

COME AND JOIN THE REPRESENTATIVE TRIALS FOR EUROPEAN CHAMPIONSHIPS 2016

Hello Touchies,

We hope you are all good and well and ready for another year of Touch. The Clubs would collectively like all members to consider being a part of this year's Representative programme for the European Championships 2016. This opportunity is open to everyone in Touch Switzerland. If you are interested, please join in and have a go.

For those that previously registered interest in any role, this update contains new information with which you should become familiar.

Update

Preparations are moving quickly ahead, and we look forward to seeing strong participation and commitment supported by a great deal of behind the scenes work by our volunteers and officials.

EVENT ONE : PLAYER TRIALS

- **WHAT** : This event is the Trials at which all playing candidates will be assessed on a standard basis.
- **WHO** : This is open to all members of a Touch Switzerland Club.
- **WHEN** : Trials will be held for all candidates for one day only on **Sunday 28 February from 9am to 4pm**. If you are unavailable on this date, please inform you Club president by February 14th.
- **WHERE** : Due to the unknown nature of the weather on the day, Venues have been secured to cover all possible conditions. In descending order of preference:
 - Option 1 Astro turf ASVZ Fluntern, Zurich
 - Option 2 Grass fields Rienach, Aargau
 - Option 3 Halls Brugg
- **WEATHER DECISION** : You will be notified on Monday 22nd February via the Touch Switzerland website and through an update email which of these venues will be selected. Please make your travel decisions flexible based on the above options.
- **FACILITIES** : You will be notified of the facilities available onsite, with a map showing venue and access. We expect players to be ready to start no later than 8:45am.
- **ON THE DAY** : Please be ready for all conditions at these Trials as weather and conditions may change. You will be stopping and starting throughout the day. Bring clothing, footwear and appropriate food and drink.

Public notice of the Selection criteria will be released by the Board in the week following the Touch Switzerland 2016 AGM on 30th January 2016.

Further communications will follow regularly. The next communication will include additional detail for all candidates.

If you would like to be involved as a volunteer in any role for any part of this opportunity please contact your Club president as soon as possible.

Regards,
The Board of Clubs
Touch Switzerland