



CKL

**CHOOSE KUWAIT FOOTBALL LEAGUE
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ABOUT CKL

CKL [choose kuwait football league] is a pioneering football league based in Kuwait, exclusively catering to amateur players. Choose Kuwait Company proudly supports this revolutionary initiative, making it one of the first of its kind in the region.

CKL aims to create an outstanding platform for amateur players in Kuwait, offering them a chance to shine on the football field.

The league is set to attract talented scouts, providing players with the potential to advance their football careers on to a professional level.

TEAM BRANDS

In Choose Kuwait league, we've embraced a unique and meaningful approach through naming our team brands after various facets of Kuwaiti culture and traditions.

This not only adds a special touch to our tournament but also reflects the rich and diverse heritage that Kuwait has to offer. Each team name is a tribute to the customs, history, and values that are deeply ingrained in the hearts of Kuwaitis. We aim to celebrate the essence of Kuwait, fostering a sense of pride and unity among our players and fans as we come together to compete on the field, with each team representing a different facet of this vibrant culture.

فريق سراب
SARAB TEAM

فريق فريج
FREEJ TEAM

فريق نسر
NESR TEAM

فريق لؤلؤ
LOULOU TEAM

فريق صحراء
SAHARA TEAM

فريق فيلكا
FAILAKA TEAM

فريق الكوت
AL KOUT TEAM

فريق داه
DHOW TEAM

فريق سادو
SADU TEAM

فريق عود
OUD TEAM

فريق الأحمدى
AL AHMADI TEAM

فريق ميناء
MINA TEAM

SEASON I TRYOUTS

December 1st 2023
December 2nd 2023



TRYOUT GUIDELINES

Player selection is conducted through a 2-day tryout process

Tryouts are open for male players only (18+)

Players will be randomly divided into teams

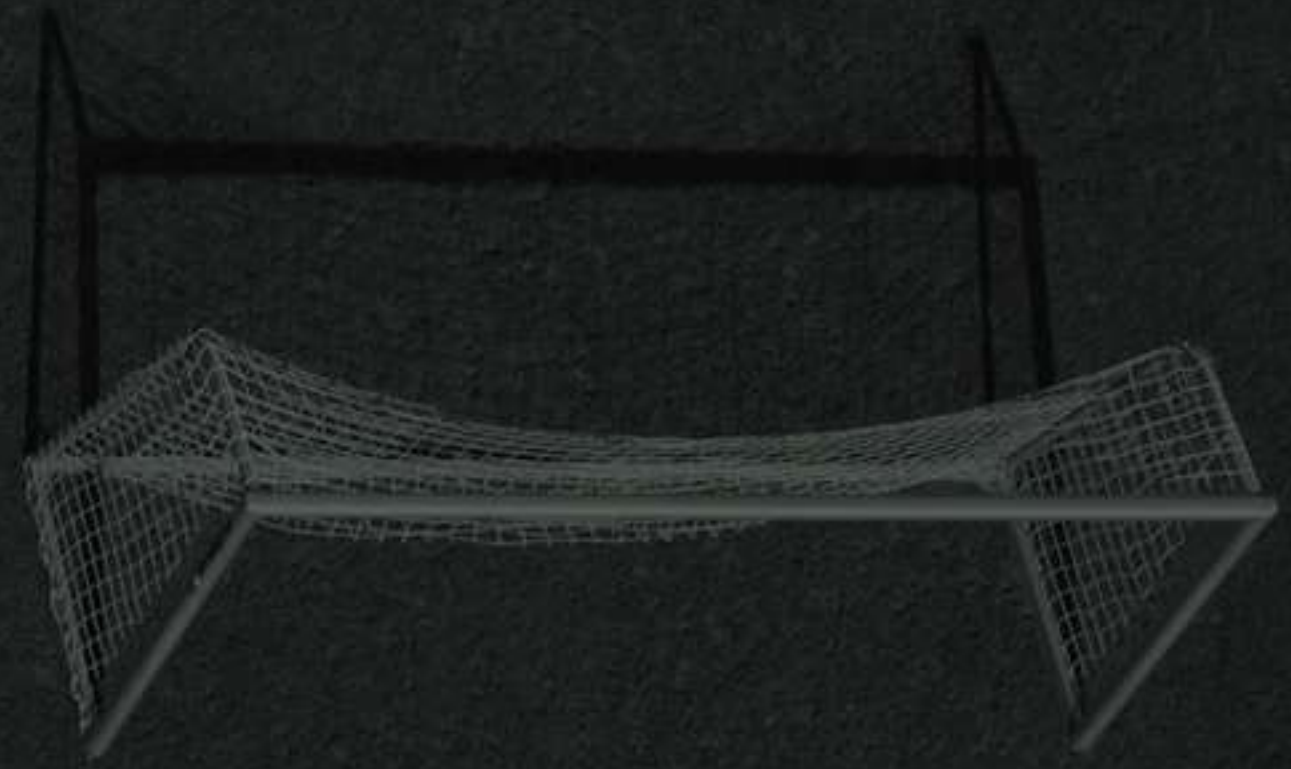
Players should be registered through our website in order to attend the tryouts.

