



FOOTBALL VICTORIA
E-SERIES

USER MANUAL



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WHAT YOU WILL NEED

- A console (XBOX or PlayStation)
- A copy of FIFA21 (Disc or digital)
- A PlayStation Plus or XBOX Live account **(Essential)**
- A Discord account **(Essential, for competition/participant communication)**
- Twitch account (optional)

TOURNAMENT RULES

COMPETITION STRUCTURE

- Entry is FREE.
- The competition will be divided into Under-16s and Open for each console.
- Each player will be sent an email to access their individual portal with a list of their games and opponents.
- Qualifying groups are in a ladder format - you'll play each team in your group once
- Round of 32 will be our feature Female Football Round. All participants are to select a national women's team for this stage of the tournament.

Final placing of players after pool games is decided by applying the following:

- Most Points
- Best Goal Difference
- Most Goals For
- Least Goals Against
- Points head-to-head

FIXTURING & CONTACTING YOUR OPPONENT

Please Note: If you do not have Discord, it is **ESSENTIAL** that you signup. Please see the DISCORD step for information on how to sign up and join.

Please contact your opponents to confirm a suitable game time. A game should not be set unless both teams have agreed upon a time.

Add your opponent's PSN or XBOX tag and either team can send an invite to play.

DEADLINES

- Q1 Group Stage: To be completed between Monday 13 Sept - Sunday 19 Sept 11:59pm
- Q2 Group Stage: To be completed between Monday 20 Sept – Sunday 26 Sept 11:59pm
- FINALS: To be completed between Monday 27 Sept – Sunday 3 Oct 11:59pm

MATCH SETTINGS

- Game mode: Online Friendly
- Half length: 6 minutes
- Game Speed: Normal
- Squad Type: Any Squad. Players can choose any club or country for any of their games.
- Round of 32 will be our feature Female Football Round. All participants are to select a national women's team for this stage of the tournament.
- Injuries: On
- Offside: On
- Handball: Off
- Squad Type: 90 Overall - *No Ultimate Teams to be used for this tournament*

DISCORD

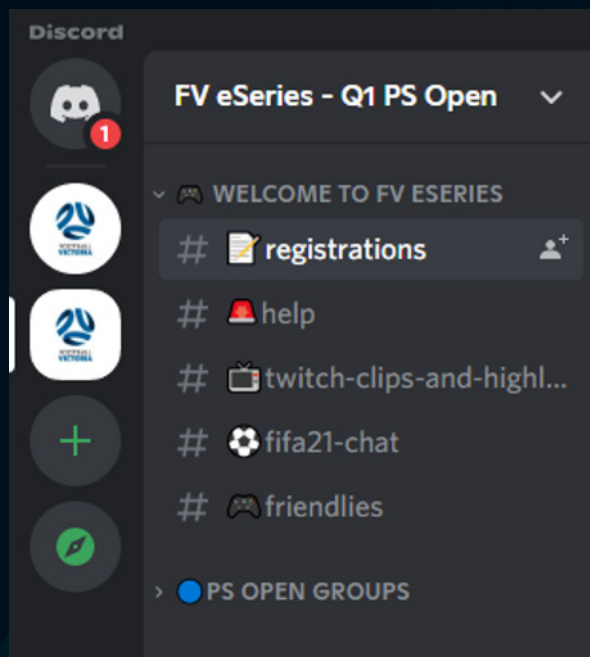
Discord is an online communication platform predominately used within gaming. A Discord account will be **ESSENTIAL** for communicating with opponents and scheduling in games.

If you don't have a Discord account, you can sign up via the following link.

[Signup to Discord](#)

Once you've signed up, you can join the relevant server to chat with other players, exchange gamertags and schedule your games.

At the commencement of your Qualifying week, you will be emailed a link to join the relevant Discord channel.



Once joined, on the menu to the left of your screen, you will have access to the WELCOME to FV ESERIES group.

In this group there are a number of channels, where you can ask for help, enquire about registrations, upload your clips via twitch or chat to other users.

You can even reach out to people to link up and play friendlies.

If you need support with Discord, please visit: <https://support.discord.com/hc/en-us>

If you have any other questions that may not be answered here, please contact our team at:

info@e-sportslive.com.au

TWITCH

Twitch is the world's largest video platform and community for gamers. The platform allows you to easily stream your games and record highlights.

