



IRF

INTERNATIONAL RUGBY FESTIVAL

Specialists in Sports Tours

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Sample FULL Itinerary

2027

Gold Coast, Australia

Tuesday 6th – Wednesday 14th July
9 DAYS/8 NIGHTS





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Our Mission

International Rugby Festival

To bring youth and families together by blending cultures, communities and countries through rugby to assist youth & mental health

During the Festival & activities such as team bonding sessions, cultural performances, sponsorship, a rugby clinic and more, while showcasing the city, supporting the community and providing a wonderful opportunity for rugby.





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Objectives

- ▶ Support the local rugby communities by encourage rugby teams to come from round the world
- ▶ Build team bonding, personal growth with confidence
- ▶ Support rugby teams to build their skills as individuals, and as a team to gain knowledge by seeing how rugby from other countries train and play
- ▶ To meet other rugby teams around the world
- ▶ Learn how to travel and live as a group
- ▶ To bond with teachers, coaches and their team, not only by playing rugby but in by living and travelling together
- ▶ To participate in an extraordinary international rugby competition
- ▶ To experience a trip of a lifetime





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About Us

- ▶ We are specialists in group travel anywhere in the world
- ▶ We will put a WoW into your tour - Stress- Free
- ▶ We arrange your flights
- ▶ We arrange your accommodation
- ▶ We arrange your transport
- ▶ We provide a fun packed **full itinerary experience and Festival**
- ▶ Trip of a lifetime





Divisions and Game Structure

Divisions

Under, 14, Under 15,
Under 16, Under 17, Under 18

Game Structure
45-50minutes between games

Match Day 1

2 x 15 minute halves
2 games

Match Day 2

2 x 15 minute halves
2 games

Match Day 3

2 x 15 minute halves
2 games

Match Day 4/Finals

Quarters ,
Semis and Finals - 2 x
15minute quarters
Depending on placement,
2-3 games
Play offs for every placing

Itinerary (Full Travelling)

Day 1 - Tuesday

Arrival Day

Time	Flights to Brisbane / Gold Coast Collect your 12 seater van/car from the Airport (Gold Coast or Brisbane) and drive to the Gold Coast
Time	Check into your accommodation Beach/Theme Parks/Shopping/Surfers Paradise, etc
Dinner	Own arrangements
Evening	Free time



Day 2 - Wednesday

Rugby Clinic/Official Opening / Meet and Greet

Breakfast	Own arrangements
AM	Rugby clinic
Lunch	Own arrangements
PM	Free Time- prepare for team act
Dinner	Meet and Greet - Dinner included – Official Festival Welcome, Opening Ceremony and Team Acts



Day 3 - Thursday

Game Day 1

Breakfast	Own arrangements
8:00am*	Managers Meeting
8.30am*	Rugby games commence
Lunch	Included – collect at club house
Afternoon	Games continue
Late PM	Theme Parks / Beach
Dinner	Own arrangements
Option	Visit SkyPoint Observation Deck. (at own expense) Amazing views of the Gold Coast at night





Itinerary continued

Day 4 - Friday

Game Day 2

- Breakfast** Own arrangements
- AM** **Rugby games commence**
- Lunch** Included – collect at netball house
- PM** Theme parks/ Beach /shopping
- Dinner** **Included**
- Evening** Free Time / Miami Marketta option



Day 5 - Saturday

Game Day 3

- Breakfast** Own arrangements
- AM** **Rugby games commence**
- Lunch** Included – collect at the club house
- PM** **Games continue**
- PM** Theme parks/ Beach /shopping
- Dinner** Own Arrangements
- Evening** Free Time

Day 6 - Sunday

Game Day 4 / Finals / Awards Presentation

Festival Dinner & Entertainment

- Breakfast** Own arrangements
- Morning** **Rugby games commence**
- Lunch** Included – collect at the club house
- PM** **Finals games followed by Awards Presentation Ceremony at courts**
- 6PM *** **Festival Dinner – (Australian Outback Spectacular)**



*Times are subject to change



Day 7 – Monday

Theme Park

- Breakfast** Own arrangements
- Morning** **Theme Park**
- Lunch** Included – collect at the club house
- PM** **Theme Park**
- Dinner** Own arrangements



Day 8 - Tuesday

Artvo

- Breakfast** Own arrangements
- AM** Visit **Artvo at Robina.**
This Art gallery is a fun destination to visit .
Be amazed by the skilful artist illusions as
your take amazing photos and role play
- Lunch** Own arrangements
- PM** **Shopping/ Beach**
- Dinner** **Included**



