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Team Samoa for Commonwealth Games 2022 Update #1 Monday 25th July 2022

"Team Samoa has arrived in Birmingham."

The President of SASNOC, Pauga Talalelei Puga, has happily and thankfully reported that Team Samoa has arrived safely in their final destination, Birmingham United Kingdom, after 3 days of travelling.

"Thanks to God for everything", was how he ended his short update.

Team Samoa has settled in well after having to go through Covid-19 testing and accreditation.

While in a foreign country, Team Samoa continues to give praise to the Lord through their evening devotionals.

They continue to train to await the official opening of the Commonwealth Games 2022 on Thursday 28th July 2022, 7:00pm Birmingham United Kingdom time, which is Friday morning 29th July 2022, at 7:00am local time.

The schedule of the games can be found on the link <https://www.birmingham2022.com/>

The table below is the schedule of when the events that our Team Samoa will be competing in kick off.

Event	Local Date	Local Time
Official Opening	Friday 29 th July 2022	7:00am
Rugby Sevens	Friday 29 th July 2022	9:00pm
Aquatic Swimming	Friday 29 th July 2022	10:30pm
Boxing	Saturday 30 th July 2022	12:00am
Weightlifting	Saturday 30 th July 2022	9:00pm
Judo	Monday 1 st August 2022	10:00pm
Athletics	Tuesday 2 nd August 2022	10:00pm
Wrestling	Friday 5 th August 2022	10:30pm
Official Closing	Tuesday 9 th August 2022	7:00pm

Thank you to all our partners, sponsors, families and friends for the support and prayers.
May we continue to pray for our Team Samoa's safety and well-being, and for success.

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