



## Memorandum

**TO:** THE INTERNATIONAL TOUCH FOOTBALL COMMUNITY  
**FROM:** TOUCH FOOTBALL AUSTRALIA (HOST NATION)  
**SUBJECT:** 2015 FIT TOUCH WORLD CUP MEMO  
**DATE:** 3 OCTOBER 2014



FEDERATION  
OF INTERNATIONAL  
TOUCH

### 2015 TWC Memo: 3 October, 2014

Please find below and enclosed the latest information on the 2015 Federation of International Touch (FIT) Touch World Cup (2015 TWC) to be held at C.ex Coffs International Stadium, Coffs Harbour in just over 200 days' time.

#### Team Nominations

Thank you to those that submitted Teams Nomination Forms for the 2015 TWC. If there are any Member Nations that still wish to nominate, details are available from the 2015 TWC website – [Team Nomination Form](#)

Please find below a summary of official Team Nominations – 84 teams have nominated for the event thus far. If there are any errors or omission, please let me know.

#### **Men's Open – 14 Teams**

Australia, China, England, Fiji, Ireland, Japan, Malaysia, New Zealand, Papua New Guinea, Scotland, Singapore, South Africa, USA and Wales.

#### **Women's Open – 14 Teams**

Australia, China, England, Fiji, Japan, Malaysia, New Zealand, Papua New Guinea, Philippines, Scotland, Singapore, South Africa, USA and Wales.

#### **Mixed Open – 17 Teams**

Australia, Chile, England, Fiji, Germany, Hong Kong, Japan, Jersey, Netherlands, New Zealand, Niue, Papua New Guinea, Scotland, Singapore, South Africa, USA and Wales.

#### **Women's 27's – 5 Teams\***

Australia, England, New Zealand, Papua New Guinea and Scotland.



### Men's 30's – 6 Teams

Australia, England, Fiji, Japan, Papua New Guinea and USA.

### Men's 35's – 6 Teams

Australia, Fiji, Japan, New Zealand, Niue and Papua New Guinea.

### Men's 40's – 10 Teams

Australia, England, Fiji, Japan, New Zealand, Niue, Scotland, Singapore, USA and Wales.

### Men's 50's – 4 Teams\*

Australia, Ireland, Japan and Niue.

### Senior Mixed – 8 Teams

Australia, England, Ireland, Netherlands, New Zealand, Papua New Guinea, Singapore and South Africa.

\* If current team numbers are maintained, all divisions including Women's 27's and Men's 50's will occur at the 2015 TWC. A division must have a minimum of four teams participating to be staged.

### Summary

Please see below a summary of Team Nominations:

Team Numbers (by Division)	
Division	Teams
Men's Open	14
Women's Open	14
Mixed Open	17
Women's 27's	5
Men's 30's	6
Men's 35's	6
Men's 40's	10
Men's 50's	4
Senior Mixed	8
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>84</b>

Team Numbers (by Member Nation)	
Member Nation	Teams
Australia	9
Austria	0
Belgium	0
Chile	1
China	2
England	7
Fiji	6



Germany	1
Guernsey	0
Hong Kong	1
Hungary	0
Ireland	3
Japan	7
Jersey	1
Malaysia	2
Netherlands	2
New Zealand	7
Niue	4
Papua New Guinea	7
Philippines	1
Scotland	5
Singapore	5
South Africa	4
Spain	0
Switzerland	0
United States of America	5
Wales	4
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>84</b>

#### Invoicing

The total levy is **\$525 AUD** per team and **\$260 AUD** per individual inclusive of local taxation requirements.

All nations must ensure transaction fee costs are covered. Any short payment due to banking requirements will not result in the nation being financial with respect to participation.

The Host Nation will send out Team Fee invoices in due course. The Teams Fee Breakdown is as follows:

- **Host Nation Component – Is set at \$425 (GST inclusive) per team**
- **FIT Component – Is set at \$100 (GST exclusive) per team**
- **50% is due by 30 September, 2014 (Tuesday)**
- **Remaining 50% is due by 30 November, 2014 (Sunday)**
- Team fees are non-refundable.
- External circumstances may result in a refund such as 2015 TWC division is cancelled due to lack of team nominations.
- Team nominations will only be accepted if Member Nations are financial with FIT.
- Separate invoicing will be distributed by both parties upon entry.
- Alternate arrangements will only be considered in exceptional circumstances.



### Important Dates Reminder

Important dates in relation to the event are listed below:

Date	Item	Potential Sanction
30 September, 2014 (Tuesday)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Team Nomination Forms due</li> </ul>	
30 September, 2014 (Tuesday)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Host Nation Team Fees Deposit Due (50%)</li> <li>FIT Team Fees Deposit Due (50%)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>\$100 late payment fee may apply</li> </ul>
30 November, 2014 (Sunday)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Host Nation Team Fees Deposit Due (50%)</li> <li>FIT Remaining Team Fees Due (50%)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>\$100 late payment fee may apply</li> </ul>
29 December, 2014 (Monday)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Member Nation Selection Policy Due</li> <li>Player Clearance / Second Representation Application Forms Due</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Individuals may not be able to compete if forms are not lodged prior</li> </ul>
31 December, 2014 (Wednesday)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Additional Participants To Be Notified</li> </ul>	
29 January, 2014 (Monday)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Eligibility Exemption Application Forms Due</li> <li>Uniform Compliance Test</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Individuals may not be able to compete if forms are not lodged prior</li> </ul>
31 January, 2015 (Saturday)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Host Nation Individual Fees Due</li> <li>FIT Individual Fees Due</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Late payment fees may apply</li> </ul>
31 March, 2015 (Tuesday)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Online Registration Information Due</li> </ul>	
28 April, 2015 (Tuesday)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Tournament Briefing</li> </ul>	
29 April – 3 May, 2015 (Wednesday – Sunday)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>2015 FIT Touch World Cup conducted</li> </ul>	

### Other

If there is anything we can do to assist you getting teams to the Touch World Cup, do not hesitate to contact Touch Football Australia.

For the latest news and information please visit the tournament website <http://www.touchworldcup.com/>