International Youth Soccer Tournament

DANA CUP 2014

21 - 26 JULY · HJØRRING · DENMARK
Dana Cup Hjørring.
Every year, the last week in July.
Come and join us!
Come and meet the rest of the world

Challenges in sport. Social experiences. Cultural enrichment. Dana Cup has it all.

Over the years more than half a million participants from more than 100 nations have made Dana Cup well known all around the world. Denmark’s largest sporting event and one of the largest youth soccer tournaments is a well oiled organization that looks forward to welcoming you and your team here to Hjørring.

Dana Cup has a unique international atmosphere and at the same time takes place in a secure area, one of the most beautiful in Denmark.

From the moment that you arrive with the ferry, plane or train and until you depart again, Dana Cup’s special transport system assists you easily and on time.

Challenges and experiences in a unique setting.

That is the Dana Cup.
More than 21,000 TEAMS and 3,800 CLUBS
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More than 53,000 GAMES
Challenges

Dana Cup is all about soccer. It is a tournament where teams from all around the world can match themselves against other teams of the same age and where the battle for the trophies gives the Dana Cup week its pulse and energy.

Stars from international soccer have participated in the Dana Cup before their names became known all around the world. Like Zé Roberto from the Brazilian national team. Or Denmark’s Brian Laudrup and Peter Schmeichel – European Champions from 1992.

Every year Dana Cup can present some of the most famous youth clubs from around the world. For example Pequeninos do Jockey from São Paulo in Brazil, Chivas Guadalajara, Cruz Azul from Mexico or Ipswich Town FC from England.

At the Dana Cup, exotic teams from the other side of the world meet teams from all over Europe, from the Ural Mountains to the Atlantic Ocean, from the North Cape to the Mediterranean.

All teams are placed in groups with an international mixture.

Dana Cup uses more than 50 fantastic grassed soccer fields, so the tournament can be played at the highest level. An experienced group of referees make sure the tournament is played in a correct and fair manner.

More than 800 teams participate each year at the Dana Cup. When more than 2,000 games are played, 60 teams have made it to the A and B finals.

Regardless of level each team in the Dana Cup is certain of playing a minimum of 4 games and they have the opportunity to test themselves in international competition.

These are the challenges of the Dana Cup.
More than 15,000 BOYS
and 5,000 GIRLS
Experiences

More than 20,000 participants gather for 1 week in a town with a normal population of 25,000. This is what creates that totally special Dana Cup atmosphere. An international pulse beating in a secure environment.

Already from Dana Cup’s opening the feeling starts. Thousands of participants march into Hjørring Stadium where they are met by thousands of locals before the start of a huge rock concert, something special for the young participants.

The social interaction with young people from all around the world and the many soccer games are intense experiences but there is also time for some breaks.

- They can be taken in the Dana Cup event area where we present the latest electronic gaming machines and different activities which are supplemented with a traditional fun park.
- Close to the event area you will find Adidas with their huge and inspirational sales tent. Here you will find everything a soccer heart desires.
- Within a comfortable walking distance you will find the city of Hjørring with a large variety of shops and restaurants.
- 1 hour by bus or car you will find Fårup Sommerland a huge family fun park.
- In your own car or with Nordjyske Railways you can travel directly to the Nordseøn Oceanarium in Hirtshals. In Northern Europe’s largest saltwater aquarium you can experience close at hand the sun fish, different fish from the North Sea and the friendly seals.
- And don’t forget the North Jutland beaches. They are among the most beautiful, white sandy beaches you will find anywhere in the World and the ocean offers a refreshing dip.

For many participants it is an attraction alone to visit Denmark, one of the world’s most peaceful nations with a long history and at the same time a dynamic and relaxed present day.

These are the experiences of the Dana Cup.
TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE

The tournament will start with a collective march into Hjørring Stadium on Monday the 21st of July at 7.30 pm.

FIRST ROUNDS - TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY
The teams are divided into groups of 4 or possibly 5 teams for an all-play-all tournament.

SECOND ROUNDS - THURSDAY, FRIDAY AND SATURDAY
The second round will operate on a knock out basis. The first and second ranked teams from the first rounds will play in the second round A, while the remaining teams will play in the second round B.

FINALS
Finals in the 7-a-side classes will be played on Friday, as well as the A finals in classes B 17, G 19, G 17 and G 13. All other finals will be played on Saturday.

AGE LIMITS 2014

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AGE REQUIREMENTS ETC

Among a team’s players there can be 3, who are 1 year above the stipulated age limit, (in 7-a-side classes 1 player). Any player with the correct age limit can participate on two teams from the same club. The two teams must not be in the same class. Any girls can participate in classes for boys as long as they are the correct age. Participants must be able to show valid identification.

