17th Asian School Tenpin Bowling Championships
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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
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Fax: +(852) 2575 2145
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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        Kuwait        Macau, China       Philippines       Saudi Arabia
Chinese Taipei

Federations that intended to participate in the Championships and have not yet submitted their entry forms and hotel reservations forms are advised to do soonest to ensure availability of rooms at the official hotels and to facilitate logistic arrangement by the Host Federation.

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 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.
Entry Forms

Participating Team
The submission deadline has now passed, please complete Official Entry Form (Form B) for team participation and the Bowler’s Information Form (Form C) for each of the participating bowlers and return to the Secretariat as soon as possible.

Media
Media Accreditation Form (Form D) MUST be completed and submitted to the local federation for submission to host federation. Please return to the Secretariat as soon as possible.

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 email to asc2017@hktbc.org.hk as soon as possible.

3. 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.
Schedule of Events

30.04.2017  Sunday

Last day of team arrivals

18:00 - 20:00  Team Managers Meeting
                 (Lecture Theatre, 2/F, Olympic House)

01.05.2017  Monday

Ball Registration

08.30 - 10.00  Lane Maintenance
10.00 - 11.30  Official Practice Squad
12.30  Opening Ceremony
14.00 - 16.00  Welcome Reception
                 (Regal Hongkong Hotel)

02.05.2017  Tuesday

07.30 - 09.00  Lane Maintenance
09.00 - 12.30  Singles- Girls and Boys

03.05.2017  Wednesday

07.30 - 09.00  Lane Maintenance
09.00 - 12.30  Doubles- Girls and Boys
12.45  Medal Presentation
                 Girls and Boys Singles

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
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(Panda Hotel, Tsuen Wan)

07.05.2017  Sunday  Departure of Teams

4. 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.

The reservation deadline has now passed, **reservations made after the deadline will be subject to availability of rooms at the official hotels and room rates may not be the same as listed before in the first two bulletins**. Deadline for room cancellation was **April 15, 2017**. First night room charge forfeiture applied if cancellation is made after **April 15, 2017** or for no show. All bookings are on a first-come-first-served basis.

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.

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<td>Single/Twin (room only)</td>
<td>HK$ 770 net</td>
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<td>HK$ 870 net</td>
<td>(approx. US$113)</td>
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<td>HK$ 1,100 net</td>
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<td>HK$ 1,400 net</td>
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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**
B) The Excelsior Hong Kong
Distance to bowling centre is within 15 minutes by walk

- **Single/Twin** (Room only) HK$1,050 net (approx. US$137)
  - Room with 1 breakfast HK$1,170 net (approx. US$152)
  - Room with 2 breakfasts HK$1,290 net (approx. US$168)
- **Superior Side Harbour View Room** (Room Only) HK$1,350 net (approx. US$176)
- **Deluxe Full Harbour View Room** (Room Only) HK$1,650 net (approx. US$215)
- **Triple** (Room only) HK$1,400 net (approx. US$182)
  - Room with 3 breakfasts HK$1,760 net (approx. US$229)

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](http://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>Single/Twin (Room only)</td>
<td>HK$1,130 net (approx. US$147)</td>
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<td>Room with 1 breakfast</td>
<td>HK$1,260 net (approx. US$164)</td>
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<td>Room with 2 breakfasts</td>
<td>HK$1,390 net (approx. US$181)</td>
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<td><strong>Triplet</strong> (Room only)</td>
<td>HK$1,430 net (approx. US$186)</td>
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<td>Room with 3 breakfasts</td>
<td>HK$1,820 net (approx. US$237)</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 (Triplet)  
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  
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>Single/Twin (Room only)</td>
<td>HK$ 700 net (approx. US$91)</td>
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<td>Room with 1 Buffet Breakfast</td>
<td>HK$ 800 net (approx. US$104)</td>
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<td>HK$ 900 net (approx. US$116)</td>
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<td>HK$ 1,085 net (approx. US$140)</td>
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<td>Room with 3 Buffet Breakfasts</td>
<td>HK$ 1,385 net (approx. US$179)</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](http://www.harbour-plaza.com)
- **Contact person**: Ms. Carmen Shek

5. **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](http://www.scaa.org.hk)

6. **Technical Information**

- **Number of lanes**: 40
- **Type of lane approaches**: Brunswick synthetic
- **Type of lane surface**: Brunswick synthetic
- **Type of pin decks**: Brunswick synthetic
- **Type of pinsetter**: Brunswick GS-10
- **Type of pins to be used**: AMF (3.8 – 3.10 lbs)
- **Type of scoring system**: Brunswick Frameworx

**Dressing Specifications**

- **Oiling Machines**: Kegel Flex
- **Conditioner**: Ice
- **Cleaner**: Defense C
- **Oiling Pattern**: As per attached
7. **Unofficial Practice**

The following time slots will be available for unofficial practice from April 24 – 29, 2017.

Available for Unofficial Practice

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<td>April 24 – 27</td>
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<td>April 29</td>
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Lane fees are as follows

- Monday to Friday: $24/game
- Sat, Sun, Public Holidays: $37/game

*Minimum 4 games/hour/lane at normal game fee. Maximum booking for each federation is 4 lanes for 2 hours

The fee per lane is in HK Dollars and lane fees have to be paid in cash only directly to SCAA Bowling Centre onsite after unofficial practice. Each booking for each federation will be a maximum of two pairs of lanes for every 2 hours. But teams may bowl as long as they choose to do so if lanes are not booked by other teams or members of SCAA. Lanes for the unofficial practice will be available on a first-come-first-served basis and all bookings must be made through our Congress and subject to availability of SCAA Bowling Centre.

Please submit your Unofficial Practice Lane Reservation Form (Form H) directly to Hong Kong Tenpin Bowling Congress either by email asc2017@hktbc.org.hk or by fax +(852) 2575 2145 on or before April 19, 2017. Pre-registrations can be made up to April 29, 2017. Please show up punctually to avoid your booking being given to another federation.

8. **Committees**

**Jury of Appeal**

To be announced in the Technical Meeting

**Tournament Technical Committee**

- **Tournament Director**: Dr. Danny Santos
- **Host Tournament Coordinator**: Mr. Frankie Cheung
9. **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).

10. **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.

11. **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.

12. **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.
13. 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 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.

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