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INVITATION

On behalf of Hong Kong, China Inline Hockey Association Limited, we invite inline hockey teams from around the world to compete at the 2009 Hong Kong Inline Cup (2009HKIC) to be held from 11 November to 22 November 2009. The Youth competition runs from 11 to 15 November 2009 and the Adult competition from 18 to 22 November 2009 and includes International Mens, Recreation, High School and Ladies events. Each competition will kick off with a Welcome BBQ. We would kindly ask all team managers to confirm the numbers of youths and adults attending the BBQ in the registration form. All proceeds collected from the Welcome BBQ are donated to development of inline hockey in Hong Kong.

The 2009HKIC is sanctioned by the Federation Internationale de Roller Sports (F.I.R.S.) and Comité International du Roller In Line Hockey (CIRILH), supported by the Hong Kong Leisure and Cultural Services Department, Hong Kong Roller Sports Federation, Hong Kong YMCA and operated by the Hong Kong, China Inline Hockey Association Limited. HKIC is the largest open invitation inline hockey tournament in Asia. This is our 9th year running with increasing numbers of international inline teams participating each year. Last year teams and players came from United States, Canada, Iran, United Kingdom, Australia, Brazil, Venezuela, Macau, Korea, Taiwan and Hong Kong. Despite the global recession we are expecting many new teams from all over the world. The emphasis as always is great competition, food, sight seeing and lots of fun!

In conjunction of promoting and enhancing the inline hockey sport, HKCIHA and F.I.R.S. will run a Referee's Certification course open to all inline federations members who wish to be sanctioned by F.I.R.S. The course will go into details of playing philosophy and game standards. More information will be provided in our website www.hkciha.com.hk by 1 August 2009. Early registration is required!

Details of the 2009HKIC tournament are attached. Please distribute the 2009 Hong Kong Inline Cup Invitation to all your associated member teams and organizations. If there are any questions please do not hesitate to contact me at secretary@hkciha.com.hk.

I look forward to welcoming all international inline hockey teams to Hong Kong.

Wayne K Chow

Chairman, 2009 Hong Kong Inline Cup Committee

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1. NEED TO KNOW INFORMATION

TOURNAMENT DATES	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Youth Event (8U, 10U, 12U, 14U): 11 – 15 November 2009. ▪ Adults Event (Men's, Women's, Recreational and High School): 18 – 22 November 2009.
VENUE	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ YMCA King's Park Centenary Centre (KPCC) ▪ 22 Gascoigne Road, Yau Ma Tei, Kowloon, Hong Kong
REGISTRATION CLOSING DATE & TEAM FEE	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ 1 October 2009 & HK\$5,200.00
EARLY BIRD	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ 1 September 2009 & HK\$4,400.00
INCLUSIVES	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Minimum 5 games and team transport from airport to hotel and back.
SUBMISSION REQUIREMENTS See Clause 4 Team Registration for due dates on submission of forms.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Team Registration Fee paid in full via bank telegraphic transfer to HKCIHA ▪ Appendix A - 2009 Hong Kong Inline Cup Team Registration Form ▪ Appendix B - 2009 Hong Kong Inline Cup Team Roster Form ▪ Appendix C – Acknowledgement of Risk Form (per player) ▪ Appendix D – Transport Airport to Hotel Form ▪ Appendix E – “OFFICIAL TOURNAMENT HOTEL” The Eaton Hotel Booking Form ▪ Appendix F – YMCA “The Salisbury” Hotel Booking Form ▪ Passport copy of each player and team administrator ▪ Electronic photograph of each player and team administrator ▪ 1 paragraph description of team not more than 150 words, team members and team origins ▪ Letter of endorsement by the team's inline federation to compete at 2009HKIC.
YOUTH EVENT TEAM MANAGER MEETING	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Tuesday 10 November 2009 evening. Venue KPCC.
YOUTH EVENT BUFFET GATHERING	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Wednesday 11 November 2009. Venue KPCC. ▪ Advance booking is required and is “Free of Charge” to all paid up Youth Event players, team administrators and parents.
ADULTS EVENT TEAM MANAGER MEETING	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Tuesday 17 November 2009 evening. Venue Eaton Hotel, Room TBC.
ADULTS EVENT BBQ BUFFET GATHERING	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Tuesday 17 November 2009 evening. Venue Eaton Hotel. ▪ Advance booking is required. Early bird price with Team Registration is HK\$100.00 per person. Ticket price on the day at HK\$150.00 per person. Proceeds collected shall be used for the development of inline hockey in Hong Kong.
PUCK DROPPING CEREMONY	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ To be announced. Venue KPCC.
CLOSING CEREMONY	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Youth Event: 15 November 2009 after the last Championship game. ▪ Adults Event: 22 November 2009 after the last Championship game. Venue KPCC.

