17th Asian School Tenpin Bowling Championships
April 30 – May 6, 2017
South China Athletic Association Bowling Centre, Hong Kong

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The 17th Asian School Tenpin Bowling Championships, one of the events celebrating the 20th Anniversary of the Establishment of the HKSAR will be conducted in accordance with Chapter 4 and Chapter 5 of World Bowling Statutes and Playing Rules as of March 2016.

1. Federation Information

Hong Kong Tenpin Bowling Congress
Address: Room 2004, Olympic House, 1 Stadium Path, So Kon Po, Causeway Bay, Hong Kong
Phone: +(852) 2891 9786
Fax: +(852) 2575 2145
Email: hktbc@netvigator.com

2. Official Invitation

We are pleased to confirm that up to the issue of this Bulletin we have received confirmation from the following federations that they intended sending teams to participate in the Asian School Championships:

Hong Kong, China Korea Kuwait (Verbal) Macau, China
Philippines (Verbal) Saudi Arabia Chinese Taipei

Federations that intended to participate in the Championships and have not yet submitted their reply slips (Form A) are requested to do so as soon as possible to assist us in facilitating preparation of the championships. Please return Form A even if your federation does not intend to participate in the Asian School Championships.

We would like to remind all ABF Member Federations that only federations who are currently paid up members of WB and ABF are allowed to participate in the championships.

Each Federation is allowed to submit a maximum of two boys’ team and two girls’ team. The official delegation shall include:

a. A maximum of four boys players and four girls players for each team
b. Coaches for players
c. Administrators for players
d. Medical officers including sport psychologist and sport physiotherapist

*Only those born on or after January 1, 1998 are eligible to participate in the 17th Asian School Tenpin Bowling Championships

The official delegation is invited to all official functions including the Opening Ceremony and Welcome Reception as well as the Victory Banquet.
3. **Entry Forms**

**Participating Team**
Please complete Official Entry Form (Form B) for team participation and the Bowler’s Information Form (Form C) for each of the participating bowlers. The **submission deadline for Form B and C is on or before 31st March, 2017.**

**Media**
Media Accreditation Form (Form D) MUST be completed and submitted to the local federation for submission to host federation. The **deadline for local federation to return Form D to the Host Federation is on or before 31st March, 2017.**

**Note:** Completed Form B, C and D, accompanied with a recent passport size photo of EACH participant (including bowlers, officials and media) **in high resolution (JPEG format),** should be returned to the host federation by either email to asc2017@hktbc.org.hk on or before the above mentioned deadline.

4. **Website and Email**

The official website of the **17th Asian School Tenpin Bowling Championships** is www.asianschool2017.com. It will be continuously updated with information concerning the Championships.

The official email of the **17th Asian School Tenpin Bowling Championships** is asc2017@hktbc.org.hk. All communication regarding to the Championships should be made through this email address.
Preliminary Schedule of Events

30.04.2017  Sunday
Last day of team arrivals
Ball Registration
18:00 - 20:00  Team Managers Meeting
(Lecture Theatre, 2/F, Olympic House)

01.05.2017  Monday
Ball Registration
07.30 - 09.00  Lane Maintenance
09.00 - 10.30  Official Practice Squad 1
12.30  Opening Ceremony
14.00 - 16.00  Welcome Reception
(Regal Hongkong Hotel)
15.30 - 17.00  Lane Maintenance
17.00 - 18.30  Official Practice Squad 2

02.05.2017  Tuesday
07.30 - 09.00  Lane Maintenance
09.00 - 12.30  Girls Singles
12.30 - 14.00  Lane Maintenance
14.00 - 17.30  Boys Singles

03.05.2017  Wednesday
07.30 - 09.00  Lane Maintenance
09.00 - 12.30  Boys Doubles
12.30 - 14.00  Lane Maintenance
12.45  Medal Presentation
Girls and Boys Singles
14.00 - 17.30  Girls Doubles

04.05.2017  Thursday
07.30 - 09.00  Lane Maintenance
09.00 - 12.00  Team of 4 Block I – Girls and Boys
12.00 - 13.30  Lane Maintenance
12.15  Medal Presentation
Girls and Boys Doubles
14.00 - 17.00  Team of 4 Block II – Girls and Boys
17.15  Medal Presentation
Girls and Boys Team of 4

