



BASAURI
BIZKAIA
Handball Cup
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INTRODUCTION

The Atlético Basauri Balonmano and the Bizkaia Handball Federation are pleased to introduce the first edition of the Easter tournament **BASAURI BIZKAIA HANDBALL CUP 2019**, which will take place on **18, 19, 20, and 21 April 2019** in Basauri, Bizkaia.

This tournament is a good bet for quality handball, as well as a meeting place for people who enjoy our sport. It can also be very helpful to prepare for the last stage of the different competitions of each club.

It is a tournament for national and international teams that, together with their families, want to discover all the tourist attractions that Biscay and the city of Bilbao have to offer: San Juan de Gaztelugatxe, the spectacular Guggenheim Museum, the Vizcaya Bridge, the Old Town of Bilbao, its picturesque coastal towns and our exquisite gastronomy, among other wonders.

THE TOURNAMENT

The tournament is open to boys' and girls' teams of the following categories: infantile, cadet and juvenile. Two schools in our town will provide lodging for the athletes. The sports halls are located in Basauri (Artunduaga and Urbi) and in the neighboring towns of Etxebarri (2 km) and Galdakao (5 km).

The competition system will be as follows: groups of four teams will be formed and the competition formula will be a one round league. Each of the games will be divided in two halves of 20 minutes each and a 5 minute break (with one time out in each game).



The first 2 teams of each group qualify for the semifinals. The 1st and the 2nd will play against each other to decide the 1st to 4th places. The 3rd and the 4th teams of each group will play against each other to fight for the 4th to 8th places.

The winners of these games will play against each other to decide the 5th and 6th places, and the losers will play against each other to fight for the 7th and 8th places.

The finals will be divided in two halves of 25 minutes each and a 5 minute break. Teams receive one time out in each of the halves. In case of a draw, a 5 minute overtime will be played. In the event that there is still a draw, 3 penalty throws will be given to each team until the tie is broken.

Physiotherapy services will be provided to all the athletes that require it in the Artunduaga sports hall.



PRICE

ENTRY FEE

The entry fee for the teams accommodated in the facilities provided by the tournament will be **80€ per team**. If more than 3 teams of the same club take part, the rest of the teams of that club will not have to pay an entry fee. Furthermore, the clubs with more than 3 participating teams will have a 10 % discount in the total amount of lodging.

The entry fee for teams that arrange their own accommodation will be **200€ per team**. Each team will have to pay a **100€ deposit** with a maximum of **300€ per club**.

SCHOOL PACK: 125€

Full board accommodation during the 4 days that the tournament lasts in classrooms of one of the schools in our town. It includes:

- Participation in the tournament.
- Liability insurance.
- Bus services for trips to the games played in the sports halls out of Basauri.
- Gifts

BILBAO HOSTEL PACK: 210€

Hostel located 10 km away from Basauri and close to the center of Bilbao.

Full board accommodation (breakfast and dinner at the hostel, lunch with the rest of the teams in Basauri) during the 4 days that the tournament lasts, in the Bilbao Good Hostel. It includes:

- Participation in the tournament.
- Liability insurance.
- Bus services for trips to the games played in the sports halls out of Basauri.
- Gifts

We guarantee that all teams will play a minimum of 5 matches in the competition. During the games, water bottles will be provided to all the teams. Free transport service throughout the event from Urbi and Artunduaga sports halls. The organization will arrange in advance the routes and timetables for the trips to the games played out of Basauri.

Each club must have its own medical insurance for all the people that take part in the tournament.

OUR TOWN, BASAURI

Basauri is an essentially industrial town located in the metropolitan region of the Greater Bilbao, in the historical territory of Biscay, which belongs to the Basque



Country. It has 42000 inhabitants and an extension of 7,16 km². It is located on both sides of the Nervión river and the lower valley of the Nervión and Ibaizabal rivers.

Regarding the artistic heritage of the town, the tower house of Ariz and the chapel of San Fausto de Ariz, historically tied to the tower, are the main symbols of Basauri. The beautiful parish of San Miguel, which dates back to the 16th century, and the chapel of San Miguel de Finaga are two other characteristic buildings.

Another remarkable spot in Basauri is the Soloarte park, which has open air works of art by one of the illustrious sons of the town – the sculptor Agustín Ibarrola. Bizko-txalde, another park in Basauri, is the biggest urban park in Biscay.

COMMUNICATIONS

The fact that Basauri is 4 km away from Bilbao has led to a good transportation system that enables us to reach the provincial capital through the A 8 highway and through the Bilbao Orduña road, by the south, and through the Bilbao Galdácano N 634 road, by the north. The Line 2 of Metro Bilbao (Bilbao's underground) and the railway lines of Renfe and Euskotren make it possible to reach Bilbao's center in 10 minutes. Bilbao's International Airport is located 14 kilometers away, and it is the most important airport on the Cantabrian coast.



OUR CLUB, ATL. BASAURI BALONMANO

The club, under this name, dates back to 1986, although its origins go back to 1978, when the first federated handball team in the town was created.

The current model of the club has been used since 2006, when the Club Balonmano Basauri (female) and the Atl. Basauri Balonmano (masculine) were merged. Both clubs possess more than 25 years of history and a great track record from which we would like to highlight the following: Biscay and Euskadi championships, Spanish sub championship of cadets and juveniles, promotions to the 1st women's division, etc. Furthermore, we have received several prizes such as the Bizkaia Kirolak 2009, given by the Dipu-



tación Foral de Bizkaia (Biscay Regional Council). This prize is a result of the high level of the activities organized by the Club, the quality of the management and the sports scores. We also possess two Advanced Management Certificates granted by Euskalit in 2013 and 2015.

At present, we have 600 members, around 160 players in 11 federated teams, 14 teams in every category of the school level, and 200 children between the ages of 6 and 13 who take part in the competition Deporte Escolar (School Sport) that the Diputación Foral de Bizkaia organizes. We also have 40 coaches, 35 team delegates and 14 managers, all of which amounts to a total of 450 people who work together to ensure the continuity of handball as a benchmark sport in our region.



See you!





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