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# 第十六届茶阳杯全国小学象棋校际赛章程

# 16th Char Yong Cup Inter-Primary School Xiangqi Competition

# Rules and Regulations

# 1. Tournament Objective

To promote the game of Xiangqi (Chinese Chess) and Chinese culture.

### 2. Date & Time

Competition Date: Wednesday, 6th November 2019, 10:00 am - 5:30 pm

Reporting Time: 9:15 am

### 3. Venue

Bishan CC Main Hall (on ground floor) 51 Bishan St 13 579799

# 4. Eligibility

a) Primary school students are eligible for this tournament. There are two categories:

Open Category	Lower Category
Open to all primary school students.	Open to students who are Primary 4 and below.
Each school may send up to 4 teams.	Each school may send up to 4 teams.

- b) Each team may comprise of 3 or 4 players.
- c) There will be no substitution of team members once a match has started.

# 5. Registering

a) Fee: S\$30.00 per team.

b) Closing Date: Sunday, 27<sup>th</sup> October 2019

c) Registration Form & Crossed Cheques are to be submitted to

Singapore Xiangqi General Association 51 Bishan St 31 #01-01 Singapore 579799 Tel: 6259 0984; email: admin@xiangqi.sg

Opening Hour:

Friday 7:00 pm - 10:00 pm

Saturday & Sunday: 2:00 pm − 10:00 pm

d) Payment via cheques should be made payable to Singapore Xiangqi General Association.

#### 6. Tournament System

- a) 7 rounds Swiss Pairing will be done via software.
- b) 3 players from each team will compete in each round, and each player will play in only one match per round.
- c) Substitution of reserve has to made known to Arbiter 5 minutes before the match starts.

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## 7. <u>Time control</u>

- a) 20 minutes per side. Players who have exceeded their time allocated are deemed to have lost their match.
- b) If a player has a clear board advantage or the game has reached a draw scenario, he or she may call for the arbiter to request a draw. Subject to the arbiter's consent, the game shall be declared a draw.
- c) In the event that both players still have time, and a draw scenario is encountered, the arbiter may declare a draw.
- d) Participants who are late to arrive at their match for that round by 5 minutes or more forfeit their match.

8) <u>Competition schedule (for reference)</u>

Time	Schedule
09:15	Reporting
10:00 - 10:40	Round 1
11:00 – 11:40	Round 2
11:50 – 12:30	Round 3
12:30 – 13:15	Lunch (provided)
13:15 – 13:55	Round 4
14:00 – 14:40	Round 5
14:50 – 15:30	Round 6
15:40 – 16:20	Round 7
16:50	Prize Giving

# 9) Award ceremony

Date & Time: Wednesday, 6<sup>th</sup> November 2019, 4.50pm Venue: Bishan CC Main Hall (on ground floor)

# 10) <u>Prizes</u>

- a) Prizes will be awarded to the teams who placed in the top 8 for the respective categories. Each team will receive a trophy, and the players for the team will each receive a prize as well.
- b) In addition, for the Open category. 4 merit prizes will be given to the top 4 schools who did not get a placing in the top 8.

#### 11) <u>Dress code</u>

Participants are to be in their school uniforms.

#### 12) <u>Tournament rules</u>

The tournament will be conducted according to the rules laid out by the Asian Xiangqi Federation's Competition Rules (2008 edition) - 亚洲象棋联合会的《象棋比赛规例》. In the event of any disputes, the chief arbiter shall have the final say.

#### 13) Rules and Regulations

The organiser reserves the right to amend the rules and regulations.