05.05.2017  Friday
07.30 - 09.00  Lane Maintenance
09.00 - 12.00  Masters Finals Block I of 8 games
– Girls and Boys
12.15  Medal Presentation
Girls and Boys All Event
06.05.2017  Saturday  
07.30 - 09.00  Lane Maintenance  
09.00 - 12.00  Masters Finals Block II of 8 games  
   - Girls and Boys  
12.00 - 12.30  Lane Maintenance  
12.30 - 14.00  Girls Masters Step-ladder  
14.00 - 14.30  Lane Maintenance  
14.30 - 16.00  Boys Masters Step-ladder  
16.15  Medal Presentation  
Girls and Boys Masters  
19.00  Victory Banquet  
(Panda Hotel, Tsuen Wan)  

07.05.2017  Sunday  
Department of Teams  

5. Official Hotels  

All reservations must be made directly to the relevant hotel. First night room charge guarantee of all the rooms reserved MUST be made before booking could be confirmed. Please refer to the respective form for the payment methods of the guarantee. Deadline for reservation is March 31, 2017. Deadline for room cancellation is April 15, 2017. Forfeiture of the first night room charge of the rooms booked applied if cancellation is made after the deadline or for no show.  

**All bookings are on a first-come-first-serve basis, reservations made after the deadline will be subject to availability of rooms at the official hotels and room rates may not be the same.** Updated information on room availability in official hotels will be released periodically for federations’ reference and information.  

A) City Garden Hotel Hong Kong  
Distance to bowling centre is around 15 minutes by car/ taxi in normal traffic situation. MTR station is about 8 minutes by walk from the hotel.  

**Single/Twin** (room only)  
HK$ 770 net (approx. US$100)  
Room with 1 Buffet Breakfast  
HK$ 870 net (approx. US$113)  
Room with 2 Buffet Breakfasts  
HK$ 970 net (approx. US$125)  
**Triple** (room only)  
HK$ 1,100 net (approx. US$142)  
Room with 3 Buffet Breakfasts  
HK$ 1,400 net (approx. US$181)  

Room rates are inclusive of the followings:  
1. 10% service charge per room per night  
2. Complimentary in-room broadband service  
3. Welcome amenities
4. Free local calls & 5 selected countries of IDD call service (Singapore, Japan, Korea, United Kingdom and Germany)
5. Free use of swimming pool, fitness centre

Number of rooms available: 30 in total

Address: 9 City Garden Road, North Point, Hong Kong
Telephone: +(852) 2806 4002
Fax: +(852) 2571 7452
Email: jenniferlau@citygarden.com.hk
Website: www.citygarden.com.hk
Contact person: Ms. Jennifer Lau

B) The Excelsior Hong Kong
Distance to bowling centre is within 15 minutes by walk

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<td>HK$1,050 net (approx. US$137)</td>
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<td>Room with 1 breakfast</td>
<td>HK$1,170 net (approx. US$152)</td>
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<td>Room with 2 breakfasts</td>
<td>HK$1,290 net (approx. US$168)</td>
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<td>Superior Side Harbour View Room</td>
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<td>Deluxe Full Harbour View Room</td>
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<td>Triple (Room only)</td>
<td>HK$1,400 net (approx. US$182)</td>
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<td>Room with 3 breakfasts</td>
<td>HK$1,760 net (approx. US$229)</td>
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All rates are subject to 10% service charge per room per night.

Room rates are inclusive of the followings:
1. Free Wired & WiFi internet access in guestroom
2. Free use of The Excelsior Fitness Centre (except massage and spa treatments)
3. Two bottled distilled water in room

Number of rooms available: 15 in total

Address: 281 Gloucester Road, Causeway Bay, Hong Kong
Telephone: +(852) 2837 6984
Fax: +(852) 2504 3572
Email: klo@mohg.com
Website: www.mandarinoriental.com/excelsior
Contact person: Ms. Kitty Lo
C) Regal Hongkong Hotel
Distance to bowling centre is within 10 minutes by walk

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<td>Room with 1 breakfast</td>
<td>HK$1,130 net (approx. US$147)</td>
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<td>HK$1,260 net (approx. US$164)</td>
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<td>HK$1,430 net (approx. US$186)</td>
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Room rates are inclusive of the followings:
1. 10% service charge per room per night
2. Daily newspaper (English & Chinese newspaper)
3. Free in-room coffee/tea making facilities
4. Free in-room internet access for maximum 2 devices daily (Double) / 3 devices daily (Triple)
5. Free admission to Gymnasium Room and outdoor swimming pool
6. Free enrollment to join Regal Rewards program

Number of rooms available: **70 in total**

Address: 88 Yee Wo Street, Causeway Bay, Hong Kong
Telephone: +(852) 2837 1980
Fax: +(852) 2577 9912
Email: rhk.adoscom@regalhotel.com
Website: [www.regalhotel.com](http://www.regalhotel.com)
Contact person: Ms. Betty Lai

D) Harbour Plaza North Point
Distance to bowling centre is around 20 minutes by car/ taxi in normal traffic situation. MTR station is about 5 minutes by walk from the hotel.

