6fe957c6a117230543bc59b003e9c

If you subscribe a team after the deadline that team will be placed on the waiting list.

Teamfee Deadline:

The treasurer will receive an invoice after the subscription deadline with a payment deadline of 14 days.

Amount: 40€ per team exl. VAT

Belgian Ultimate is making differences in their financial governance so how to pay will be communicated later. Depending on this communication the payment deadline will be postponed. You will get at least 2 weeks to pay the team fees.

IMPORTANT

Team cancellation before 8th October: Full refund

Team cancellation before 15th October: 50% refund

Team cancellation after 15th October or later : NO refund

SUBSCRIBING A TEAM AFTER THE DEADLINE OR MID-SEASON:

If there are enough halls extra teams can be subscribed during the season or after the deadline. So that more youth can get the opportunity to play.

3. Tournament Director & Questions

The tournament director for the Indoor Championship 2023–2024 is Floor Van Damme.

Email: championships@belgianultimate.be

Phone: 0497/148485 = only for urgent matters, first via email or twizzit.

4. Divisions

Starting Divisions for U20 Indoor Championship 2023–2024

The Starting divisions for the 2023-2024 National Championship will be based on the division that your team ended in during the 2022-2023 season for all except the top 4 teams. For the top 4 teams it depends on your final result at the play-offs. Teams that didn't participate in the competition last year are automatically added to the lowest divisions. In the picture below you can find the provisional division for the 2023-2024 season.

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1	FBZ U20 - White
2	Team Pita
3	FBZ U20 - RED
4	Jetset U20
5	Team Lotte
6	Space Invaders

5. Changes in this championship

The same format will be used as the previous years, there might be an exception if there is an influx in the amount of teams that subscribe.

6. the Roster

Age category: All player must be born in 2004 or later

Team Roster Deadline: 10th November

Rules regarding the roster:

- All players taking part in the official BFDF Events must be affiliated to a Club in Belgium. A player may be officially affiliated to one and only one Club at a time. A player is intended to play the official BFDF Events within a Team of the Club he is affiliated to.
- Clubs must send the complete Roster of all their Teams taking part in a specific BFDF event one week before the event at the latest
- Once the BFDF Event is started, the Roster is frozen. If a Team registers new players after the Roster has been frozen, the Team is allowed to ask the BFDF to add a maximum of 3 players to the Roster. The additional players must respect the Eligibility Rules and the completed Roster must respect the Roster Regulation. To add players to your roster after the first deadline you should send an email to the Tournament Director

Tip: ADD all of your possible players to your team roster, but only lock the players for which you know the team with certainty. There is no limit on locking players! (eg. You can wait assigning a team to a player but the name need to be on the list at the start)

- If a team doesn't respect the Eligibility Rules and Roster Regulation on a certain competition day: see chapter 8. Infractions

7. SPIRIT OF THE GAME

GOOGLE FORM: Will be available before the championship

Rules:

• Spirit should be filled in after EACH GAME.
• All spirit scores have to be received by the organizer before 21:00 on the evening of the qualifier day. If your division ends later than 21:00, spirit scores should be received by the organizer at the latest one hour after the last game was played in that division
• Sanction after ignored reminder: see chapter 8. Infractions

8. PENALTIES

Sadly after previous years infractions of the rules we made a document with possible infractions and corresponding penalties you can read them in this document: Penalties. They change every year so check them again.

We prefer not to use it in youth divisions. We try to be more flexible, especially with penalty points.