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## Bubble soccer tournament bounces onto campus this Friday

Students inside giant inflatable orbs will be bouncing with excitement tomorrow (**Friday 29 August**) as a Bubble Soccer tournament is held on the University Sandy Bay campus.

The tournament was organised by students in the University's Tasmanian School of Business and Economics.

Business student Owen Barber, 20, is part of the class holding the tournament.

The concept for the fun, high-energy event proved popular right away.

"We allowed for eight teams to compete and anyone that was a University student could sign up for a team. We filled up our eight teams in just three days," he said.

**What is Bubble Soccer?** Bubble Soccer (or football if you're from Europe) is now being played in Australia. The soccer players roll and bounce around as they play a game. Bubble Soccer is known for lessening the risk of injuries and its novelty factor.

The tournament is supported by the Unigym, the Mat Goggin Foundation and the University's Tasmanian School of Business and Economics.

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