Day 9 - Thursday 16 July

Departure Day / Travel Home

- Breakfast** Own arrangements
- 10:00am** Check out of your accommodation and drive to Brisbane/Gold Coast Airport.
Return your vehicle/s **full of petrol to the airport**
- Time** Happy travels home with many enjoyable memories



Inclusions

Full Travelling

Activities

- Rugby clinic
- Theme Parks
- ARTVO Gold Coast
- Team building activities
- Festival Dinner & Entertainment

Meals

- Meet and Greet Dinner (1)
- Lunch on game days (4)
- Dinner (2)
- Festival Dinner (1)

Free Markets

- Surfers Paradise Markets
(Wed, Fri or Sun 4:00-9:00pm)
- Miami Marketta
(Wed, Fri, Sat 5pm-10pm)
- Carrara Markets
(Sat, Sun 8:00am-3:00pm)

What's Not Included:

- Fuel for rental vehicles
- Under 25 year old driver surcharges
- Food for meals other than mentioned in itinerary
- Spending of a personal nature
- Other meals and excursions can be added

Travel/Accommodation

- Flights to/from Gold Coast or Brisbane
- Hotel or Apartment accommodation for 8 nights
- 12 seater vans/cars (pick up and drop off at the Airport)
- Travel insurance (international teams)
- Driver only insurance (interstate teams)

Festival Inclusions

- Referee provided
- Managers' meeting
- Managers' information bags
- Four Festival game days
- First aid onsite
- Souvenir Programs
- Trophies

Souvenirs

- Souvenir Festival singlet for players
- Souvenir Team photo
- **BONUS - 30min Courtside Action Shots



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Awards

▶ **WINNER for each division**

- ▶ For the team that obtains the most points at the Festival
- ▶ **RUNNERS UP for each division**
- ▶ For the team with the second highest points
- ▶ **THIRD place for each division**
- ▶ For the team with the third highest points

▶ **Team Sportsmanship Award**

(Umpires will rate this Award after each game):

- ▶ Respectful of umpires
- ▶ Team players
- ▶ Fairness to all teams
- ▶ Positive attitude and sportsmanship
- ▶ Friendly to other teams and umpires
- ▶ Never gave up, supported their team mates 100%

▶ **Most Valued Player from each team**

(Coaches and managers will nominate this player):

- ▶ This award is for a positive, supportive player on and off the court that is valued in the team



Estimate cost From Sydney

This is an estimate only -subject to prices at time of confirmation

Total Price per package per person	Deposit per person (Due 2 weeks after confirmation)	Pay (Halfway)	Pay 40% of total (Balance due 60 days before travel)
Full itinerary	\$500	\$1250	\$1250

- ▶ Package Price per person - payment plan
- ▶ Based on 25 PLAYERS and 2 OFFICIALS package price

Important Notes:

- ▶ Payments in AUD and in NZD on request (we run INF Australian and INF NZ)
- ▶ All costs are based on 2025 costs and are subject to availability
- ▶ Airport taxes, airline taxes, fuel surcharges are variable and will be confirmed at time of final invoice
- ▶ Quotes are valid for 14 days
- ▶ The price is only guaranteed once the deposit has been paid. Payment is due 14 days from confirmation
- ▶ **Responsibility of all traveller- Require expiry to be more than 6 months on their passports. Check if Visa's are required, or you can't board flights.**
- ▶ Names and dates of births are due upon second payment for insurance purposes
- ▶ Names for ticketing is due two months from travel – check passport details
- ▶ There will be a \$170.00 fee per person for any flight and/or itinerary changes once deposits are paid. Any additional flight costs will be charged
- ▶ If the airline has a schedule change, there will be no fee incurred unless from the airline.
- ▶ If group numbers increase or flights are split, there will be an additional fee from the airline, which will be charged accordingly
- ▶ Independent return flights can be split out of the group. An additional fee of \$150.00 per person plus any increase in flight costs will be charged, if any
- ▶ Rental vehicles quotes are based on drivers 25 years or older – please contact us regarding drivers under 25 years of age
- ▶ The price is only guaranteed once the deposit has been paid
- ▶ **Extra luggage for sporting equipment can be added to the package - prices vary- please ask for quote**

Accommodation: Northern Gold Coast



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Flight Details



- ▶ 23kg luggage
- ▶ 7kg carry on (strict allowances)
- ▶ Buy or bring meals on board, as required
- ▶ Groups meet at the airport (2.5 to 3 hours) before departure for **international flights**. Check in is 1.5 hours for **domestic flights** as it takes longer to process check in for groups

What's not included

- Fuel for rental vans/cars
- Under 25 year old driver surcharges
- Food for meals other than mentioned in itinerary
- Spending of a personal nature
- Other meals and excursions can be added
- Extra bags for sports gear - can be added



Your Next Steps

Please see our website for more detailed information and links:

<https://www.internationalnetballfestivals.com/inf-manager-information>

Here's an overview of the next steps.

