



1st BLACK SEA GAMES
02-08 July 2007 TRABZON



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2. Participating Countries

Following are the countries which confirmed their participation in the First Black Sea Games Football Competitions:

1. Turkey



TUR

2. Albania



ALB

3. Armenia



ARM

4. Azerbaijan



AZE

5. Georgia



GEO

6. Greece



GRE

7. Moldova



MDA

8. Romania



ROU

9. Russia



RUS

10. Ukraine



UKR

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3. Events Calendar, Events and Events Programme

3.1. Events Calendar

Date	Events	Venue
01 July 2007	Arrival of the delegations & Accreditation	Trabzon
01 July 2007	Technical Meeting	The Games Village
02 July 2007	Opening Ceremony	H. Avni Aker Stadium
03 July 2007	Competition 1 st Day	Group Matches
		Giresun
		Rize Trabzon
04 July 2007	Competition 2 nd Day	Group Matches
		Giresun
		Rize Trabzon
05 July 2007	Competition 3 rd Day	Group Matches
		Giresun
		Rize Trabzon
06 July 2007	Competition 4 th Day	Semi Finals
		Giresun Rize
07 July 2007	Competition 5 th Day	Finals
07 July 2007	Closing Ceremony	Trabzon
07 July 2007	Closing Ceremony	H. Avni Aker Stadium
08 July 2007	Departure of Delegations	Trabzon

3.2. Events programme

Date	Group	Time	Teams	Venue
03 July 2007	Group A	16:00	RUSSIA - AZERBAIJAN	GİRESUN
	Group A	18:00	ARMENIA-MOLDOVA	
	Group B	17:00	UKRAINE - ROMANIA	RİZE
	Group C	20:00	TURKEY - GEORGIA	TRABZON
04 July 2007	Group A	16:00	RUSSIA-ARMENIA	GİRESUN
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	Group B	17:00	UKRAINE - GREECE	RİZE
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	Group A	18:00	ARMENIA - AZERBAIJAN	
	Group B	17:00	GREECE - ROMANIA	RİZE
	Group C	19:00	ALBANIA-GEORGIA	TRABZON
06 July 2007		17:00	GROUP B WINNER-GROUP C WINNER	GİRESUN
		19:00	GROUP A WINNER-BEST RUNNER UP	RİZE
07 July 2007		15:00	Semi-final 3.-4.MATCH	Trabzon
		17:30	Final Winners of the semi-final	



4. Competition Rules and Technical Information

FIFA Regulations which have been in force since 01 January 2005 and the Black Sea Games Statute are valid in the Black Sea Games Football matches.

According to the Black Sea Games Statute, Football matches will be played with at least the participation of 4 countries.

Any problem which is not mentioned here shall be dealt with as follows:

- Black Sea Games Statute shall be valid in general issues
- FIFA Regulations and decisions of the Technical Board shall be valid in technical issues

4.1. Participation

Member countries of the Organization of Black Sea Economic Cooperation can participate in the Games.

Athletes born after 01.01.1990 will be able to participate in the Games.

4.3. Competition Management

4.3.1. International Technical Delegate

Matches will be played under the supervision of the Technical Delegate designated by International Federation.

3.2. Technical Board

Turkish Football Federation is responsible for all the technical preparations and arrangement regarding the Football matches in the Games

4.4. Technical Information

4.4.1. Competition System

Three-point system shall be applied in the competition.

10 countries shall play in 3 groups in round robin system.



At the end of the group matches, if 2 or more teams have the same point, in order to make the classification, following conditions will be applied:

1. Point superiority in the matches they play against each other.
2. If the points are equal, goal average in the matches they play against each other.
3. If still the points are equal, highest number of goals scored in the whole group matches.
4. If still there is point and average equality, goal average in all group matches will be taken into consideration.
5. In spite of all these applications if equality continues, final result shall be determined by drawing of lot.

Three group winners and the best second teams shall play the semi final.

In order to determine the best second team, the matches between the winners of the group and second will be considered and following will be applied:

- Best point taken in these matches
- Highest goal average in these matches
- Highest scored goals in these matches
- Drawing of lot

4.4.2. Final and Third Place Matches

After the semi-finals, winners shall play the final match; losers shall play for the third place.

If the normal period of the final match and 3rd place match finish in equality, penalty kicks shall define the winners.