Having and using Twitch is **OPTIONAL** for our FV E-Series, however if you would like to show off your highlights or possibly be featured in a live streamed match, you will need to sign up!

If you don't have a Discord account, you can sign up via the following link.

[Signup to Twitch](#)

Once you've joined Twitch streaming is easy!

You can link your Twitch account to your console so Checkout the relevant guide for your console.

LINKING YOUR TWITCH ACCOUNT TO YOUR CONSOLE

STEP 1: SETTING TWITCH TO SAVE YOUR VIDEOS

1. Click your logo in the top right corner
2. Creator Dashboard
3. Settings
4. Stream
5. Turn on 'Store Past Broadcasts'

STEP 2: DOWNLOAD YOUR VIDEO

1. Click your logo in the top right corner
2. Content
3. Video Producer
4. You will see a list of Your Videos, click the three white dots and hit Download

[Or, check out this Video Tutorial.](#)

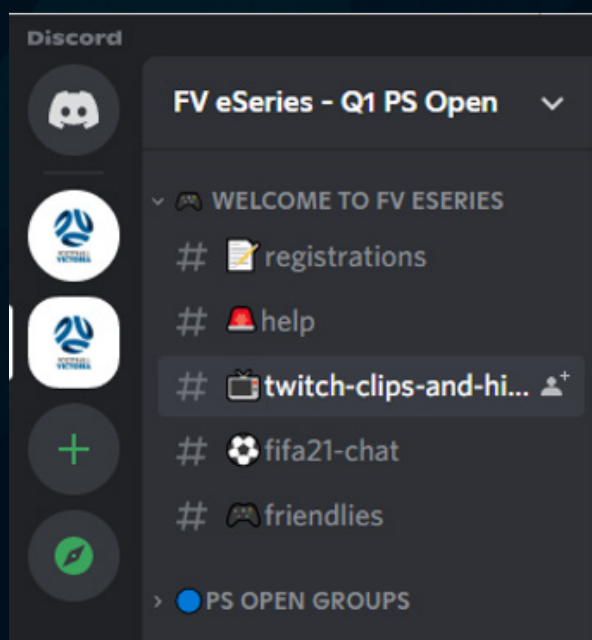
STEP 3: SHARE YOUR VIDEO IN DISCORD

We've setup a central location in Discord for you to upload your clips.

We would love you to share full matches, highlights, anything spectacular, special or amusing – the more the better so feel free to share as much content as you would like.

To send through clips access the **#twitch-clips-and-highlights** channel that can be found on the menu to the left of your Discord screen.

Once you've downloaded your clip as per Step 1 and Step 2, it's as easy as dropping it in!



STREAMING OPPORTUNITIES

Once the E-Series progresses to the final week, we will be streaming feature matches to our Facebook and Youtube with live commentary.

When signing up, users had the option to agree to streaming opportunities, if you ticked yes then you're eligible.

To get involved in the livestreaming, you will need to have access to:

- Discord
- Twitch
- Stable internet connection
- A way to film yourself (phone/laptop/webcam)

Prior to the stream, we will invite you to join us in our Streamyard studio.

In the studio, you will be joined by your opponent, our commentators and a member of our team.

The Streamyard studio is designed for us to be able to broadcast the match in a way that looks clean, professional and clear for the viewers – you won't have to do anything other than play your match!

Please note: if you are involved in a live stream, we may ask you to turn your in-game commentary off. If you are unsure on how to do this, we will walk you through the process at the time.

You can link your Twitch account to your console so Checkout the relevant guide for your console.

PRIZES

XBOX: Open

First Place: \$400 cash

Runners Up: \$150 XBOX Online Gift Card

XBOX: Under 16s

First Place: \$400 cash

Runners Up: \$150 XBOX Online Gift Card

PS4/5: Open

First Place: \$400 cash

Runners Up: \$150 PlayStation Store Gift Card

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FAQS

For frequently asked questions, please see the following link.

[E-Series Frequently Asked Questions](#)

If you have any other enquiries or concerns, please don't hesitate to contact our team at info@e-sportslive.com.au

E-Sports Live has also put together a comprehensive guide which includes step by step guides on setting up your game, creating an account, registering and more.

This guide should include everything you need to get started and play in the Football Victoria E-Series.

Click [here](#) to access the guide.

Good luck and enjoy the games!

TERMS AND CONDITIONS

The terms and conditions can be found at:
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