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TOURNAMENT CONTACT	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Wayne Chow, Chairman, 2009 Hong Kong Inline Cup Committee ▪ Email: secretary@hkciha.com.hk, www.hkciha.com.hk
RINK SPECIFICATION	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ The KPCC rink is the first purpose built in-line hockey rink Hong Kong with a 45 x 22.5 meter Plexifloor skating surface with scoreboard, penalty boxes and sound system.
AIRPORT	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Hong Kong International Airport www.hongkongairport.com
TRANSPORT (Airport to Hotel)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Please complete the APPENDIX D - Transport Airport to Hotel ▪ Form and return to the info@hkciha.com.hk before 19 October 2009
ACCOMMODATIONS	<p>The Eaton Hotel Hong Kong "OFFICIAL TOURNAMENT HOTEL" 380 Nathan Road, Kowloon Kowloon, Hong Kong Tel: (852) 2782 1818; Fax: (852) 2782 5563 http://hongkong.eatonhotels.com Booking Form Appendix E, due date 19 October 2009</p> <p>YMCA – The Salisbury 41 Salisbury Road, Tsim Sha Tsui Kowloon, Hong Kong Tel: (852) 2268 7888; Fax: (852) 2739 9315 www.ymcahk.org.hk/sales/html/hst001e.htm Booking Form Appendix F, due date 11 October 2009</p>
ENTRY VISA TO HONG KONG	www.immd.gov.hk/ehtml/hkvisas_4.htm
BANK INFORMATION FOR PAYMENT BY TELEGRAPHIC TRANSFER	
BENEFICIARY ACCOUNT NAME	Hong Kong, China Inline Hockey Association Limited
BENEFICIARY ADDRESS	c/o YMCA of Hong Kong 41 Salisbury Road Tsim Sha Tsui, Kowloon, Hong Kong
SWIFT CODE	HSBCHKHHHKH
BENEFICIARY ACCOUNT NUMBER	004-491-400289-001
BANK NAME	The Hong Kong Shanghai Banking Corporation Limited
BANK ADDRESS	Shop 355, 3/F Ocean Centre, 5 Canton Road, Tsim Sha Tsui, Kowloon, Hong Kong

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2. ENTRY FEE AND PAYMENT METHOD

- Team enrollment fee of HK\$5,200 per team payable to “Hong Kong, China Inline Hockey Association Limited” and must be settled on or before 1 October 2009.
- Team enrollment fees received on or before 1 September 2009 will enjoy an early bird discount of HK\$4,400, a savings of HK\$800 per team.
- **Closing date for enrollment is 1 October 2009 and all payments must be settled.**
- Payment by Telegraphic Transfer. Bank Information details are as follows:

BENEFICIARY NAME:	Hong Kong, China Inline Hockey Association Limited
BENEFICIARY ADDRESS:	c/o YMCA of Hong Kong 41 Salisbury Road Tsim Sha Tsui, Hong Kong
SWIFT CODE:	HSBCHKHCHKH
BENEFICIARY ACCOUNT NUMBER:	004-491-400289-001
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BANK ADDRESS:	Shop 355, 3/F Ocean Centre, 5 Canton Road Tsim Sha Tsui, Hong Kong

Please state clearly “Your Team Name” and “2009 Hong Kong Inline Cup” in your telegraphic transfer and send us an electronic copy of banking slip that indicates the transfer of money to the Hong Kong, China Inline Hockey Association Limited’s bank account on or before 1 October 2009. Please bring your original receipts for team registration at the Team Managers meeting, date and time TBA.

