

DIANI JUNIOR CUP (DJC)

ACCOMMODATION POLICY

1. GENERAL PRINCIPLE

The Diani Junior Cup (DJC) offers flexibility for all participating teams regarding accommodation while also providing curated options to enhance convenience, safety, and overall tournament experience.

2. TEAM AUTONOMY ON ACCOMMODATION

All participating teams are **encouraged to independently source and arrange their own accommodation** within Diani or its surrounding areas.

Diani features **over 1,000 accommodation options**, ranging from budget-friendly to premium facilities. Teams are advised to choose the lodging that best aligns with their needs, preferences, and financial capabilities.

3. OFFICIAL DJC ACCOMMODATION OPTIONS

- DJC has collaborated with selected accommodation providers to present **official tournament accommodation packages**.
- These options are **carefully curated** to ensure:
 - Safety and child protection compliance
 - Proximity to match venues
 - Team-friendly environments
 - Reliable service standards
- All official accommodation options are:
 - Published on the **DJC official website**
 - **Strictly booked through DJC only**

⚠ 4. MANDATORY BOOKING CHANNEL FOR DJC OPTIONS

Any team that opts for **DJC official accommodation must book exclusively through DJC**.

Direct bookings with listed hotels or lodges outside the DJC system are strictly prohibited. Any team found attempting to:

- Bypass DJC booking channels

- Negotiate directly with listed accommodation providers
- Utilize DJC-negotiated rates without going through DJC

will face disqualification and will not be allowed to participate in the tournament.

5. PURPOSE OF DJC ACCOMMODATION STRUCTURE

- The development of DJC accommodation packages has demanded **significant effort, coordination, and investment of resources.**

These arrangements serve a dual purpose:

- To **enhance the overall tournament experience**
- To **generate essential support for local teams**, ensuring inclusivity and broader participation

By booking through DJC, teams contribute directly to the growth and sustainability of grassroots football.

6. VALUE OF DJC PACKAGES

DJC accommodation packages are designed to offer:

- Competitive and transparent pricing
- Structured team logistics
- Quality assurance
- A seamless tournament experience

Teams are strongly encouraged to take advantage of these packages to fully benefit from the DJC ecosystem.

7. TEAM RESPONSIBILITY, SAFETY & LIABILITY

7.1 Independent Accommodation Liability

Teams that choose to arrange their own accommodation do so **entirely at their own risk.**

DJC shall not be liable or responsible for any issues, losses, damages, disputes, injuries, or inconveniences arising from independently arranged accommodation. This includes, but is not limited to:

- Booking disputes
- Safety concerns

- Service quality issues
- Financial losses
- Property damage or theft

7.2 Player Welfare & Supervision

All teams must:

- Ensure **proper supervision of players at all times**
- Appoint **designated officials responsible for player welfare**
- Maintain discipline and respect within accommodation facilities

7.3 Mandatory Disclosure for Non-DJC Accommodation

Teams staying outside DJC-arranged accommodations must:

- Submit **full accommodation details** (name, location, contact) to the organizing committee before arrival
- Ensure the facility meets **basic safety and safeguarding standards**, especially for minors

Failure to comply may lead to disciplinary action or disqualification.

7.4 DJC Support for Accommodation

- DJC remains **available and willing to assist teams in securing accommodation** when needed.

However:

- All such assistance must be conducted **strictly through official DJC channels**
- Arrangements are subject to **agreed terms, conditions, and booking procedures**

Any informal, unofficial, or bypassed arrangements will **not be recognized or supported by DJC**.

7.5 Responsibilities for Teams Using DJC Accommodation

Teams that book accommodation through DJC shall:

- **Honor Payment Obligations**
 - Make all payments **in full and within the agreed timelines** as per the booking agreement.
- **Comply with Accommodation Guidelines**

- o Adhere strictly to all accommodation rules, policies, and instructions from DJC and the hosting facility.
- **Report Damages Immediately**
 - o Promptly report any damages, incidents, or concerns within the accommodation and accept responsibility for any damages caused by their players or officials.
- **Ensure Player Safety and Supervision**
 - o Be **fully responsible for the safety, conduct, and welfare of all players** during their stay and maintain appropriate supervision at all times within the accommodation premises.

Failure to comply with the above may result in:

- Financial penalties
- Liability for damages
- Disciplinary action or disqualification from the tournament

8. FINAL AUTHORITY

The DJC Organizing Committee reserves the right to:

- Verify accommodation arrangements
- Enforce compliance with this policy
- Take necessary disciplinary action in cases of violation