



Hong Kong Chess Federation
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(FIDE Rated) National Junior Chess Championships 2015

[Selection Tournament]

Co-Organized by Hong Kong Chess Federation and Po Kok Primary School

Juniors are welcome to register!

Date: **6th Dec (Sunday), 2015**

Time: 9 am to 6 pm

Location: **Po Kok Primary School**

Address: 11-15 Shan Kwong Road, Happy Valley, Hong Kong

Sections: U8, U10, U12, U14, U16, U18, (Total 6 Sections)

U8 (born in 2007 and onward)

U10 (born in 2005 and 2006)

U12 (born in 2003 and 2004)

U14 (born in 2001 and 2002)

U16 (born in 1999 and 2000)

U18 (born in 1997 and 1998)

Requirement: Players with FIDE ID can be any federation.
(But only HKG can represent Hong Kong in Fide event)
Players without FIDE ID must be Hong Kong Resident.

Format: 7 Round Swiss
(Sections with 8 or less players will be Round Robin or merged with another group at the discretion of the Chief Arbiter).

Time Control: G15 +10 (15 minutes + 10 seconds increment per move each side)

Tie-Break: 1) Direct Encounter. 2) Buchholz Cut 1. 3) Greater Number of Wins.
4) Sonneborn Berger score. If the above is insufficient then they shall be declared Joint Champions

Award: - Trophies for the Top 3 players and Top Girl in each Section.
- Winners of each section will have the priority to represent Hong Kong in the upcoming individual Fide Events in 2016 until next Selection Tournament. Details please check updates in our Junior Page. Priority will be according to their final ranking in their own section (Female and Male are calculated separately).

Certificate: Certificate of Participation will be available at HKD 50 each, please state if you want one or not when you register the tournament.

Regulations: The Tournament will be FIDE rated (Rapid) and shall follow the FIDE Laws of Chess. Chess clocks will be used. Notation is not compulsory.

Chief Arbiter: NA Chak Man Chan

Deputy Chief Arbiter: NA Ka Hung Cheung, Sydney Sai Wing Lai

Run Down: First Round Pairings will be announced on website on 4th Dec.
1st Round Starts 9:00am
2nd Round Starts 10:00am
3rd Round Starts 11:00am
Lunch Break after Round 3 (roughly 12-1pm)
4th Round Starts 1:00pm
5th Round Starts 2:00pm
6th Round Starts 3:00pm
7th Round Starts 4:00pm
Award Giving Ceremony follows immediately afterward.

Entry Fee: HKD 350 (for players without FIDE ID and not HKCF member)
HKD 300 (for Players with FIDE ID but not HKCF member)
HKD 250 (HKCF member)

Fide ID: For players without FIDE ID, they have to be Hong Kong residents and we will apply for a FIDE ID for them. For this purpose a photo ID verification is needed on the day of tournament before game 1 starts. Failure to provide ID verification results in ineligibility to participate.

Payment Method: Please make cheque payable to "Hong Kong Chess Federation" and mail it to "HONG KONG CHESS FEDERATION Suite B01, 801 Business Centre Co. Ltd., Room 801 Sunbeam Centre, 27 Shing Yip Street, Kwun Tong, Kowloon, Hong Kong".

Deadline: Application will be closed on 2nd Dec, 2015.

Registration: Online at <http://register-here.info/hong-kong-juniors-2015/> or through link at www.hkchessfederation.com

- For Information and requirements to represent Hong Kong in 2016, please check at http://www.fide.com/index.php?option=com_fidecalendar&view=fidecalendar&ny=2016
Or at our Juniors Chess page.

- You can check if you are already registered with a Fide ID of HKG here: https://ratings.fide.com/advaction.phtml?idcode=&name=&title=&other_title=&country=HKG&sex=&srating=0&erating=3000&birthday=&radio=name&line=asc