3. EVENT DATES AND AGE DIVISIONS

Youth Event: Wednesday 11th – Sunday 15th November 2009

8 years & Under can be mixed gender	Born 2000 and after
10 years & Under can be mixed gender	Born 1998 – 1999
12 years & Under can be mixed gender	Born 1996 – 1997
14 years & Under can be mixed gender	Born 1994 - 1995

Mens, Recreation, High School and Ladies Event: Wednesday 18th – Sunday 22nd November 2009

Ladies female only	Minimum age 12 years unless authorized by HKCIHA
Mens International Division male only	Minimum age is 14 years unless authorized by HKCIHA
Recreation Division can be mixed gender	Minimum age is 14 years unless authorized by HKCIHA

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High School 18 years & Under can be mixed gender	Born 1990 or after
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4. TEAM REGISTRATION

Team roster and players registration forms are shown in the checklist below. All forms **MUST** be submitted to constitute a completed submission. **All forms and documents MUST be received by HKCIHA not later than 1 October 2009 with payment receipt in electronic format. NOTE the due dates for submission of forms.**

TEAM REGISTRATION CHECKLIST

- Team Registration Fee paid in full via bank TT to HKCIHA
- Appendix A - Team Registration Form **due 1 October 2009**
- Appendix B - Team Roster Form **due 1 October 2009**
- Appendix C – Acknowledgement of Risk Form (per player) **due 1 October 2009**
- Appendix D – Transport Airport to Hotel Form **due 19 October 2009**
- Appendix E – Eaton Hotel Booking Form **due 19 October 2009**
- Appendix F – YMCA “The Salisbury” Hotel Booking Form **due 11 October 2009**
- Passport copy of each player and team administrator
- Electronic photograph of each player and team administrator **due 1 October 2009**
- 1 paragraph description of team not more than 150 words, team members and team origins **due 1 October 2009**
- Letter of endorsement by the team’s inline federation to compete at 2009HKIC **due 1 October 2009**

▪ **No team shall be allowed to play before the following properly completed submissions: Appendix A - 2009 Hong Kong Inline Cup Team Registration Form, Appendix B - 2009 Hong Kong Inline Cup Team Roster Form, Appendix C – Acknowledgement of Risk Form (per player)**

▪ **All forms to be emailed to info@hkciha.com.hk.**

- All Hong Kong players must be fully paid members of the Hong Kong, China Inline Hockey Association Limited.
- The tournament organizers reserve the right to refuse any player to be allowed to participate in the tournament if they are found to be in breach of the rules as stated in Clause 9 Tournament Rules and late submissions.

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WITHDRAWALS

- There will be NO REFUNDS for team withdrawals after the closing date of 23:59 hours 1 October 2009 Hong Kong time.
- Team Captains and Managers are to provide prior written notice to the 2009HKIC Chairman of any Player or Team withdrawal prior to the game or earliest known time. Reasons should be clearly stated.

