

## Hong Kong Squash Team Championships 2022

### Prospectus

- Date : 25 – 31 January 2023
- Time : Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday 7pm – 10pm  
 Wednesday 10am – 6pm  
 Saturday & Sunday 2am – 5pm
- Venue : Hong Kong Squash Centre (23 Cotton Tree Drive, Hong Kong)
- Application : - Complete and return the entry form together with a crossed cheque for payment on or before the deadline to Hong Kong Squash Office (Address: G/F, Hong Kong Squash Centre, 23 Cotton Tree Drive, HK) by post/ by hand.  
 - Make cheque payable to “Hong Kong Squash”
- Entry Fee : HK\$330/team
- Quota : 20 teams (If over-enrolled, teams will be decided by ballot.)
- Deadline : **16 December 2022 (Postmarks will be deemed as the submission dates; late application will not be accepted)**
- Match Format : - The tournament will consist of two stages:  
Stage 1: 20 teams will be divided into 4 pools by ballot and play on a round-robin (all play all) basis. The top two teams of each pool will advance to Stage 2. If two teams have scored the same points then the final order of merit in that pool will be decided based on the result between the concerned teams.  
Stage 2: Teams will play on a knock-out basis.  
 - **Each Team consists with 3 - 5 players which must including at least 1 female player in the team.** Each tie will consist of three matches played between teams of three players nominated in order of strength, in which only 1 player who joined Div 5 -6 in the recent League could be allowed and **at least 1 female player who joined Div 7 or below, Ladies 2 or 3, Masters 2 or 3 has to play.** If a player has played in Main League, Masters leagues and/ or Ladies League, his/ her entry should be based on his/ her participation level in Main league.  
 - Team squad order in descending order of strength should refer to the division of the team members enrolled in the **2022/23 season** Hong Kong Squash League, regardless of gender. In case, the player has not enrolled in the **2022/23 season**, then reference would be made to the last league season that he/ she played. Non-league players refer to those who have NEVER participated in the Squash League before or any form of league games and tournaments in Hong Kong or overseas countries.  
 - The playing order for each day will be decided on the day of Open Ballot. The playing order cannot be changed unless prior approval is given by the Organizer.
- Rules and Regulations : - Participant must be a Hong Kong resident for one year or above.  
 - Match will be played according to the WSF Singles Rules to the best of 5 games and Point-a-rally (PAR) scoring system up to 11 points will be applied.  
 - The height of the tin will be 19 inches.  
 - Each player only enter to one team.  
 - Match should be played according to the schedule issued by the Organizer; no re-scheduling is permitted unless prior approval is given by the Organizer.  
 - Teams which give “walkover or no show” will be deemed to forfeit the match.
- Important Dates : **30 December 2022 (Fri)** – The Entry List of each group will be uploaded to Hong Kong Squash official website, please inform us if there are any problem or missing information **on or before 04 January 2023 (Wed) noon**.  
**06 January 2023 (Fri)** – Open ballot will be held at Conference Room of Hong Kong Park Sports Centre at 11 am to decide the quota (if any), division of pools in Stage 1, fixtures in Stage 2, and the playing order for each day.  
**13 January 2023 (Fri)** – All the draws will be released via Hong Kong Squash Official website.
- \*\*Teams are required to check the details and draws on the respective dates from the website, [www.hksquash.org.hk](http://www.hksquash.org.hk)\*\***
- Prizes : The Champion, 1st runner-up, 2<sup>nd</sup> runner-up and 3<sup>rd</sup> runner-up will be awarded.
- Enquiries : 2337 6881 / 2810 4086

**All players are required to strictly comply with the latest Guidelines of Hong Kong Squash Activity under COVID-19 outlined by Hong Kong Squash and the latest Government’s regulations and guidelines**

Hong Kong Squash reserves the right to amend this prospectus at any time without giving any prior notice.

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**All decisions made in this tournament are rightfully under the discretion of Hong Kong Squash.**