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UNDER 14 DIVISION

DATE/DAY/TIME

Saturday June 28

Briefing @ 8.30am

Masters Final

Briefing @ 12.00pm

Masters Final Under 18

Briefing @ 3.30pm

Under 14 & 18 Grand Finals Shootout

Presentation

Reception

Closing

Prize

4.00pm

6.00pm

7.00pm

(Block 2)

Squad

Under 14

9.00am

12.30pm

Wednesday
June 25

Briefing @ 8.30am

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Slot 5: 9.00am

Squad D Briefing @ 11.45am

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Practice 9.00am

Briefing @ 8.30am

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Squad 9.00am Slot 1

4th Position - \$\$250.00 5th Position - \$\$180.00 6th Position - \$\$170.00 7th Position - \$\$160.00 8th Position - \$\$150.00

9th Position — \$\$120.00 10th Position — \$\$120.00 11th Position — \$\$120.00 12th Position — \$\$120.00

2nd Runner-up: S\$1,000.00 worth of prizes 1st Runner-up: S\$2,000.00 worth of prizes

CHAMPION: S\$5,000.00 worth of prizes

UNDER 18 DIVISION

4th Position - \$\$500.00
5th Position - \$\$370.00
6th Position - \$\$340.00
7th Position - \$\$310.00
8th Position - \$\$280.00

9th Position — \$\$230.00 10th Position — \$\$230.00 11th Position — \$\$230.00 12th Position — \$\$200.00 13th Position — \$\$200.00

14th Position - \$\$200.00 15th Position - \$\$200.00 16th Position - \$\$200.00 17th Position - \$\$200.00 18th Position - S\$200.00

1. OBJECTIVES & SANCTIONING

- 1.1. This International youth tournament is organised by Singapore Sports School Bowling Academy for overseas and local bowlers to foster and promote goodwill, comradeship, friendship and sportsmanship amongst the bowling fraternity and is sanctioned by the Singapore Bowling Federation (SBF) and through SBF, the Asian Bowling Federation
- 1.2. This tournament shall be held from 23 to 28 June 2014 at the Singapore Sports School's Bowling Centre

2. ELIGIBILITY

- 2.1. All current members of SBF-affiliated clubs of good standing and foreign bowlers accredited by their respective Congress/Federation/Association are eligible to participate in this tournament
- **2.2.** Bowlers shall be classified based on their country of citizenship

3. PLAYING RULES

3.1. As this tournament is sanctioned by the Singapore Bowling Federation (SBF) and through SBF, the Asian Bowling Federation (ABF), SBF and ABF playing rules and regulations shall apply

4. CLASSIFICATION

4.1. <u>Identification Card or Passports:</u>

It is the bowlers' duty and responsibility to bring their identification card or passport for identification upon checking in on their first day of competition

4.2. Under 14

- 4.2.1. All boys and girls who are 14 years of age, or below, as at 1 January 2014 (born on 1999 or after) are eligible to play in this division
- 4.2.2. All female bowlers shall receive a handicap of 8 pins added to each game bowled throughout the tournament
- 4.2.3. The total pinfalls inclusive of handicap shall be used to determine the position standings

4.3. <u>Under 18</u>

- 4.3.1. All boys and girls who are 18 years of age, or below, as at 1 January 2014 (born on 1995 or after) are eligible to play in this division
- 4.3.2. All female bowlers shall receive a handicap of 8 pins added to each game bowled throughout the tournament
- 4.3.3. The total pinfalls inclusive of handicap shall be used to determine the position standings

NOTE: A bowler is eligible to bowl in <u>Both Divisions</u> as long as he meets the age requirement, is registered and paid up

