



1ST EDITION – U15 FOOTBALL TOURNAMENT

“LES BAMBINS INTEGRES”



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From
30 June
to
07 July
2023



8 Teams (u-15)

2 Groups (u-15)

1 WINNER

Strengthening Youth Values through Sports

Engaging under 15 year old football students in a football competition and sensitization campaign on corruption and other anti-values in Yaoundé.



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CAMPEACI

The Cameroon Centre for Peace Research and Initiative

En Collaboration avec: **A.S OXYGENE**



Presente:

La Première Édition du Tournoi de
Football Jeunes - Catégorie U15

《Les Bambin》

01 au 08
Julliet
2023



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Cameroon Centre for Peace Research and Initiative
By No Change No Peace No Hope

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"The time is always right to do what is right."
- "Le moment est toujours venu de faire ce
qui est juste." - Martin Luther King jr. -

"Keep true, never be ashamed of doing right,
decide on what you think is right and stick to it."

— George Eliot

"Restez fidèle, n'ayez jamais honte de bien faire,
décidez de ce que vous pensez être juste et
respectez-le." — Georges Eliot

#ichooseIntegrity



Thème: Intégrité en milieu jeune: Renforcer les
valeurs des jeunes à travers le Football.



Reglement Interieur

I – INTRODUCTION

Cette feuille de route nous servira de guidera tout au long du tournoi elle va s'accentuer sur quelques aspects et le reste aura pour référence sur les lois du football. Et chaque équipe après son engagement recevra un jeu de maillots aux couleurs de son équipe offert par le comité d'organisation qu'elle utilisera durant le tournoi et qu'elles garderont à la fin du tournoi

I – Nombre des équipes invitées pour le tournoi huit

- Nombre de joueurs par équipe quinze
- Durée du match 25 mn x 2 avec une pose de 5mn

II – SANCTIONS

- Retard de plus de 5 minutes: **500 FCFA**
- Retard de plus de 20 minutes non avise: ***l'Equipe perd le match par forfait***
- Absence d'une équipe: ***Elle perd le match par forfait***
- Carton jaune: **500 FCFA**
- Carton rouge: **2000 FCFA**
- Bagarre: ***Radiation du joueur du tournoi***
- Tenue non conforme: **1000FCFA par joueur**
- Frais d'arbitrage : **2000 FCFA/ équipe et par match**

III – DEROULEMENT DU TOURNOI

- Le tournoi se déroulera avec huit équipes réparties en deux sous poules de quatre ;
- Les deux premiers de chaque sous poules joueront les demi-finales croisées ;
- En cas de match nul au terme du jeu les deux équipes passeront directement a l'épreuve des tirs aux buts ;
- Tous les matchs seront dirigés par un trois arbitres ;

IV – RECOMPENSES

- Les trois meilleurs élèves du tournoi
- Le gagnant
- Le meilleur perdant
- Le meilleur buteur
- L'homme du match

Fait à Yaoundé le 03 Juin, 2023

Le comité d'organisation



Organization Committee

President of Organization Committee

Secretary General: *Nzelle Joyce*

Sub-Commission in charge of resource mobilization

President: *ESAPA Cyrile/ Etoga Messi Norbert Guy*

Sub-Commission in charge of Marketing

President: *Sone Riggs*

Sub-Commission -Protocol

President: *Ebong Vanessa*

Sub-Commission of Security

Presidents: *Odza Police*

Sub-Commission of Health

President: *Jean Claude Bebene*

Sub-Commission of restoration

President: *Ngalle Vanessa*

Technical Commission

President: *Niba Bridget*



Background

Today, Cameroonian youths face diverse challenges; from rising juvenile delinquency to falling moral and ethical standards of adults in various aspects of public life. All these provide wrong models for children to grow up within high moral standards necessary to build responsible and corruption-free societies when they grow up. According to Transparency International's *Corruption Perception Index (CPI)* of 2021 on Cameroon, which stands at **144th least corrupt nation out of 180 countries**, there is an urgent need to accelerate the fight against corruption and other anti-values if we are to attain our shared vision of emergence by 2035. To imagine that this ranking is Cameroon's best fit over the past five years suggests that much effort to fight these vices is required.