Walk ins are permitted (registered players will have a priority in starting first)

Tryout fees 5kd

The 12 coaches will be present scouting for the players they intend to draft.

After the try-out sessions conclude, the team coaches will convene for a draft selection meeting, during which they will choose their players.



SEASON 1 OFFICIAL DATES

January 11th 2024

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February 22nd 2024

LEAGUE STRUCTURE

The tournament will consist of a total of 12 teams.

Matches are played with 9 players per side, and each team can consist of up to 18 players. (Up to 9 subs)

The league is open to male players aged 18 and above

Tournament duration: 6 weeks.

CKL operates on a round-robin point system.

**Each team will get to play a minimum of 11 games during the group stage.
All teams will get the chance to face each other.**

Each team will be awarded 3 points for a win, 1 point for a draw and 0 points for a loss

8 teams will get to proceed to the knockout stage. [1st vs 8th; 2nd vs 7th, 3rd vs 6th, 4th vs 5th]

GAME RULES

Game Duration: Each game is played for 40 minutes, divided into two 20-minute halves.

Substitutions: Open substitutions are allowed during matches.

Offside Rule: There is no offside rule in CKL.

Late Arrival: Teams arriving more than 10 minutes late will be excluded from the match and declared forfeit in Favor of the opposing team.

Player Exclusivity: Players can only represent one team throughout the season.

Club or national team players are not eligible. (players with 3+ years without playing on a professional level are permitted to play)

Uniforms: Teams must wear their designated team kit that is provided by CKL; failure to do so may result in disqualification from playing the match.

Safety: Players must wear shin guards, and goalkeepers are required to wear gloves.

Misconduct: Any misconduct towards the referee or CKL management can result in a direct ban.

Payments: All payments are non-refundable.

Withdrawals: Teams deciding to withdraw from the league forfeit their insurance fees.

MANAGERS RULES AND REGULATIONS

All managers will have the opportunity to apply for an interview and will be selected based on their performance in the interview.

Managers are responsible for handling all team requirements and needs.

Managers are the sole individuals authorized to request objections to Choose Kuwait management.

COACHES RULES AND REGULATIONS

All coaches will have the opportunity to apply for an interview and will be selected based on their performance in the interview.

Coaches will report to the team manager.

Coaches will collaborate with the manager in player selection.

Coaches will pick their team based on a draft pick basis.

PLAYERS RULES AND REGULATIONS

All players will be selected exclusively from the tryouts.

Players who are currently part of a club or national team cannot participate. [retired 3+ years]

All players must be aged 18 and above.

Players are obliged to pay subscription fees if their manager cannot secure a team sponsor.

Players are committed to playing for one team throughout the season; there are no mid-season transfers. Any changes depend on the contractual agreement between the player and the manager.

Players may request a transfer after the season concludes, during the designated transfer market season, in accordance with their contract.

All players must adhere to the tournament rules and regulations.

AWARDS

**1st Place Team: Financial Prize
Trophy
Medals**

**2nd Place Team: Financial Prize
Medals**

**Special Awards: Most Entertaining Team Award
Sportsmanship Award**

**Individual Awards: MVP of the Season
Golden Boot
Golden Gloves
Coach of the season
Manager of the season**





CKL LEAGUE VIOLATIONS COMMITTEE

This committee is responsible for addressing and deciding on any violations committed by team managers, coaches, and players.

Possible violations can include unsportsmanlike conduct, breaches of rules, and any other actions that undermine the integrity of the league.

Such actions will lead to contract termination and direct ban from the league.