

Sabers Invitational WJAA MS Boys Futsal Tournament Invitation

Dear ADs and middle school soccer coaches:

Please consider this message as a formal invitation to the WJAA middle school futsal tournament.

What I need to know is:

1. Are you in? How many teams would you like to enter?
2. Staying overnight Friday?
3. How many futons do you need?

What: Sabers Invitational WJAA Middle School Boys Futsal Tournament

When: Saturday, 22 February 2014

Start time: 8:30 AM warm-up, first match at 9:00

Finish time: 4:15 PM (final match at 3:20, award ceremony at 4:00)

Where: Senri Osaka International School, Minoh City, Osaka, Japan [Access](#)

How much: ¥10,000 per team (Ask about our 50% "second team discount".)

How many teams: 12 teams total – 4 pools of 3 teams. Each team guaranteed 4 matches, most teams get 5 matches.

Players on field: 4 players out, 1 goalkeeper = 5 total players on the field

A and B teams: Please, no swapping players from one team to the other during the tournament.

Rules: official FIFA rules with a few modifications <http://www.fifa.com/lotg/futsal/en/index.htm>

Ball: futsal ball

Field: outdoors, artificial surface, regulation-size futsal field (30 m x 25 m)

http://www.fifa.com/lotg/futsal/en/pitch_en.htm

Match length: two 10-minute halves (2-minute half time)

Who: Invitations to MBIS, KIUA, KCS, SOL, HIS, FIS, NIS, ISSS, ICAN, DISK, CA, SOIS (12 schools).

Team photos, rosters: no need.

Awards: Trophies for top 3 finishers; plate championship trophy; "Golden Boot" medal

Futons: ¥1500 per set

Once the teams are set, I'll send out a tournament match schedule.

Thanks, everyone.

Pete