5. FORMAT

5.1. <u>Under 14 & Under 18</u>

- 5.1.1. Two divisions shall be bowled, the Under 14 and the Under 18 divisions
- 5.1.2. Bowlers must indicate prior to their first ball thrown in their respective squad, which division they are competing in
- 5.1.3. This is an invitational youth event and is open up to the first 88 / 122 registered and paid up bowlers
- 5.1.4. Bowlers shall be divided into Squads of 30 bowlers in each squad. There shall be a total of six squads available (Squad A to F). The availability of slots in the squads is subject to availability and shall be on a first-come-first-serve basis
- 5.1.5. Only One lane pattern shall be used throughout the event and the said pattern shall be announced prior to the start of the event and details of the lane pattern shall be displayed in the bowling centre during the duration of the event
- 5.1.6. Kindly note that the event shall be bowled over twelve lanes of which lanes 1 to 4 are traditional wood lanes, lanes 5 to 8 are Brunswick Synthetic Anvilanes and lanes 9 to 12 are AMF HPL Synthetic lanes. The lanes shall be stripped and conditioned prior to every squad

5.2. Qualifying:

- 5.2.1. Qualifying shall be bowled over 12 games conducted over 2 days and bowled in 2 blocks of 6 games each (Note: Kindly refer to the tournament schedule for the confirmed date /days/time slots for your squad schedule)
- 5.2.2. Lane change shall be according to a fixed schedule set by the Tournament Committee
- 5.2.3. The total pinfalls bowled shall determine the overall position standings
- 5.2.4. The total pinfalls of female bowlers shall include the agreed handicap
- 5.2.5. Scores from the qualifying phase shall not be carried forward to the Masters Finals

5.3. No. of Finalists in the Under 14 & Under 18 Masters shall be as follows: 1 Defending Champion, Top 6 / 8 Local qualifiers, Top 6 / 8 Overseas qualifiers, Top 5 / 7 Qualifiers from Local & Overseas Pool Total: 18 / 24 Finalists

5.4. Masters Final:

5.4.1. The Top 18 / 24 Bowlers (based on total pinfalls) respectively after the Qualifying shall proceed to the Masters Final, where

they shall bowl 6 games with lane change after every game to determine the overall position standings (Note: Female bowlers shall continue to receive a handicap of 8 pins per game)

5.4.2. The top 6 bowlers shall than proceed on to the Step-Ladder Grand Finals Shootout

5.5. <u>Step-Ladder Grand Finals Shootout:</u>

- 5.5.1. In Match One, Seeds 4, 5 and 6 shall bowl in a one-game shootout where the winner will move on to Match Two
- 5.5.2. In Match Two, the winner from Match One will join Seeds 2 and 3 in a one-game shootout where the winner will move onto Match
- 5.5.3. In Match Three, the current Top Seed will bowl against the Winner (Challenger) from Match Two in a beat-twice format. If the current Top Seed wins the first game, he shall be declared the Champion

If the Challenger wins the first game, a second game shall be bowled

If the current Top Seed wins this second game, he shall be declared the Champion
However, If the Challenger wins this second game, he shall be

declared the Champion (Note: Female bowlers shall continue to receive a handicap of 8 pins per game)

6. ENTRIES AND ENTRY FEE

6.1. <u>Under 14</u>

6.1.1. All entries must be submitted on prescribed forms available. The entry fee for this tournament is \$\$120.00 per bowler

6.2. <u>Under 18</u>

6.2.1. All entries must be submitted on prescribed forms available. The entry fee for this tournament is <u>\$\$200.00</u> per bowler

6.3. CLOSING DATE

- 6.3.1. Closing Date is <u>30 May 2014</u>. Entries may be accepted after the closing date, subject to availability
- 6.3.2. All Local participants must check-in and have their entry fees fully paid by 6:00pm on 8 June 2014, failing which the Tournament Manager or in his absence, his appointed official(s) on duty reserves the right to call in bowler(s) on reserve list

6.4. Payment DETAILS

6.4.1. Local Bowlers:

Cheque payable to "Singapore Sports School Ltd"

- 6.4.2. Kindly indicate name of the tournament and your name on the reverse of the cheque
- 6.4.3. Overseas Bowlers: Overseas Bowlers are advised to secure your entries by making advance payment via telegraphic transfer to Singapore Sports School