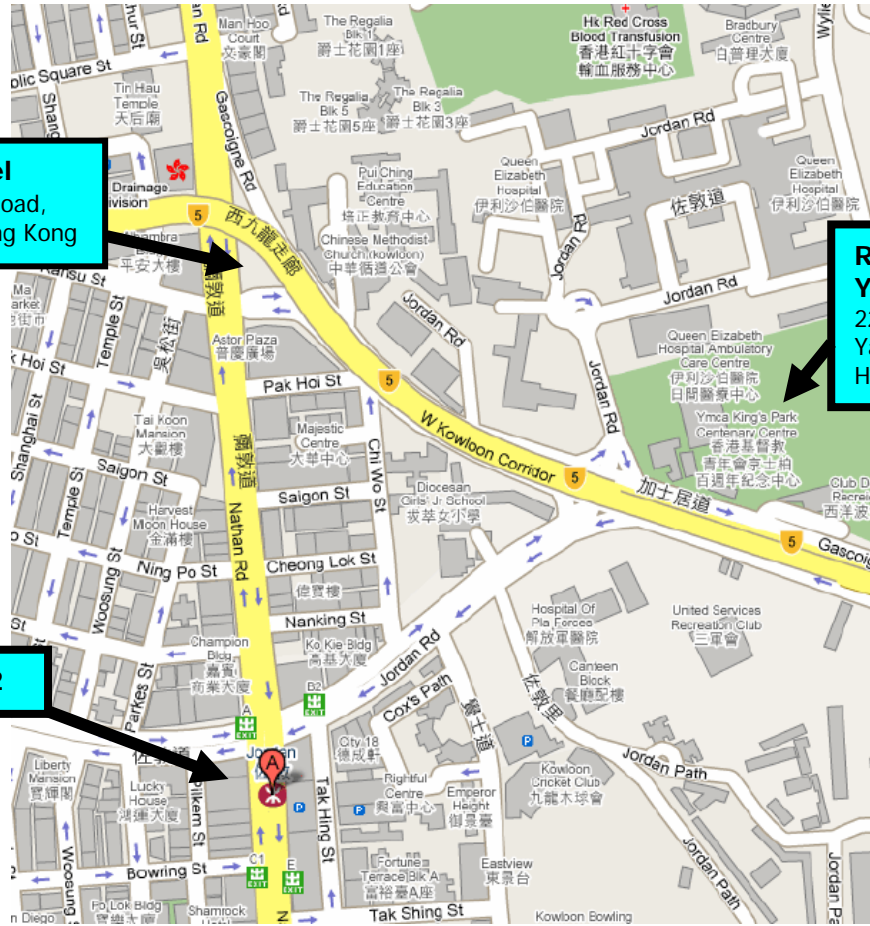
UNIFORMS AND EQUIPMENT

- All teams are requested to forward electronic copy of their home and away jerseys to ensure there is no possibility of playing colors conflict. In the event this occurs, HKCIHA shall have final right in determination of jerseys to be worn during the 2009HKIC.
- Specific rules apply for inline hockey events and the Referees shall ensure that these rules are upheld.
- All safety gear as per the F.I.R.S. Rule Book.
- All youth players under the age of 18 must always wear a full face cage, irrespective of whether they have turned 18 years of age or not. Players who have turned 18 years of age and are competing in an older age division must wear a minimum of a half visor.
- ALL adult players and referees MUST wear a minimum of a half visor – no exemptions will be given.
- Team Managers should ensure well in advance that playing uniforms are clean and in good repair.
- The 2009HKIC Chairman has the right to rule against inappropriate uniforms without referral to the referees or the affected player(s). Only official playing uniforms may be worn during warm-up.

5. TOURNAMENT VENUE – YMCA KING'S PARK CENTENARY CENTRE

- The tournament will be held at YMCA King's Park Centenary Centre (KPCC). KPCC features a professionally fitted 45m x 22.5m rink, with regulation sized FIRS goals of height 105cm (41") and inside width 170cm (67"). The rink is purposely built for inline hockey.
- The venue has changing rooms with showers and lockers for rental to safeguard your valuables and other belongings as the site is open to the general public. During the 2009HKIC, teams will be provided with a tent for meeting, changing and storage of the equipment overnight. Note that items left in this area are at the individual's risk. HKCIHA and the YMCA will not be held responsible for any lost or misplaced items at all times. Please ensure you make arrangements for your valuables during your matches and when departing from KPCC.
- KPCC has a fully equipped inline hockey pro shop with a variety of products available in various brands and sizes to support for last minute emergency equipment needs.
- Food and drinks will be on sale at KPCC on a daily basis.

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380 Nathan Road,
Kowloon, Hong Kong

**RINK LOCATION
YMCA KPCC**
22 Gascoigne Road,
Yau Ma Tei, Kowloon,
Hong Kong

Jordan MTR Exit B2



YMCA Salisbury
41 Salisbury Road
Tsim Sha Tsui,
Kowloon, Hong Kong

Tsim Sha Tsui MTR Exit F

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6. ACCOMODATIONS

HKCIHA is very pleased to announce that the Eaton Hotel is the Official Hotel and choice of accommodation during the whole of the Hong Kong Inline Cup. As part of the event, the Eaton Hotel is providing special promotions for all 2009HKIC registered guests of the Eaton Hotel for food and beverages and other promotions. The Eaton Hotel is located in the heart of Jordan, Hong Kong and right on Nathan Road where the action lies! Only 5 minutes easy walk from the KPCC rink and Eaton is strategically located in the heart of the city to experience real Hong Kong day and night.

