

## Scottish Student Handball League Finals Day 2023

Oriam, Edinburgh  
Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> February 2023

### PRE-EVENT INFORMATION

**Description of Event:** The top 4 teams in the SS Handball Men's and Women's Leagues battle it out to be crowned ultimate champions and earn their place in the BUCS Championships.

**Date:** 26<sup>th</sup> February 2023

**Venue:** Oriam, Heriot Watt, University, Edinburgh

**Main Contact:** Ina Milne, [scottishstudenthandballchair@gmail.com](mailto:scottishstudenthandballchair@gmail.com)

**Registration:**

**Women's teams** – 0815-0845 (first match at 0900 prompt)

**Men's teams** – 0815-1000 (first match at 1040 prompt)

**Delegate Lists:** All teams MUST submit their [delegate lists](#) to [office@scottishhandball.com](mailto:office@scottishhandball.com) by 4pm on 23rd February

**Equipment:** Teams should bring their own balls – both for warm up and for the match

**Draw/Format:** Please click [HERE](#) for the tournament draw. This will also be attached to the pre-event email.

Matches will be 2x20 minutes halves with a 5 minute half time. There will be only ONE Time Out allowed PER TEAM, PER MATCH.

Teams should be on court on the first buzzer – the Referees have been advised to penalise lateness or time-wasting

**Rules and Regulations:** We will be following the rules and regulations stated by Scottish Handball Association (SHA).



We will particularly be asking teams to note the following rules, as the Referees will be paying close attention to these:

**1) 3 Attack Rule**

- If the referee stops the time then the injured player must leave the court (they can be replaced by another player) for 3 attacks,
- If the player refuses to re-enters the court within those 3 attacks then a 2 Minute suspension

**2) Teams being on court ready**

If a team is not ready to start / restart the match at the allotted time i.e.:

- Start of the Match / After Half time
- Taking over a minute for a time out (teams should move back to the court on the first buzzer with the game restarting on the second buzzer.

then the Coach or nominate official receives progressive punishment (Yellow Card/ 2 Minute suspension / Red Card)

**Warm Up and Coin Toss:** If all teams are ready to play and follow the above rules, then all teams should get roughly 10 Minute Warm Up time on the court, however any overrun of the previous match will impact the ability for this to happen.

This means that teams need to ensure they are warmed up before going on court, making the most of the corridor and any other space available in the hall, and may need to accept that they will not have time on court to finish their warm ups

**Medals and Ceremony:** Gold, silver and bronze medals will be awarded to the top 3 Men's and Women's teams.

**Previous trophy winners are asked to bring along the trophies at registration** so they can be awarded to the winners at the medal presentation.

All medal presentations will take place at the end of the Finals Day, so teams are encouraged to stay in the hall for that.

**Changing Room access:** Please note that there will be changing room access in the main changing rooms off of the main corridor, opposite the hall. Look out for the signs on the doors.

**Spectator Behaviour:** Players and supporters of each club are to remember they are representing their university and any negative or abusive language or behaviour which does not abide by the SSS Code of Conduct will not be tolerated. SSS staff reserve the right to remove any players or spectators deemed to be breaking the SSS Code of Conduct.

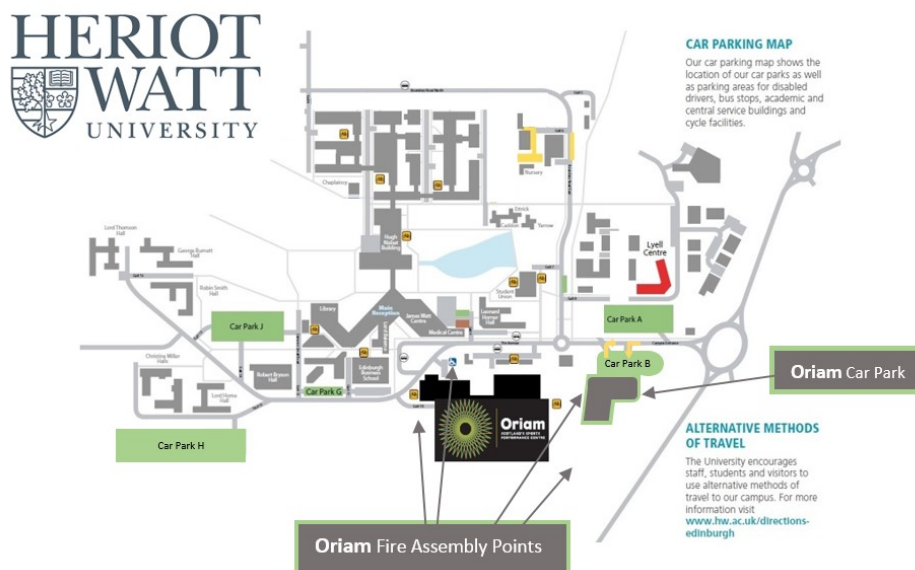
**How To Get There:** Please click [HERE](#) for the Google Maps location

By bike: Oriam is accessible via the main cycle path NCR75

By bus: Oriam is on the bus route for buses 25, 34, 35, 45, 63 (West Lothian) and N25. Please check the timetable carefully for Sunday timings.

By train: The closest train stations are Edinburgh Park, Wester Hailes and Curriehill, and you may require additional transport to get to Oriam from there. Please check the timetable for Sunday timings

By car: Oriam is a short drive from both the A71 and the A720. Oriam has lots of car parking available though please be aware that they will have other users in the building on the same day, so you may need to allow time to find a space. Please see the map below for where you are able to park:



**Facilities at Venue:** There is a Tuk Tuk serving food and drinks at the venue which we encourage you to use. There is a water fountain so please bring a reusable bottle with you.

**Spectators:** Bleacher seating will be available for spectators. Spectators must wear masks at all times.

**Questions:** Please direct all questions to Ina Milne on [scottishstudenthandballchair@gmail.com](mailto:scottishstudenthandballchair@gmail.com)

**Social Media:** We love to hear your experiences at our events, so please tag us @ScotStuSport on Facebook, Twitter and Instagram! Please also tag @scotstuhandball on Instagram using the hashtag #ScotStuHandball.

We're delighted SHA will be promoting the event on social media too!

**Photography:** If there is a photographer at the event, we will share the photos on our [Facebook page](#) – so make sure you like it to get the updates!

**Date Last Updated:** 22<sup>nd</sup> March 2023



Scottish Student Sport are looking to reduce the environmental impact of their events.  
Please bring your own reusable water bottle and recycle wherever possible