



Registration for the Germany Trip

Enniskerry FC Pre-Season Football Camp
Germany 2025 (c.29 July – 10 August)

Please note that parents wishing to travel to help on the Trip must also register as well.

Two payment options available:

1. Pay the all-inclusive €425 fee in one go
2. Pay 4 x monthly payments of €106.25.

Registration is open on Monday 3rd February @8pm on a First Come First Served basis on the club's ClubZap site:

<https://enniskerryfc.clubzap.com/products>

Registration is open to all Club members and parents of members who would like to volunteer to help out on a first come first served basis.

For adults intending to travel, you will need to register today as well as your children. Please put your own details in where it says "Attendee Name", "Attendee's Date of Birth", and select the Attendee Type to be Adult to allow us to identify you as the parent travelling.

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What is the camp?

From 2009 through to 2015 and then again in 2019 and 2022 to 2024, we ran a pre-season football camp in Germany. They were a great success – the children had a brilliant time.

The football club in the village of Stennweiler – SV Stennweiler – have now officially asked us to visit them for a week across our August Bank Holiday weekend. This time for boys and girls, born from 2009 to 2014.

We will return to the same great place, where we have access to great facilities. The cost for the event is €425 per person, which will include flights, bus transfers, full accommodation, etc.

Where will the camp take place?

The camp will be in Stennweiler, close to Saarbrücken, near the French border.

<https://maps.app.goo.gl/2bP7TEQD4rNy1o5G7>

We will be camping in tents adjacent to the SV Stennweiler pitch and facilities as has been the case in recent camps there.



When will the camp take place?

The trip itself will be for 7 days. The specific dates will be agreed based on numbers, flight options and costs, but will take place within the time window of Monday 28th July to Sunday 10th August

Which children can go?

The camp is open to boys and girls born in the years 2009 to 2014. All children going on the trip need to be current registered members of the club in 2025.

How to register?

When registration is open, you can register at the [Enniskerry FC ClubZap site](#). An email will go out informing all club members when registration is due to open. We expect registration for the camp to be relatively brisk.

What is the cost of the camp?

The cost of the camp is €425 Euro per person, which will include flights, bus transfers in Germany, accommodation, food, etc. Just pocket money needed.

Do the adults pay the same as the kids?

Yes. The adults must also pay at the time as registering their children.

If I opt for the monthly payments, when will the payments be taken from my account?

The payments will be taken exactly 1 month after your first payment for 3 months. So, for example, if you paid on the 2nd February 2024, the additional payments would be processed on the 2nd March, 2nd April and 2nd May 2024.

What happens if you have to withdraw your child from the camp?

As soon as we reach the minimum number of 35 children, we have to book flights. If you withdraw between when the flights are booked and June 20th, €300 will not be refunded. If you withdraw after June 20th, the full €425 will not be refunded.

Is there a minimum number of children needed to run the camp?

Yes, we do need a minimum of 35 children. However, there is also a maximum number of children. All on first come, first serve basis. We will advise if and when we reach the maximum number and will then operate a waiting list system for those still wanting to take part.

Is there a minimum number of adults needed to run the camp?

Yes, we do need a minimum number of adults to travel, for which the trip is most definitely NOT a holiday – as there will be lots of work required from all adults travelling to ensure that the trip can be a big success.

Do I have to be vetted etc if I travel as an adult on the camp?

Yes, **all adults travelling must go through the club's volunteer recruitment process**. The only exception is for existing club volunteers, who have already gone through the process and who will have "in-date" vetting for the dates of the trip.

This is **mandatory** for all adults travelling, which means last minute additions of an adult wishing to join the trip are going to be very hard to accommodate (as the process can currently take up to three months).

This aligns with the club's commitment to excellence in child welfare, ensuring that everyone's who's travelling is on the same page, aware of the club's ethos, and that we've taken as a club all reasonable steps to provide the most fun, safe environment as possible for both kids and travelling adults alike. The process involves: applying to volunteer with the club, references to vouch for the person as a great person to volunteer with kids, a vetting check, one-to-one chat with the club's volunteer recruitment committee, and attendance on a once-off evening workshop around children's welfare in sport.

What happens if we don't reach the minimum number of children?

If we don't have at least 35 children registered by the deadline of March 13th 2024, the event will be cancelled and any payments made will be fully refunded.

How much pocket money should children bring?

The children do not need more than €50 Euro of pocket money for the week.

Where will the children sleep?

The children will sleep in tents. Tents and sleeping mattresses will be provided. Those travelling will need to bring their own sleeping bags

What about shower facilities?

Shower facilities and toilets are provided.

Where and what will the children be fed?

All food will be provided. We have a fully equipped kitchen available. We will organise appropriate catering from Germany - thus ensuring a good and healthy diet for all – this has worked well over the past few years.

What happens if a child gets sick?

All children are required to have travel insurance and to have a European Health Insurance Card which can be obtained free of charge from the HSE. Both a doctor and a dentist are available within 200m walking distance to the camp site.

What will the kids do all day long?

This camp is a training camp to prepare for the start of the football season. While we are planning numerous other activities to keep the kids occupied, the emphasis is on playing football. We plan to participate in tournaments on both Saturday and Sunday!

What activities will there be?

An outdoor swimming pool is about 5 km walk and we do plan to go swimming. If your child cannot swim, please let us know. We also plan to have other events during our stay (e.g. a table tennis tournament, a chess tournament, quizzes etc.) and will have contingency events planned in the event of weather conditions that would prevent football from being played. And we will certainly repeat the activity enjoyed by all kids – the daily forest run at 8.00am!

Sponsorship

If you would like to sponsor the event or if you know of any company or organisation willing to sponsor the event, please let us know.

Questions??

If anyone has any questions for now – please contact the dedicated email address – summercamp@enniskerryfc.ie