- A great place to stay during the competition and convenient to recharge before the next match.
- Full range of transportation are just few steps away to facilitate them to explore City Life of Hong Kong.
- Selected rooms for adults and youths for the 2009HKIC at excellent rates.
- Diversified restaurants to stimulate their taste buds for refreshing and relaxing after the competition.
- A dedicated and professional specialist is assigned to ensure every single detail is taken care of efficiently and professionally.
- Eaton Hotel room request forms are placed at Appendix E – Eaton Hotel Booking Form



Eaton Hotel

380 Nathan Road, Kowloon

Kowloon, Hong Kong

Tel: (852) 2782 1818; Fax: (852) 2782 5563

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Standard Twin Share Rooms



Family Room

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YMCA – The Salisbury

41 Salisbury Road, Tsim Sha Tsui

Kowloon, Hong Kong

www.ymcahk.org.hk/sales/html/hst001e.htm.

YMCA – The Salisbury room request forms are placed at Appendix F – YMCA “The Salisbury” Hotel Booking Form



Bunk Bed Rooms – 4 bunks/room



Standard Twin Share Rooms

7. TOURNAMENT OFFICIAL CONTACT

Wayne Chow, Chairman 2009 Hong Kong Inline Hockey Cup

E-mail: secretary@hkciha.com.hk

8. GAME DAY

PLAYING SURFACE AND SKATES / STICKS

- All players must ensure that their skates are in good condition. Under no circumstances will protruding metal, axles or axle nuts be permitted on the floor. Any player found with skates that could damage the floor will not be allowed to play.
- No BLACK wheels or black stoppers are allowed on the playing surface.
- Stick blades must be in good condition to minimize risk of damage to the floor surface and injury to other players.
- Game Referees shall have final determination to ensure that safety for players and participants are upheld on the rink.

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SCHEDULE OF GAMES

- A schedule of Games shall be available online from the HKCIHA website no later than seven days from the start of the HKIC2009. Changes may be made and schedules updated without prior notice.
- All Teams are to regularly visit the website to seek updates.

REPORTING TO MARSHALLING AREA/REFEREES

- Approximate times for events will be stated in the 2009HKIC Program which will be available at tournament time. All teams and players should ensure that they are at the venue at least 30 minutes prior to the scheduled time of their game.
- Team Captains or Team Managers shall approach the tournament marshalling table 10 minutes prior to every scheduled game to confirm the Game Score Sheet have all players and goalies as properly listed.
- No addition of players not registered for the team shall be allowed. After registration teams must be ready to take the playing surface but are not to step onto the playing surface until invited to do so by the Game Referees. No additional time will be allowed.
- Designated marshalling and change areas are to be kept clear and only players in the scheduled game, their Coaches; Team Managers, designated Team Bench Officials and Championship Officials will be permitted in this area. At the completion of the scheduled game players and team officials must quickly move to the change area.
- Note: Only athletes, coaches and team managers will be allowed on the bench side of the rink. Parents and other spectators may view matches from either the spectator side of the rink or the end of the rink.

GAME DURATION

- Warm Up on the rink shall be 5 minutes.
- Periods of the match are 2 x 16 minutes.
- Half time is 3 minutes.
- Time out is 1 per team per period for 1 minute.

The 2009HKIC reserves the right to reduce the warm up and half time periods if games are running late due to unforeseen circumstances.

ENTRY TO AND EXIT FROM THE PLAYING SURFACE

- Players must follow the instructions of the Game Referees.
- Players are not to proceed to their bench until completion of the preceding game and shall allow the previous team departs completely. If there is undue delay in the current scheduled game being played then players for the next game should not proceed to their bench until they are directed to do so by the Referees.
- Players are not to take to the playing surface until invited to do so by their Game Referees.
- Skates may only be worn on the playing surface and to and from the Change Areas for official scheduled games.

