

# Hong Kong Spring Rapid Tournament 2015

## Regulations

### Schedule

Round	Day of week	Date
1	Thursday	21 <sup>st</sup> May
2	Thursday	21 <sup>st</sup> May
3	Thursday	21 <sup>st</sup> May
4	Monday	1 <sup>st</sup> June
5	Monday	1 <sup>st</sup> June
6	Monday	1 <sup>st</sup> June
7	Monday	8 <sup>th</sup> June
8	Monday	8 <sup>th</sup> June
9	Monday	8 <sup>th</sup> June

### Time Control

25 minutes to finish game

### Tiebreak rules

- 1) Direct Encounter
- 2) Buchholz Cut 1
- 3) Greater Number of Wins
- 4) Sonneborn-Berger score

**NOTE:** If the above is insufficient then they shall be declared Joint Champions

### Defaults

**NOTE:**

- ❖ Request to remove from pairing must be received before pairings are made.
- ❖ All absences shall be declared in default. Waiting period shall be 10 minutes.
- ❖ Two consecutive unauthorised defaults shall be deemed as a withdrawal from this tournament.
- ❖ Any player with three unauthorised defaults or more shall be referred to the Disciplinary Committee.
- ❖ Withdrawals from tournament after round 1 must be in writing else continue to be paired.

### Website:

Pairings and results will be posted online after each round. Link to be announced before start of tournament.