It is in this regard that CAMPEACI in collaboration with Transparency International Cameroon (TI-C) intend to engage under fifteen year old youths during the summer holidays in a football competition and sensitization campaign that will address key cross sectional issues affecting them. It is no news that Cameroon is a prominent football nation not only in Africa but the world at large, and this, owing to the passion of most Cameroonians to the sport. Football is a major crowd pulling event that brings together people of different races, culture, religion, age, ethnicity and gender and is used from education to health, politics and justice for varied purposes. With the possibility of this tournament bringing together about people, this will serve as a perfect platform to raise awareness and sensitize the youths on the importance of moral values, fight against corruption, vices and other anti-values.

The UN 2250 Resolution which was adopted by the United Nations Security Council (UNSC) in December 2015 highlights the role of youths in Peace Building. Accordingly, this initiative which had received admiration and blessings from the FECAFOOT President of the Mfoundi Division is looking to get Cameroonian youths to meaningfully **participate** in building peaceful, just, equitable and prosperous communities for the present and future generations through football.

A Word from the Secretary General



I would like to appreciate the efforts of all the committee members who worked tirelessly to see this first edition of “Les Bambins” be a success.

It was a thrilling experience from beginning to the end, seeing the youngsters putting in their all to see that they not only win, but win with integrity. Not forgetting the massive turnout which gave more color to the tournament and which also provided a bigger audience for the sensitization messages or exchanges on the fight against corruption and juvenile delinquency.

All participating teams were amazing, it isn't one team that won during this tournament, rather it was fair play, youth Integrity, peace, social cohesion and living together.

Special thanks go to the Coordinator and Co-Founder of CAMPEACI for her unwavering commitment to the

empowerment and development of young people; the coaches of the various participating football academies; the founder of A.S Oxygene in the person of Mr. Etoga Messi, Transparency International Cameroon, TANTY, Eco-Outlook, Lux Armiger Dance Group, VANIKS Smoothies Bar and Radio Fondation Onguene who made this event not only a memorable one but also an impactful one for the youths.

Stay tuned, Coming up: 2nd Edition in July 2024.

Together we can build a better tomorrow through Youth Empowerment and Development.

Long Live Youth Development Initiatives

Long Live Integrity amongst Youths

Long Live Cameroonian youths

**Miss Nzelle Joyce – Secretary General, Organizing Committee/
CAMPEACI Associate Coordinator**

A Word from A.S Oxygene Founder



Speaking of the first edition of the football tournament “Les Bambin Integre” which was well played from June 30th – July 8th 2023, saw seven other academies invited and who all took part; which was therefore already a first success in terms of participation.

The second success was on our objective which was to bring together young U15 talents and have them play for 10 days in the spirit of living together that our Partner, CAMPEACI highly advocates for and also take advantage of this opportunity to inculcate in the youths important and essential values of life which was well done by our partner and

official sponsor of the tournament – CAMPEACI.

It wasn't all easy, nor was it perfect but we thank and encourage everyone's efforts in making this program a memorable and impactful one. We give thanks to God who allowed everything to happen in calm and peace. We implore a lot of grace, and remain optimistic that the second edition in July 2024 will be much better.

Mr. Etoga Messi Norbert – A.S OXYGENE President

Objectives of the Tournament

General objective

- To instill the spirit of integrity and moral values in the youths.

Specific objectives

- To sensitize the youths on the importance of ethical/moral values
- To promote the fight against corrupt practices and other anti-values.
- To encourage the spirit of positive competition amongst youths.



Sensitization campaign on corruption and other anti-values by organizing committee on Radio Fondation Onguene (RFO) before, during and after the tournament

As a buildup to this highly anticipated program, the organizing committee engaged the population of Yaounde and its environs on a sensitization campaign on the ills of corruption and other anti-values in society and the need for joint actions in eradicating this phenomenon from our society. This activity equally aimed at mobilizing and raising awareness for the effective participation of youth (who were the principal target) during the program. The competition which involved eight (8) teams divided into two groups kick-started on June, 30th 2023 with the opening matches played at the “Centre Technique FECAFOOT d’Odza”. Teams in



attendance included: AS Oxygene, AS Fortuna, TAD Sports Academy, Puissance Academy, Hurbelo, Apejes de Mfou, Academie Fabrice Ondoa, and Olympic de Meyo. The opening match saw A.S Oxygene face Olympique de Meyo on a two – two parity. Worth noting during the tournament is the spirit of fair play displayed by the players: resulting in no major incident/accident throughout the tournament.



Above the football jamboree, most important was the sensitization messages given by the Cameroon Centre for Peace Research and Initiative – CAMPEACI, on issues such as corruption, drug abuse amongst youths, violence, immorality and the need for integrity. During the exchanges with the youths, the need for hard work and discipline was often stressed as a necessary ingredient for success in their personal and professional lives.