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9. TOURNAMENT RULES

The rules are in accordance with FIRS Rules and Regulations with minor amendments to cater for 2009HKIC and can be found on our website at www.hkciha.com.hk. The following list outlines some of the more relevant rules but players and coaches are advised to check the complete document.

- i. No off-sides.
- ii. Minor penalties:
 - a) 2 minutes duration or until goal is scored.
 - b) Coinciding minors must stay off full 2 minutes but teams play at strength (e.g. if penalties accessed to both teams at same time, teams continue to play 4 a side with penalized players in the box until stoppage of play).
- iii. Major penalties:
 - a) 5 minutes duration (serve full time even if goal(s) is scored).
 - b) 2nd major to same player = 5 minutes plus game misconduct.
- iv. Game Misconduct Penalties carry an automatic 1 game suspension.
- v. Match Penalty is a suspension for the remainder of the tournament.
- vi. Referees - Two man system will be used.
- vii. Body Checking - No intentional body checks allowed.
- viii. Fighting - Fighting will not be tolerated - **Automatic Major + Game Misconduct**
- ix. Slap shots - Allowed but dangerous follow through (high stick) may be penalized for high sticking.
- x. High Sticking - Deliberate or accidental contact of one's stick above the shoulders of another player is considered a high stick. Also, stick work will be watched closely and poor/dangerous stick work will be called.
- xi. Length of game - 2 halves, 16 minutes in duration for pool play and quarter and semi-finals. Stop time in the last two minutes of the game regardless of the score.
- xii. Tied game - Games shall end in a tie if no winner must be determined i.e. round robin play. If a winner must be determined: 5-minute, sudden victory, stop time OT with three skaters for Adult event and 4 skaters for youth event. If there is not a winner after overtime, a shootout will be used. **Penalties will be carried over into over time.**
- xiii. Time out - Each team is permitted 1 one-minute time-out per game. The game clock shall stop during a time-out.

The following infractions will be penalized:

- i. Boarding/Body Checking – Automatic minor, major if dangerous
- ii. Butt-Ending – Major
- iii. Charging – Automatic minor, major if dangerous
- iv. Checking from behind – Major
- v. Cross Checking – Minor, major if dangerous at the discretion of the Referee.
- vi. Delaying the game – Minor
- vii. Elbowing – Minor or Major
- viii. Fighting – Major and game misconduct
- ix. High – Sticking – Minor, major if dangerous or match penalty if intent to injure.
- x. Holding – Minor
- xi. Hooking – Minor
- xii. Interference – Minor

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- xiii. Kneeing – Minor, major if dangerous.
- xiv. Sparring – Major or match penalty if intent to injure.
- xv. Slashing – Minor or major if dangerous, (possible misconduct).
- xvi. Roughing – Minor (major if injury results).
- xvii. Match forfeit will result in a 3-0 walk over

(Note: All the above minor penalties could be ruled as dangerous or intent to injure and receive a major penalty or misconduct.)

OTHER RULES:

- Maximum of 14 players per team. (HKCIHA may grant exceptions if justified.)
- Players are not able to substitute for another team.
- A goalie listed as a back up for a team may play as 1st goalie for another team but this must be cleared with the organizers in advance of the tournament play.
- All jerseys must have readable numbers on the back and the players should wear the same numbers for both home and away colors.
- Each team must bring a dark plus light color jersey. In case of color clash the home team will wear white/light.
- All players are required to sign the **Appendix C - Acknowledgement of Risk Form** prior to playing. In the case of Under 18's a parent's or guardian's signature will be required so should be obtained prior to travel.

PROTESTS

- Protests must be notified verbally, during a game, to the Game Referee on the floor by the Team Captain of the protesting team and must be noted on the official game score sheet. The Referee will immediately inform the Captain of the opposing team.
- All protests must be confirmed by official letter addressed to the Chief Referee and the HKIHC2009 Chairman one and a half hours after the completion of the game. If this does not happen then the protest lapses.
- Referees decisions are not subject to protests or argument.

