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60th FESTIVAL OF SPORT

投球比賽 Netball Tournament

比賽地點：港灣道體育館

Venue : Harbour Road Sports Centre

Sunday 7 May 2017 年 5 月 7 日 (星期日)

Notes to Teams

1. All participating teams should report to the duty desk at Harbour Road Sports Centre Main Arena at the following times according to their competing sections:

Girls' U21 Section: 8:00 am

Girls' U17 Section: 11:20am

Girls' U15 Section: 2:30pm

Please submit your Official Team List (last page) via email to hkna@hkolympic.org by 5pm on Friday 5 May; OR submit hard copy of the list to HKNA Staff in charge upon arrival on 7th.

2. All teams should bring their own set of bibs. The HKNA will provide bibs only when necessary.
3. **Each player could only play for ONE team.** If found, corresponding players and teams will be disqualified.
4. **Each team needs to provide 1 scorer for their own game.** The two scorers, one from each team, should be standing together throughout the whole game, clearly visible by the umpires, and HKNA Officials if necessary. They need to mark clearly the FIRST centre pass of each half, the score at half time and also write the final score of the game. Both scorers need to write their names and names of their teams clearly on the scoresheet and return it immediately to the duty desk once the game is finished.
5. **Teams must enter the court within 30 seconds when signaled by Tournament Officials and/or Umpires of their games to start or re-start at intervals. If a team fails to take the court (with at least 5 players on court) after those 30 seconds, the Umpire shall give a 1 minute warning to corresponding team. If the offending team fails to take the court by the end of the 1 minute, the game shall be awarded to the non-offending team, and the score will be 8 – 0.**

6. Competition System:

U17, U21 and U15 First Round: Round Robin*

Teams will play against all other participating teams once. Points will be awarded as follows:
Win: 2 pts, Draw: 1 pt, Loss: 0 pt.

In case there is a draw of points of two or more teams, the followings will be calculated to decide the winner, in the order of :

1. Goal Average, i.e. "Goals For" divided by "Goals Against"
2. if teams have identical "Goal Average", then "Goal Difference" will be used, i.e. the difference between "Goals For" and "Goals Against"

In the event of a further tie, the team who has the highest "Goals For" will be declared winner.

U17 and U21 Section:

Final placing of teams will be decided according to the points they received after the Round Robin matches. Teams ranked 1st, 2nd and 3rd will be awarded Gold, Silver and Bronze medals respectively. All participants will be awarded FOS Participation Certificates.

U15 Second Round :