The Grand Final

The final game was played by Apejes de Mfou against TAD Sports Academy on July, 8th 2023 at the Stade Amougou Noma – Messamendogo, in Yaoundé with Apejes de Mfou carrying the day and becoming Champions of the first edition of the tournament.



Figure 1: APEJES, Winners of 1st Edition; TAD Academy, runners-up, TANTY awards Prizes to MVP and Highest Goal Scorer of the tournament

The second edition of this tournament will hold in July 2024. This time, the number of teams will increase as we envisage in extending our tentacles all through the Centre Region with anti-value and anti-corruption messages.

Theory of Change

The theory of change that guides this campaign is based on the conviction that if children are exposed to the right information at an early age; if they are made to understand the gravity and



Figure 2: Youths Showcasing Anti-corruption messages

negative consequences of corruption and other anti-values to their personal life and the country at large, they would be better armed in fighting these ills that plaque our societies today.

While many have erroneously believed that the battle against corruption and other anti-values should be limited to the working class, both private and public



Figure 3: Youth Exchange Session with Coach

sectors, CAMPEACI strongly believes that if children are trained with the right values, when they grow up they will practice them.

In view of becoming an emergent nation by 2035, we need to today work towards a sustainable change the mindset of the youth. This sustainable change in mindset will save the millions of dollars that are disappearing through corrupt practices. This will fuel job creation, creation of schools, end hunger, debilitating poverty, provision of social amenities, and go a long way to clean up Cameroon’s image at the National and International levels.

A Word from TAD Academy Youth Coach



Figure 4: Kenfack Branly: TAD Academy

The First Edition of the tournament, “Les Bambin” was just mind blowing. To imagine that this was the first Edition, with such almost perfect organization: from the opening to the closing ceremony of the tournament - I knew I was in for something big – and I surely wasn’t disappointed. I have no doubt that this tournament (with the course of time) will stand out from all other football tournament in Yaounde and environs. Also, above the football, I loved the spirit of oneness and exchanges organized with the youths in a bid to deepen their understanding on key issues affecting them. Many youths today lack orientation, and hence make wrong choices which at times are irreversible. The exchanges

with the youths I believe will help them make the right choices, not only in their career but their personal lives. Again, I heartily thank the organizers of this tournament ... hopefully, we shall meet again during the second edition.



Tableau de Classement

POULE A							
S/N	EQUIPES	MJ	MG	MN	MP	PTS	DB
01	TAD SPORT	03	01	01	00	07	+6
02	APEJES	03	01	01	00	05	+5
03	AS OXYGENE	03	00	01	01	02	+1
04	OLYMPIC DE MEYO	03	00	01	01	01	-10

POULE B							
S/N	EQUIPES	MJ	MG	MN	MP	PTS	DB
01	AS FORTUNA	03	01	01	00	07	+5
02	ACADEMIE FABRICE ONDOA	03	01	02	00	05	+1
03	PUISSANCE ACADEMIE	03	01	01	00	04	+1
04	HURBELO	03	00	01	01	00	-5

MATCH SCORES			
DAY ONE	AS OXYGENE	02 : 02	OLYMPIC DE MEYO
	AS FORTUNA	04 : 00	HUBERLO FC
	TAD SPORT	01 : 01	APEJES
DAY TWO	PUISSANCE ACADEMIE	01 : 01	ACADEMIE FABRICE O.
	AS OXYGENE	00 : 01	TAD SPORT
	HURBELO	00 : 01	PUISSANCE ACADEMIE
DAY THREE	ACADEMIE FABRICE O.	01 : 01	AS FORTUNA
	APEJES	05 : 00	OLYMPIC DE MEYO
	HURBERLO	00 : 01	ACADEMIE FABRICE O.
DAY FOUR	OLYMPIC DE MEYO	00 : 05	TAD SPORT
	AS OXYGENE	00 : 00	APEJES
	A.S. FORTUNA	01 : 00	PUISSANCE ACADEMIE

DEMI-FINALES			
Thursday 06/07/2023	TAD SPORT	2 : 1	ACADEMIE FABRICE O.
	A.S FORTUNA	1 : 4	APEJES

FINALES			
Saturday 08/07/2023	TAD SPORT	01 : 03	APEJES

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June 30
July 08



2nd Edition: JULY 2024



... the fight continues!