4.4.3. Substitutes

The team shall consist of 18 athletes. 6 substitutes can be changed including the goal-keeper.

4.4.4. Yellow and Red Cards

Yellow cards and penalties will be applied during the Games. The athlete who gets yellow card twice or gets a red card will not be able to play in the next match.

Disciplinary decisions shall be taken by the Technical Board.

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4.4.5. Duration of the Matches

Each match shall be played as 2x40 minutes and the break between each period shall be 15 minutes.

4.5. Drawing of Lots

Drawing of lots took place on 02 May 2007 in İstanbul Olympic House.

GROUP A	GROUP B	GROUP C
1. RUSSIA	1. UKRAINE	1. TURKEY
2. AZERBAIJAN	2. ROMANIA	2. GEORGIA
3. ARMENIA	3. GREECE	3. ALBANIA
4. MOLDOVA		

5. Competition and Training Halls

Football / Competition Hall-1/ Group C & Finals Matches

Place	TRABZON
Name of Competition Hall	H. AVNI AKER STADYUMU
Address	İnönü mah. Trabzonspor Bulvarı TRABZON
Spectators Capacity	19.819
Width	68 M
Length	105 M
Flooring	grass
Lighting	1400 LUX
Distance to The Games Village	7,5 km



Football / Competition Hall-2 / Group A Matches

Place	GİRESUN
Name of Competition Hall	GİRESUN ATATÜRK STADYUMU
Address	Atatürk Bulvarı Sahil Yolu /GİRESUN
Spectators Capacity	14.500
Width	68 M
Length	105 M
Flooring	grass
Lighting	YOK
Distance to The Games Village	130 KM



Football / Competition Hall-3 / Group B Mathces

Place	RİZE
Name of Competition Hall	RİZE A. ŞEHİR STADYUMU
Address	Müftü Mahallesi Atatürk Caddesi RİZE
Spectators Capacity	9800
Width	68 M
Length	105 M
Flooring	grass
Lighting	1400 LUX
Distance to The Games Village	75 KM





6. Composition of the Delegation

6.1. Composition of the Team

Football Teams shall be composed as follows:

- 1 Team Leader
- 3 Coach
- 1 Equipment Carrier
- 18 Players (Boys)

Each participating team is invited to bring one International Referee.

6.2. Extra Delegates

Extra delegates are not allowed in the 1st Black Sea Games.

7. Entries and Technical Meetings

7.1 Entries

Entries to the First Black Sea Games shall be done in four steps as follows:

7.1.1. Pre - entries

First entry forms were received from the related countries on 19 January 2007.

7.1.2. Entries by number

Second entry forms will be received on 09 March 2007.

7.1.3. Entries by number and name (Final entries)

In Final entry forms, the countries shall inform both their numbers and names of the participants by 01 June 2007.

7.1.4. Entry confirmation

Entry confirmation shall be done during the technical meeting of each sport.



7.2. Technical Meetings

The technical meeting for football competitions shall be held on 01 July 2007 in the evening.

For the verification of the ages, passports, identity cards and accreditation cards should be brought to the Technical Meeting.

Teams should bring their players' uniform (2 different uniforms) shorts, spats (gaiters), goal-keeper jersey, goal-keeper shorts and goal-keeper spats (gaiters). It shall be determined in advance which team shall wear which uniform in its matches. Athletes shall wear the same uniform numbers during the Games.

8. Jury referees

One referee is invited from each country according to the Rules. Names of the assistant referees shall be determined by Turkish Football Refereeing Commission and designations shall be done by Technical Board. Allowances of the referees shall be covered by Turkish Football Federation.

9. Arbitration and Protests

Protests shall be submitted to the Technical Board whose decisions are final. The Board shall not accept the protests regarding the decisions of the referees.

10. Anti-doping

During the Games, doping tests shall be carried out randomly. Moreover, blood and EPO analysis shall be done.

11. Medical Services

Necessary medical services shall be supplied at the following venues during the Games:

- 11.1. At the competition venues
- 11.2. At the training venues
- 11.3. At the Games Village

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12. Prize Ceremony

The champion team of the 1st Black Sea Games shall get the 2007 Games Cup. Other teams shall get medals. The ceremony shall be held by General Directorate of Youth and Sport of Turkey.