# Summary of Bingham Cup 2020 Tournament Eligibility Requirements

# Summary for inclusion on website registration page

**(See full Eligibility Requirements for the details)**

## Bingham Cup: Player, Team and Club Registration and Eligibility Requirements

To avoid any doubt, a player may have any sexual orientation; in other words, IGR does not restrict participation based on a player’s sexual orientation, whether gay, lesbian, straight or otherwise.

### Men’s Tournament

#### Male Players:

* Must be in good standing with the local union of their registered club
* Must be registered with and support the mission of their IGR registered club
* Must have a demonstrable affiliation with their IGR registered club. Demonstrable affiliation is satisfied if:
  + the player has played the prescribed number of matches for their club within 24 months prior to Bingham Cup registration closing. Prescribe number of matches:
    - For teams competing in the Bingham Cup tier: 3 matches
    - For teams competing in all other tiers: 1 match
  + their club is able to demonstration affiliation to the Tournament Liaison Committee (**TLC)** in accordance with the Bingham Cup rules.
* May only play with one team for the duration of the tournament unless a transfer to another is approved by the Tournament Competition Committee (**TCC**).
* Who are unaffiliated with an IGR club but are registered with their local union, may register for the tournament and will be allocated to a team by the TCC.

#### Male Teams:

* Cannot register or play with more 25 players for the duration of the tournament
* Can only use players:
  + Registered with them or;
  + Allocated to them by the TCC during the tournament.
* Every effort will be made by the Tournament Liaison Committee / BCOC to:
  + ensure that each team has 19/20 players at the start of the tournament; and
  + allocate team players if they have less than 15 healthy players.

#### Male Clubs:

* Must be a registered members of IGR
* With teams with more than 25 players can their nominate additional players to be reallocated to other teams.
* Can combine teams with other IGR Clubs to form a composite team, subject to approval of the TCC/TLC
* Must complete and provide:
  + Preliminary team rosters by **July 15th 2020**
  + Final teams roster by **July 29th 2020**
* Must be able to provide:
  + Player government issued ID
  + Relevant confirmation of registration with their home union
  + Evidence to prove each player’s demonstrable affiliation.

### Women’s Tournament

#### Female Players:

* Must be in good standing with their local union
* Must support the mission of IGR registered
* May only play with one team for the duration of the tournament unless a transfer to another is approved by the Tournament Competition Committee (TCC).

#### Female Teams:

* Cannot register or play with more 25 players for the duration of the tournament
* Can only use players:
  + Registered with them or;
  + Allocated to them by the TLC or TCC
* Every effort will be made by the Tournament Liaison Committee / BCOC to:
  + ensure that each team has 19/20 players at the start of the tournament; and allocate team players if they have less than 15 healthy players

#### Female Clubs:

* With teams with more than 25 players can nominate their additional players to be reallocated to other teams.
* Can combine teams to form a composite team, subject to approval of the TCC/TLC
* Must complete and provide:
  + Preliminary team rosters by **July 15th 2020**
  + Final teams roster by **July 29th 2020**
* Must be able to provide:
  + Player government issued ID
  + Relevant confirmation of registration with their home union

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