

THE 12TH MAN

GERMANY v NORTHERN IRELAND

TUESDAY 11TH OCTOBER 2016

HDI ARENA, HANNOVER

8.45PM (LOCAL TIME) KICK-OFF



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WELCOME FROM MICHAEL O'NEILL

We are really looking forward to playing in front of a packed home crowd in our opening home fixture of this campaign.

The San Marino game is key for us obviously. In the last campaign we took 11 points at home and were unbeaten so we want to have that sort of campaign again here.

San Marino offers us an opportunity for three points but it will not be an easy game. I don't think anywhere in International football you can just turn up and win the game easily. The key is to do everything possible to win that game.

When we head away to Germany, anything we take will be a bonus. Playing away to Germany in International football is the equivalent to playing Barcelona at club football, it's as difficult as that.

It's going to be a hugely difficult game for us, a huge test for us but we've seen countries go there in the past and manage to get away with a point.

Thank you for your support and we hope you enjoy both games.

#DaretoDream

Michael O'Neill
National Team Manager

WELCOME FROM GARY McALLISTER

Hello and Welcome to another edition of the 12th Man Guide.

Our 2018 World Cup campaign continues with a trip to Germany. No doubt a difficult ninety minutes lies ahead, but our footballing history shows that we have pulled off surprise results in Hamburg, Bremen and Nuremberg. Let's hope we can add Hannover to that list!

We will again have the AONISC Mobile Phone Network in place for those in need of assistance. The number is +447943542100 and will be available from Sunday until Thursday. The PSNI will also have officers in uniform in Hannover and will be there to liaise with the local German.

The Marktkirche (Market Church) area of the city is recommended by locals as a good meeting point, with a number of bars and restaurants nearby and, at the time of writing, we anticipate that the police in Hannover will accommodate our fans there. We're also advised that 'on street' drinking is permitted. Keep an eye on our Twitter account (@AoNISC_Travel) for information.

As with all of our trips overseas, I would encourage everyone to have fun, but stay safe and to look out for each other.

Enjoy the trip!

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Gary McAllister
Chairman, AONISC

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HDI Arena, Hannover

Getting there

Public transport Berlin – Hannover – Berlin pre and post match

There are many trains available from Berlin to Hannover on match day. There is only one suitable train from Hannover to Berlin after the match departing at 0240 hours.

Suggested Meeting place in city centre

The Marktkirche (Market church) area would be the suggested meeting place in the city centre. A number of pubs and restaurants are located in this area as well as the tram line to the stadium.

Public transport to stadium

The tram line from Markthalle/Landtag (located beside The Dublin Inn pub) to Stadionbrücke. Trams 3, 7 and 9 all service this line.

Entry point to stadium

South entrance for all supporters

Location in stadium

Away supporters will be located in sections S8 and S9 (lower tier) and sections S16-S19 (upper tier)

For more information on the city of Hannover please visit <http://www.hannover.de/en>

View from the visiting fans section:

Stadium Map



General Security Information

The Police in Hannover recommend the 'old town' (Am Markte) in the vicinity of the Dublin Inn as a meeting point for Northern Ireland fans.

Police will facilitate a supporters' walk to the stadium commencing at 6.30pm. The walk will take 30 minutes but there is alternative public transport provision nearby.

Supporters are advised to get to the stadium early as there will be enhanced security and searching measures in place. Fans should fully co-operate with the stadium security arrangements to ensure a safe environment is created in the stadium.

The Police Service of Northern Ireland (PSNI) will have officers in uniform on the ground to assist their German colleagues and travelling Northern Ireland fans.



NORTHERN IRELAND SQUAD

Goalkeepers:

Michael McGovern (Norwich)

Alan Mannus (St Johnstone)

Trevor Carson (Hartlepool)

Defenders:

Gareth McAuley (West Brom)

Jonny Evans (West Brom)

Aaron Hughes (Kerala Blasters)

Conor McLaughlin (Fleetwood)

Lee Hodson (Rangers)

Michael Smith (Peterborough)

Tom Flanagan (Burton)

Ryan McGivern (Shrewsbury Town)

Paul Paton (St Johnstone)

Midfielders:

Steven Davis (Southampton)

Niall McGinn (Aberdeen)

Oliver Norwood (Brighton)

Corry Evans (Blackburn)

Jamie Ward (Nottingham Forest)

Shane Ferguson (Millwall)

Stuart Dallas (Leeds)

Paddy McNair (Sunderland)

Matthew Lund (Rochdale)

Callum Morris (Aberdeen)

Forwards:

Kyle Lafferty (Norwich)

Josh Magennis (Charlton)

Conor Washington (QPR)



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FRIDAY 11 NOVEMBER 2016:	NORTHERN IRELAND v AZERBAIJAN
SUNDAY 26 MARCH 2017:	NORTHERN IRELAND v NORWAY
SATURDAY 10 JUNE 2017:	AZERBAIJAN v NORTHERN IRELAND
FRIDAY 1 SEPTEMBER 2017:	SAN MARINO v NORTHERN IRELAND
MONDAY 4 SEPTEMBER 2017:	NORTHERN IRELAND v CZECH REPUBLIC
THURSDAY 5 OCTOBER 2017:	NORTHERN IRELAND v GERMANY
SUNDAY 8 OCTOBER 2017:	NORWAY v NORTHERN IRELAND

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