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<td>Room with 2 Buffet Breakfasts</td>
<td>HK$ 800 net (approx. US$104)</td>
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<td>Triple (room only)</td>
<td>Room with 3 Buffet Breakfasts</td>
<td>HK$ 1,085 net (approx. US$140)</td>
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Room rates are inclusive of the followings:
1. 10% service charge per room per night
2. In room coffee & tea making facilities
3. Free access to Health Club facilities
4. Scheduled complimentary shuttle bus (24-seats) from hotel to Taikoo Place, City
Plaza, Causeway Bay, Wan Chai (for the selected trade fairs only) & Central

5. In-room Cable & Satellite TV

Number of rooms available: **30 in total**

Address : 665 King’s Road, North Point, Hong Kong
Telephone : +852 2185 2832
Fax : +852 2185 2000
Email : CarmenS@harbour-plaza.com
Website : www.harbour-plaza.com/
Contact person: Ms. Carmen Shek

6. **Bowling Centre**

South China Athletic Association
Address : Bowling Centre, 1/F Sports Centre, 88 Caroline Hill Road, Causeway Bay
Phone : +(852) 2890 8528
Fax : +(852) 2839 2369
Website : www.scaa.org.hk

7. **Transportation**

Participating teams will arrive Hong Kong at the Hong Kong International Airport, which is around 80 minutes driving distance to the Championships venue, South China Athletic Association. The Venue is around 10 minutes walking distance to the Regal Hongkong Hotel, 15 minutes walking distance to the Excelsior Hong Kong, 15 minutes driving distance to City Garden Hotel and 20 minutes driving distance to Harbour Plaza North Point Hotel. Pick-up will be arranged for all participating teams and registered guests to and from City Garden Hotel and Harbour Plaza North Point Hotel to Championships venue. Pick-up will **only** be arranged for all participating teams and registered guests to and from Regal Hongkong Hotel/Excelsior Hong Kong and to and from Championships Venue in case the **Yellow Rain Signal/or Typhoon Signal No. 3** is on (as announced by the Hong Kong Observatory).

8. **Hospital Facility**

Ruttonjee Hospital is the nearest hospital in the vicinity, which is around 10 minutes driving distance from South China Athletic Association or Regal Hongkong Hotel and 15 - 20 minutes driving distance from City Garden Hotel and Harbour Plaza North Point Hotel.
9. **Visa Information**

No visa for entry is required for more than 170 countries/regions. However, the visa-free period may vary among countries/regions. The entry forms are NOT valid as visas. All countries/regions should confirm visa information independently by checking “Part II of Visit Visa/Entry Permit Requirements for the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region” from the Immigration Department of the Government of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region (http://www.immd.gov.hk/eng/services/visas/visit-transit/visit-visa-entry-permit.html).

Visa application form could be found in (http://www.immd.gov.hk/eng/forms/hk-visas/visit-transit.html). The application process may take more than 6 weeks’ time. **All visa applications have to be done by Hong Kong SAR Immigration Department** and not through the Chinese Embassy in your country/territory. We earnestly request that **all filled out forms should be email to HKTBC at least 2 months before the commencement of the championship** to facilitate our processing with the HKSAR Immigration Department.

10. **Fees**

**Entry Fee for Delegation**
The 17th Asian School Tenpin Bowling Championships entry fee is **US$200** per person for all players, coaches and administrators, medical personnel as well as any extra person in the official delegation. These fees cover accreditation card, transportation, participation in Opening Ceremony, Welcome Reception, and the Victory Banquet.

**Entry Fee for Guests/Supporters**
The entry fee for guests and supporters is US$150 per person. These fees cover accreditation card, transportation, entry into bowling venue, participation in the Opening Ceremony, Welcome Reception, and the Victory Banquet. Guests and supporters may reserve rooms in the official hotels subject to availability of rooms in each hotel.

**Press Officials**
Unless they have other duties (another capacity) related to a team or federation at the 17th Asian School Tenpin Bowling Championships, there will be **no entry fee** for accredited press officials **except for participation in the Victory Banquet**. Banquet fee for press is US$50 per person.

**Payment information**
Federations will receive an official invoice after having submitted their Entry Forms and are kindly requested to settle payment by cash (USD) at the Team Managers Meeting on April 30, 2017.
11. National Anthem and Flags

All participating federations are reminded to bring along 4 national flags (1 meter x 2 meters) and 1 CD of their national anthem which should be delivered to Tournament Office upon arrival of SCAA Bowling Centre.

Secretariat
Organizing Committee of the 17th Asian School Tenpin Bowling Championships