



May 20, 2023

Guam FA National
Training Center















- Participants in the U8 and U10 age divisions for Skills Stations
- Participants in the U12 and U15 age divisions for Mini Festival
  - 25 Event volunteers for Skills Stations and Mini Festival in addition to GFA staff
    - 6 Hours of football fun at Skills Stations and Mini Festival matches
    - Day of celebrating 10 years of AFC Grassroots Football Day!







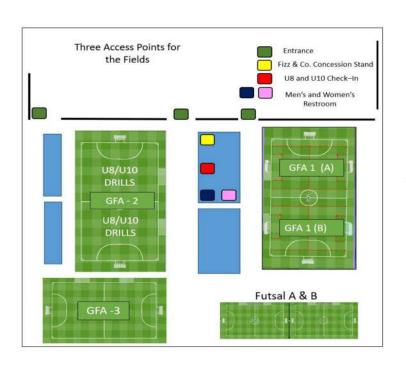












After a successful Guam Football Association Football 4
Schools event for close to 500 of Guam's elementary
school students on April 29, the Guam FA Football Events
department opened the National Training Center again
May 20 to welcome back U8 and U10 youth players to
celebrate AFC Grassroots Football Day with a Skills
Jamboree. In addition to the U8 and U10 Skills Jamboree,
clubs with U12 and U15 teams were invited to take part in
a mini festival of matches on the same day. Over 400
children attended the event, with volunteers from the
Guam Women's National Program.

The event also fulfills one of Guam FA's Pillars in its 4-Year Strategic Plan: Grow Participation.



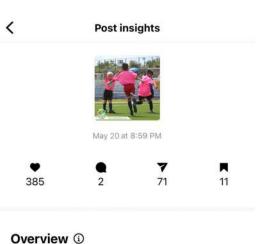
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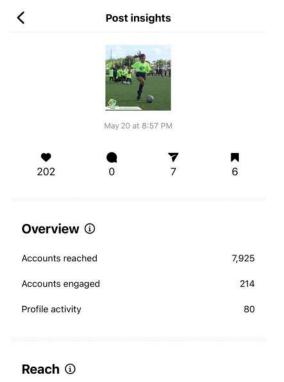






The AFC Grassroots Football Day Skills Jamboree was one of the last events held at the Guam FA National Training Center before Typhoon Mawar ravaged the island and rendered the facility closed from activity due to extensive damage.







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### **2023 SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITY**

### **GFA GRASSROOTS SCHOLARSHIP FUND**



The Guam Football Association in partnership with the family of the late Shirley Lai of the Shirley's Coffee Shops are proud to announce the GFA Grassroots Scholarship Fund that will award up to two (2) five hundred dollar (\$500) scholarships to selected onisland graduating high school seniors and/or current college students to attend the Guam Community College or University of Guam.

This scholarship opportunity is for football athletes with the intent of furthering their education.

#### SCHOLARSHIP INFO

Scholarship Donor	The family of the late Shirley Lai
Scholarship Amount	\$500.00 per recipient
Number of Recipients	Two (2); 1 Female athlete, 1 Male athlete
Eligibility, Criteria, and Application Requirements	To be eligible for this scholarship, applicants must:
	Resident of Guam
	Be an active football player
	Submit Application via email to <u>scholarships@theguamfa.com</u>
	Submit THREE (3) Letters of Recommendation
	Submit Academic Transcript from high school/or college
	Have proof of full-time college enrollment at Guam Community College or
	University of Guam (if selected)
Application Deadline	FRIDAY JULY 31, 2023

In the second year of Guam FA's AHEAD Program, seven different scholarship opportunities were presented for graduating high school seniors and college students. One of the seven - the GFA Grassroots Scholarship Fund - was set up coinciding with the 10th Anniversary of AFC Grassroots Football Celebration, thanks to the generous donation from the family of the late Shirley Lai of Shirley's Coffee Shops in the Marianas. The GFA Grassroots Scholarship Fund aims at providing financial assistance for youth football players in Guam wanting to pursue higher education at one of Guam's accredited colleges - either the University of Guam or Guam Community College.

