SUBSTITUTES
Each team can maximum use 5 substitutes per game in the 11-a-side classes. In the 7-a-side classes you can use as many substitutes as you wish. All players can be substituted out and in again, free substitution.

PLAYING PERIODS

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Games are played daily from 7,30 am to 9.30 pm.

PRIZES
• Certificates for all participants.
• Colour photo of each team (1 per team).
• Plaque for each group winner (1 per team).
• Trophy and medals to teams in the A semi-finals and finals.
• Trophy to teams in the B finals.
• A special prize for the best player in each A final.
• A special trophy for the best visiting club.
• Trophy to the nominated Fair play teams (1 girl and 1 boy’s team).

TRANSPORT
Free transport to and from your accommodation for Dana Cup participants paying the (A and B-bands) and arriving and departing with the
• ferry in Frederikshavn, Hirtshals or Grenaa
• plane in Aalborg or Aarhus
• train in Hjørring

This free transport in regards to your arrival and departure can be ordered by your club. You can make your order via your club login page and by the latest date the 1st of July, 2014.

It is also possible to order bus transport on arrival and departure if you use Billund, Esbjerg, Copenhagen, Hamburg etc. Contact soccer@danacup.dk for further information or to make a booking.

During the tournament there are free Dana Cup buses running between the schools, centre area (Vendiahallen) and the playing fields.
CAR HIRE
Dana Cup is working together with Brdr. Møll Car Hire.

Cars can be hired by ringing to +45 98 92 40 88 or by e-mail to abm038@smc.dk

ACCOMMODATION ETC

Accommodation is in schools.
Participants must bring their own mattresses and sleeping bags.
It is possible to rent a mattress or bed through the Dana Cup.
It doesn’t cost any extra to arrive a day early to the school or depart a
day later.
We can also assist with upgrades from the school accommodation (A and
B-bands) to hotels etc.

MEALS

All teams eat breakfast on their own school and then lunch and dinner
in one of the dining halls at the Dana Cup center. Teams arriving early or
deporting a day later can order extra meals on their school.

LEADER MEETING

Every club that is accommodated by the Dana Cup (A-band) will receive 2
invitations that give entrance to a huge leader meeting on Tuesday night
where we hand out the Dana Cup leader t-shirt.
The leader meeting takes place in the Vendiahalen in the Dana Cup center
area. At this evening you will be able to have fun with other leaders and
coaches who have travelled to the Dana Cup from every corner of the world.
There is a wonderful dinner served, which is made from fresh products
healthy salads and a beautiful dessert. A well tuned band will entertain
throughout the evening. The leader meeting is an unforgettable memory
for everyone.

ACCOMPANYING PARENTS OR SUPPORTERS

Visiting parents and relatives are increasing their attendance at the Dana
Cup all the time. This family getaway has become an annual event and a
good tradition. Dana Cup can offer fantastic assistance to parents and rela-
tives. We can offer accommodation in hotels, youth hostels etc.
For further information take a look at our website or order our travel bro-
chure at soccer@danacup.dk

START AND PARTICIPATION FEES

Each team will pay a start fee, which is binding.
Each player, trainer and leader will pay a participant fee.
Your entry form and start fee must reach Dana Cup by the latest date
the 1st of May, 2014.
The participation fee must reach Dana Cup by the latest date the
25th of May, 2014.

A-BAND INCLUDES

• Participation in the Dana Cup.
• Full board (3 meals a day) from Monday evening to Saturday lunch.
• Accommodation in a school.
• Free transport on Dana Cup’s bus system.
• Free admission to swimming.
• Free admission to Hjørring’s museums.
• Free admission to the Dana Cup event area.
• Free admission to Dana Cup’s discotheque.
• Discount to Fårup Summerland.
• Discount to North Sea Oceanarium.

B-BAND INCLUDES

• The same as the A-band, without lunch and dinner.

C-BAND INCLUDES

• The same as the A-band, without accommodation in a school.

D-BAND INCLUDES

• The same as the A-band, without full board and accommodation in a
school.

REGISTRATION

To register for the tournament, you just need to fill in an entry form on our
website www.danacup.com
If you have any questions, please do not
hesitate to contact us by e-mail or telephone.

We look forward to seeing you here
at the Dana Cup Hjørring 2014.
Destination

HJØRRING
DENMARK

Free Pick Up
Transportation can be arranged

International Youth Soccer Tournament in Denmark since 1982

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