Bank: OCBC

Branch: OCBC Centre

Address: 65 Chulia Street, OCBC Centre,

Singapore 049513 Account Number: 501-700702-001

Beneficiary's Name: Singapore Sports School Ltd

6.5. REFUNDS

6.5.1. No refund of entry fees will be made after it has been paid and the entry has been accepted and registered

7. AWARDS

7.1. <u>Under 14</u>

7.1.1. Prizes in the form of gift vouchers, merchandise, etc. will be awarded to the top 12 bowlers in this Tournament

7.2. <u>Under 18</u>

- 7.2.1. Prizes in the form of gift vouchers, merchandise, etc. will be awarded to the top 18 bowlers in this Tournament
- **7.3.** House Awards do not apply throughout the tournament, unless otherwise stated. There shall be no perfect game award

8. CHECK-IN TIME

8.1. Qualifying

8.1.1. Notwithstanding any delays in the running of the squads, participants must be present for the check-in in person 30 minutes before scheduled time to bowl, unless otherwise indicated by the Tournament Manager. The Bowling Centre's clock shall be the official time piece. Late comers will bowl at the frames/game in which their partners are bowling

8.2. Masters Finals

8.2.1. All Masters Qualifiers must check-in at the Tournament Desk at least 30 minutes before the scheduled time for the Masters Finals unless otherwise indicated by the Tournament Manager, failing which they shall be disqualified and the reserve(s) from the respective Qualifying Pools shall be called. The Bowling Centre's clock shall be the official timepiece of the tournament

. Bowler's Attire

9.1. Bowlers are required to be properly and appropriately dressed for bowling. If, in the opinion of the Tournament Manager a bowler is not appropriately dressed, he may not be permitted to bowl. Male bowlers must wear pants or slacks and are not allowed to wear sleeveless shirts and/or shorts; female bowlers may wear skirts, shorts, pants, slacks or dress shorts

10. REGISTRATION OF BOWLING BALL

10.1. It is the bowler's responsibility to ensure that all bowling balls used by him during the tournament are verified for correctness of weight and other specifications, conforming to WTBA Rules and Regulations. If in doubt, the bowler may have his ball(s) verified by the Tournament Technical Committee. The Tournament Manager or his appointed official on duty reserves the right to recall any bowling ball for inspection at any time. If any bowler is found to have used an illegal ball, even if previously certified legal by the Tournament Technical Committee he may be disqualified from the entire Tournament and stripped of all his winnings or position standings and if the Tournament Committee is of the opinion that such usage was deliberate and with intent to cheat, he may be further reported to his respective Association/Congress and SBF for additional penalisation. He may also be asked to return immediately to the Tournament Manager or his appointed official(s) on duty any awards that may have already been given to him

11. REMARKS

- 11.1. For both U14 and U18 divisions, in the event the Defending Champion does not defend the title, the vacancy will come from the Local & Overseas Pool
- **11.2.** In the event that a Masters Qualifier from the OVERSEAS Pool is absent, the vacancy will be filled from the Overseas Pool Reserve List
- 11.3. In the event that a Masters Qualifier from the OVERSEAS Pool is absent, the vacancy will be filled from the Overseas Pool Reserve List
- 11.4. In the event that a Masters Qualifier from the LOCAL/OVERSEAS Pool is absent, the vacancy will be filled from the LOCAL/OVERSEAS Pool Reserve List

12. VERIFICATION OF SCORES

12.1. It is the responsibility of each bowler to verify the correctness of each game bowled by signing on the official result sheet which will be used as the official scores recorded. Once signed, the scores shall stand, unless otherwise decided by the Tournament Manager. In the event the official score sheet is not signed, for any reason, the Tournament Manager reserves the right to refuse acceptance of the result sheet

13. PACERS

13.1. No pacers will be allowed throughout the Tournament unless appointed by the Tournament Manager or his appointed official on duty

14. TIE

In the event of tie(s) occurring and affecting the following: -

14.1. <u>Under 14</u>

14.1.1. Position 6 from the LOCAL / OVERSEAS Pool, and 5/*6 LOCAL & OVERSEAS Pool after Qualifying, the tie(s) shall be determined by a one game roll-off. Should the tie(s) remain, then the 9th and 10th frame roll-off shall be played and repeated, if necessary until the tie(s) is/are broken

(* Refer to rule 5.3.1)

