

FA People's Cup 2019 – Disciplinary Procedures

Introduction

This document provides a brief overview of the disciplinary regulations and processes that govern the FA People's Cup. This is not intended nor does it replace the Terms & Conditions which have been published separately.

Organising Party

The Organising party has the power to make and impose decisions relevant to the Competition and will be at times final and binding and not subject to any further challenge.

Yellow & Red Cards

All yellow and red cards administered on the day in the Competition will be considered final and binding and are not subject to any challenge. The suspensions as a result of any red cards are dealt with immediately by the Competition.

Red Card offences

If a player is dismissed from the field of play for Serious Foul Play, any acts of violence or spitting will result in their immediate expulsion from the Competition.

Acts of Misconduct

Should any misconduct be committed outside the threshold of yellow & red cards, the Match Referee/Complainant will submit a written report to their County FA who will investigate the alleged incident. Any charges that are raised following an investigation will be administered by the County FA and if proven will suspend the participant from all football. A copy of the report should be sent to fapeoplescup@thefa.com.

Protests, Claims & Complaints

- All questions on eligibility, qualification of Members/Players and interpretations of Rules must be referred to the Tournament Organiser on the day of the match
- Any complaints to the Tournament Organiser will only be referred by the Organiser to fapeoplescup@thefa.com within 7 days of the incident
- Any decision made by The FA as a result of a protest, claim & complaint will be final and binding