SCORESHEET, TEAM ROSTERS, GAME AND PLAYER STATISTICS

- 2009HKIC must run to schedule therefore a concerted effort has to be made to ensure that all games start and finish at the scheduled time.
- All players must be listed on their respective Team Roster Sheet with correct jersey numbers indicating captain, alternates and goal-keepers and notified to the HKIC2009 Chairman at the start of the championships. Team Rosters cannot have players/goalies added to them after the start of a team's first game in the competition and jersey colours or numbers cannot be altered.
- It is the responsibility of Team Managers to check that the team roster is correctly recorded on the official game score sheet before the start of the first game. The game score sheets will be located next to the Scoring Bench. If bench officials change the sheets must be updated before game starts. Notify starting goalkeeper every game.
- A maximum of 4 team official are permitted on the player bench. Coach, Team
- Manager and two others ONLY. Names must be filled out correctly on the score sheet by the Team Manager.
- It is the Team Manager's responsibility to ensure that the score bench is advised of their team's starting goal-keeper and each time the goal-keeper is changed during a game because individual statistics are being kept for all players.

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- The score as shown on the electronic score board is subject to final confirmation upon completion of the official score sheet.
- Any incidents or accidents during the game must be noted on the official game score sheet and any relevant incident/accident completed forms must be attached to the score sheet, along with any relevant medical player clearances.
- Game Referees and Officials must sign the Game Score sheet before the Captains sign.
- Captains must sign the official score sheet at the end of the game before they head to the Change Rooms. If the Captain finds a fault in the score sheet then he/she must point this out to the Score Bench before signing. Only the Coach OR Team Manager (not both) can accompany a Junior Captain to the bench when he/she is signing the score sheet. No one else is permitted involvement.
- Official game score sheets cannot be altered or added to by anyone after Captains have signed.

RESULTS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Games schedules, result and other information will be updated and posted at a prominent location at KPCC. Announcements will be made to the Team Captain and or Team manager from time to time.

REFEREES AND OFF-RINK OFFICIALS

- There will be a Game Referees shall report to the Chief Referee who will coordinate with the Chairman the adjudication of the games.
- Each game will be controlled by two on rink Game Referees. Where a Referee has a conflict of interest, he/she will not be scheduled to referee the game where that conflict of interest applies. HKCIHA shall have full right to decide whether there is any conflict of interest.
- In addition to the two on rink Game Referees, the tournament will deploy trained full time timekeepers and statistician to ensure all tournament data is correctly updated.

MEDICAL/FIRST AID

- 2009HKIC shall provide First Aid and Medical support for the duration of the tournament to care for any injuries that occur during the course of the games.
- The Referee will assess the need for, and call the First Aid onto the playing surface.
- Everyone else, including Coaches and Team Managers, must remain off the playing surface until called on by the Referee(s).
- **Medical/travel insurance is a MUST and the responsibility of each team manager and team players. HKCIHA, YMCA, and HKFRS, or its officials and employees will not bear any responsibility of injury or other losses due to your participation in the 2009HKIC.**

PRESENTATIONS

All presentations to the winning, second place and participating teams will be made at the end of the final championships game for the Youth Event and Mens and Ladies Event one week later.

PRACTICE TIMES

There will be limited practice times available at KPCC on a first come basis prior to the commencement of each of the tournament events. Teams are required to provide their own practice pucks.

PHOTOGRAPHS

- 2009HKIC will have Official Photographers to take photos and record videos throughout the tournament. The Official Photographer will have exclusive right to take photographs or videos outside the barriers in safe positions around the rink.

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- The general public may take photographs at any time but must remain outside the official safety zone.

10. MERCHANDISING

HKCIHA will have official merchandise available for selling at 2009HKIC. No external vendors may promote or distribute or sell at 2009HKIC without the express written consent of HKCIHA.

11. MATTERS NOT COVERED IN THIS NOTICE

Any matter/issue not covered in this Notice is to be brought to the attention of the 2009HKIC Chairman or his/her representative.

ERRORS AND OMISSIONS ACCEPTED IN THIS DOCUMENT

Any Errors and Omissions in this document may be updated and version identified on the document.

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