- 14.1.2. Should a tie occur in positions 6 and 7 after the Masters Final, the tie(s) shall be determined by a one game roll-off. Should the tie(s) remain, then the 9th and 10th frame roll-off shall be played and repeated, if necessary until the tie(s) is/are broken
- 14.1.3. Should a tie occur in any of the top 6 positions after the Masters Final, the tie(s) shall be determined by a one game roll-off. Should the tie(s) remain, then the 9th and 10th frame roll-off shall be played and repeated, if necessary until the tie(s) is/are broken
- 14.1.4. Should a tie occur in any of the other positions involving a difference in prizes, a 9th and 10th frame roll-off shall be played and repeated until the tie(s) is/are broken. Should a tie occur in any of the other positions without any difference in prize awards, co-winners will be declared

14.2. <u>Under 18</u>

14.2.1. Position 8 from the LOCAL / OVERSEAS Pool, and 7/*8 LOCAL & OVERSEAS Pool after Qualifying, the tie(s) shall be determined by a one game roll-off. Should the tie(s) remain, then the 9th and 10th frame roll-off shall be played and repeated, if necessary until the tie(s) is/are broken.

(* Refer to rule 5.3.1)

14.2.2. Should a tie occur in positions 6 and 7 after the Masters Final, the tie(s) shall be determined by a one game roll-off. Should the tie(s) remain, then the 9th and 10th frame roll-off shall be played and repeated, if necessary until the tie(s) is/are broken.

- 14.2.3. Should a tie occur in any of the top 6 positions after the Masters Final, the tie(s) shall be determined by a one game roll-off. Should the tie(s) remain, then the 9th and 10th frame roll-off shall be played and repeated, if necessary until the tie(s) is/are broken
- 14.2.4. Should a tie occur in any of the other positions involving a difference in prizes, a 9th and 10th frame roll-off shall be played and repeated until the tie(s) is/are broken. Should a tie occur in any of the other positions without any difference in prize awards, co-winners will be declared.

15. TIE-BREAKER SCHEDULE:

15.1. Under 14

For tie/s in Qualifying Round – Saturday, 28 June 2014 @ 8:30am Before commencement of the Masters Final

15.2. <u>Under 18</u>

Qualifying Round – Saturday, 28 June 2014 @ 12:00pm
Before commencement of the Masters Finals

15.3. <u>Step-Ladder Grand Finals Shootout</u>

Before commencement of the Step-Ladder Grand Final Shootout

16. PROTESTS

16.1. Eligibility:

Protests involving eligibility must be submitted in writing to the Tournament Manager or his appointed official on duty within 24 hours of the time of the alleged infringement.

16.2. Errors in Scoring:

Errors in scoring or errors in calculation will be corrected by the Tournament Officials immediately upon discovery of such errors. Protests involving errors in scoring will only be entertained if such protests are brought to the attention of the Tournament Manager or his appointed official on duty on the spot.

16.3. Fouls:

Protests involving fouls must be brought to the attention of the Lane
Marshall before the delivery of the next ball. No protest will be
entertained after the bowler has made his second delivery of the frame.

16.4. <u>Under 14</u>

All other protests, except where they involve the Finals/Step-Ladder Grand Final Shootout, must be made in writing to the Tournament Manager on or before 8:30am on 28 June 2014, before the Masters Final. When it involves the Finals/Grand-Ladder Grand Final Shootout, the protest must be made in writing to the Tournament Manager on the spot and/or before the presentation of prizes.

16.5. <u>Under 18</u>

All other protests, except where they involve the Finals/Step-Ladder Grand Final Shootout, must be made in writing to the Tournament Manager on or before 12:00pm on 28 June 2014, before the Masters Final. When it involves the Finals/Grand-Ladder Grand Final Shootout, the protest must be made in writing to the Tournament Manager on the spot and/or before the presentation of prizes.

16.6. No protests will be entertained after the presentation of prizes.

17. INTERPRETATION CLAUSE

17.1. The Tournament Manager or, in his absence, his appointed official on duty reserves the right to accept or reject any entry as he deems fit. Any matter arising which is not covered in this Tournament Rules and Regulations will be decided by the Tournament Manager whose decision shall be final subject only to appeal to SBF.

18. For more details, please contact:

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