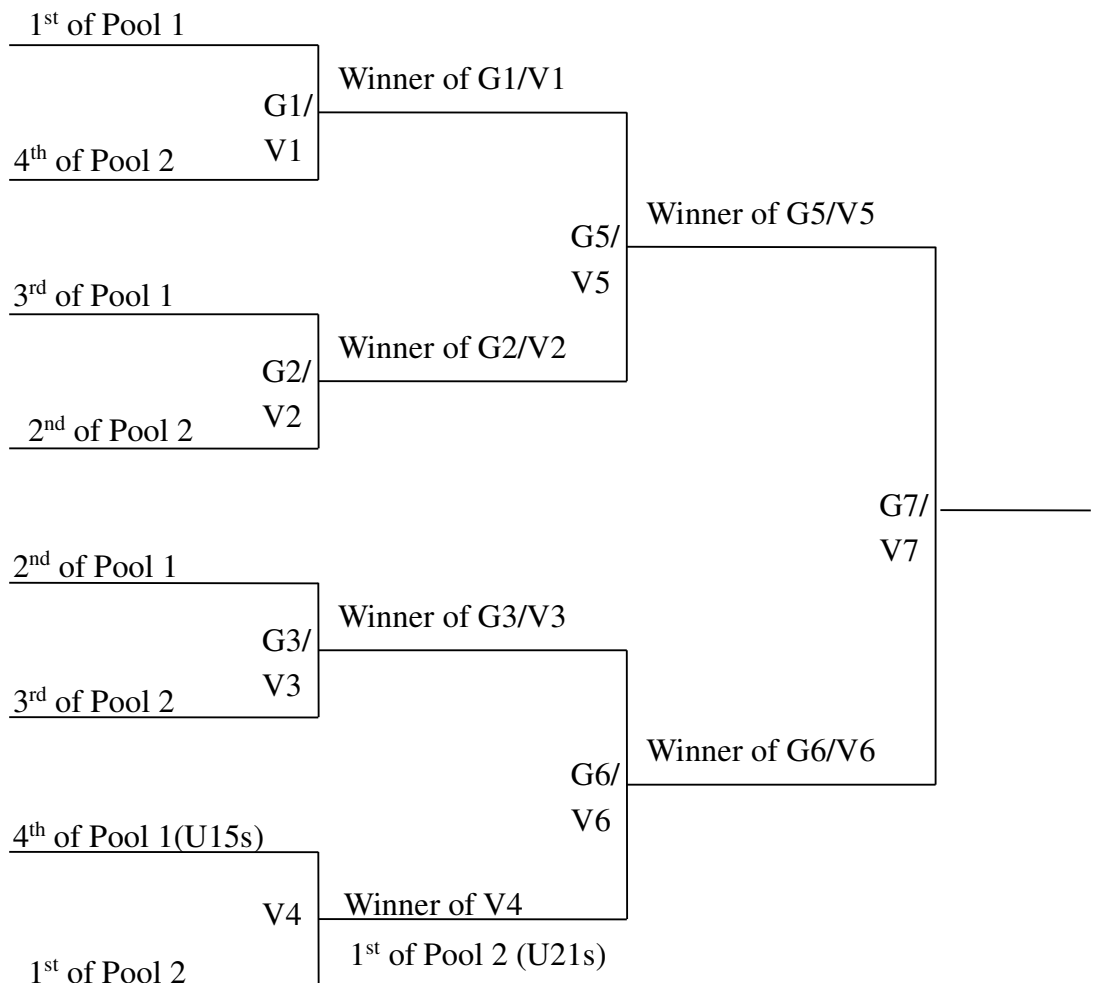
****Single Elimination Play off :**

After Round Robin games, Teams will enter into the play off according to their rankings. Details please refer to the diagram on the following pages.

*****In the event of a tie in the play offs or finals where a winner is required, umpires will stop the game, and the game will be re-started by a centre pass – it will be taken by the team entitled to the next centre pass. Play will go on until the first goal is scored thereafter, and the team who scored this goal will be the winner.**

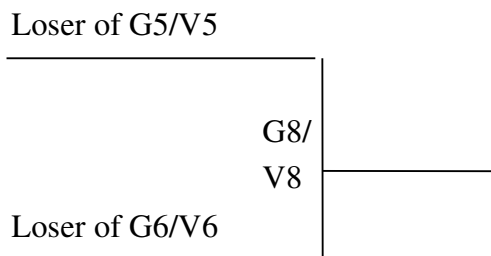
****Single Elimination Play off Diagram on following pages**

Single Elimination Play off - U15s Second Round



Winner of G7/V7 : Champion
Loser of G7/V7: 1st Runner up
Winner of G8/V8: 2nd Runner-up

G7/V7 勝方：冠軍
G7/V7 負方：亞軍
G8/V8 勝方：季軍



7. Timing of games:

Girls' U21, U17 and U15 Sections: All games of 8 minutes halves, with half time interval of 2 minutes.

8. In case of injury or illness, a stoppage up to 30 seconds will be allowed. During this period, the injured player(s) for which game has stopped for has/have to leave the court and both teams could make changes or substitutions.

9. Changes or Substitutions could only be made during stoppages for injuries or illness, or at half time.

10. Players should not be bringing their valuables to the venue. Players will be checked by umpires before the game for jewellery such as earrings, necklaces, bracelets etc., and watches. Fingernails should be cut short and smooth and they should be done well before first game. Players not abiding these rules are not allowed on the court.

11. There will be two courts playing at the same time so make sure you stop on hearing the CORRECT whistle. If there are any clarification about the rules, this should be done before or after the games and by the Coach and the Captain of the team with corresponding umpires.

12. Certificates of Participation (to all teams) and medals (1st, 2nd and 3rd placing) presentation will take place immediately after the last game of each section.

13. All INF (2016) netball rules apply to this tournament, unless otherwise stated. If there are any dispute, HKNA personnel has authorization to make final decision.

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