



MODUS OPERANDI OF A CHAMPIONS TROPHY QUALIFICATION TOURNAMENT

Following rules (points 1-7) of this modus operandi of a Champions Trophy qualification tournament must be accepted and have to be followed. The organizing club of a Champions Trophy qualification tournament is hereinafter called “**organizer**” and Sportshow entertainment e.U. as promoter of Champions Trophy tournament series is shortly called “**Champions Trophy**”.

1 Registration

- 1.1 Organizer makes an online **registration** on the website for Champions Trophy for a special age group and thus makes an application for a qualification tournament in this age group.
- 1.2 **Organizer** pays a Champions Trophy license (EUR 1.000,-). Money transfer must be made to the following account
Champions Trophy
Gerald Berger MBA
Raiffeisen Regionalbank Mödling
BIC: RLNWATWWGTD
IBAN: AT52 3225 0000 0150 8381
- 1.3 By registering, the organizer of a qualifying tournament confirms that he has read, understood and **accepted all items of this modus operandi** without exception.
- 1.4 Once the Champions Trophy license (EUR 1.000, -) has been deposited into the Champions Trophy bank account, the tournament will be **confirmed by Champions Trophy** and a binding contract will be made in accordance with this policy.
- 1.5 If qualification tournament is cancelled after confirmation by Champions Trophy, **cancellation fee** of 30% (EUR 300,-) will be charged for administrative expenses incurred. If cancellation occurs 1 month prior to scheduled date of qualifying tournament, NO refund of the license fee will be charged (100% cancellation fee).
- 1.6 With the **proper implementation** (according to this guideline) of a qualification tournament, the organizer will receive a fixed starting place in the final tournament of the Champions Trophy 2020 in the corresponding age group.

2 Participation and participants

- 2.1 Organizer will independently compile the field for his qualification tournament. The correspondence with participating teams is carried out by the organizer.
- 2.2 The **registration of participating teams** in a qualification tournament takes place directly with the organizer.



- 2.3 The field of participants for a qualification tournament must consist of **at least 8 teams**.
- 2.4 The **participation fee** for qualification tournament per team / starting place is EUR 70, -. All participation fees will be paid by the organizer.
- 2.5 **Organizer regularly informs** Champions Trophy about status of registered participants.

3 Tournament's modus operandi and rules

- 3.1 The tournament's modus operandi and rules are specified by the Champions Trophy and thus for all qualifiers the same to guarantee a fair competition.
- 3.2 Tournament mode depends on the number of participating teams. **Group classification and tournament schedule** of the qualification tournament are specified by the organizer and communicated to the participants.
- 3.3 Organizer ensures **compliance with specified tournament modus operandi and rules**.
- 3.4 Tournament management, referees and other necessary staff as well as game balls (at least 2 per pitch) are provided by organizer.

4 Final ceremony and photography

- 4.1 **Award ceremony** will be carried out by the organizer.
- 4.2 For winner team, the organizer will issue a Winner's cup (the words "Champions Trophy Qualifier | Winner 2020" must be attached to the trophy with current Champions Trophy logo!) Champions Trophy logo can be downloaded from Champions Trophy website.
- 4.3 Champions Trophy will provide the template of a "voucher" for starting place at Champions Trophy finals. It can be printed out if needed.
- 4.4 Should the organizer win the qualification tournament, the runner-up will get the starting place in the final tournament of the Champions Trophy. In a large starting field, a third final place can be awarded (after prior consultation with Champions Trophy).
- 4.5 **Immediately after the tournament** (same day), the organizer will send a photo of the winning team with trophy by mail to Champions Trophy (office@champions-trophy.at). In addition, organizer reports tournament results and data of the qualified club
 - club name(s)
 - country
 - responsible contact person (name, email address, tel.)
- 4.6 Photos and filming of participants taken during the tournament may be used by the Champions Trophy and be published (Internet, press, etc.) free of any copyright charges. User rights are unlimited in respect of content, space and time, including the use for advertising and marketing purposes.



5 Food and accommodation (CT employee)

- 5.1 If an employee of Champions Trophy (max 1 person) is invited to a qualifier, he/she will receive free meals during tournament.
- 5.2 Should an overnight stay be necessary, the organizer financially accommodates the employee of Champions Trophy (max 1 person).

6 Advertisement

- 6.1 Organizer represents Champions Trophy logo on his club's website and links it to the official Champions Trophy website.
- 6.2 Organizer is – in case of an agreement by Champions Trophy - allowed to use the official Champions Trophy logo and various Champions Trophy photos.
- 6.3 All promotional activities regarding the Champions Trophy qualification tournament have to be agreed upon with the Champions Trophy and kept in a written agreement signed by both parties.

7 Compulsory participation in final tournament of Champions Trophy

- 7.1 Organizer and qualified teams of a qualification tournament make a commitment to participate in Champions Trophy final tournament of respective age group.
- 7.2 This includes the overnight stay in official tournament hotels specified by Champions Trophy for given conditions. Independent hotel bookings are not allowed and lead to exclusion of final tournament. Excluded from hotel booking are only locally based clubs (headquarters within a radius of about 100 km based on venues of final tournament).
- 7.3 Package prices for final tournament - offered on Champions Trophy website - include accommodation and meals during final tournament (Friday evening to Sunday noon). Individual offers are possible and handled by a travel partner.
- 7.4 **Meals during final tournament must be booked / paid by all participants** without exception.
- 7.5 **Organizer is obligated to bring point 7 of this guideline already at tournament call to the attention of all participants of qualification tournament.**