**Rome** University of Fine Arts

## **RUFA ARENA – OFFICIAL REGULATIONS**

### Introduction

The Rome University of Fine Arts (RUFA) has created a soccer field with synthetic grass to practice street soccer at the headquarters of Pastificio Cerere in via degli Ausoni 7a, Rome. The size of the area allows players to play against each other individually or at most two-against-two. Any other forms of participation are expressly prohibited by these regulations. Participants who do not respect the regulations will be considered fully responsible for the damage caused. From this point of view, RUFA reserves the right to initiate legal actions against the offenders to protect its image and facilities.

#### Dimensions

RUFA Arena is a space of  $3.00 \times 8.00$  meters, for a total of 24 m2. The ball used is a type 4 "spherical" ball, with a circumference that is between 62 and 64 centimeters, that weighs between 400 and 440 grams and with a pressure between 0.4 and 0.6 atmospheres (400-600g / cm2). Dropped from 2 meters of hight, it does not exceed 65 centimeters for its first bouce and does not remain below 50 centimeters. RUFA specifies that only the ball that will be supplied by the front office staff of the building when accessing the arena may be used.

### General regulations

• When making the booking it is mandatory to indicate:

1) the name and personal data of each player; 2) start time and end time in which the field will be used, considering that it cannot exceed twenty minutes. At the time of the reservation all players must sign the "Disclaimer form for the use of RUFA Arena Street Soccer" which states, among other things, the acceptance of these regulations, under penalty of not being admitted to the facility. The use of the field can take place exclusively during the opening days and hours of the office.

• RUFA Arena is a space dedicated to sport and sportsmanship. It is the meeting place for those who show interest, pleasure and passion in the amateur street game soccer.

• Participants are expected to behave in an exemplary and correct manner. Each player is responsible for his/her conduct and discipline during the competition.

• Each player wears a shirts of his/her choice. A team's jerseys cannot be of the same color of that of the other team.

• As street soccer is held in limited spaces, the matches can be of two types: 1) Time-based, the winner is whoever has achieved the highest number of goals at the end of the pre-established time 2) golden – goal principle, whoever scores first wins.

• Since the ball is always in play, there are no substitutions. Each individual player can, according to his/her judgment, ask for time - out and choose, if necessary, a possible replacement or simply catch his/her breath. The time - out lasts for a maximum of 60 seconds.

• Since these are one-against-one / two-against-two matches, no referee is required. Being a "soft" sport activity, fouls and tackles of any kind are not allowed. Rome University of Fine Arts is released from any kind of responsibility for any physical and / or psychological consequences resulting from the use of RUFA Arena.

• If a player intentionally throws the ball out of the playing area to break the fence or anything else, he/she is liable for the damage made. The same is applicable also for the other parts of the area.

RUFA management reserve the right not to let in whoever is responsible of conduct that is contrary to the these regulations (even if just on one occasion) or does not comply with the Academy's requirements.

## Validity of the goals

• A team scores a goal when the ball hits the metal surface positioned beyond the goal line. The goal occurred from the ball bouncing on the side is valid. A goal is valid both if the ball is thrown from one's own half of the pitch and from the opponent's half.

# Booking

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the above regulations and having fully understood them, as a RUFA $$ [	] lecturer, [	🗆 student, 🗆
staff member I ask to book RUFA Arena for the day / /	from	to
, for a maximum 20 minutes for each game. With this bookin	ig I accept tl	ne regulations.

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