1. **REGISTER YOUR GROUP**
2. **REGISTER YOUR TEAMS**
Upon registration of your group, you will be sent an email with a link to your Group Information List to submit with the details of your teams, players and officials.
3. **PASSPORTS (FOR INTERNATIONAL TRAVELLING TEAMS)** - photocopies need to be handed to teachers/leaders to check spelling of names and expiry date. We are required to advise that the expiry date on your passport must be **SIX MONTHS past the date you will be returning into your country** (we will send you a spreadsheet from your airline to fill in)
4. **INSURANCE Information** - required in case of injury before you travel or if someone in your group cannot travel
(Please advise any pre-existing medical conditions on your Group Information List)
Once we have your information, we will set up your insurance and send your Group Policy.
5. **60-90 DAYS BEFORE TRAVEL** (we will send you forms and reminders for the below)
 1. **Please complete and return the spreadsheet received upon registration with:**
 1. Polo and Singlet Size
 2. Special Meal Requests
 3. Pre-existing medical conditions
 2. **Airline Names List for ticketing** (we will send you a spreadsheet to complete)
6. **3-4 WEEKS BEFORE TRAVEL**
We will send you by email:
 - Final itineraries with address, times, any updates on flights (if required)
 - E-tickets
 - Information for pick up details for rental mini buses
 - **Please send us by email:**
 - Bedding configuration
 - Names of drivers and photocopies of drivers' licences

WE ARE A GREEN COMPANY - PLEASE PRINT ONLY WHAT YOU NEED



International Netball Festival Cancellation Policy

- All change of mind and medical cancellations must be made in writing via email to INF.
- **If a person has to cancel due to medical reasons or immediate family medical reasons, please contact the insurance supplier **directly** for information on making a claim.**
- The best option is to replace the person to avoid any loss of monies.
- If airline tickets have been issued the minimum cost is approx. \$170 for a change of name on the ticket.
- The cancellation policy is based on your tour cost, less the below:
 - Deposits are non-refundable
 - 14 weeks from travel
less 30% of tour cost paid per travelling person- subject to numbers that are reduced
 - 10 weeks from travel
less 50% of tour cost paid per travelling person
 - 6 weeks from travel
less 75% of tour cost paid per travelling person
 - 4 weeks from travel
Sorry, no refunds

Cancellation Terms & Conditions

For cancellation that is voluntary (change of mind), Terms and Conditions apply as per our Cancellation Policy above.

Merchandise is non-refundable and a credit is unavailable.

On the postponement or cancellation of a tour due to occurrences outside INF control a group credit (if any) may be put towards an alternative tour with an expiry date (subject to airline and suppliers policies).

If a travel credit is issued by will be automatically applied to your booking. (Flights and other tour costs may be subject to change due to availability and cost at the time of booking) If any credit. They sit with the airline and the suppliers. INF can assist you in rebooking using that credit, in accordance with that airline or supplier's credit and booking Terms and Conditions when you are ready to travel.

Travel Insurance will need to be re-issued at the time of booking (a new premium cost payment will be required).

• Please note that supplier cancellation terms and fees may differ.



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Contacts

24 Hour Assistance available whilst on tour

- ▶ Monique Witsenburg(Tour Coordinator)
email: info@internationalnetballfestival.com

phone: Australia: +61 0416 066 310

Fields

Runaway Bay

Medical Services

*****DIAL 000 FOR EMERGENCIES*****

Gold Coast University Hospital

Telephone: 1300 744 284

1 Hospital Boulevard, Southport QLD 4215



Michelle, Nick, Jane , Sue-Ann



Local Services

Shopping

Harbour Town Outlet Shopping Centre

(includes Woolworths & Restaurants)

Corner Gold Coast Highway & Oxley Drive, Biggera Waters

www.harbourtown.com.au

Australia Fair Shopping Centre

Marine Parade, Southport

Pacific Fair Shopping Centre

(includes Woolworths & Coles)

Hooker Blvd, Broadbeach

www.pacificfair.com.au

Robina Shopping Centre

(includes Artvo and Cinemas)

Robina Town Centre

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Telephone: 1300 744 284

Runaway Medical & Dental Centre - Open Monday to Friday

144A BAYVIEW STREET, Runaway Bay 07 56274011

bulkbillingrunawaybay.com.au

Bayview Clinic - Open Monday to Friday and Saturday mornings

51 Bayview St, Runaway Bay (07) 5537 3860

GP services, health check ups and minor surgeries with Bulk Billing medical services



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AND AN EXPERIENCE TO SHARE
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See you there!